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PARENTS COUNCIL TO SPONSOR PUMPKIN SALE

Scotch Plains-Fanwood Chapter 1 Parent Council's initial fundraiser will be a pumpkin sale on Saturday, October 12, from 9:00 am till 4:00 pm. Pumpkins will be sold at the Lyons Club flea market at the Scotch Plains Municipal Building.

S.A.L. HALLOWEEN DANCE TO AID CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL NOV. 2

The Sons Of The American Legion of Post 209 Scotch Plains-Fanwood will hold a Halloween Costume Dance on November 2. The proceeds from the event will go to the Children's Specialized Hospital of Mountainside. The dance will be held at the Italian American Hall in Scotch Plains and run from 8PM until 1AM. Music will be provided by the very popular DJ Nick Triano. There will be door prizes as well as other prizes for the best costumes in many categories. The \$15 charge will cover all food and beverages.

Come out November 2 and support your local S.A.L. and the Children's Hospital. Tickets are on sale now and can be obtained by calling Commander Tom Stranerio at 889-6718 or Adjutant Lee Fusselman at 322-2034.

LIONS FLEA MARKET AT S.P. MUNICIPAL BUILDING

The Scotch Plains Lions Club will hold a Flea market at the Scotch Plains Municipal Parking Lot adjacent to the Municipal Building, on Saturday, October 12 from 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Thomas Whalen is Chairman of the fund raising project. The proceeds will go to the Club's Blind-Sight Conservation and Community Betterment Funds. There will be no rain date for this project.

Lion members will be in charge of the food concession and the cake bake sale.

For information call Tom Whalen at 233-4039.

SCOTCH PLAINS DAY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

What better way to honor a township than by giving it its' own day? For the past five years, the second Saturday in October has been marked Scotch Plains Day - a day to celebrate a richly historic township and add to the already lengthy 'Who's Who' rolls. On October 12 at 9:45 AM, Brian Crawford, state junior division golf champion and Alison Buckley, nationally ranked junior Olympic diver, will be among the many honored by Mayor Gabriel Spera. The list also includes Edwage Willaims, the most senior of the town's senior citizens, Dolores Burns, former Finance Director, and Maria Sartor, Chairperson of the Cultural Arts Committee. Sartor and her committee raised \$3,700 in order to present a very entertaining and diverse program throughout the summer. The memory of three residents who passed away this year will also be honored: Paul DiFrancesco, Sr., a Board of Adjustment member for over 25 years, John DiQuollo, a 16 year member of the Board of Adjustment, and Donald Holmguard, a 20 year veteran of the police force and former PBA president.

Prior to the ceremony there will be a five mile road race at 8:30 AM, followed by a one mile fun run at 8:35 AM. The Lions Club will be holding a Flea Market in the parking lot next to the municipal building and, as in the past, the Scotch Plains Fanwood Marching Band will fill the downtown area with sound. Added attractions this year will be appearances by both the Park and Terrill Middle School bands.

No Fall can be called complete unless you pull on a sweater that second Saturday in October and join your neighbors in celebrating Scotch Plains Day on Park Ave. at the municipal building.

"Defeat" world hunger - participate in '85 Crop Walk

Assemblyman Robert Franks will be the kick-off speaker for the Crop Hunger Walk this Sunday, October 13, 1 p.m. The Hunger Walk, sponsored by the Fanwood-Scotch Plains Clergy Association, will begin at the Willow Grove Presbyterian Church and wind through the sister communities for 10 kilometers.

The Rev. James Dewart, pastor of First United Methodist Church, and co-ordinator of the Crop Walk for the Clergy Association, stated that Assemblyman Franks is enthusiastic in his support of the Ecumenical Walk and its response to the needs of hungry people in the local area as well as the United States and the world. 25 percent of the money raised through the walk will return to the Clergy Association to help

support the hunger ministry of Star-Fish and the Emergency Transient Fund of the Association. The latter fund is channeled through the Directors of Welfare of Scotch Plains and Fanwood to help needy persons in the two communities.

The Clergy Association, of which The Rev. David Buck, pastor of Terrill Road Baptist Church, is president, has set a goal of \$8,000 for the 1985 Crop Walk. Each of the participating congregations will bring its gift for the hungry to the Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service to be held at St. John Baptist Church on Wednesday, November 27, 8 p.m. Anyone who would like to contribute to the effort, or to walk on October 13 may contact Rev. Dewart at 322-9222, or one of the local congregations.



