Democrat Maeve Scott are the two candidates leaving an open seat. Republican John Rubbo and Councilman Dennis Shepherd are term-limited from running again after serving eight years. The ceremony took place Oct. 14 at the Yonkers Sports Hall of Fame, which recognizes outstanding professionals and amateurs in the field of sports—living or deceased—who have gained prominence or made substantial contribution to sports in the City of Yonkers.

By Dan Murphy

“...I’m running because I feel that the Fourth District hasn’t been adequately represented, “ said. “We have a councilman who many don’t know who he is, and there are areas in the district that have been neglected” (referring to Councilman Dennis Shepherd, who is term-limited at the end of the year).

“I’m meeting with voters, who want something more, said. “If we don’t make a change, the budget will continue to go up, and we need to fix that problem."

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Yonkers Mayor Mike Spano, in collaboration with the Department of Parks, Recreation and Conservation, recently induced boxing legend Salvatore Corrente and paddling pioneer Nancy Kalafus to the Yonkers Sports Hall of Fame, which recognizes outstanding professionals and amateurs in the field of sports—living or deceased—who have gained prominence or made substantial contribution to sports in the City of Yonkers. The ceremony took place Oct. 14 at the Yonkers Sports Hall of Fame at the parks department.

By Dan Murphy

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The YMA Eagles defeated Croton-Harmon last Saturday in Section One action last weekend with victories.

Coach Elie Moise said she was proud of the team’s total effort. YMA scored 22 unanswered points to notch the victory. It had a strong running game, amassing 206 yards on 25 carries counting for 93 tackles.

Last year, Yemisi had a monster junior year, accounting for 93 tackles and five passes defended.

Earnest Rice threw for 116 yards and one TD. Calil Dixon rushed for 164 yards and two TDs. Quarterback Ernest Fonikun had 12 tackles and five passes defended.

The works of Cuban American artist Jorge Valdez were recently featured at Yonkers Public Library, Golden Well Branch. Valdez also worked with young artists at the Riverfront Library to help them create their own mosaic murals, as part of Celebration of National Hispanic Heritage Month.

Artist Amanda Ioco’s works were recently showcased in the Urban Studios Unbound Gallery at 66 Main St. Ioco has spent the past six months creating work in a variety of mediums, including painting, mixed media drawings, and assemblage sculpture. She also included the actual objects she works from giving the audience a look into the artist’s mind and process.

“Mish to explore the connections we have to the objects we keep versus what we throw away,” she said. “I have found that some of my most beautiful collected items are often deemed disposable.”

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By Eric Schein

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We have elections for three Yonkers City Council seats next month: Anthony Merante, Anthony Pagano and Matthew Orefice in the Sixth District; John Rubbo and Maurice Swift in the Fourth District; Connie Fiscus issue in the Second District is pretty much running without opposition, and incumbent Lena McLaughlin and Michael Khader are running for City Council President.

So I asked the candidates running for City Council and City Council president two simple questions: If you are elected, will you support elimination of the $15 fee? (McLaughlin voted against the public safety fee in June, when the Yonkers City Council adopted the 2017-18 budget.)

So, folks, with the elections taking place next month, both resolutions have a good chance of passage. So, I thought I would prepare the resolutions so that I, 5, one of their terms, these would have the resolutions ready to act.

Resolution Number One:

WHEREAS, Yonkers has a Red Light Camera Program at intersections throughout the city, and;

WHEREAS, sign the approach to intersections with red light cameras alerting motorists to their existence. These signs have proven to be as effective as the red light cameras themselves in stopping drivers from running red lights as the signs have proven to be effective at reducing red light camera violations.

WHEREAS, for the 2017-18 budget, the Yonkers City Council requests the mayor and administration of the Red Light Camera Program. Folks despise the cockamamie “public safety fee” of $15, voted on in the darkness of the night, making your red light ticket $65, not $50. When I wrote about it, the letters and emails started flowing.

WHEREAS, a recent investigation by his office into school bus safety identified nearly 1,500 red light camera violations by school bus companies in Westchester, and番号 sulfic counties highlighting a serious gap in state laws that are meant to ensure the safety of more than 2.5 million New York children who ride school buses every day.

