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## YOUNG PEOPLE'S THEATRE PRESENTS SHARON, LOIS & BRAM...IN CONCERT



"Sharon, Lois & Bram...In Concert" will be presented at the Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School on Saturday, February 26, at 2:30 P.M. Presented by The National Theatre Co., their superb show of spontaneous entertainment delights audiences of all ages.

Sharon, Lois and Bram are top television stars from Canada with both Gold and Platinum records to their credit. Children enjoy the troupe roll their way through this musical variety show with charm, energy and talent.

Tickets will be sold at the door at \$2 per child or adult. For information, call Maureen Mawby, chairperson at 889-1915.

## BD. OF ED. TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARING ON '83-'84 BUDGET

All Scotch Plains and Fanwood residents are urged to attend the Board of Education Public Hearing on the proposed 1983-1984 Budget at 8 p.m., Thursday, March 3 at Terrill Middle School auditorium.

Public comments will be welcomed.

## SOCGER CLINIC SLATED FOR MARCH 6TH

The Scotch Plains-Fanwood Soccer Association announces a special clinic featuring Carlos Alberto of the Cosmos. The Carlos Alberto Clinic will be Sunday, March 6, from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the new gymnasium of the Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School. Admission of \$5.00 includes the clinic, tee shirt and autographed picture; general admission is \$3.00. Tickets are available at the door.

## SPFHS COMPETES FOR 'GWAS' SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Cross-town and local rivalries always provide unbeatable competition and excitement, and on Friday, February 25, 8:00 pm, it will be like the Knicks vs. the Nets, the Yankees vs. the Mets, or the Giants vs. the Jets. The 1982-83 Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School boys varsity basketball team will attempt to withstand a challenge from the student body in the first Edward Gwasdacus Scholarship Fund Benefit Basketball game.

Tickets for the game are \$1. All proceeds will go to the Edward Gwasdacus Scholarship Fund, established this year in memory of the late Edward Gwasdacus, a former business teacher at Park and Terrill Junior High Schools in Scotch Plains.

## EVERGREEN SCHOOL HOLDS KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Registration forms for children entering Kindergarten in September, 1983 are available in the Evergreen School office.

These forms are to be completed in time for kindergarten registration which is scheduled for the following dates:

April 26 - 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. & 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.  
April 27 - 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. & 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.  
April 28 - 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. & 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

To be eligible for admission to kindergarten in the Scotch Plains-Fanwood Public in September, 1983, your child must be five years of age prior to December 1, 1983.

## Bd. of Ed. tables motion to approve admin. job change

by Liz Gautier

A motion to approve the reassignment of Dr. Donald Sheldon to the position of Director of Special Services was voted down by board members at the Thursday Feb. 17 meeting of the Board of Education at Terrill Middle School.

Board member Lillian Dettmar told the group that she couldn't support the motion until she had seen a job description of the position. Member Dorothy

Ericsson agreed with Dettmar, and the motion was tabled.

In other business before the board, President Leonia Reilly announced the appointment of Charlotte Keenoy to the District Comprehensive Planning Committee (DCPC). The board adopted the following resolutions: Commendation of Ursula Kowaldo upon her retirement from the school secretarial staff after 18 years "as a loyal and productive

member...for her guidance, stability and understanding in her position in the Guidance Department at Terrill Middle School and the Senior High

School"; Honoring the late Edward Gwasdacus who served the children of the district "with outstanding compassion. Please turn to page 20

## United Way of S.P. distributes \$51,000

The United Way of Scotch Plains has announced the distribution of \$51,000 to its thirteen member agencies for 1983. Admissions and Budget Review Committee chairperson Andy Levine read the individual grants: Fanwood-Scotch Plains YMCA \$8,814; Washington Rock Girl Scouts \$7,770; Watchung Council Boy Scouts \$7,770; Scotch Plains Rescue Squad \$6,445; American Red Cross \$3,796; Association of Retarded

Citizens \$3,312; Youth and Family Counseling Service \$3,261; United Cerebral Palsy League \$2,242; Jewish Community Center \$2,140; Contact-We-Care \$1,834; Resolve \$1,426; Union County Psychiatric Clinic \$1,681; and Spaulding for Children \$509. The total distribution is a modest 2% increase above the original 1982 distribution.

Board of Trustees President Renee Katz introduced Campaign Chairperson Bill Barry

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## Music Boosters hold 'Marathon of Music'

The place to be on Saturday, February 26, between 8:00 am and 6:00 pm is at the Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School Music Boosters Marathon of Music. There will be 10 hours of continuous entertainment, and the public is invited to stop by at any time to listen to and witness performances by all of the musical groups involved in the music department program as well as the front squads associated with the Marching Band.

It is hoped that the Marathon will raise \$8,000 to help send the students to Ocean City, Maryland for an evaluation April 28-30. Each student is seeking pledges totaling at least \$30, and they are asking for community

support in their effort to meet their individual commitment.

The following schedule will help you if you are interested in viewing a particular group of students: 8:00 am - Marching Band and Front Squads in the Band Room and Gym, 10:00 am - The Moonglowers Stage Band and Front Squads in the Band Room and Gym, 12:00 noon - the Chorus in the Band Room, 1:00 pm the Competition Open Class Band in the Band Room, 3:00 pm the Orchestra in the Band Room, 4:00 pm the Los Contadores Choir in the Band Room, 4:30 pm the Small Mixed Choir in the Band Room, 5:00 pm the full Marching Band in the Gym.

## S.P. resident reels in a 33 pound barracuda



Richard Hayler, Scotch Plains, earned a Citation in the 48th Annual Metropolitan South Florida Fishing Tournament.

Hayler landed a 33 lb. barracuda in the Penn Reels Unlimited Division, while fishing with Capt. Oz Keagy, aboard the It's OK, out of Bahia Mar Marina, Ft. Lauderdale.

The MET ends April 17.

## Fan-Scotch Plains Jaycees observe Jaycee Week 2/20-26

The Fanwood-Scotch Plains Jaycees are observing Jaycee Week from February 20 through February 26.

During the 1982-1983 year, Chapter President David W. Pickering reports that many projects have been completed by the local chapter. The Fanwood Library was painted in early October; Jaycee signs welcoming people into the towns of Fanwood and Scotch Plains were erected with the help of the public works depart-

ments of both Fanwood and Scotch Plains; participation in the Please turn to page 20



F-SP Jaycee President David Pickering, left, receives a copy of a proclamation declaring Feb. 20-26 Jaycee week from Scotch Plains Mayor Larry Newcomb.