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#### **Rising Above Hate**

By Jibreel Jalloh

In America's founding documents there's a belief that all are created equal, that we share an inherent dignity. Yet today, we find ourselves grappling with an undercurrent – a rise in hate crimes.

In our community and beyond, individuals are targeted, not for their deeds, but for who they are – their race, religion, gender, etc. This isn't just an attack on one individual; it's an attack on the very ideals that bind us as neighbors.

I've always believed in the power of hope. Hope that illuminates even the darkest of times. To meet the moment, we must champion anti-bias education, combat bullying and shed light on the pervasive issue of hate crimes and bias incidents.

But remember this – change doesn't just happen. We've got to be the change. Silence and inaction can perpetuate hate. If you see it, report it. If you experience it, know that you're not alone. And if you can prevent it, act. We, as a community, have a moral obligation to stand up, to speak out.

Our strength doesn't come from sameness but from our incredible diversity. It's the fabric of different cultures, beliefs and histories that makes America unique. We must protect that.



Let's remember that acceptance isn't just a societal norm; it's a choice we make every single day. To see the value in every individual, to understand that our differences are what make us stronger.

So, to my neighbors, I say – let's come together. Let's uphold the values that define us. Let's ensure that hate has no place in our community.

Note: In New York, hate crimes are identified as offenses driven by biases toward race, color, religion and other specific attributes, as defined by the Hate Crimes Task Force. To report such incidents, individuals should contact the police; serious crimes require a 911 call.

Report a bias incident by calling 311 in non-emergency situations.

Jibreel Jalloh created a Canarsie-based advocacy organization that has fought for a range of investments, including ferry service and anti-gun violence programs. Jibreel graduated from Baruch College (CUNY) and is currently pursuing a master's degree at New York University. He's worked in the office of multiple elected officials, including Public Advocate Jumaane Williams and Congressman Hakeem Jeffries. Jibreel is a member of Community Board 18. Learn more at theflossy.org or send him an email at team@theflossy.org.

#### Shop Local, Shop Canarsie

#### **By Bristol Hendrix**

The Canarsie Merchants Association's Pop-Up Shop Series, a cross-marketing effort designed to introduce new customers to existing businesses and bring more foot traffic to established places, is hosted from September to December at local venues in Canarsie.

On Saturday, October 21st, five small businesses shared their goods and products at The Xperience Coffee House and Sylk Cove Cocktail Lounge on Rockaway Parkway. Independent brands like T.R.E.X. Skin Care, Creative Overflow, Kayonne Beauty, Prosperity is Paramount Clothing, Liz Designs Boutique and Lucky Key Spiritual Jewelry all had their merchandise on display and ready for customers to purchase.

The next Pop-Up will be on November 25th during Small Business Saturday at The Xperience Coffee House, 1454 Rockaway Parkway.



#### Happy 17th Birthday to New York's Youngest Author, Anaya Lee Willabus

For the past nine years, Anaya has been actively traveling locally, nationally and internationally to promote her four published books, promote literacy and the empowerment of our youth.

Anaya has also been actively running track during the spring season while playing soccer at school and for the Guyana National Lady Jaguars junior team.

When she's not at school or playing

sports, Anaya is still very involved in making a positive impact in our community by leading as the President of First Responders Leo Club.

Anaya also enjoys spending time with her family and friends as a way of unwinding and relaxing!!

Best wishes for an enjoyable 17th Birthday from your family, friends, supporters and your *Canarsie Courier* family!!



Dad Winston, Brother Brandon, Sister Chantelle, brother-in-law Brian with niece Giselle, Anaya and Mom Dimple.



Anaya - 1 year old

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#### East Flatbush

#### **Double Homicide at Flatbush Gardens Apartments**

By Lloyd Mitchell and Linda Steinmuller

Police shot and killed the man believed to be responsible for a grisly double homicide that took place in the fourth-floor hallway of a building located within the Flatbush Gardens apartment complex around 10:40 p.m. on Sunday, October 29th.

