

RIVERDALE

NEWS AND EVENTS



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BOROUGH OF RIVERDALE HOLDS 2017 REORGANIZATION MEETING AT BOROUGH HALL

On January 4th at 7:30pm, Honorable Judge Scott Rumana administered the oath of office to Councilmen Stephen Revis and Paul Purcell.

Dignitaries included Freeholder Director Doug Cabana, and Freeholders Tom Mastrangelo, John Cesaro, and Deborah Smith. Also in attendance were Morris County Clerk Ann Grossi and Bergen County Republican Chairman Paul DeGaetano.



From left to right: Granddaughter Gabi Revis, wife Jean, Honorable Judge Scott Rumana, and Councilman Steve Revis



From left to right: Honorable Judge Scott Rumana, son AJ, Councilman Paul Purcell, and his wife Catrina.

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January

The Mayor's Report

My fellow Riverdale residents,

Welcome to 2017! I wish everyone health and happiness in the upcoming year.

We start this year with a new member to the Riverdale Council. On January 4, 2017, Paul Purcell was sworn into office. Paul brings his military and professional expertise to the council. I look forward to working with him as I am confident he will be a great asset to our team.

We now set our sights on the goals and objectives for 2017. Starting on April 1, 2017, our Construction Department will be managed by the Borough of Pompton Lakes. More details will be provided after the Shared Services Agreement is finalized. I want to thank the Borough of Wanaque for the last three years of service. Based on feedback from the public, I feel our new arrangement will be more compatible and convenient for our residents.

After four long years and an arbitrated Police Contract, we recently agreed to a new 3 year contract with the PBA that will be signed within 2 weeks. This was an important accomplishment as the agreement was negotiated internally between the Borough and PBA in a professional and respectful manner.

2016 was a very productive year in the Borough of Riverdale. I want to thank the residents, our elected officials, our hard working borough employees, our Public Works department, Police, Fire, First Aid, and the countless volunteers on all of our boards in town. Together, they all keep the town running smoothly and provide a great place for all of us to enjoy.

See you next month. Stay warm!

Mayor Paul M. Carelli



RIVERDALE CERT TEAM

For more information
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REMINDER TO ALL PET LOVERS

Please stop by the Borough Hall for your annual Dog and Cat Pet License.

For more information, please call Linda Roetman at the Riverdale Borough Hall (973) 835-4060.





From left to right: Mayor Paul Carelli,
Councilman Garrett Astarita
and his wife Helen

At the December 28, 2016 Council Meeting, Councilman Garrett Astarita was honored for his 40 years of public service to the Borough of Riverdale.

Garrett started his service to the community as a member of the Pompton Lakes Riverdale First Aid Squad in 1977. He served on the Planning Board from 1990-1996. Garrett became a member of the Riverdale Council in 1996, where he continued to serve for 21 years. We thank Garrett for his service and wish him and his wife Helen all the best in retirement. **THANK YOU GARRETT !**



Congratulations to the GRAF family of Riverview Terrace for being selected as this year's



winner of the Borough of Riverdale's "Most Festive Yard" contest. The committee selected six finalists and then had the tough choice of selecting one for the top honor. Thank you to all residents who decorated their yards bringing out the holiday spirit for all to enjoy!!

MOST FESTIVE YARD - HONORABLE MENTIONS

THE BURIAN FAMILY - Riverview Terr THE RUPPEL FAMILY - Post Lane

THE KNAPP FAMILY - Post Lane THE LENOIR FAMILY - Stoneleigh Terr

THE PICCININNI FAMILY - Morris Avenue

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 Monday 10-8 Thursday 10-8
 Tuesday 10-5 Friday 10-5
 Wednesday 10-8 Saturday 10-4

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NEW The Riverdale Public Library will host *The Bill of Rights and You*, a new pop-up exhibition from the National Archives which commemorates the 225th anniversary of the ratification of this landmark document. The Bill of Rights and You spotlights one of the most remarkable periods in American history, explores the origins of the first ten amendments to the U.S. Constitution (collectively known as the Bill of Rights), illustrates how each amendment protects U.S. citizens, and looks at how Americans exercise the rights outlined in the amendments. *The Bill of Rights and You* invites visitors to connect directly with the people, places, and events that mark this historic document's evolution. On display through February.