"Dollars For Dan"

Dan Moles served as the Administrator of Ashbrook Nursing Home for four years. As an Administrator and as an R.N. he has dedicated his professional life to helping others. He now needs our help.

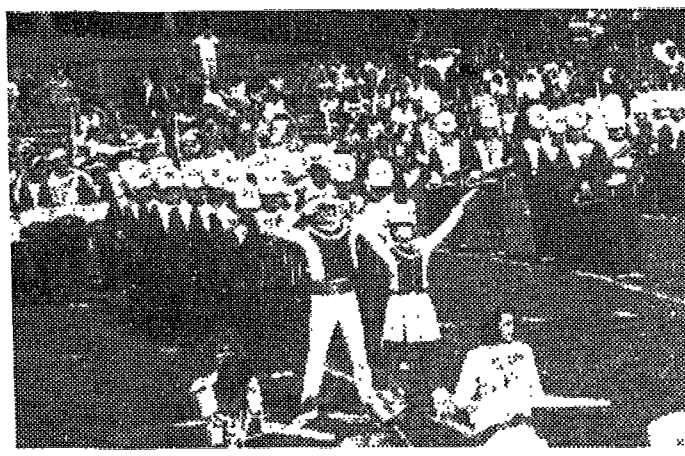
Dan was recently involved in a serious automobile accident. He is making progress at the Robert Woods Johnson Rehabilitation Center in Edison but it will be a long and difficult journey.

Ashbrook Nursing

Home will hold a gigantic garage sale on Saturday, October 19th from 10:00 to 5:00 (rain date Sunday, October 20th.) All proceeds of this sale will go to the Dan Moles Foundation. Contributions and donations gladly accepted by calling Liz Kaul 889-5500.

Please come out and join in the fun. We hope to make many "dollars for Dan". We, his friends, will thank you and you will feel better having helped Dan in his struggle.

Raider Show Band excels in competition



S.P.F.H.S. Raider Show Band at attention prior to a recent performance. Leading the salute are Major Ron Kramps and Majorette Elise Sharrett.

The 280 members of the Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School Raider Show Band were rewarded Friday night for the many hours spent daily at 7 a.m. practices, for the hot summer days spent learning marching formations, and for the personal efforts expended learning musical scores. Participating in the Fifth Annual Somerville Pioneer Band Festival, the Raider Fronts out-scored their rivals, the Piscataway Superchiefs, to bring home the trophy for best Band Fronts. The trophy is awarded on the basis of general effect and show integration. Employing dazzling flags, canes, rifles, colorful

scarves and twirling umbrellas, the Raider fronts display their skills in dance and intricate maneuvers. They were awarded a Superior rating for their performance.

Equally as rewarding was the Superior rating earned by the Raider Show Band. It is a rating achieved by only those bands scoring in the top category and was awarded in this competition to only one other of eight bands competing.

The Raider Show Band is directed by Vincent Turturiello and Robert Brown. Front Squad Advisors, Laurie Wellman and Carol Cecchine are

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Mayor Spera proclaims Oct. Deborah Heart month

Municipal Manager Tom Atkins publicly commended the township's rapid response to Hurricane Gloria during Tuesday night's Council meeting in Scotch Plains.

Atkins made special mention of Federal Emergency Management Agency (Civil Defense) Director George Reider and Shelter Manager Don DiNitizio's (SP Welfare Director) organizational abilities throughout the recent storm. The Public Works Department under the direction of Ray D'Amato and plans to continue clean-up efforts into next week, according to Atkins.

Among business discussed that evening, Council approved an application from the Jewish Community Center of Central Jersey to hold an off-premise raffle February 9 and also a livery license application from Benjamin Little.

Assistant Treasurer Rosemarie Cerrito was appointed as Plan Administrator for the township's deferred compensation program and the appointment of Joseph Timko as Engineering Aide was also announced. Mayor Spera proclaimed October as Deborah Save A Heart month in Scotch Plains and recognized the westbound chapter of Deborah for the tremendous amount of voluntary assistance it offers the Heart and Lung Center. The Mayor concluded by saying that the chapter "Provides funding so that all can continue to receive the care they receive now."