It's believed that the suspect, Jason Pass, 47, was hiding out in a home in Bath Beach since Sunday's shooting. Around 7 a.m. on Wednesday, police, using a license plate reader, identified his vehicle near Bay 44th Street and Harway Avenue, about five miles from the scene of the shooting. A pursuit followed and Pass tried to run away. When they caught up with him, Pass charged at police with a large knife. Police then shot Pass four times, three times in the chest and once in the right leg. He was taken to a local hospital where he died shortly thereafter.







When police from the 67th Precinct arrived at the Flatbush Gardens apartment at 1418 Brooklyn Avenue on Sunday, they found two men, Bladimy Mathurin, 47, and Mode Chinwai, 27, with gunshot wounds to their heads and torso. EMS pronounced both victims dead at the scene, police said. The victims, a father and his stepson, got into an argument. Their neighbor, who they had an ongoing dispute over noise complaints, confronted them. An argument ensued, which escalated, and the suspect fatally shot both men, leaving nine shell casings at the scene.

Photos by Lloyd Mitchell

#### Spring Creek

#### **Another Power Outage** at Starrett City



#### By Lloyd Mitchell

A power outage at Spring Creek Tower's Elmira Loop left 46 buildings without power for 20 minutes on Tuesday, October 24th. The incident left window washers briefly dangling in the air at 45 Twin Pines Drive around 2 p.m. No injuries were reported, but the FDNY sent out a second alarm to check the elevators and stairwells in each building. One frustrated resident told the Canarsie Courier, "I don't understand why this keeps happening, but they want more money from residents."

#### Fire Breaks Out at UPS Storage Site in Canarsie



#### **By Lloyd Mitchell**

There were no reported injuries resulting from a fire at a UPS storage facility at 104-01 Foster Avenue last

Firefighters were met with heavy smoke when they arrived at the large, one-story commercial packing facility around after 8:45 p.m. on Thursday, October 19th. While searching for the source of the blaze, members found a conveyor belt on fire. Units were briefly hampered by a dead fire hydrant. Thankfully, a sprinkler was activated inside the building, and units stretched four hose lines, using other nearby hydrants, to fight the blaze. Searches throughout the building yielded negative results for trapped employees.

The fire was placed under control at 9:25 p.m. The FDNY Fire Marshal's office will determine the cause of the fire.

#### East New York

#### **Police Looking for Gunman in ENY Shooting**

**By Lloyd Mitchell and Linda Steinmuller** 

A 45-year-old man is recovering after being shot in the groin on the evening of Wednesday, October

Police said the victim was shot at Barbey Street and Livonia Avenue by an unidentified individual around 9 p.m. The victim managed to walk two blocks to try and get help at E & K Deli Market, at 608 New Lots Avenue. Officers from the 75th Precinct found the victim suffering from a gunshot wound at the location.

EMS took the victim to Brookdale Hospital in stable condition.

There are no arrests, and an investigation is ongoing.

Anyone with information regarding this shooting is asked to call the NYPD's Crime Stoppers Hotline at 800-577-TIPS (8477) or for Spanish, 888-57-PISTA (74782). The public can also submit their tips by logging onto the Crime Stoppers Website at crimestoppers.nypdonline.org/, or on Twitter @NYPDTips. All calls are strictly confidential.

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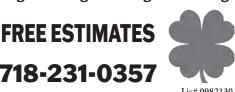
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#### **Bergen Beach**

#### **Neighborhood Goes All Out for Halloween**

By Angela G. Nannetti

By this time in October, every neighborhood in Brooklyn is decked out for Halloween, but Bergen Beach residents have really outdone themselves this time around. The displays have gotten bigger and better with 30-inch skulls, 12-foot inflatable goblins and pumpkin men, and skeletons nearly as tall as the two-story houses they adorn. They're a whole lot more creative this year too, with skeletons hanging out on the veranda, poking out of overgrown bushes and even dangling precariously from rooftops. There are wood trolls embedded within chain-link fences, witches reading from their spellbooks, creepy graveyards chock-full of faceless ghosts, ghouls and gnarly zombies, and plenty of interesting painted pumpkins to admire. If you're really trying to get into the spirit of Halloween, just stop by and take a walk through the neighborhood after dark...if you dare.









