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Justice & Equity Fundraising Gala Recap community fabric. The Legacy Award was

By Jibreel Jalloh

As the sun set over Brooklyn on Saturday evening, a different kind of light was kindled inside The Flossy Justice & Equity Fundraising Gala. It was a cornerstone event for community neighbors, activists and leaders.

The event was graced by notable figures including NYC Public Advocate Jumaane Williams. Alongside him were Audrey Jackson, executive director of the Shoot For The Stars Foundation; Councilmembers Mercedes Narcisse and Lincoln Restler: Reverend Edward-Richard Hinds, President of the God Squad; representatives from the Haitian American Caucus; and dozens of local community leaders. Each, in their capacity, underscored the collective commitment to nurturing grassroots movements and driving systemic change.

What made The Flossy Organization's gala special is not just its high-profile attendees or the elegant setting, but its relentless focus on supporting the backbone of our community. Neighbors who work tirelessly, often without recognition, to uplift and transform their neighborhoods. The proceeds from this gala will bolster essential programs that organizers rely on to keep initiatives alive and thriving.

In a city as diverse and dynamic as New

York, the pursuit of equity and justice is a complex challenge. Events like these are crucial—they not only raise the necessary funds but also build and strengthen the networks of people willing to stand up for their community. It's a reminder that every contribution -- of time, money or effort -whether large or small, helps pave the way toward a more equitable society.

We are immensely grateful to all who joined us and donated. A special thanks to Lucina and Wayne Clarke for hosting us at their beautiful venue. This inclusivity is a testament to the gala's overarching goal: to weave a tighter, more supportive

endeavor. AD

Mill Island Civic Sounds the Alarm Against Proposed Condo Complex

By Robert Pearl

It was standing room only at the Mill Island Civic Association meeting, held on Thursday, April 25th, at Temple Sholom, 2075 East 68th Street, drawing concerned residents from all corners of the neighborhood to discuss a pressing issue threatening the charming community's character and landscape of one- and two- family residential homes. The proposed construction of a condominium with 96 units at the intersection of East 66th Street and Dakota Place has sparked outrage and mobilized residents to take action.

Attendees packed the venue to capacity, voicing their opposition to the development. The singular issue dominated discussions, with residents expressing frustration at the nonchalant attitude and lack of urgency from civic leaders in addressing the impending threat.

Despite no permits or variances being filed yet, the looming prospect of groundbreaking spurred residents to demand proactive measures from the civic association. Many residents in attendance - working professionals such as real estate brokers, developers, mortgage bankers, lawyers and others emphasized the need for preparedness and legal action to thwart the proposed development.

Bergen Beach Former Civic Association (BBCA) President Sal Calise and incoming President Michael Trotter echoed sentiments of solidarity and offered support to the Mill Island community in their fight against overdevelopment. When faced with a similar condo development threat, the BBCA took swift preemptive action by engaging a skilled lawyer, developing a comprehensive plan and keeping the community informed. Through proactive measures and unity, they convinced the city of the project's drawbacks, leading the developer to abandon their plans.

Eileen O'Brien, liaison for Assemblywoman Jamie Williams who vehemently opposes the project, provided insights into the political reality and urged residents to engage local elected officials to support the will of the community, oppose this plan and enforce existing zoning laws.

The Mill Island Civic has launched an online petition on Change.org (https://www.change.org/p/halt-overdevelopment-of-condominium-complexat-east66th-street-in-mill-island-brooklyn) to halt the overdevelopment of the condominium complex, calling on local authorities to enforce existing zoning laws and resist large-scale developments that threaten the fabric of the community.

The proposed development has raised concerns about overcrowding in local schools, strain on infrastructure and erosion of the neighborhood's character. The petition further emphasizes that police, fire and sanitation are at maximum capacity and cannot support the

influx that this condominium complex would bring.

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Opponents say this rapid overdevelopment will lead to overcrowded schools, increased traffic congestion and higher living costs. The civic association along with its members and surrounding communities highlight the importance of balanced development that preserves community identity, quality of life and their quiet suburban surroundings.

However, many feel the petition is not enough. Irate locals expressed their furious opposition in comments ranging from "This is a beautiful quiet neighborhood and too many big buildings would ruin it" to "This is disastrous" and even "We're fine the way we are. Leave us alone!"