Adult Programs

Conquer Clutter - Saturday, January 7th, 1:00 p.m.
 Drowning in paper? Feel like you're headed for Hoarders if you don't get it together? Let a professional organizer help you manage your "stuff" and get peace of mind. Presented by Linda Anders.

Chinese New Year Cooking Demonstration - Saturday, January 21st, 1:00 p.m. Join Joyce Leung in preparing egg rolls and a noodle dish to celebrate the Chinese New Year — the Year of the Rooster.

Nazis in Riverdale? - Wednesday, January 25th, 7:00 p.m. Local Historian Tom Riley will trace the origins of Camp Bergwald on Federal Hill from the construction of the camp through its confiscation by the federal government. The connection of Camp Bergwald to the German American Bund and Nazi Germany will be fully explored.

Winter 2016 Computer Programs

Device Advice - Friday, January 20th, 1:00 p.m.
 (Formally iPad and Tablet Users Group) Need some help using your iPad, iPhone, Kindle, laptop or other digital device? Drop in with your device and get some pointers on its use. Offered the third Friday of each month.

Microsoft Word - Intermediate Skills - Monday, January 16th, 6:00 p.m. *Prerequisite: Word part 1 or familiarity with Word.* Learn to create columns, tables, headers, footers and page numbers. We'll also cover page borders, page breaks and mail merge basics.

Upcoming Adult Programs

Cabin Fever Coloring Group - Wednesdays, February 1st, 8th, 15th & 22nd, 7:00 p.m. Spend cold winter Wednesday evenings at the library creating coloring projects and enjoying good company.

Valentine Decoupage Plates - Saturday, February 4th, 1:00 p.m. Agnes Majewska-Sydoryk will lead us in a workshop to create a lovely serving plate for Valentine goodies.

Heart Healthy Snacks - Saturday, February 11th, 1:00 p.m. Danielle Columbo, registered dietician, will bring lots of healthy and delicious snacks to share and will discuss diet and heart health.

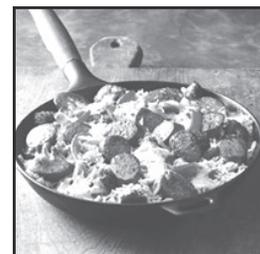
Book Donations Accepted - Starting January 9th, books and DVD's can be donated to the Friends book sale in March!

Linda Vogel's Recipes

Smoked Sausage Skillet

Ingredients:

- ◆ 2 cloves garlic, crushed.
- ◆ ¼ cup olive oil.
- ◆ ½ cup chicken broth.
- ◆ ½ cup tomato sauce.
- ◆ 2 cups instant rice.
- ◆ 1 small yellow onion, sliced thin.
- ◆ 1 pkg. frozen broccoli, thawed.
- ◆ 1 large red bell pepper, sliced thin.
- ◆ ½ cup shredded Mozzarella cheese.
- ◆ 1 pkg. smoked sausage, diagonally sliced thin.



Directions:

Heat olive oil and garlic in skillet, stir in smoked sausage slices and cook until browned. Add pepper, onion, broccoli, broth and tomato sauce and simmer for 10 minutes until vegetables are tender and the liquid is absorbed. Prepare rice according to package instructions. Stir rice into the skillet, sprinkle with cheese, and cover for 5 minutes and serve.

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**Monthly
 Film, Food and Friends,
 Wednesday, January 18th, 7:00 p.m.**
Deep Water Horizon, Rated PG-13.