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#### **Remembering Actor Burt Young**

A former United States Marine, who was a boxer, Burt Young grew up in Queens and built a career in Hollywood as a tough guy actor. He passed away on October 8th, at the age of 83.

Young had 160 movie and television credits to his name and was personally asked by Sylvester Stallone to appear in the hit movie *Rocky* as Rocky's brotherin-law, Paulie. He never auditioned for the film and was one of the highest paid actors in the movie, which won him a nomination for an Academy Award for Best Supporting Actor. Young was in six *Rocky* movies.

He went on to appear in other movies like *Once Upon a Time in America*, *Back to School* with Rodney Dangerfield,

Mickey Blue Eyes and many more. He appeared in many television shows, like MASH, All in the Family, Columbo and The Sopranos. He also owned a great Italian Restaurant in the Bronx called Il Boschetto.

Jimmy Diele, *Celebrity Spotlight* Host at *Hamilton Radio* and *iHeart Radio*, had the pleasure of meeting Burt Young a couple of times over the years. Diele said he was always gracious and fun to talk with. "He really enjoyed meeting his fans," Diele said. "He will be missed but will always be remembered for all his great film and television work, especially as Rocky's best friend and brother-in-law, Paulie, in the *Rocky* movie saga."

Courtesy of Jimmy Diele





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#### **Marine Park**

#### Composting and Medicare Discussed at Madison-Marine-Homecrest Civic

By Brian Moreno

Residents gathered at the Carmine Carro Community Center in Marine Park for the October 19th meeting of the Madison-Marine-Homecrest Civic Association (MMHCA), where composting regulations, crime statistics and managing one's healthcare were discussed.

The City Council passed the Zero Waste Act in June, requiring New Yorkers to separate their organic waste from regular garbage. As of October 2nd, curbside composting is available to all Brooklyn residents.

Kate Sundberg, Curbside Composting Outreach Project Coordinator at Big Reuse, explained how to properly recycle, providing pamphlets on the items to be recycled, notably food scraps and food-soiled paper. There is a warning period, which runs through Spring 2025, at which time residents will be subject to fines ranging from \$25 to \$100 per offense.

Commanding Officer of the 61st Precinct, Captain Joseph Antonio, spoke about crime in the precinct. Though violent crimes are lower than last year, car thefts are still occurring, specifically to models such as Hondas, Kia's and Dodge Chargers. He also warned to be cautious of mail and packages, as thieves are mugging mail carriers for their keys to access mailboxes. Antonio advised that due to the war in the Middle East, police presence has increased in places of worship.

Eric Hausman, Outreach Volunteer Manager from the City's Department of Aging, Health Insurance Information Counseling Assistance Program (HIICAP), discussed Medicare and how to choose the correct plan. Hausman explained that Medicare has various parts – Part A is for hospital insurance while Part B is for medical insurance. Most people get Part A for free, with no premium, but Part B must be paid for. The standard monthly fee for Medicare Part B premiums will be \$174.70 in 2024, and the annual deductible for Medicare Part B will be \$240 next year.

The outreach manager also spoke about Medicare Advantage Private Plans (MAPP). MAPP is contracted with Medicare and provides all your benefits through a network of doctors and hospitals participating in the plan. Many companies such as Aetna, Centers Plan and Humana, among others, offer these plans. However, you can choose to go with original Medicare as well. Whatever you choose, you're entitled to Medicare D [Drug]. If, for example, you're on HealthFirst, you'll get your drug coverage from HealthFirst, and you get all your Medicare benefits: Part A, Part B and Part D, all from one plan.

If you choose original Medicare, with or without a Medigap plan, you could purchase a separate standalone drug plan to go with it. This year, they have 19 drug plans to choose from. In 2024, there will be 15 plans. To find the best plan for you, visit medicare.gov, which has a plan finder search tool. By entering the names of the selected drugs and the dosage, strength and quantity you take each month, and then selecting your pharmacy, the search tool will compare all plans and rank them based on your needs, from least expensive to most expensive. You can also call Medicare at 800-633-4227, contact HIICAP for local assistance or a pharmacy.