Residents seem determined to protect their neighborhood from unchecked development and ensure a sustainable future for generations to come. The fight is far from over, but the Mill Island community stands ready to defend its character and suburban lifestyle.



Artist's rendering of proposed condo complex was the subject of contention at a recent Mill Island Civic meeting.

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Man Shot in Courtyard of Building

By Lloyd Mitchell

A 37-year-old man was shot outside a Brownsville apartment building on Monday evening, and the NYPD is looking for four possible male suspects who may be responsible.

Police said the victim reported that he was shot by an unknown individual around 11:10 p.m. on May 6th in front of 230 Lott Avenue, near Watkins Street. The victim, who was shot in the right leg, was taken to Brookdale Hospital in stable condition.

No arrests have been made, 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.



Firefighters Battle Blaze at NYCHA Complex

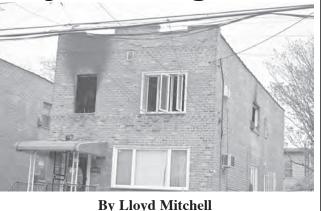


By Lloyd Mitchell

Firefighters quickly extinguished heavy flames coming from an apartment in the Breukelen Houses on Friday, May 3rd.

About 60 Fire Department personnel arrived at 272 Stanley Avenue, off of Snediker Avenue, around 10 p.m. to find fire and smoke erupting from the third floor apartment. Units quickly deployed a hose line to douse the flames. There were no injuries, and the fire was placed under control at 10:30 p.m.





All Hands Fire Fought

by 60 Firefighters

FDNY fire marshals are investigating the cause and origin of a fire that broke out at 1405 East 93rd Street, off of Avenue L, on Sunday, May 5th.

Responding to multiple phone calls around 5:35 a.m., firefighters from Engine Company 257/Tower Ladder 170 and Battalion 58 arrived at the home where they found heavy smoke and fire conditions showing from the second floor.

Units consisting of 60 members deployed one hose line to quickly battle the blaze and place it under control by 6:09 a.m. The Red Cross was seen helping displaced residents.

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East Flatbush Cause of Fire on Farragut Road a Mystery





By Lloyd Mitchell

Engine Company 255 responded to an alarm ringing at 3702 Farragut Road around 11:25 a.m. on Monday, April 29th.

Fire Department personnel quickly arrived to find heavy fire and smoke on the first floor of the two-story private dwelling. They rescued a woman trapped in heavy smoke on the first floor, and she was taken by EMS to Mount Sinai Brooklyn in stable condition.

The fire was placed under control at 11:52 a.m. The FDNY Fire Marshal's Office will determine the cause of the fire.

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Sixty-Ninth Precinct Community Council Hosts 8th Annual Fundraising Gala and Awards Dinner

By Brenda Cox

At the 69th Precinct Community Council's Fundraising Gala and Awards Dinner held on Thursday, May 2nd, dozens of NYPD officers, clergy and community members were recognized for their outstanding service to the Canarsie community.

In his welcoming remarks, Council President Gardy Brazela addressed over 200 guests and spoke about the reason for holding the annual fundraiser and the need for their support.

For years, the Council has provided resources to the community by hosting an annual job fair which provides opportunities for many, especially the youths; supporting National Night Out Against Crime; catering Thanksgiving Dinner to scores of residents at The New South Shore Manor, 1041 East 83rd Street; distributing toys to hundreds of children, annually, at



NYPD Honorees





Clergy gather to pray for NYPD and the community.

Christmastime; as well as hosting a Christmas party.

"We could not have done that without your support," Brazela, a dedicated community leader, stated. "Your contribution tonight is what we use to bring services to the community and from the bottom of my heart, I say thank you."

Captain Dion Hinds, commanding officer of the 69th Precinct, also extended thanks to those gathered, saying, "Tonight, we come together to celebrate the members of our community and law enforcement who work day in and night out to make a difference in our neighborhood. Thank you for your support and active involvement that makes Canarsie a great place to live." Hinds also heaped praise on the Clergy Council. "You guys are solid. They come to Roll Call and pray for us and you could just feel the spirit in the precinct when they walk in. Their prayers help us and help the community as well," he stated.