**Adult Book Discussion Group
 Monday, January 23rd, 6:30-8:00 p.m.**
Japanese Lover by Isabel Allende.

**Photography Club
 Monday, January 23rd, 6:30-8:00 p.m.**
 Meets the fourth Monday of each month.

**Gypsy Knitters
 Thursdays, 4:00-8:00 p.m.**
 Experienced knitters are welcome every Thursday to nosh & knit. Newcomers welcomed!

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Regular Storytimes

Toddler Time - Tuesday, January 17th-March 7th, 10:30 a.m.

Complete with songs, picture books, and a craft, this storytime is designed to help your two-year old take the first steps toward early learning literacy. For toddlers ages 2-3.

Preschool Pals - Tuesday, January 17th-March 7th, 11:30 a.m.

Meeting at a new morning time in the New Year, preschoolers at this storytime can develop school readiness skills by listening to longer stories, making new friends, and creating a craft at this storytime. For preschoolers ages 3-5.

Wigglers and Giggles - Wednesday, January 18th-March 8th, 10:15 a.m.

Not-quite-two-year olds will love this storytime filled with simple books and more movement and play in the storytime experience. For toddlers ages 1-2.

Baby and Me - Wednesday, January 18th-March 8th, 11:15 a.m.

Designed for infants not walking yet, this lapsit storytime includes simple books, songs, and play that will allow your little one to start becoming familiar with the library! For infants to 12 months.

Infant and Preschool Programs

Happy New Year Storytime - Wednesday, January 4th, 11:00 a.m.

Ring in the New Year at this special storytime complete with favorite books, songs and a fun craft! For ages 2 and up.

Stuffed Animal Storytime - Thursday, January 5th, 5:30 p.m.

Bring a stuffed friend and wear your PJs at this special evening storytime! For ages 2-5.

Princess Elsa Visit - Tuesday, January 10th, 10:30 a.m. All princesses and princes are invited to meet Elsa and her hear princess stories when she makes this special visit to Riverdale! For ages 2 and up.

Shake Your Sillies Out - Thursday, January 12th, 2:00 p.m.

Calling all wigglers and gigglers, singers and dancers! Join us for these special storytimes with singing, dancing, scarves, and parachute fun! For ages 2 and up.

Yoga Storytime - Monday, January 16th, 10:30 a.m. Come for stories and a stretches with Ms. Michele! For ages 3-5.

Toddler Free Play - Friday, January 13th, 10:00-11:00 a.m. Join us when we empty the program room of everything but favorite library toys, puppets, and noisemakers so your toddlers can play safely inside! For ages 1-5.

Children's Programs

Nutritionist Visit: New Year, New You - Monday, January 9th, 3:00 p.m. We are pleased to welcome back Shop Rite of Lincoln Park's registered dietician Danielle Colombo! Ms. Danielle will lead a hands-on nutrition lesson on healthy eating in the New Year and provide tasty snacks. Join us for food, fun, and more. For grades K-5.

Paws to Read: Tales to Tails - Wednesday, January 11th, 4:00 p.m. Readers of all levels get to practice reading to a friendly canine listener. For grades K-5.

LEGO Labs - Wednesday, January 18th, 4:00 p.m. Building with your friends has never been so fun! Bring your imagination; we'll supply the LEGOs and great story. For grades K-5.

Emoji Party - Thursday, January 19th, 5:00 p.m. Come to celebrate all things emoji! We'll have crafts, snacks and games. For ages 7 and up.

Chinese New Year Food! - Saturday, January 21st, 11:00 a.m.

Come to learn about the Chinese New Year and to make yummy spring rolls with Ms. Joyce. Enjoy munching on your own creation while learning something new! For grades 1 and up!

After School Crafts: Snowman Luminaries - Wednesday,

January 25th, 3:00 p.m. Come to transform Ms. Kate's pasta jars into adorable snowmen luminaries! For ages 6 and up.

Tween and Teen Programs

Maker Mondays - Monday, January 30th, 3:00 p.m. Come to make 3D snowflakes in January! For ages 8 and up.

