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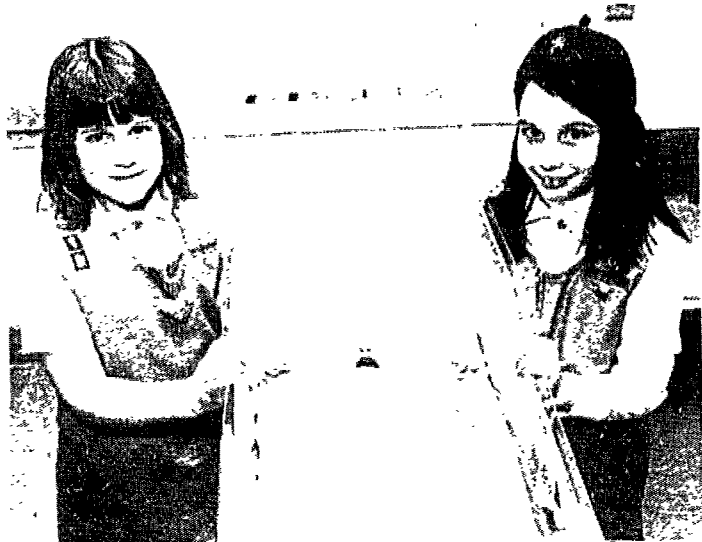
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## Scotch Plains miss becomes Girl Scout at 3 days old



Rachel Carlson, left, Troop 19, Summit, and Suzanne Wagner visit three-day-old Keri Lyn Ciasulli of Scotch Plains and present her with a bib inscribed "Future Girl Scout" as part of the celebration of Girl Scout week (Mar. 7-13).

### SCOTCH PLAINS FIRE DEPARTMENT TO HOLD PAPER DRIVE

On Friday evening March 26, between 7:30 and 9:30 p.m., you can bring your newspapers to the Scotch Plains Fire Department North (behind the Municipal Building) for recycling. If you need pick-up service, call Ken Vincent at 889-5878.

### BOARD OF ED CANDIDATES TO APPEAR AT TERRILL SCHOOL

The Scotch Plains-Fanwood PTA Council is sponsoring a Board of Education Candidates Night on Monday, March 29, 1982; 8 p.m., at the Terrill Middle School, Terrill Road, Scotch Plains, New Jersey.

### MUSIC BOOSTERS TO HOLD PAPER DRIVE SAT. MARCH 27

The Scotch Plains-Fanwood Music Boosters Association is holding a paper drive this Saturday, March 27.

Please bring your old newspapers (NO MAGAZINES) to the Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School between the hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m.

For home pick-up call 232-5590.

### FANWOOD READIES FOR SPRING HOUSE CLEANING

During the week of April 19 to 23rd, the DPW will pick up yard materials such as leaves, branches and stumps at the curbside. Please bag the leaves, bundle the branches and bind the stumps. In addition, branches and brush will be picked up during the first week of each month through October.

A brochure with all of the details on this service and all others handled by the DPW, such as clean-ups and leaf pick-ups will be mailed to all residents during the first week of April along with the quarterly newsletter. "Please keep this brochure when you receive it and refer to it throughout the year," requested Manfra.

### SCOTCH PLAINS SCHEDULE FOR SPRING LEAF & GUM BALL PICK-UP

The spring leaf and gum ball pick-up will begin in Scotch Plains on Monday, March 29. One crew will begin on the north side of Route 22 and another crew will start at Hetfield and South Avenues.

Please have all leaves and gum balls either windrowed or bagged curbside by early Monday morning, March 29. Do not include stones, rocks or branches and twigs as they damage the equipment.

### RECREATION COMMISSION TO HOLD FASHION SHOW

The Scotch Plains Recreation Commission will be holding its' 1st Annual Fashion Show on Tuesday, March 30 at Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School Auditorium.

The show, which will begin at 7:30 pm, is made up entirely of local 5-6-7-8 grade students. All of the models have just completed the Modeling and Self-Improvement course given by the Recreation Commission and Lynn Jeffers Enterprises.

Admission is free, and Door Prizes will be awarded.

## Board of Ed selects Caito to regroup SP/F Blue Raiders

The appointment of Tom Caito to the position of Assistant Athletic Director/Head Football Coach was the highlight of the March 18 meeting of the Scotch Plains-Fanwood Board of Education.