"They're all going to the same website to make the same comparison," said Hausman. "What I tell people is you can't just do this once in your lifetime and you're set because these plans can and do change every year."

On November 1st, MMHCA will send boxes of non-perishable food to local establishments to help those in need. On November 11th, MMHCA, alongside Father Dwayne Davis, pastor of St. Thomas Aquinas Church and administrator for Our Lady Help of Christians, will collect food at Key Food on Gerritsen Avenue and Avenue II

MMHCA and the Marine Park Community Association will hold a joint meeting, celebrating Thanksgiving, on Tuesday, November 21st at the Carmine Carro Community Center, 3000 Fillmore Avenue.



Commanding Officer of the 61st Precinct, Captain Joseph Antonio, talks about crime in the area.

A nonprofit organization in Brooklyn, NY is seeking sealed bids for the sale and installation of security related enhancements. This project includes the installation of Door Hardening and vehicle barriers/gates. Selection criteria will be based on price, reputation/experience, and quality of materials proposed. Specifications and bid requirements can be obtained by contacting us at bkschool2020@gmail. com. All interested firms will be required to sign for the proposal documents and provide primary contact, telephone, fax and email address. Bids will be accepted until 12 pm on November 15, 2023. Work is to commence by December 1, 2023, and completed by December 15, 2023. Minority and Women Owned Businesses are Encouraged to Apply.



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#### Marine Park

#### **Curtis Sliwa Rallies the Troops at Floyd Bennett Migrant Camp Town Hall**

**By Loretta Chin** 

Radio talk show celebrity, Guardian Angels founder and activist Curtis Sliwa spoke to over 250 fired up supporters at a Brooklyn Town Hall on the migrant camp at Floyd Bennett Field, held at the Knights of Columbus, at 3051 Nostrand Avenue, on Thursday, October 26th.

"Boo," yelled the crowd, when a roll call of invited politicians who refused to show up or send a representative was announced at the meeting sponsored by Sliwa and radio talk show host Sid Rosenberg. Both work for billionaire John Catsimatidis, owner of 77WABC.

Sliwa, who grew up in Canarsie, was dressed in his signature red beret and jacket, made light of it. "They would die to have a crowd like this," he said. "Next time we have meetings, we say it's a fundraiser — watch, they'll all show up."

"I take everybody and anybody on if they stand in the way of the people," Sliwa said of his willingness to put everything on the line, including getting arrested over 80 times. "I believe you people have the answers and you force the politicians to come up with solutions, because if not, forget it."

He spoke about his family history and devotion to the flag, what it represented to him and many in the room as a uniting factor for all, no matter their political affiliation.

Sliwa termed the asylum seeker crisis an "invasion" that our elected officials allowed to happen without background checks, paperwork, medical checkups or vaccinations, often with privileges not afforded to others who are in the system legally.

For example, first generation immigrants must have a sponsor, wait years and "jump through hoops," leaving family and friends behind. Likewise, Ukrainian war refugees are required to have sponsors while the homeless population, including veterans, have a 10 p.m. curfew or they lose their bed in a shelter.

"The illegal aliens, they have no curfew," he said, adding that he wanted to know how they get motorbikes/ Vespas without a license or registration and break the laws while veterans end up sleeping in the streets.

He cited the high cost to house migrants in hotels and deliver culturally appropriate food at taxpayers' expense, casting blame on Mayor Eric Adams who said that the migrant crisis will "destroy" New York City. He also lambasted Catholic Charities for allegedly profiting off of the crisis.

"Hell yes, because you let them in," Sliwa said, further criticizing the mayor for his latest idea to give migrants tents to live in public spaces.

"You really think they care about these people?" he asked? "These people are pawns — There's billions of dollars in what we call 'human trafficking." Sliwa estimated that it costs \$400 per day to take care of each migrant. "If you say contract, then I say kickback," he said, also stating that money was the "mother's milk of politics."