There were 34 honorees altogether who were recognized for "going above and beyond the call of duty." Several were from the NYPD and included Hinds and his Community Affairs Officers Samuel Maria and Nicole Rostant, as well as Lt. Ira Jablonsky and Det. Joseph Jacquet from Brooklyn South. Linda Steinmuller, Editor of the *Canarsie Courier*, was also among the honorees. She was presented with a plaque that said, "A Special Thank You For All Your Unwavering Support, Dedication And Hard Work."

The event, which coincided with The New York City Day of Prayer, was held at Liberty Hall Cathedral of Praise, located at 1387 East 96th Street, and was attended by a coalition of local clergy who prayed for Brazela, members of the Community Council, NYPD and the welfare of the community.

Also in attendance were State Senator Roxanne Persaud, Assemblywoman Jaime Williams, Councilwomen Mercedes Narcisse and Farah Louis, Public Advocate Jumaane Williams, as well as civic and community leaders, all of whom made brief comments in support of the Community Council and the fundraising initiative.

Council Vice President Melba Brown summed up the occasion in one sentence -- "This journey is filled with joy when we walk alongside each other."



69th Precinct Commanding Officer Captain Dion Hinds; Canarsie Courier Editor and award recipient, Linda Steinmuller; and Community Council President Gardy Brazela.

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Teens and Cops Unite for Anti-Gun Violence Awareness Event

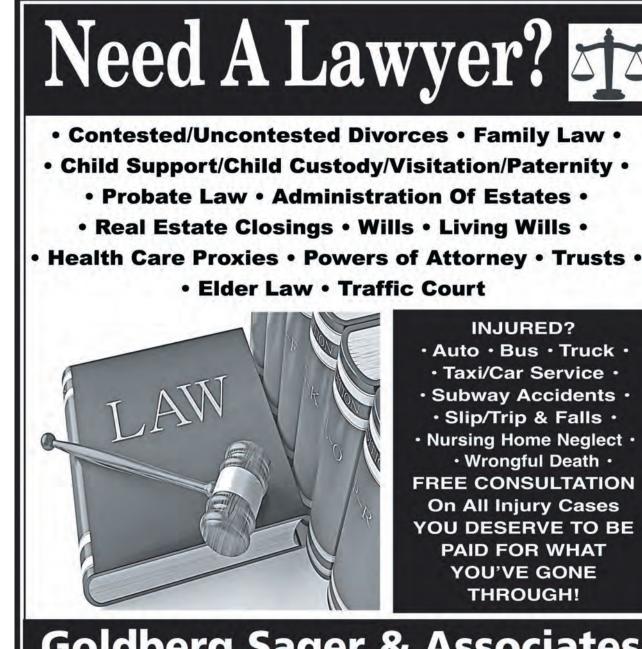
By Bristol Hendrix A group of dedicated 69th Precinct YCOs (Youth Coordination Officers) joined forces with students from the Canarsie Educational Campus and the Young Explorers club to organize a Walk Against Gun Violence.

The teenagers marched from Canarsie High to Conklin Avenue and East 96th Street, where the event concluded with a dinner and a small thank-you party for the students. Officer Dugue, the mastermind behind the April 26th initiative, along with several colleagues from the Youth Squad, conceived the idea to support the youth within our community. The officers utilized their own resources to plan and publicize the event, covering expenses such as food, venue and hiring a DJ to play the latest hits. The overall turnout

and feedback from the participating teens was overwhelmingly positive.

Nasha, a teenager from Canarsie, and Reggie from East Flatbush, shared their perspectives with the *Canarsie Courier*, both expressing their support for the cause and their desire to make a difference in the community.

Nasha, who tragically lost her brother to gun violence, emphasized the importance of connecting with other teens to share her story. Reggie, an NYPD Explorer, aims to change how young people perceive the police in his community. When asked about addressing gun violence, they highlighted that many of the youths involved in such crimes seek validation within the community. They view the walk as a crucial step in raising awareness and initiating change. Reggie also



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pointed out that many kids grow up in unstable homes and find stability in the streets, a sentiment echoed by Officer Mayfield, also from the Youth Squad, with over 15 years of service to the NYPD.

