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EVENTS

Habitat for Humanity of Bergen County will host an event from 6 to 8:30 p.m. April 30 at the PGA Superstore, 295 Route 17 south, Paramus. The organization will partner with United Water's Women's Leadership Network for "Jumpstart Your Career with a Hole in One." There will be networking, a speaker, golf fashion tips and prizes. \$25. habitatbergen.org, nicolem@habitatbergen.org or 201-457-1020.

The Bergen County YJCC will host its annual spring gala at 6:30 p.m. April 30 at Temple Emanu-el, 180 Piermont Road, Closter, including cocktails, dinner and dancing. The following honorees will be recognized: Stephanie and Barry Kissler, Couple of the Year; Barnett "Buzz" Rukin, Community Builder; and Lisa and Adam Grossman, Young Leaders. Proceeds will benefit YJCC programs. Ashley Warren, 201-666-6610, ext. 5832 or awarren@yjcc.org.

The Park Ridge Elks will stage a fashion show and host a dinner at 6 p.m. May 1 at 13 Sulak Lane, featuring women's fashions by Dressbarn plus prizes awarded. \$25. Dorrie, 201-573-0257.

The Community of God's Love will host a two-part series to highlight beliefs of the Islamic faith at 7:30 p.m. May 1 and May 8 at 70 W. Passaic Ave., Rutherford. The first will feature the movie "Children of Heaven" and pizza will be served; the second a talk by Rev. Philip Latronico. 201-935-0344 or secretary@theegl.org.

The Julia Anne Kirsch Foundation will hold a garage and bake sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. May 2 at 227 Elmwood Ave., Glen Rock, including toys, household goods, clothing and more. Proceeds benefit the organization which helps disabled individuals and their families. juliakirschfoundation.org.

Vantage Health System will hold an open house in recognition of Mental Health Awareness Month from 4 to 7 p.m. Monday May 4 at 2 Park Ave., Dumont. There will be a display of services and the staff and board will be available to speak with.

The organization will also host a "Dine for a Cause" from 11:45 a.m. to 10 p.m. May 4 at Fink's BBQ, 26 W. Madison Ave., Dumont. Fifteen percent of each cash bill will be donated when diners provide the voucher that can be found on its website. vantagenj.org.

The Wyckoff YMCA will host its annual "Roll Call for Veterans" breakfast at 9 a.m. May 5 at 691 Wyckoff Ave. Terence M. Keane, associate chief of staff for research and development for the VA Boston Healthcare System, will speak. An opportunity for veterans to connect and socialize will follow. \$10; free for veterans. Preregistration required. 201-891-2081.

The Boys and Girls Club of Hawthorne will host a golf outing May 6 at Black Bear Golf Course, 138 Route 23 north, Franklin. Shotgun start at 9 a.m. Cocktail hour begins at 4 p.m. followed by a buffet dinner at the Brick House, 179 Godwin Ave., Wyckoff. \$160; \$640 foursome. \$60 dinner only. John Magna, at jmagna@bgchawthorne.org or John Bertollo, jbertollo@bgchawthorne.org.

The Cresskill Chapter of UNICO will hold a carnival May 6 through May 10 at 100 Third St.

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Funeral to be held for Stephanie Morgan, Emerson HS senior who died in car crash

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Proceeds will help fund scholarships for seven Cresskill High School seniors. unico.org.

FOWA Rescue will hold a "Queen's Tea" Mother's Day event from 3 to 6 p.m. May 3 at 20 Old Newark-Pompton Turnpike, Wayne. \$40; includes scones, tea, quiche and salads. Tickets: fowarescue.com. 973-902-7515.

Montvale Cub Scout Pack 336 will hold a rummage sale from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 3 at Memorial School, 53 W. Grand Ave., Montvale, featuring toys, games, books, kitchen goods and more. A special "bag sale" will be held from 1 to 2 p.m. where customers can fill a bag for \$3. Rain date May 24. montvalepack336@gmail.com.

Halfway Hounds will host a fundraising luncheon, "Doggy Derby", from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. May 2 at the Clinton Inn Hotel, 145 Dean Drive, Tenafly. There will be a buffet, mimosas, derby hat contest, tricky tray and silent auction. \$50 adults; \$25 children 5 through 12; free for children under 5. halfwayhounds.org.

The Wayne YMCA will host "Healthy Kids Day" from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 2, with face painting, healthy snacks, swimming, inflatables, a Zumba party and group fit training. Free.