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Sliwa also stoked fears about terrorists coming through our borders as a very real possibility.

When told to work with the politicians, Sliwa said, "They do what they do in their lane, the lawyers do what they do in their lane, and stay the hell out of my way because I, with the help of communities, have closed down eight migrant centers."

He stressed the need to have a plan, be relentless and know your enemy, referring to the city and state's efforts to exert their will on the community. He outlined some of his strategies, methods and future plans, enlisting the help of community members who want to support these efforts.

"Most of you aren't going to get involved in civil disobedience, but if we call for an act of civil disobedience, it would be nice for you guys and gals to be out there to show support," Sliwa said.

Donald Cranston, representing Assemblywoman Jaime Williams, announced that the lawsuit to halt plans for the shelter will be heard in court on November 3rd. Williams previously testified in Congress before the House Committee on Natural Resources and held a walkthrough with committee members at Floyd Bennett Field during tropical storm Ophelia. Congresswoman Nicole Malliotakis also announced in a press release that day that her bill to prevent migrant housing on federal lands will go to the House floor for a vote.

"Contact every single member of Congress and tell them, 'Fix the immigration laws," Cranston said. Sliwa added, "We are for legal immigration."

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#### **East New York**

#### The Queen of Halloween Does it Again!

By Linda Steinmuller

Elizabeth Figueroa has outdone herself this year - this is one "boo-tiful" display. Her Halloween decorations at the Penn-Wortman Houses, at 875 Pennsylvania Avenue, will literally scare the pants off of anybody! She told the Canarsie Courier that this year's display is dedicated to humanity. She calls the skeleton couple the "Barbie and Ken bones," representing her friends and supporters at PIX11 News - Monica Morales and Mr. G, the weatherman. She tells us it's her last display, but we're not so sure, as this Queen of Halloween has been decorating the hallways for decades. "It has been an amazing journey. Your support and love through these years is what kept me going. Thank you to all of New York and all over the country, for those who have visited and supported me much love and many blessings always." Photos courtesy of Elizabeth Figueroa















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#### **Senator Persaud Tackles Domestic Violence Hands-On**

By Melissa Clark

It is known that "Love Should Not Hurt!

Domestic violence is an act of physical, emotional, economic, psychological and sexual endangerment. It starts in the home, and the offender is someone that the victim knows. It is a continuous problem that was kept private in the early 1900s; however, more voices are speaking out, louder and louder each year. On Saturday, October 21st, State Senator Roxanne Persaud, Chair of the Social Services Committee, held her annual event, "A Better You: The Empowerment Experience" at the P.S. 272 gym, at 101-24 Seaview Avenue, to help bring awareness to domestic violence.

The senator's office invited organizations such as Safe Horizon, which helps people going through not only domestic violence, but also child abuse and stalking. Their mission is clear: "Provide support, prevent

violence and promote justice of crime and abuse." The Mayor's office also provided support and phablets to visitors, letting them know they are not alone and that NYC has their back.

A resident of Canarsie who wished to remain anonymous stated, "I am a survivor of domestic violence where I almost lost my life. I came here today to breathe and get assurance that there are others out there, like me. I hear their stories as I pass the kiosk, and I can't help but feel so proud of these people seeking help."

If help was what the attendees were looking for, support was what they got. Aphique Woods, a 23-year veteran of martial arts and a black belt, attended with his teammate to demonstrate their defensive skills. As Woods clarified, the victim will likely know the attacker; the C.A.R.E. group focuses on tactics and

ways to diffuse a situation. The most critical element in martial arts is confidence and awareness. According to shelterhousenwfl.org, there are 16,800 homicides and \$2.2 million spent in medically-treated injuries, adding up to the \$37 billion cost due to this horrific act of violence. This does not include the most priceless amount, which is depression and anxiety that comes along with hurting a loved one.