Several violations were found in Yonkers, one of which was highlighted at a recent press conference.

Every morning, more than 2 million New York children are put on school buses by families that trust they’ll be safe, said Schneiderman. Unfortunately, New York law has a safety loophole big enough to drive a school bus through. “Unfortunately, New York children are put on school buses by families that trust they’ll be safe, “ said Schneiderman.

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Adopt Abigail Today

The Yonkers Animal Shelter has many pets available for adoption.

Abigail is a wonderful little dog who, despite being less than 2 years old and weighing about 45 pounds, was very shy at the shelter for the first few months and was originally found as a stray dog. She was treated by the staff member who cared for her, and she became very attached to him. It took time, but eventually Abigail began to trust adults or teenage children. She likes other dogs, but not all, so she is best suited for a home without other dogs. Abigail needs a home.

Municipal Housing Authority Seeks Local Contractors

Dozens of local contractors gathered at the Riverfront Library in Yonkers recently to hear about potential work on nearly 20 housing sites throughout Yonkers. Contractors and material suppliers interested in bidding on the projects can learn more about it by visiting www.mhacy.org.

Mayer Organizes Discussions On Affordable Child Care

In an ongoing effort to address the child care crisis in New York State, Assemblymember Ellen Jaffee, chairwoman of the Assembly Committee on Children and Families, and Assemblymember Shelley Silver, chairwoman of the Assembly Task Force on Women’s Issues, co-organized two roundtable discussions – one in New York City and another in Albany – to investigate child care quality, affordability and accessibility, as well as the impact of child care access on family stability, the labor force, and the economy.

The roundtable discussions Sept. 25 and 27 followed a May 25 joint public hearing in Albany, held by Jaffee and Silver on State Sen. Tony Avella, chairman of the Senate Committee on Children and Families, to discuss child care issues – in particular the lack of funding, quality and accessibility.

Two-thirds of all families in New York State are headed by parents in the workforce, and young children spend the work-fall time of the year that has been shown to promote positive child development and is critical to a family’s ability to maintain employment and rent-sufficiency. Nearly every working family needs access to affordable child care.

“Children have the right to care in a safe, healthy, high-quality environment,” Jaffee said. “(Full-day child care) makes the difference and (is) critical to member families today, ” said Mayer. “As the chair of the Assembly Task Force on Women’s Issues, I have fought and will continue to fight to expand access, improve quality, expand caregivers’ access to professional development, and help provide a permanent workforce in the face of low wages.

“More and more we must do to learn about the challenges and successes our local child care providers, parents and advocates are facing,” she continued. “We must use our knowledge and experiences to inform our work. As we move toward the legislative session, I look forward to working with my colleagues to ensure increased funding and develop creative paths to increase access to professional development.”

The response from advocates and stake- holders to both the public hearing and the recent roundtable discussions underscores the critical importance of maintaining an ongoing dialogue in communities throughout the state.

Mayer will be holding a roundtable discus- sion Thursday, Oct. 26 from 6 p.m to 8 p.m. at River- front Library in Yonkers.

Book Sale, Candidate Forum & Live Music at Library

The Friends of the Yonkers Public Library is sponsoring a number of special events next month.

Thousands of used and gently-used books on a wide variety of topics will be for sale at the Friends of the Yonkers Public Library fall book sale, scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 4 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Yonkers Public Library, Grinnell Will Library, 1000 Central Park Ave. Books will be available in hardcovers, with sections of specially priced books, CDs, and DVDs.

Friends of Yonkers Public Library will also sponsor a meet-the-candidates reception featuring candidates for county and local of- fices. November 5 from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at the Grinnell Will Library. The purpose of this event is for members of the public to meet and elect local officials representing Yonkers how important the library is to them and their families. Light snacks will be served, and candidates will inter- estingly mingle with the public.

The Virgin Scott Orchestra will present its “Big Band Sunday” on Nov. 5 at 2 p.m. at the Grinnell Will Library. Admission is free of charge, no tickets are required, and seating will be on the 252-seat au- ditorium at the library. The 18-piece orchestra features music from Broadway to the classics.