Programs For All Ages

Drop-in Craft and Movie - Thursday, January 26th, 4:00 p.m.

Warm up at the library with a fun craft and special screening of *The Secret Life of Pets* (90 min., rated PG). We'll have crafts and freshly popped popcorn for everyone.

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This illustration is from *The Mitten* by Jan Brett. You can find this book in the EJ section of the library!



at Riverdale Recreation



RECREATION NEWS



In order to register for any of the programs below, to ask any questions or looking to volunteer for any of the programs, you may call 973-835-4060 x232 or email riverdalerec@gmail.com



Friends & Family

Bowling Night

FRIDAY, JANUARY 27 6-7:30pm

Holiday Bowl, Oakland

\$40 per lane (up to 6 people on a lane, any age) unlimited bowling, any style bowling (crazy bowl, regular bowling, etc) \$2 shoe rental (bumpers can be brought up & down electronically so young children can bowl with adults)

*MUST SIGN UP & PAY BY JAN 22 - Limited Lanes Reserved
Email riverdalerec@gmail.com or call 973-835-4060 x232*

Toddler Music Program

**New Tuesday Session starts JAN 17
Saturday Sessions are monthly**

Instructor: Jammin' with Jared **Class Location:** Community Center

Ages: 1-3 (up to 4) under 1 are free

Class Times & Cost:

Tuesdays 10:00a.m. - 8week session \$120, \$200 for siblings.
Next session will start 1/17

Saturdays 10:00a.m. - once a month \$20, \$30 for siblings.
Saturday sessions run the first Saturday of the month.

To sign up: email riverdalerec@gmail.com
Class sizes are limited.
MUST sign-up BEFORE first class.



Women's Fitness

In conjunction with PL Rec

Mondays & Wednesdays
7:00-8:00pm at Lincoln School



2nd Session: 1/9/17 ~ 3/8/17

3rd Session: 3/20/17 ~ 5/10/17

\$50 for 16 classes, \$35 for 10 classes, \$5 for drop-in

COMING SOON!

Softball Clinic, Field Hockey Clinic

Summer Rec Registration



Riverdale Woman's Club

January 2017

HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM THE RIVERDALE WOMAN'S CLUB

For membership information, please contact Jean at 973-835-3269.



NO PARKING RULES

December 1 begins the no parking on the borough streets from 12 midnight till 6 AM

No Parking on borough streets when snowing or when streets are snow covered.

Under state law NO PARKING:

- ◆ Within an intersection
- ◆ On a crosswalk
- ◆ In front of a driveway
- ◆ On a sidewalk
- ◆ Within 50 feet of a stop sign
- ◆ Within 25 feet of an intersection
- ◆ Within 10 feet of a fire hydrant

BY AND LARGE

by Elaine Peacock

*new year
new beginnings*

NEW YEAR NEW OPPORTUNITIES

Well 2017 has arrived with bursts of fireworks, confetti and blowing horns, if only we could keep the excitement of those first minutes of the New Year for the next 365 days, but unfortunately everyday life happens.

We all start the New Year with great expectations and promises to ourselves and others of changes we plan to make and then the old habits creep back into our life. I think God would like us to work on improving one thing in our life the one thing that holds us back from becoming the person God wants us to be. If everyone could work on being a bit kinder to others, showing more smiles than frowns to the world, and looking for opportunities that present us with a chance to make a difference by the time 2018 rolls around we will feel that 2017 was a good year.

I wish a Happy, Healthy New Year to one and all.