The afternoon's event was successful, and Paulette Kelly read a poem titled "I Got Flowers Today," dedicated to battered women and men. "I got flowers today. It wasn't my birthday or any other special day. We had our first argument last night. He said a lot of cruel things that hurt me. I know he was sorry and didn't mean the things he said. Because I got flowers today..." Senator Persaud told the *Canarsie Courier*, "The one time of a hit is a signal of what's to come; it's never only one time, and you have to see from that one behavior to start making your plans and think of an exit strategy." She assures that residences are protected under section 227-C of the real property law.

For more information on domestic violence, or to get help, call 800-799-7233 or visit thehotline.org

Assistance for those dealing with anger issues is available at <u>apa.org</u>.



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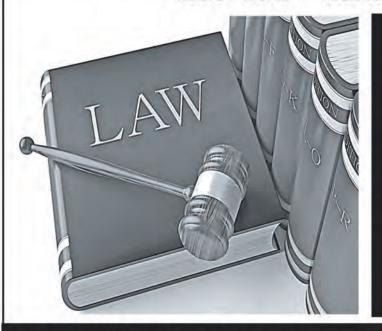
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#### **October Dedicated to Breast Cancer and Domestic Violence Awareness**

By Melissa Clark

On Saturday, October 21st, the 69th Precinct held its 3rd annual Breast Cancer and Domestic Violence walk in Canarsie Park. October is Awareness Month for both, and members of the community, along with NYPD youth Explorers, auxiliary officers and elected officials, walked in support of survivors, those who lost their lives or are still battling breast cancer and domestic violence.

The NYPD, Department of Community Affairs and the 69th Precinct Community Council led the assembly to share stories, and support and honor those who are battling breast cancer or dealing with domestic violence.

Although there is no direct correlation between breast cancer and domestic violence, it did share a commonality at the event – togetherness. Community Affairs Officer Nicole Rostant told the *Canarsie Courier*, "Unfortunately, not everyone knows how to deal with illness, and some hurt unintentionally; it can be your friends or family." It's okay that we may not understand the mental state of someone going through an illness. It is, however, essential to consider the vulnerability of your sick friend or relative.

Domestic violence has risen since the pandemic from 25% to 33% percent globally, and a little over 8% in the United States, according to *The Harvard Gazette* in 2022. Domestic violence is aggressive behavior within the home involving spouse or partner abuse. While some community members walked for domestic violence, others walked for breast cancer awareness, such as the significance of getting mammograms.

According to the National Breast Cancer Foundation, Inc., on average, 40 million mammogram screenings are conducted annually in the U.S. A mammogram, or mammography, is an X-ray photo of the breast that can detect abnormalities up to three years before a person discovers it. Depending on your age and medical history, your doctor can advise the

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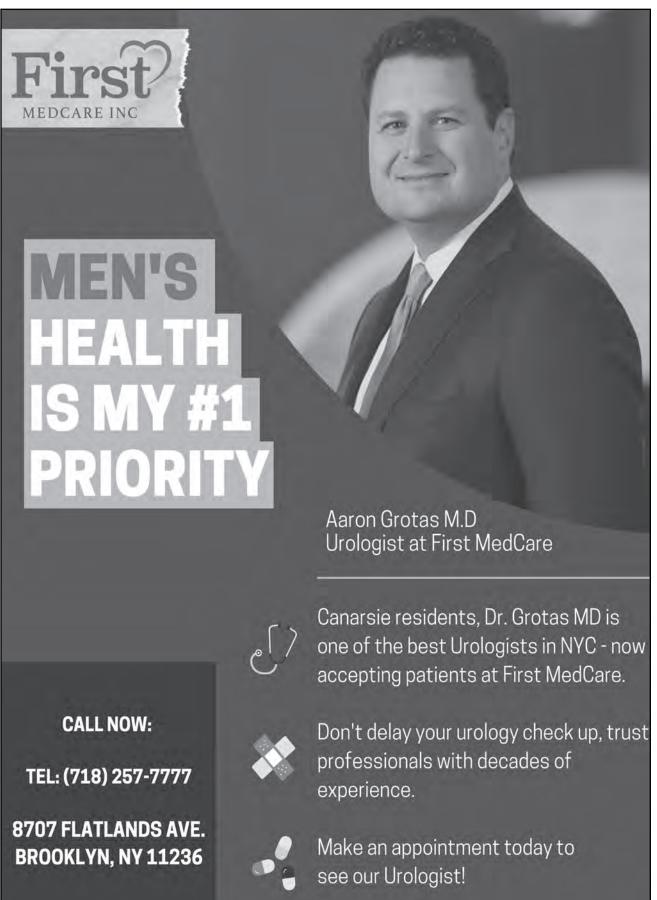
frequency of your mammogram screening, typically once a year.

