

Upcoming

Volunteers needed to clear brush

Once again, the Conanicut Island Land Trust is looking for volunteers to help with its North Main Road clearing project. Last year, with the help of about 50 volunteers, the land trust opened up the view of the Neale farm and the saltwater marsh separating the farm from the town-owned golf course. Quentin

Anthony, president of the land trust, said, "We have had so much positive feedback in connection with last year's project that the board of directors decided to continue the project this year. This year we will move to the west side of the road, clearing brush and removing many of the invasive Norway maples that

are now diseased and dangerous.

"Harry and Gail Chase, the owners of the land, are enthusiastic about participating in opening up the views of their fields and making this stretch of North Road one of the most beautiful landscapes in the state," Anthony continued. "Our community is fortunate to have George and Martha Neale and Harry and Gail who understand the public benefit of opening these views," Anthony said.

The project will start on Saturday, Dec. 2, at 8 a.m. and continue until approximately 1 p.m. Lunch will be served to all volunteers. The Conanicut Island Land Trust grilling team is hard at work developing new recipes for the event.

Anyone who wants to help should contact Craig Amerigian at 423-1653 or 423-3537.

Chorus to perform favorites

The Jamestown Community Chorus' "Our Holiday Favorites," directed by B. J. Whitehouse, will feature choral selections submitted by members of the chorus.

Performances will be on Dec. 9 at 7:30 p.m. and Dec. 10 at 3 p.m. at the Central Baptist Church.

The winter theme is very evident in "Walking in the Air" from "The Snowman," with imagery from the children in the sky "surfing in the air," "swimming in the frozen sky," and "drifting over icy mountains floating by."

Another seasonal song will be "The Sleigh" by Richard Kountz. Its early 20th-century lyrics tell the listeners of "lightly flying o'er the snow, with a hey, hah, hah," etc., along with "all the world a blanket white."

Some of the other songs for this holiday concert will be "Coventry Carol," "A Child is Born in Bethlehem," "The Christmas Song," and "Silent Night." Other treasured pieces on the program are sure to please the concertgoers.

The Christmas season would not be complete without hearing one of the selections from Handel's "Messiah." The "Messiah" is one of Handel's most successful and best-known oratorios, and history says that it was written in a span of 24 days. It was first performed in Dublin, Ireland, in April 1742, with Handel conducting. The chorus will sing "Worthy is the Lamb."

A West Indian spiritual arranged by Robert DeCormier is also on the program. "The Virgin Mary Had a Baby Boy" differs rhythmically and melodically from those that the public is accustomed to hearing as the West Indian musical tradition comes primarily from Spain and Portugal.

A new innovation for the holiday concert will be the presentation of a very short English Folk Play. The parts of the "mummers" will be undertaken by actors and actresses from the chorus family.

For more information, call 423-1574, or visit www.jamestownri.com/chorus.

NEWPORT GRAND SLOTS

Free Entertainment

Friday

11/24 - 9 pm

"Chops" Turner

Saturday

11/25 - 9 pm

Sweet Desire

\$8.95
Prime Rib
Sundays 5-9pm

Every Sunday in November. Our Prime Rib special is served with a baked potato, vegetable of the day and a non-alcoholic beverage.

**EVERY SUNDAY
LIVE, EAT, DRINK
FOOTBALL**

Watch all the Games Here!

Open Daily 10am-1am - Located at the Base of the Newport Bridge
Must be 18+ to enter - 401-849-5000 - www.newportgrand.com



Prudential

Gammons Realty

(401) 886-6100

www.PrudentialGammonsRealty.com

**NEWPORT
AIKIKAI**

Classes Offered: AIKIDO

IAIDO

ZAZEN

Sensei Damon Apodaca

848-9100

• 741 EAST MAIN RD • MIDDLETOWN, RI •



Nakaiima
Japanese
Acupuncture

Voted Best Acupuncture
Newport Life Magazine 2004

Dr. Jody Erickson, D.A.

Over 20 Years Experience

www.riacupuncture.com

848-7970

www.centrevillebank.com

5.25%
APY*



7-month CD

With this CD,
your money will grow all winter
and bloom in the spring.

Earn this great rate of return on your money without tying it up for a long time. Come into any Centreville Bank branch, and turn the winter months into a growing season.

West Warwick 821-9100
Coventry 823-9100
Cranston 464-9100
East Greenwich 886-9100
West Greenwich 397-9300
Wickford 295-7100

Equal Housing Lender
Member FDIC

Centreville Bank
depend on us.

*Annual Percentage Yield (APY) shown is accurate as of 11/15/06. The minimum balance to open an account and obtain the APY is \$1,000. At maturity the Certificate will roll over to a 6 month CD. A penalty may be imposed for early withdrawal. Ask a Customer Service Representative for details about this account and our other savings rates.