RIVERDALE SCHOOL NEWS January 2017

From the desks of Riverdale School Superintendent,
Mrs. Vicki Pede, and Principal, Mr. Sean Bowe:

Each January brings with it the anticipation of a bright new calendar year for so many of us; it is a time to reflect on our past successes and challenges, as well as a time to plan for a positive future! Our school has been working with Rutgers University on the Positive Behavior Support in Schools initiative (PBSIS). A committee of staff members has been working monthly to plan for this kickoff in our school. As you may be aware, Mr. Bowe has already started the positive recognition in a number of ways, including the Ram Character Awards distributed monthly. It is a pleasure to see all of the positive efforts of our students displayed on the bulletin board in our cafeteria. Further, our school district continues to move forward with our initiatives to meet the goals and objectives that have been established and appear on our school website (www.rpsnj.org). We hope you take the time to check them out!

We were able to continue our tradition of holiday celebration in conjunction with the town with the lighting of the “Winter Wonderland” on the front lawn of our school. Through generous donations, our display continues to grow each year with the addition of more festive light displays. The rainy weather this year did not deter the wonderful crowd from our community to see our display lit and hear our students sing and our band play. We are already thinking ahead to what we can add next year to our expanding display!

Learning continues to move along strong in all aspects of our school; remember that learning encompasses the whole child: physical, emotional, social and academic. December was a busy month both in classrooms and within our school. Our basketball teams got off to a solid start; the PTA Holiday Breakfast was not only delicious, but also very well attended. Our Winter Concert had standing room only and the holiday parade and festivities offered to our students through the Riverdale Police Department were wonderful. Thank you to all! Looking forward, our school is hoping to partner with LinkIt! early in the new year for a pilot involving data and individual student progressions in mathematics. In the area of special education, our district is involved in this year’s cohort which surveys parents of students with special needs. We hope that those involved will take part in this state initiative through the state survey.

We trust that you will enjoy your special family time during the cold winter weeks ahead, and be sure to spend some time reading and conversing together. A great young adult novel, *Wonder* by R.J. Palacio includes precepts from the infamous teacher, Mr. Browne. The one for our first day back to school is by Henry James and is stated as follows, “Three things in human life are important: the first is to be kind, the second is to be kind, and the third is to be kind.” What a great conversation starter for a new calendar year that goes hand in hand with our involvement with PBSIS! Have a wonderful new year with your families and friends – see you in January!

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS AND REMINDERS:

WINTER RECESS	December 26 th - January 2 nd	SCHOOL CLOSED
CLASSES RESUME	(Tuesday) 01/03/17	
SCHOOL PLANNING COMMITTEE	1/05/17 – 2:45	Library
SCHOOL BOARD MEETING (Workshop Meeting)	1/11/17 – 7:30	Superintendent Award Students Recognized
PTA MEETING	1/12/17 – 7:30	Cafeteria
POMPTON LAKES HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE	1/12/17 - 7:30	High School Program for 8 th Graders
TEACHER IN-SERVICE	1/16/17	SCHOOL CLOSED
SEPAC (SPECIAL EDUCATION PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE) MEETING	1/17/17 – 7:00	Library
SCHOOL BOARD MEETING (Regular Meeting)	1/18/17 – 7:30	Library
PRESCHOOL OPEN HOUSE	1/25/17	For Eligible Student’s Families
PTA BINGO NIGHT	1/27/17 – 7:30	
BEEFSTEAK DINNER FUNDRAISER	1/28/17 – tickets needed	Community Center
END OF 2 ND MARKING PERIOD	1/31/17	
BOOKFAIR STARTS	1/31/17	Primary Hallway

Program held at Riverdale Community Center, 57 Loy Ave, Riverdale.
Parent required to stay during program.

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Sunday Jan 29th

Sunday Feb 5th

Sunday Feb 12th

Time slot 9:30-10:30am OR 11:00-12noon

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Fee for covering expenses only.