Mayfield emphasized that much of the violence stems from online conflicts, territorial disputes and even disputes arising from music scenes. She noted the influence of older individuals persuading young people to commit crimes, often under the false assumption that they won't be charged as adults for certain offenses. Commanding Officer Captain Dion Hinds, who was present at the event, emphasized to the teens the importance of staying connected and being leaders within their circles. He expressed pride in his team of officers for taking the initiative to organize the event and commended their hard work. He also pledged continued collaboration with the community and the 69th Precinct for future initiatives aimed at combatting gun violence.



Teens at dinner and thank-you party following Anti-Gun Violence Walk.



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Earth Day Cleanup at Fresh Creek

In honor of Earth Week, a group of 12 interns from the Jamaica Bay Wetlands Fellowship, along with Fresh Creek Civic Association President Maria Garrett and two civic members, cleaned up some overgrown areas behind residents' homes and along the waterfront on Flatlands 7th Street, off of East 108th Street, on Thursday, April 25th.

The team cut down a lot of invasive weeds, including mugwort, Japanese knotweed and phragmites, as well as overgrown vines crawling along some residents' back fences. The group also cleaned up the area by the Avenue M Outfall.

NYC Parks routinely performs cleanups in the area, but "Parks never goes that far when they do cleanups," Garrett told the *Canarsie Courier*.

In total, about 20 bags of debris were collected, loaded onto a truck and removed from the location.







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Building Black Wealth Community Day



Choice Realty and President of the Brooklyn Board of Realtors, had the privilege of attending the Building Black Wealth Community Day program presented by the Bedford-Stuyvesant Real Estate Board. This impactful event featured a panel of industry experts, including mortgage brokers, lenders, attorneys, a home inspector and a financial expert. The panel discussions covered four key topics:

- 1. Wealth-creating strategies
- 2. The keys to buying a home
- 3. Navigating inherited property ("What to do with Big Momma's house")

4. Empowering Black men to purchase homes The discussions were engaging, informative

On April 13th, I, Barrington Richards of Fine and professionally delivered, leaving attendees equipped with valuable insights and a wealth of real estate knowledge. The event was expertly organized, and all questions were thoroughly addressed, ensuring everyone left feeling empowered to pursue their real estate endeavors.

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Happy Birthday to the Canarsie Courier's Business Manager, Catherine Rosa. We miss you and think about you every day since you lost your battle to cancer in August 2018. In fact, "We can't take this place" without you! We still have a list of all your funny sayings - for every occasion - hanging up behind your desk. Catherine, you left this Earth way too early. You would have celebrated your 69th birthday on Tuesday, May 14th. Happy Birthday in Heaven! Your friends at the Canarsie Courier

Happy Birthday Melissa!



The Canarsie Courier would like to wish our freelance reporter, Melissa Clark, a very Happy Birthday on Friday, May 10th. Thank you for all your work and hope you have an amazing day!

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The Brooklyn Nets Visit P.S. 236, Sponsored by EVERFI!

By Charlotte P. (April 19, 2024) On March 18th, the Brooklyn Nets came to P.S. 236, sponsored by EVER-FI, which helps students find a great career. Basketball player Cam Johnson from the Nets visited P.S. 236!

This new EVERFI program was a success. EVERFI provides unrivaled cloud-based digital courses which students can grow in. Many students found new job ideas. Students got to go through many different careers and find some job descriptions they would want to try and some that aren't for them. When students say if they like or dislike a job, information gets added to their field guide. Mrs. Goodman, the P.S. 236 technology teacher, said, "I think all the students enjoyed this program. It was a great success!"

First, Cam Johnson did some STEAM trivia that the participants learned during the EVERFI program. If the students got a question correct, they got a free Nets shirt as a prize! After the trivia, students were able to ask Cam Johnson some questions about being a basketball player. They all had great questions to ask him. Sophie T., a student who is working in the program, said, "I liked the program. It was fun to experience and I had a great time being in a group experiencing it together!"

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Some students were sad they didn't get to answer a question and get a prize, though as a surprise the Nets decided to give everyone a Brooklyn Nets shirt anyway! The students doing this program enjoyed trying all these different career options and the special visit from the Nets. It seems like everybody had a great time with this experience!

Charlotte P. is a 5th-grade student at P.S. 236 Mill Basin School and a member of the P.S. 236 Newspaper Club. Charlotte is a reporter for the school's online newspaper, The P.S. 236 Times.