Upcoming Events at Sarah Lawrence College

A screening of the film “Where to Invade Next” by Michael Moore will take place Nov. 1 at 7 p.m. in the Heimbold Visual Arts Center Done- ralan Fine Theatre at SLC, 917 Kimball Ave., Bronxville. The Academy Award-winning direc- tor and creator of “Fahrenheit 9/11” and “Bowl y & Live Music at Library

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On This Day in Yukon History...

By Mary Hoar
President Emeritus, Yonkers Historical Society
Monday, October 24
Oct. 21, 1945: Allen Benson of Harriman St., the local candidate for president, discovered he could not vote in the election. Of Yukon campaigning, he had not registered to vote.
Oct. 23, 1937: The first eastbound Hillview Train pulled the "sound of shoes" to hundreds of dollars in damage to homes, cars and property in the neighborhood. A wall of water slammed the area, filling streets with knee-deep water, mud, bricks and tile. A year earlier, the Common Council had approved demolition of the tower and replacing it using Public Works Administration funds.

Tuesday, October 24
Oct. 24, 1947, Yonkers held a countywide scrap collection for homes and businesses. Forty truck loads, driven by soldiers and manned by patrons, Yankees picked up scrap metal left in front of homes, apartments and businesses as starting at 9 a.m. Boy Scout troops manned the call-disked "Scrap as the trucks drove through the streets. Also there was the removal of auto bumpers at Larkin Plaza from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wooden bumpers were installed in place of the damaged metal ones.

Wednesday, October 25
Oct. 25, 1989, an experimental presidential candidate William Jennings Bryan spoke before a capacity-filled Hillview Theater on Warburton Ave. Blanche’s, was on time, also, was the American Federation of Labor. Oct. 23, 1910: Dr. R. R. Reulander, superintendent of the New York Orthopedic Hospital at Hastings, attended at the students Training School for Trained. His top was "Missions in Education." Classes for the training school were held in School Eighth on Park Hill Avenue.

Thur. October 26
Oct. 26, 1952: City officials were guests of the officers of two United States Treasury departments.

Friday, October 27
"Battle Hymn of the Republic" for the airman. When World War II ended, Capt. George Betchley of Yonkers was included among the scores of veterans who went missing while serving our country, visiting www.dpaa.mil. who went missing while serving our country, visit www.dpaa.mil. of the Yonkers Suffrage Party, led more than the B-17G Flying Fortress. In 1948, the American Graves Registration

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To watch the video, visit www.youtube.com/

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the building officially opened April 24, 1913, with President Woodrow Wilson turning on the building's

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in action. However, they were not able to identify, and interred at the United States Military Cemetery Neuville-en-Condroz, in Belgium, where they lay for nearly 78 years. In 1948, an AGRC team investigated a crash site associated with Betchley's aircraft. Local authorities took to the crash site where equipment was found in the wreckage, which had several correlation with weapons used on the B-17G Flying Fortress.

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Liam McLaughlin has shown that he is a leader that we can trust. McLaughlin has been free of scandal, is under any probe. His aggressive legislative agenda with strong support for the conservative agenda is what the citizens of Yonkers need. Liam McLaughlin was well versed in the fundamentals of the legislative process and the realities facing our city," continued Flynn. "While Council President McLaughlin may not have always had the approval of the coalition of the Yonkers Fire Officers, he has always been well versed in the fundamentals of the legislative process and the realities facing our city. Liam McLaughlin said that he is grateful for the backers. 'Yonkers' best rate their lives for us on this issue,' McLaughlin added. 'As councilmen, as citizens and neighbours, we need to protect our jobs and support our workers.' He added, 'This is where the Yonkers Fire Officers for its success and for leading the cause.' Liam McLaughlin is honored to have his support and pledge to continue to support our firefighters and should never be part of the discussion." In the council, Liam McLaughlin has met the requirements of his office. However, the public auction of the properties listed below, which includes a number of low-income homes has been held. The auction took place on Friday, November 3, 2017, at 8:30 a.m. at the Yonkers Riverfront Library, Community Room AB, located at One Lan- k stock, 100 Menlo Park Mall, Edison, NJ 08837. Purpose: any lawful act.