There will also be a concert at 7:30 p.m. at the Rosen Performing Arts Center. The Aztec Two-Step will perform "The Simon & Garfunkel Songbook." \$26 advance; \$30 door.

1 Pike Drive. 973-595-0100 or wayneymca.org.

St. John Lutheran Church will hold a thrift shop from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. May 2 at 140 Lexington Ave., Passaic, including spring and summer clothing, household items and toys for sale. Margaret, 973-777-0322 or 973-779-1166.

Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children of Bergen County will host a casino night from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. April 30 at Seasons, 644 Pascack Road, Washington Township, featuring hors d'oeuvres, food stations, desserts, open bar, basket raffle, silent auction and other games. Former CASA president Lawrence Kramer and former vice president Jeffrey Golden will receive the "Angel Award" for their dedication to the organization. \$125. 201-336-7520 or bergencasa.org.

Bright Side Manor of Senior Housing Services is hosting its annual gala from 7 to 10 p.m. April 30 at the Palisadium, 700 Palisadium Drive, Cliffside Park, with music provided by the Bucky Pizzarelli-Ed Laub Trio. \$125. Elizabeth Davis, elizabethdavis@seniorhousingervices.org or Dick Wolfe, dickwolffegs@gmail.com.

The Women's Rights Information Center will present "Women Celebrating Women: A Legacy of Caring" at 6:30 p.m. April 30 at the Clinton Inn, 145 Dean Drive, Tenafly. Nina Pineda of WABC-TV will be honored. The event will include a dinner and raffles. womensrights.org.

The Amity Club of Our Lady of Consolation will present "Rosie the Riveter" at 7 p.m. May 4 at 1799 Hamburg Turnpike, Wayne. Free. Angela Rebasti, 973-224-0960.

Ridgefield Park Elks 1506 will sponsor a bus trip to Sands Casino in Bethlehem, Pa., May 2. Registration and breakfast at 10 a.m.; departure at 10:30 a.m. from 30 Spruce St. \$35 per person includes breakfast, \$5 meal voucher and \$20 slot play. Betty or Russ Gomes, 201-342-6760.

The Volunteer Center of Bergen County will hold its annual "Derby Day" party from 3:30 to 7:30 p.m. May 2 at 269 E. Crescent Ave., Mahwah. There will be southern food, mint juleps, wine tasting, live music, cigar rolling, an auction, and viewing of the Kentucky Derby. \$100; \$1,000 table of 12. bergenvolunteers.org.

The Cooley's Anemia Foundation will hold a walk-a-thon from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 3 at Van Saun Park in Paramus. There will be a barbecue, face painting and music after the walk. The event will help the foundation in its battle against the genetic blood disorder thalassemia. Lisa Vigliotti, 201-306-2951 or lisa.petrullo@gmail.com.

The North Jersey Affiliate of Susan G. Komen will host its annual North Jersey Race for the Cure May 3 at the Essex County South Mountain Recreation Complex in West Orange. There will be a color run, magician, petting zoo from Turtle Back Zoo, a circus performer, and a T-shirt contest. Registration opens at 6:30 a.m.; 5K race at 7:30; color run at 8:30; survivor procession at 9:30; and the 5K walk and 1.5 mile fun walk at 10 a.m. KomenNorthJersey.org/race or 908-277-2904.

Jewish Family Service of North Jersey's Sam and Nina Wolff Caregiver Center will hold a breakfast program at 10 a.m. May 3 at Temple Beth Sholom, 40-25 Fair Lawn Ave., Fair



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Lawn. New York Times "New Old Age" blog columnist Paula Span will be available. \$36. jfsnorthjersey.org or 973-595-0111.

The Greater New Jersey Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation will host its Sports Challenge from 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. May 3 at MetLife Stadium in East Rutherford. The event will feature a mini Olympic-style competition, plus a luncheon, awards ceremony and tours of the New York Giants and Jets locker rooms. \$400; fees may be paid outright or fundraised by May 2. Melissa McKinney, 973-656-9200 or newjersey.cff.org.

WHAT'S NEW

Don Bosco Preparatory School sponsored a youth ministry trip to Nicaragua during winter break. The trip included 24 members of the senior class plus faculty and family members. The group built a home at the Mama Margarita Foundation which provides food and shelter for women and children in need. The group also visited Granada Street Kids, a school for at-risk youth and helped youths with disabilities at Los Pepitos House. 201-327-2049.

City Green will hold a ribbon cutting ceremony at 1:30 p.m. April 29 at the Governor Towers Senior Housing Complex, 211 20th Ave., Paterson, where there will be a weekly Senior Garden Club at the new location from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. Fridays through June 12.