#### Did You Know?

Brooklyn-born actress Edie Falco, who played Carmela Soprano on the HBO hit series, *The Sopranos*, found out she had breast cancer when she was just 40. Breast cancer is not only found in women. Although male breast cancer is rare, one in 1,000 men will be diagnosed with the disease.

One thing you can do to help with both breast cancer and domestic violence is to talk about it with your family, friends and community. To learn more about breast cancer, visit <u>national-breastcancer.org</u>. To get help with domestic violence, call 800-799-7233 or text START 88788.





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- 1. Old English letters
- 5. Sculpture
- 11. Showing up again 14. Tie the knot again
- 15. Washington city
- 18. Stiff structures in invertebrates
- 19. Mark over a vowel
- 21. Explosive
- 23. Popular race: \_\_\_ 500
- 24. Pile up
- 28 Mint
- 29. Commercial
- 30. A minute amount (Scottish)
- 32. Small Eurasian deer 33. Baseball stat
- 35. Numbers cruncher

- 36. Japanese masked drama
- 39. Gasteyer and de Armas are two
- 41. Blood group
- 42. Assist in wrongdoing
- 44. Language spoken in Cameroon and Chad
- 46. Grayish-white
- 47. A woolen cap of Scottish origin
- 49. Microorganism
- 52. Place under prohibition
- 56. Calm, dependable 58. Congressman
- 60. Force
- 62. As a result of this document
- 63. One of two main branches
  - of Islam

27. Apart from

29. Satisfaction

34. Sea bream

40. South Dakota

43. An orderly crowd

45. Indicates position

50. Nonsense (slang)

53. Nocturnal flyers

54. American state

57. Patriotic women

51. Republic of Ireland

38. Center

48. \_\_-pedi

36. Port in southern Japan

37. Double-reed instruments

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Determine the code to reveal the answer!

Solve the code to discover words related to technology. Each number corresponds to a letter.
(Hint: 25 = C)

25 14 15 4 26 7 17 2 A.

Clue: Machine that performs operations

B. 16 17 1 24 25 17 Clue: Gadget

7 17 25 5 C.

Clue: Abbreviation for electronic devices

25 14 15 15 26 22 24 25 12 7 17

Clue: Exchange information or ideas



#### Here's How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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ANSWER:									

### Guess Who?

I am an actress born in Scotland on November 28, 1987. Prior to acting I worked as a model in the UK. I rose to fame on the show "Dr. Who." I'm also known as a villain of sorts in some of the Marvel universe movies, as well as a role in the 2017 "Jumanji" sequel.

Answer: Karen Gillan

#### **CLUES DOWN**

- 1 Make a mistake
- 2. Gordon and Snider are two
- 3. Geographical region of Finland 31. The bill in a restaurant
- 4. Ejected saliva
- 5. A way of performing
- 6. Scotland's longest river 7. One of the six noble
- gases (abbr.)
- 8. Body art
- 9. Two-toed sloth
- 10. Electronic counter-
- countermeasures
- 12. Foolish person (Brit.)
- 13. Of the wind
- 16. Grand home
- 17. Sound
- 20. English river
- 22. Symbol indicating ownership
- 26. Pouch
- 25. Exclamation of surprise
- 58. A person's brother or sister

55. Clusters in fern fronds

- 59. Breed of sheep
- 61. Popular film "Despicable"

