



Scotch Plains

# THE TIMES

SCOTCH PLAINS PUBLIC LIBRARY

1927 BARTLE AVENUE

SCOTCH PLAINS, N.J. 07076



Fanwood

VOLUME 32-NUMBER 36

SCOTCH PLAINS-FANWOOD, N.J.

SEPTEMBER 7, 1989

30 CENTS

## Children's Specialized visits Ashbrook



Youngsters from Children's Specialized Hospital in Mountainside recently visited Ashbrook Nursing Home in Scotch Plains. The guests joined the residents for a summer barbecue featuring favorites like hamburgers, hot dogs, pasta salad and cucumber salad. After enjoyed the luncheon repast, the

children and residents played catch with beach balls and looked through the special treasure chest for gifts gathered by the residents for their young visitors.

### Union County to hold Motor Vehicle Auction

Contact-We-Care, area helpline for the troubled, recently announced plans for its 27th training class for telephone worker volunteers to start Sept. 16 at St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church.

Originated in 1975 in the Union County area, Contact-We-Care provides a trained listening ear around the clock for the lonely and the worried on 232-2880. The service also offers a teletype connection for the deaf on 232-3333. The combined lines handle more than 3,000 calls a month with a staff upwards of 100

adults serving voluntarily.

Classes will meet 7-10 p.m. on Thursday evenings through Dec. 7 with two Saturday sessions during the day. The 50-hour training course will cover an extensive variety of subject matter including topics such as therapeutic communication, reflective listening, call management, the Christian standpoint, family violence, depression, deaf awareness, substance abuse, grieving, loneliness, the sexually disturbed, suicide, and steps in human problem solving.

Instructors engaged for the course include Ann Strand of the Center for Counselling in Cranford, Bob Barkovitz of Contact-Morris/Passaic, Claire Cozzi of Women Aware, Inc. of Westfield, Cindy Ruetsch of Hopewell, Dr. Charles Ciolino of Fair Oaks Hospital in Summit, Rev. Charles Weinrich, Chaplain of Overlook Hospital, Tom Adams of the Community Sex Information Organization in New York, and Rev. Julian Alexander, Pastor Emeritus of Willow Grove Church, Scotch Plains.

The County of Union will be holding a public auction on Saturday, September 9, 1989 at the Union County Complex, Venneri Building, 300 North Avenue, East, Westfield. The auction, featuring various makes and models of motor vehicles, will be held rain or shine, beginning promptly at 9:00 a.m. Registration will take place between 8:00 and 9:00 a.m.

"Anyone is welcome to come and be a bidder, if they are eighteen years of age or older," stated Freeholder Chairman Brian W. Fahey of Westfield.

All vehicles are being sold on an "as is and where is" basis and may be inspected between 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. on the above date, prior to the sale. Failure to inspect any item will not be considered grounds for any claims, adjustments or refunds. All sales are FINAL - there will be NO REFUNDS.

Total payment must be received at the time of the auction. Cash, bank check and/or certified check is the only form of payment accepted. No personal checks will be accepted. Successful bidders will receive their titles upon payment.

All vehicles must be removed within 72 hours at the bidders expense. Failure to remove any of these vehicles will result in Union County having to remove it at the owner's expense. No dismantling of any vehicles is allowed by bidders and/or any representative on Union County property.

The county reserves the right to reject any or all bids and any part thereof, as it may deem necessary in the best interest of Union County.

"This is a great opportunity for the knowledgeable consumer," noted Fahey. "One not to be missed!"

### Contact-We-Care plans 27th training class