Assemblywoman Monique Chandler-Waterman Gives State of the District Address

By Brenda Cox Assemblywoman Monique Chandler-Waterman (AD 58) gave her State of the District Address on April 13th, at M.S. 961 Lenox Academy, 100-01 Flatlands Avenue.

Senior Executive Director, Office of Community Schools, George Patterson gave opening remarks in which he referred to the assemblywoman as a person of great "diligence, integrity and compassion - someone who in the face of adversity demonstrates remarkable resilience and character - and really a blessing for all of us in this community.'

Guests were entertained by a processional marching band from the Middle School of Media, Law and Fine Arts, dancers from Lenox Academy, step team from P.S./I.S. 66 and Honor Guards from P.S. 135, from which the assemblywoman, her four children and even

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her mom graduated.

Patterson then introduced a group of clergy, who surrounded the assemblywoman and offered up prayers for her. In a similar fashion, Congresswoman Yvette Clarke delivered greetings on behalf of other elected officials.

Before she gave her address, Chandler-Waterman showed a film which outlined her many accomplishments, some of which occurred prior to her election. One of her main battles was against gun violence – a fight she has continued since taking office. Her fight helped her secure \$5 million from the NYS budget for gun violence prevention. Additionally, she secured over \$230,000 in discretionary funds to provide support to survivors of gun violence, other anti-violence issues and the prevention of domestic violence.

Chandler-Waterman also advocated for a com-

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munity center which resulted in the construction of the Shirley Chisholm Recreational Center, a \$141 million project that is scheduled to be completed in 2025. "The groundbreaking of this center was a proud moment and a vital asset for our community, especially in central Brooklyn," she stated.

Additionally, she has received approval from the mayor, chancellor and head of School Safety to launch a Community Center Concept at Tilden High School. One of the aims is to, again, target incidents of gun violence by providing a safe space "not just for the kids who attend school but for other youths, adults and families to utilize," she announced. Other accomplishments include sponsoring Mass Shooting Bill A5791, co-sponsoring the Clean Slate Bill and securing \$250,000 in funding from NYS Office of Mental Health to address mental health issues.

The evening closed with a benediction by Rev. Dr. Charles Galbreath who prayed for continued guidance, strength and covering over her. "We pray for her and her colleagues and her entire staff that they will not be weary in well-doing. We pray for the community that we will see it grow and flourish into what it should be.'



Processional Marching Band from Middle School of Media, Law and Fine Arts beating drums.





"Three Shootings are Way Too Many" - Commanding Officer at 69th Precinct Council Meeting

By Linda Steinmuller

The 69th Precinct Community Council held their monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 30th, at Our Lady of Trust Academy, 1696 Canarsie Road. Meetings usually take place at the Hebrew Educational Society (H.E.S.), but the building was closed for Passover observance.

Commanding Officer Captain Dion Hinds was pleased to say that overall crime in the precinct was down by 16% over the most recent 28-day period. Robberies are also down by 81%, felony assaults by 11% and felonies by 60%. However, there has been an uptick in grand larcenies, specifically car break-ins in the area of Avenues J to L, between East 100th Street through East 103rd Street. Car owners need to be more vigilant in locking their doors, and Hinds asked residents to cooperate with officers requesting footage from home surveillance cameras, which will assist them with solving crimes in the area.

Three youths were shot in Canarsie so far this year, the most recent incident occurring on Sunday, April 21st, when a 14-year-old male was shot in the Bildersee Playground.

"One juvenile is a lot; three is way too many," Hinds said, stating that a 15-year-old was shot at the beginning of 2024 and Christian Montrose, 19, was shot in front of his East 104th Street home in March.

"It's becoming a serious issue, not only in Canarsie but in New York City as a whole. Unfortunately, the individuals behind these shooting are juveniles. It's something we are taking very seriously. Bildersee Park is now my main focus," Hinds said. "I know the activity that is going on in Bildersee Park and it stops the larger percentage of the good people from having a good time in the park that was built for all."

A fixed post at Flatlands Avenue and East 82nd Street will return to the troubled corner, operating on Monday to Sunday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Following that, a specialty unit will patrol the area to ensure everyone's safety.

