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"DEPUTY DAN" TRIES AGAIN WITH LIONS FLEA MARKET



"Deputy Dan the Safety Van," is slated again to be a feature at the Fanwood Lions Club's fall flea market on Saturday, October 4 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Fanwood Railroad Station.

Dan, a talking safety van styled as an automotive version of a friendly police officer, was scheduled for an appearance this past June 7 with the Lions' spring flea market. Heavy rains caused both the flea market and Dan's appearance to be cancelled.

The van is being loaned to the Lions by the Foundation for Safety of the AAA New Jersey Automobile Club. It is equipped with two-way radio communications equipment to permit conversation between a van operator and any member of the public. Safety programs and guidelines are enhanced with the impression that the friendly vehicle is speaking.

In addition to some 100 vendors of assorted hand-crafts and merchandise the Lions will host their popular pancake breakfast indoors between 8 and 11 a.m. Hot dogs and refreshments will be available for the balance of the day.

IT'S GIRL SCOUT COOKIE TIME!

Scotch Plains-Fanwood Girl Scouts will be marching through neighborhoods in town to ask that old familiar question "Would you like to buy Girl Scout cookies?" With every yes they receive, the troops will raise dollars for this year's exciting parade of activities.

Washington Rock Girl Scouts will be taking orders in their annual fall cookie sale from October 3 through October 19. Cookie deliveries will be made by the troops from November 17 through December 5.

The cookie sale is the primary fund raiser from the Scotch Plains-Fanwood Girl Scout troops and the Washington Rock Council. Each box of cookies sells for \$2.50 and is a \$1.78 contribution to Girl Scouting. Two brand new cookies have joined the ranks this year. Both commemorate the 75th anniversary of Girl Scouting. The CLASSIC cremes, a chocolate and vanilla sandwich cookie and the JUBILEE, a chocolate, caramel and coconut cookie.

Profits from the cookie sale help support troop activities, training and insurance for volunteer troop leaders, equipment, programs at Camp Hoover and services provided by the Council.

MONTHLY BP CLINIC

The Township of Scotch Plains will hold the monthly Hypertension (High Blood Pressure) Screening Clinic on Wednesday, October 8th.

The Clinic will be held in the Scotch Plains Public Library Community Room from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. and is free. The intent of the clinic is to identify new cases of High Blood Pressure. Those persons who are over the age of thirty and smoke or are overweight or have a family history of heart disease or diabetes and have not had their blood pressure checked recently are urged to attend.

Creative energy displayed at S.P. Conservation Center

By Bernadette Bishop
The drizzly weather did not stop Jerry Ward, national chainsaw sculpture champion, from completing his works of art. Nor did it hinder the interested people from coming to see his demonstration at Home Energy Conservation, Inc.

Mr. Ward has been working with a chainsaw since 1970, when he was a high-school art teacher in Michigan. He did the sculptures to ease the lack of funds during the summer months.

"At first, he used the chainsaw to get the large chunks of wood off," explains his admiring wife. "As he became more proficient with the saw, well, one thing led to another!"

Jerry still uses hand-tools in finer pieces, which is unlike other "chainsaw carvers."

He picked this medium to work with because it was "warm". "Unlike metal or stone, wood has an ambience which makes you want to touch it," says Mrs. Ward.

Home Energy Conservation, Inc. supplied the wood and the area for the demonstration. Some



Jerry Ward, national chainsaw champion, carves an eagle at Home Energy Conservation, Inc.

pieces produced were a bear from a black walnut log, a turkey, and some
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SPF—ETV SCHEDULE, CHANNEL 34

The following programs will be aired at 11:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, October 2 - '86 Bantasia.

Friday, October 3 - Battle of the Bands 1986.

Monday, October 6 - Gymnastics vs. Elizabeth.

Tuesday, October 7 - Football vs. Rahway 1985.

Wednesday, October 8 - SPFH Freshmen Officer Campaign Speeches.

Thursday, October 9 - McGinn Variety Show 1986.

Friday, October 10 - Middle School Program.

SURPLUS CHEESE & FLOUR AVAILABLE

Surplus cheese & flour will be available for eligible Scotch Plains residents on Wednesday Oct. 8 at the Municipal Building CD Room from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Thursday Oct. 9. Residents who were not able to receive the products from the Municipal Building may receive cheese & flour from the Scotch Plains Community Service Center located at St. John's Church on Morse Avenue between the hours of 10:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.

Eligible residents should bring proof of income or participation in the Food Stamp, SSI, Medicaid, AFDC or GA program. Seniors who do not have proof of income will be allowed to sign a self-certification form attesting to their income. The income guidelines have recently been increased. They range from \$9,916 for one person to \$13,394 for a couple and increase by \$3,478 for each additional household member.

Scholarship Foundation to conduct annual telethon

The Scotch Plains-Fanwood Scholarship Foundation will be conducting its fourth annual telethon during October to raise funds to help local students with college expenses, according to a recent announcement by John Lawson, President.

Foundation board members will be phoning parents of Scotch Plains-Fanwood High School seniors and juniors, since they stand to gain most from the scholarships administered by the group, Lawson said.

The telephone campaign last year enabled the

Foundation, with the awards it administers, to help 28 local graduates with college expenses totalling more than \$21,000. In addition to its own Dollars for Students grants, the Foundation administers a number of scholarships for other community sponsors. For the academic year 1986-87, Dollars for Students assistance is in a greater amount than ever before. The Foundation originated in 1966.

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