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Answer: Monitor

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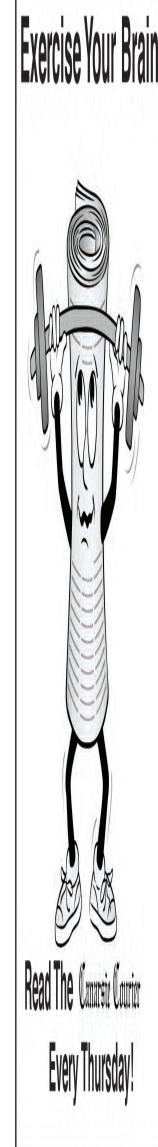
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#### Deputy Police Commissioner Was Guest Speaker at 69th Precinct Council Meeting

By Linda Steinmuller

Gardy Brazela, president of the 69th Precinct Community Council, introduced Captain Dion Hinds, the new commanding officer of the 69th Precinct, at the October 24th council meeting, held at St. Alban's Church, 9408 Farragut Road. First Deputy Police Commissioner Tania Kinsella was the special guest speaker at the monthly meeting.

Kinsella is the first black woman appointed as First Deputy Commissioner of the NYPD. She told attendees, "It's great to be the first. I don't want to be the last. I'm going to make sure I'm not the last." Kinsella worked for 20 years as a patrol officer, even spending two and a half years as a PSA1 Commanding Officer, covering the Breukelen Houses, so she is familiar with Canarsie. She said she is thankful that Mayor Adams saw something in



Houses, so she is familiar with Canarsie. She said First Deputy Commissioner Tania Kinsella receiving a plaque from the 69th Precinct Community Council for she is thankful that Mayor Adams saw something in her dedication to the NYPD.

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her. "We have to remember young girls that never think they could be the second in command of the largest police department in the world – think again."

She noted the large turnout of attendees and told the packed room that community engagement is crucial in bringing down crime. That, along with the hard work of the men and women of the 69th Precinct, has helped to decrease overall crime in Canarsie. "The numbers don't lie," Kinsella said, stating that felony crimes are down 5.2% and five illegal guns were removed from the streets just this month. "Do you know how many lives were possibly saved because of that?"

She assured Canarsiens that the selection of Captain Hinds as commanding officer is a good fit for the precinct. "Dion Hinds is a Brooklynite. He knows the borough like the back of his hand. He knows what it takes to move this community forward." Previously, Captain Hinds was the Executive Officer at the 81st Precinct. When his commanding officer was promoted, the precinct was without a CO for about six months. Kinsella said Hinds stepped up and acted like the CO. "He took care of the community and that is why Dion will take care of Canarsie."

The 69th Precinct Community Council presented Kinsella with a plaque, thanking her for her many years of commitment to the NYPD and to the City of New York.

Hinds presented Cop of the Month awards to Police Officers Amro Kadry and Dildeep Singh for arresting a perpetrator who had a loaded 9mm KelTec firearm in his possession.

He said the incident occurred around 1 a.m. on Sunday, September 3rd, in the area of East 91st Street and Skidmore Avenue. A female victim said she got into a verbal dispute with a man who threatened to pistol-whip her with his gun. When the officers arrived, the man was not there. After conducting a canvass, the cops saw him duck underneath a car and heard a large object hit the ground. They arrested and charged the individual. For their hard work, they were named Cops of the Month for September.

Thanks to all the dedicated officers in the 69th Precinct, shootings are down 27% for the year.

Over the recent 28-day period, Hinds said that robberies are down 33% and burglaries are down 57%, but car theft is up, especially Kia's and Hyundai's. This is due to a TikTok challenge, where young perpetrators are breaking into these vehicles and using USB's to start the cars. The thefts were occurring between Flatlands Avenue and Avenue K, as well as Avenue L and Seaview Avenue, from the East 80s to East 95th Street. Hinds reported that two of the individuals were caught.

The next meeting of the 69th Precinct Community Council will be held on Tuesday, November 28th at St. Alban's Church.

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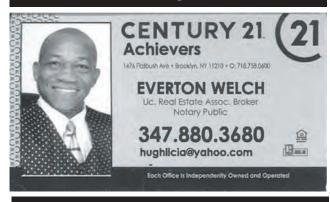
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