The weekly pre-school garden program will be held from 10 to 11:30 a.m. beginning April 30 at City Green Farm Eco-Center, 171 Grove St., Clifton. cliftonrec.com/info/activities.

Jennifer Papa, 973-800-8197, info@city-green.org or citygreenonline.org.

YWCA Bergen County will host Taya Kyle, widow of "American Sniper" Chris Kyle, at 7 p.m. May 4 at 211 E. Ridgewood Ave., Ridgewood. She will speak about her new book, "American Wife: A Memoir of Love, War, Faith and Renewal". \$35 includes signed copy of the book. Tickets available at Bookends, 211 E. Ridgewood Ave., Ridgewood or 201-445-0726.

The Asperger's Services Department at West Bergen Mental Healthcare will hold a series of workshops for parents of children on the spectrum on Monday evenings from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. at 615 Franklin Turnpike, Ridgewood. The 12 and under group will meet May 4, July 20, Aug. 3, Oct. 5 and Nov. 2. The 13 and older group April 27, May 11, July 27, Aug. 10, Oct. 12 and Nov. 16. Both groups will meet from 7:30 to 9 p.m. for combined workshops June 1, Sept. 21 and Nov. 30. \$25 per session for both parents. Kelly Weaver, kweaver@westbergen.org, 201-857-0080.

The Mahwah Senior Center will hold a discussion at noon April 30 at 475 Corporate Drive, Mahwah, addressing pharmacy services, medication questions and the future of the pharmacy community and health care. Susan Small, ssmall@mahwahtwp.org or 201-529-5757.

Bright Pink will host a "Girls Night Out" from 6 to 8 p.m. April 30 at Westfield Garden State Plaza in Paramus, featuring Anthony Carrino and John Colaneri from the HGTV show, "The Kitchen Cousins." \$20 includes valet parking, a meet and greet, cocktails and snacks. fundraise.brightpink.org.

They will also hold "Mommy & Me" from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. May 2 at Lord & Taylor Court at Westfield Garden State Plaza. A \$5 donation includes photos with Brobee and Toodee from the Nickelodeon show, "Yo Gabba Gabba," children's crafts and coloring activities, music and entertainment. fundraise.brightpink.org.

The Friends of the Cliffside Park Free Public Library will be available to have photos, slides and 8mm and 16 mm films converted into DVDs from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 2 at 505 Palisade Ave. Free. friendscpl@gmail.com.

The Wayne YMCA will offer a "Matilda" musical theater workshop for children 7 to 17, from 1 to 5 p.m. May 3 at 1 Pike Drive. Analise Scarpaci from "Matilda" and "A Christmas Story" will work with participants on a song and dance combination, conduct a Q-and-A session and sign autographs. Students may also audition for the Artistic Team with a talent manager offering feedback on performances. \$175; \$150 facility members. waynymca.org or 973-595-0100.

Hackensack University Medical Center will hold an insulin pump support group from 7 to 8 p.m. May 4 at 87 Route 17 north, suite 200, Maywood, open to all adults with diabetes. Linda Cohen, 551-996-3010 or lcohen@hackensackumc.org.

The Passaic Valley Hospice will hold a bereavement support group from 6:30 to 8 p.m. May 6 at 783 Riverview Drive, Totowa. The group, which will meet for seven weekly sessions, provides understanding and support through the grieving process. Richard Sharber, 973-

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The Gallen Adult Day Health Care Center at the Jewish Home at Rockleigh will offer a free support group from 10 to 11:30 a.m. May 6 at 10 Link Drive, for those caring for a relative or friend who is physically frail or suffering from Alzheimer's disease or related dementia. Topics include long-term care options, financial planning, legal concerns and the personal toll of care giving. Shelley Steiner, 201-784-1414, ext. 5340.

SCOREBergen will hold a workshop from 7 to 9 p.m. May 6 at 1 Bergen County Plaza in Hackensack. An expert roundtable on franchise ownership will discuss the risks and the rewards of ownership plus costs and financing options. \$20 advance; \$30 door. 201-336-6090 or bergen.score.org.

VOLUNTEERS

City Green is beginning its annual seasonal volunteer program. Those interested can work in its garden from 9 a.m. to noon or on its farm from 5 p.m. to dusk. Volunteer days are every Wednesday. RSVP to participate. info@city-green.org.

PEOPLE

Assemblywoman Valerie Vainieri Huttle and Joseph Duffy were named the co-recipients of the 2015 Caring Award by HomeCare Options.

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