Dr. Elena J. Scambio, assistant superintendent of schools, sitting in for Dr. Robert Howlett, read Caito's credentials to approximately 20 people in the audience and the Board.

Caito is currently serving as Athletic Director and Head Football Coach in Cocoa, Florida, and during the past twenty years, has held positions as head football coach and physical education teacher in Chelmsford and Holliston, Mass. schools.

He earned his undergraduate degree and master's in education from Boston University and has taken additional courses at Rhode Island College and the University of Rhode Island.

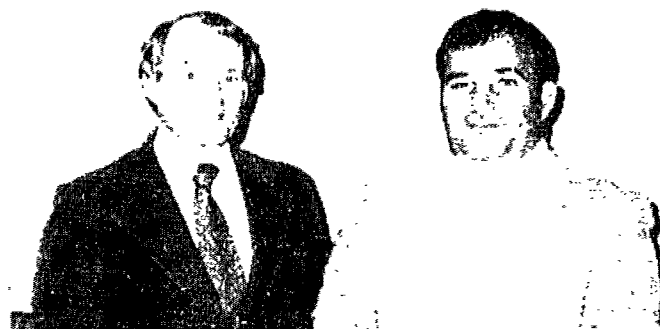
During his twenty years of coaching, Caito has amassed a record of 140 wins, 40 losses and 7 tied in football and was equally successful with wrestling and track.

Here in Scotch Plains, his main areas of responsibility

will include the development of a comprehensive weight and off-season training program for all of the athletes and the coordination of specific sports at the middle, high school and community levels in addition to his football coaching duties.

Caito will also spend a great deal of time supervising and coordinating the current girls' athletic program.

Tom Caito, his wife Peg and seven children - ranging from college age to pre-



Superintendent of Schools Robert J. Howlett and Assistant Athletic Director/Head Football Coach Tom Caito.

schooler - will be coming to his position at the high school the area soon. Caito assumes April 19.

## Up, Up and Away...for AFS



## Radio City Music Hall to celebrate 50th anniversary

Radio City Music Hall is celebrating a glittering birthday it very nearly missed, and you are invited. The Art Deco style theater opened on Dec. 27, 1932. In 1978, the announcement was made that the grand old building would close. This caused such an outcry from supporters that the building was named a landmark by the Landmark

Preservation Commission of New York. So now the showplace is all spruced up and ready to shine for her 50th anniversary, with new tours and a brand new stage show.

The restoration began in Feb., 1979. Every piece of fabric was either replaced or restored. The Bronze doors and marble pillars were

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Christmas show at Music Hall.

The AFS International weekend was held from March 11-15. The weekend brought 27 students from 24 countries to Scotch Plains-Fanwood for four days. These students lived in the homes of Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School students for the four-day period. The students were involved in an assembly held

for the entire high school. A Balloon Launch fundraiser sent color burst into the skies with postcards attached. AFS visitors also participated in class discussions throughout the day at Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School.

Many activities were planned including a pizza party at Fanwood Railroad Station

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## The subject was garbage

Garbage seemed to be Thursday's theme at the Board of Adjustment meeting in Scotch Plains last week. First, one of the numerous reasons for denying a land use variance on the southside for construction of a 36-unit townhouse was because the land was once a garbage dump. Additionally, Andrusky Contractors was assailed by residents of the northside of Scotch Plains for the foul odor they claim emanates from grass and leaf compost at his Lindsey Ave. business.

The Board of Adjustment has been reviewing an appeal for a use variance by Westford Construction Company for several months. Westford had requested a use variance in an area presently zoned for single family dwellings on one acre. The propos-

ed 36-townhouse complex was to be located on a 35 acre tract bound by Rahway Road, Raritan Road and Frank Street.

At the outset, board member, Masciale explained he felt there were many factors to consider in a decision: Was there a need for condos? Would they be in keeping with surrounding homes? And would they decrease surrounding property values? He expressed reservation on profits "at the expense of local taxpayers." Board member G. Brumitt stated he was concerned about building atop garbage landfill and felt better tests were necessary.

As there was no reason to grant the variance on the basis of hardship along with the reservations already cited, the board denied Westford's application by a 7-0 vote. Attorney Rinaldo read into the

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