The increase in police presence should help, as the commanding officer said he is seeing activity he is not happy with during school hours and later in the evening along Flatlands Avenue, from East 80th Street to East 87th Street, especially near a smoke shop on East 87th Street.

Hinds presented Cop of the Month awards to Officers Mariam Karim and Pardeep Dhaliwal for recovering loaded firearms.

On Thursday, March 14th, around 6:45 p.m., Officer Dhaliwal observed four males walking eastbound on Glenwood Road toward East 79th Street when one of the males discarded a green shoulder bag under a parked car. Dhaliwal retrieved a loaded 9 mm semiauto Taurus from the bag. The male was apprehended during a foot pursuit, and another gun was taken off the street.



Officers Dhaliwal and Karim with Cop of the Month awards. Pictured with members of the 69th Precinct, 69th Precinct Community Council, clergy and elected officials.

On Saturday, March 16th, around 10:15 p.m., Officer Karim and Sgt. Keegan responded to the Breukelen Houses, where a known gang member attempted to conceal a firearm. They approached the male and recovered a loaded 22 mm firearm from his waistband.

"Because of the excellent work of Officers Dhaliwal and Karim, they are being honored as our Cops of the Month for March," Hinds said.

With the warm weather upon us, residents are concerned about ongoing issues in Canarsie Park, which include double parking, cars parked on the center median and blocking residential driveways, loud music, garbage, etc. Hinds acknowledged it was a big issue, said he met with elected officials earlier this year to discuss the problems and promised that they would be addressed.

Sgt. Brian Maher said the NYPD plans to step up enforcement this summer by issuing additional summonses for people who are in the park after closing time (10 p.m.).

Regarding excessive noise, Maher said they will issue more noise summonses this year. "We have more officers trained on the noise meters, which is a necessity in order to issue the proper summonses so they don't get thrown out in court."

Last year, temporary barricades were used to prevent cars from parking on the medians. Maher said that they made a request to the DOT to put the barricades on an angle so cars cannot park on the outside of them. Additionally, NYPD traffic enforcement agents will do more enforcement to resolve the parking situation, he said.

Illegal smoke shops have taken over the city, but the city is finally cracking down on them. Community Board 18 District Manager Sue Ann Partnow said that a smoke shop near Kings Plaza Mall, on Avenue U and Hendrickson Street, was recently shut down for selling illegal cannibas. More should follow as an NYPD task force is working with the Sherriff's office to crack down on this citywide issue.

The next meeting of the 69th Precinct Community Council will be held at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, May 28th, at the H.E.S., 9502 Seaview Avenue.



A large number of residents in attendance at the April 30th meeting of the 69th Precinct Community Council.



Captain Dion Hinds, commanding officer of the 69th Precinct, gives his monthly crime update.







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LEGAL NOTICES

KINGS COUNTY Notice

Notice of Formation of GOOD WEIRD LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/15/2023. Office location: Kings. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to US CORP AGENTS, INC .: 7014 13th Ave, #202, Bklyn, NY, 11228. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

KINGS COUNTY NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of Formation of HOMERY LLC Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/25/24. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207-2543, regd. agent upon whom and at which process may be served. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

KINGS COUNTY NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of Formation of LMD FAST SERVICES L.L.C.. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 02/18/2024. Office location: KINGS. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Louidelson Deguerre: 3404 Beverley Rd Brooklyn, NY 11203. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

KINGS COUNTY NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of Formation of Kaifuyem LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/27/2023. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Daniel Michael Kalinin: 1740 Ocean Avenue APT 10C, Brooklyn NY 11230. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

KINGS COUNTY NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of Formation of FJORDIC, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/27/24. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207-2543. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

KINGS COUNTY NOTICE OF APPLICATION OF A LIQUOR LICENSE

"Notice is hereby given that a license number 1371073 for wine, beer and cider for liquor has been applied for by the undersigned to sell wine, beer and cider at retail in a restaurant under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law at 1103 Kings Highway, Brooklyn, New York 11229 on-premises for consumption.'