Toddler Name _____ Age _____ Parent Name _____

Email: _____ Contact# _____

Time (circle one): 9:30-10:30am / 11:00 -12:00 noon

Please Return completed form with your applicable fee to
GS Troop 94886, 76 Riverview Terr, Riverdale, NJ 07457

NO LATER than Fri Jan 20th

For more info contact Jennifer at 973-800-9230 or njnurse07@gmail.com

The December 5th meeting was opened by President Gloria Carelli, who quoted: "It's Beginning to Look A Lot Like Christmas", referring to our new lovely Christmas tree. It was purchased and decorated over the weekend with the help of volunteers, whom she thanked. Also, today we will be entertained by excerpts of the Riverdale Middle School Chorus and Band's Christmas Concert, and then enjoy a Pizza Party catered by Boniello's for all the children and members. Chaplain Elaine Peacock read an inspirational piece, which she wrote, "Ready or Not, Here Comes Christmas". After the flag salute and club pledge, members sang "Jingle Bells".

First Vice-Pres. Loretta Lippens recognized the December birthdays. Loretta advised us of community news, the Riverdale Tree Lighting Ceremony, the opening of Max is Back to sell fresh-cut Christmas Trees, and asked that we fly our flags on Wednesday, December 7th to honor our veterans on the anniversary of Pearl Harbor.

Secretary and Treasurer reports were given. Gerry Mahler and Annette Lucente presided over the audit for the fiscal year which ended October 31st and confirmed that everything balanced. Kay and Barbara gave us the table arrangements for this week's Christmas Party at the Paris Inn. Mimi Hertzog announced that she has planned a Bus Trip to the Sands Casino in January, and passed out sign-up sheets. Everyone is really keeping us busy!

Pres. Carelli thanked Lettie and Bert Santos for their help for last month's program - the Bloomingdale Health Center presentation by Greg Santos, R.N., who also provided us with a more than ample catered luncheon. By a show of hands, members opted to cancel January 2nd meeting, and only have one meeting on January 16th. The school children arrived, and the meeting was closed.

It was a festive meeting - the new Christmas Tree, the members singing "Jingle Bells", the children's holiday concert, the delicious pizza and beverages, and the time to socialize and look forward to our annual Christmas Party.

The second meeting on December 18th was opened by Pres. Gloria Carelli. Chaplain Elaine Peacock read a rather sentimental piece, as she had written it years ago for her mother to read when she was Chaplain, entitled "My Christmas Greetings To You all". Members then sang "Silent Night". Loretta Lippens reported on cards sent to ill members. In the Christmas spirit, Loretta gave us the history of the candy cane, which originally was supposed to be turned around and upside-down to represent a "J" for Jesus. She then read a beautiful piece regarding Christmas gift suggestions of forgiveness, tolerance, service, charity, self-respect and best of all "the presence of a happy family around the Christmas Tree, all wrapped up in each other", which received applause.

Mimi announced that there are still a few seats open for the January casino trip to the Sands in Bethlehem, PA. She is also working on an overnight trip in April to Sight & Sound in Lancaster to see "Jonah". More details to follow. Barbara Stillwaggon reported on the Christmas Party at the Paris Inn, the highlight of which was a presentation of the "12 Days of Christmas". It included all 74 persons present, with all props provided by Kay who organized the fun production.

Pres. Carelli thanked everyone for coming out on this very cold day. She also thanked Kay and Barbara for doing a great job with the Christmas Party. We always have the mayor as our guest, and Mayor Carelli attended this year, which he enjoyed. Under new business, we discussed the possibility of the town providing residents with a program for "shredding". Gloria said that she would look into this. Also, it was brought up that Bloomingdale has a daily senior lunch program for which you have to call the day before if you wish to attend. She reminded us that our only meeting next month will be on the 16th, and we will be treated to bagels, cream cheese and butter, along with our coffee and tea. Her son, John Carelli is planning to attend and entertain us with his beautiful voice.

The meeting was closed, raffle conducted, jokes told, and refreshments served.

Presented by Kay Boucher



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To request confidential Pantry assistance, please call Linda Roetman, at the Riverdale Borough Hall (973) 835-4060.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT



Riverdale Borough Hall Directory

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Fire Inspector	Ralph Porrino	973-835-4060	236	
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