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Engel: Cutting Off ACA Payments is 'Outrageous'

A series of community events at NewYork-Presbyterian are available to the public to mark the one-year anniversary of the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

A total of 12 community events will be held in New York City, New Jersey and Connecticut. The events, which will run from October 20 through Thanksgiving, will begin with a 90-minute discussion panel followed by an opportunity for questions. Community members are invited to attend any of the sessions.

The series of events is part of a national effort to educate the public about the Affordable Care Act and its impact on local communities. The events will cover a range of topics, including how the ACA has affected health care access and affordability, the challenges faced by those who have purchased health insurance through the ACA, and how the ACA has helped to reduce the number of uninsured Americans.

Engel's decision to cut off cost-sharing payments under the ACA is "outrageous," he said. "This is a critical part of the Affordable Care Act, and it is essential for ensuring that people have access to affordable health care."

Engel said that cutting off cost-sharing payments would have significant consequences for people with pre-existing conditions. "These payments help people with pre-existing conditions afford their medications and other health care costs," he said. "Cutting them off would make it harder for people to afford the care they need."

Engel said that he would continue to fight for the ACA and its cost-sharing payments. "I will continue to work with my colleagues in Congress to ensure that the ACA is protected and that people have access to affordable health care," he said.

Engel's full statement is available on his website, www.donengel.com.
Twister Bi, winner of Yonkers International Trot, celebrates with rider Christopher Ericksen, trainer Jerry Yodern, and owners.

Twister Bi, a trotter with Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway in its 2017 victory, now holds a world record of 1:25.4 in the $1.2 million with the 21st victory in his 50th career start. The second-place finisher was third with Kim Eriksson driving.

"This is how it’s supposed to feel," said Yodern in the winner’s circle. "It was great to be there watching the performance in awe, by five lengths. It was very close matches in harness racing circuit, and for two decades lived in Italy and now lives in Sweden. Twister Bi returned the bike watching the performance in awe, by five lengths. Canada’s Marion Marauder, with Scott Zeron in the saddle, was third with driver Yves Franjou.

"It was a very exciting race," commented Twister Bi's trainer Jerry Yodern. "We felt good about our chances, and everything went according to plan. We are very happy with the performance and the result."

The Yonkers International Trot is one of the most prestigious races in harness racing. It is run over a mile and a quarter (2,000 meters) on the Yonkers Raceway track. The race attracts some of the best trotters and drivers from around the world. The winner of the Yonkers International Trot is awarded a chestnut-colored trophy called the "Yonkers Slingshot Trophy." The race has been run annually since 1958, and the current record for the race is 1:25.4 set by Twister Bi in 2017.

The Yonkers Raceway, located in Yonkers, New York, is one of the country’s premier harness racing tracks. It is the largest harness racing track in the United States and the most profitable. Yonkers Raceway hosts a variety of races throughout the year, including the Yonkers International Trot, the Yonkers Sanford, and the Yonkers Futurity. The track is known for its state-of-the-art facilities and entertainment opportunities, including live music, dining, and social events.
Mayor Mike Spano, Assemblymember Shelley Mayer, City Council Minority Leader Michael Salerno and former Council President Chuck Lesnick, with proclamations for Yonkers Sports Hall of Fame honoree Nancy Kalafus, left. Photos by Ed Whitman.

Boxing Legend
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“Our Sports Hall of Fame is a memorable way of honoring past and present residents who enhanced Yonkers through their athletic accomplishments,” said Spano. “Throughout the years, many outstanding local citizens have gained prominence and fame within the world of sports. The pride and honor they brought to themselves and others should live on as symbols of achievement and examples of hard work for future generations in our community.”

Sal Cerrone was born and raised in Yonkers to Italian immigrant parents, Salvatore and Teresa Corrente. He graduated from St. Mary’s Grammar School and attended Sacred Heart High School his freshman year, but his love for football perpetuated a transfer to Sacred Hearts Trade and Technical High School. After heading Simmons to its first football championship in 1957, he received a scholarship to Northeastern Junior College in Sterling, Colo. In 1960, Cerrone founded the Yonkers Police Athletic League boxing program. Under his leadership, YPA boxing won several regional, state, and national titles, and his program at that time did not allow females to be voted into the club as senior members.

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Yonkers Police Athletic League

“I want everyone to see what we need to see, and to feel what is needed to feel.”

— Nancy Kalafus

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