849 53rd street CF7, Brooklyn NY11220 **NOTICE OF** FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of Formation of Reaching Success LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/19/2023. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to Josephine Wong: 136-20 38th Avenue, Suite 8A, Flushing NY 11354. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

KINGS COUNTY NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Notice of Formation of JENNINGS NYC LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/13/2024. Office location: Kings County. SSNY designated as agent of Limited Liability Company (LLC) upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY should mail process to United States Corporation Agents, Inc.: 7014 13th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11228. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.



KINGS COUNTY LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE SUPREME COURT. COUNTY OF KINGS. ANNETTE RENAUD, Pltf., vs. LISA A. RENAUD, Deft., vs. CHASE BANK, N.A., Counterclaim Deft., Index #3189/2016. Pursuant to interim judgment of partition and sale, I will sell at public auction in Room 224 of the Kings County Supreme Court, 360 Adams St., Brooklyn, NY on June 13, 2024 at 2:30 p.m. prem. k/a 80 Hancock Street, Brooklyn, NY 11216 a/k/a Block 1837, Lot 23. Said property located at the point on the southerly side of Hancock St. distant 290 ft. easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Hancock Street with the easterly side of Bedford Avenue; being a plot 100 ft. x 20 ft. The property is being sold pursuant to the interim judgment of partition and sale. BERNARD M. ALTER, Referee. ROTTENBERG LIPMAN RICH, P.C., Attorneys for the Defendant-Counterclaimant., The Helmsley Building, 230 Park Avenue, 18th Floor, New York. NY 10169. #101391

KINGS COUNTY LEGAL NOTICE LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION C.T.A. CITATION

File No. 2021-3331/A CITATION SURROGATE'S COURT - KINGS COUNTY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

By the Grace of God Free and Independent

TO: UNKNOWN DISTRIBUTEE(S) unknown persons whose names or parts of whose names and whose place or places of residence are unknown and cannot, after due diligent inquiry, be ascertained, distributees, heirs at law and next of kin of HENRIETTA KLETSKY, and if any of the said distributees, heirs at law or next of kin of deceased be dead, their legal representatives, their husbands or wives, if any, distributees and successors in interest whose names and/or places of residence and post office addresses are unknown.

A petition having been duly filed by Jeffrey C. Marcal, who is domiciled at 762 Durham Road, East Meadow, New York 11554

YOU ARE HEREBY CITED TO SHOW CAUSE before the Surrogate's Court, Kings County, at 2 Johnson Street, Room 319, Brooklyn, New York, on June 20th 2024 at 10:00 o'clock in the fore noon of that day, why a decree should not be made in the estate of Henrietta Kletsky lately domiciled at 50 Brighton 1st Road, Brooklyn, New York 11235, granting administration c.t.a. and directing that Letters of Administration c.t.a. issue to Jeffrey C. Marcal.

Further relief sought (if any) Dated, Attested and Sealed April 18th 2024 HON BERNARD J. GRAHAM. Surrogate Lisa Mathis, Chief Clerk Christina A. Wilcox Davidow, Davidow, Siegel & Stern, LLP Attorney for Petitioner 631-234-3030 Telephone Number cwilcox@davidowlaw.com Email (optional) 1050 Old Nichols Road, Suite 100, Islandia, New York 11749 Address of Attorney [NOTE: This citation is served upon you as required by law.

You are not required to appear. If you fail to appear it will be assumed you do not object to the relief requested. You have the

right to have an attorney appear for you.]

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KINGS COUNTY LEGAL NOTICE

PROBATE SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL CITATION File No. 2023-3423 SURROGATE'S COURT - KINGS COUNTY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, By the Grace of God Free and Independent TO: Scott Wiener, or if dead, his legal representatives, his husbands or wives, if any, distributees and successors in interest whose names or parts of whose names, and/or their place or places of residence, are unknown and cannot, after diligent inquiry, be ascertained A second amended petition having been duly filed by Gloria Taras who is domiciled at 3171 Whitney Avenue, #3B, Brooklyn, New York 11229 YOU ARE HEREBY CITED TO SHOW CAUSE before the Surrogate's Court, Kings County, at 2 Johnson Street, Room 319, Brooklyn, New York, on May 9, 2024, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why a decree should not be made in the estate of David Wiener a/k/a David C. Wiener, lately domiciled at 35 Seacoast Terrace, #12K, Brooklyn, New York 11235, United States admitting to probate a Will dated August 4, 1997, a copy of which is attached, as the Will of David Wiener a/k/a David C. Wiener, deceased, relating to real and personal property, and directing that:

- [X]Letters Testamentary issue to: Gloria Taras
 - [] Letters of Trusteeship issue to:
 -] Letters of Administration c.t.a. issue to:
 -] Further relief requested (if any):

Dated, Attested and Sealed, March 28, 2024 HON.Surrogate Bernard J. Graham

Seal Chief Clerk Lisa Mathis Ira M. Kopito, Esq.Print Name of Attorney Ira M. Kopito, Esq. Telephone: (718) 834-9200 Address: 61 Broadway, Suite 2820, New York, New York 10006 Email (optional) Ira Kopito@verizon.net

NOTE: This citation is served upon you as required by law. You are not required to appear or respond. However, if you fail to respond to this citation in writing, by mail, or electronic filing, it will be assumed you do not object to the relief requested. You have a right to have an attorney-atlaw appear or respond for you.

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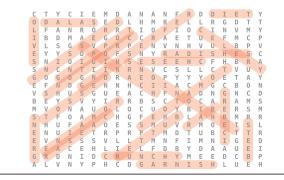
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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.



WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to salad.





Answers

A. lettuce

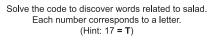
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C. crisp

D.

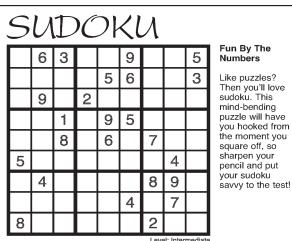
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- C. 13 20 16 24 5 Clue: Firm and crunchy
- 10 18 23 13 15 D. Clue: Afternoon meal



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!





I am a comic actor born on May 10, 1978 in Ohio. I started acting at age 15 while attending a visual and performing arts school. I'm best known for zany roles on Nickelodeon and later for my comic work on "Saturday Night Live."

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38. Make into leather without tannin

39. Plants grow from them

49. A way to listen to music

51. The bill in a restaurant

56. Poisonous perennial plant

52. Historic center of Artois region

41. Alias

46. Clod

44. Fingers do it

45. More dried-up

48. Senior officer

54. Cyprinid fishes

60. Scottish Loch

64. Britpop band

65. Forearm bones

67. Female sibling

62. Extra seed-covering

66. Small immature herring

61. Heads

63. Wings

68. Hvmn

CLUES ACROSS

1. It wakes you up 6. A place to sleep

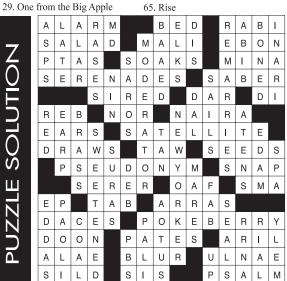
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- 14. African country
- 16. Parent-teacher groups
- 18. ESPN personality Kimes

- 23. Patriotic women
- 24. Famed Princess
- 29. Nigerian monetary unit
- 31. Body parts

CLUES DOWN

1. Vipers 30. Asteroids 2. Not on time 32. Made more sugary 3. Resembling a wing or wings 34. Change in skin pigment 4. Tears down 35. Mild yellow Dutch cheese 5. Professional designation 37. Koran chapters 6. Noise a sheep made 40. A place to relax 7. Type of lodge 42. Young woman ready for 8. Speak poorly of society life 9. Ties the knot again 43. Female horses 10. Apron 47. Half of Milli Vanilli 11. Studied intensively 49. Icelandic poems 12. City in Finland 50. Indiana town 14. One who monitors 52. Golden peas 17. 18-year astronomical period 53. Closes tightly 20. Trent Reznor's band 55. It's mined in mountains 21. Takes to the sea 56. Cliff (Hawaii) 23. Split pulses 57. Ribosomal ribonucleic acid 25. Valentine's Day color 58. Monetary unit 26. Wyatt 59. Primordial matter 27. Type of rail 61. TV station A L A R M S A L A D



- 15. Dark brown or black 17. Saturates 19. Songs to a lover
 - 21. Cavalry-sword
 - 22. Begat

 - 25. One who does not conform
 - 28. Neither
 - 33. Hit Dave Matthews Band
 - song
 - 36. Depicts with pencil



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