

BizE Turtle:Events in Monmouth



BizE Turtle Bulletin



Happy Holidays from BizE Turtle:Events in Monmouth

Greetings!

HAPPY HANUKKAH!! MERRY CHRISTMAS!! HAPPY KWANZAA !!

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Eatontown, NJ 07724
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DONATE NOW

Please consider donating warm clothing, non perishable food items, cash or checks. Your donations will be greatly appreciated by a needy family this year!

ASBURY PARK

Thursday, December 17

Jersey Shore Running Club Annual Adopt-a-Family Wrapping Party

Check the Wish List of Holiday Gifts from the families

<http://www.jsrc.org/webpages/updates.htm>

Let Dawn Ciccone at sunflowerdc@yahoo.com know

if you would like to get one of the family members a gift or make a donation to help make a Holiday Season bright for one of these families.

Basement of Holy Spirit Church on Second Avenue (just east of Main St) in

Asbury Park starting at 6 PM.

Let Dawn (sunflowerdc@yahoo.com) know you are coming and

you are welcome to bring a snack or something.

If you can't attend, you can donate a wrapped gift and call D

awn Ciccone (732-872-7441) to arrange a gift pick up.

Consider sending a gift card to JSRC Adopt-a-Family, PO Box 7492, Shrewsbury, NJ 07702

or drop it off at any JSRC tent at the Reindeer Romp or Jingle Bell Run.

We have four families in need this year - please participate!

BRIELLE

Brielle Police Association is holding its 10th Annual Children's Coat Drive from now until Tuesday, Dec. 22.

Please drop off any new or gently used children's coats

to the Brielle Police Department and give the gift of warmth this holiday season.

Thank you from the Brielle Police Association.

601 Union Lane, Brielle

732-528-5050

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BELMAR

Belmar/Lake Como Troop 46 will be holding fundraiser for the Madonna House throughout the duration of the month.

The troop will be collecting unwrapped toys at dropboxes found at Belmar Elementary School, 1101 Main St. and Jack's Tavern, 703 10th Ave. in Belmar.

For more information on the program, contact either Mary Downing at 732-280-2641 or Paula Waters at 732-681-0920.

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BELMAR

The Jersey Shore Friendly Sons of the Shillelagh [FSOS] of Belmar have kicked off their tenth annual holiday toy drive to help bring the holiday spirit to local children.

The collection of unwrapped toys, books, games and checks began several weeks ago and will run through Sunday, Dec. 20 at the FSOS Club, 815 16th Ave, Belmar every day after 2PM.

All donations to this cause are tax-deductible, and checks can be made payable to FSOS Foundation/toy drive and sent to FSOS, P.O. Box 148, Belmar, 07719.

For anyone interested in donating to the charity, please call 732-681-7576

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COLTS NECK

Investor Savings Bank

is involved with Second Chance Toys of NJ

PLEASE NOTE: Only clean plastic toys in good condition are accepted!

Any battery powered toys must be fully operational.

Colts Neck Branch

36 Hwy 34, Colts Neck, NJ 07722

Phone: 732-431-1200

Hours: Monday-Thursday=9am-3pm, Friday=9am-7pm, Saturday=9am-1pm

For more information on Second Chance Toys, please check out

Second Chance Toys

http://secondchancetoys.typepad.com/my_weblog/

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EATONTOWN

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Pick out an ornament. Buy the item that is listed on the ornament and then return both the ornament and the unwrapped gift to the store. A group of "Santa's helpers" will wrap and distribute the gifts to needy seniors on December 17th and 18th.

Home Instead Senior Care

25 Main Street, Eatontown

Phone: 732-542-9004

Hours: 8:30 to 4:30 Monday through Friday

For more information or to volunteer to wrap gifts, you can call Home Instead Senior Care at 732-542-9004.

<http://beasantatoasenior.com/>

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EATONTOWN

Toys for Tots can be dropped off at

Toys R Us & Babies R Us Locations

during regular store hours

Gy/Sgt Kack Santelli is the Local Coordinating Officer

732-345-1648 or 732-530-4500 x459

Here is the web site for Monmouth County Toys For Tots

<http://red-bank-nj.toysfortots.org/local-coordinator-sites/lco-sites/default.asp>

Toys R Us
Rte. 36, Eatontown
Babies R Us
Rte. 36, Eatontown
Phone: 732-935-9366

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FREEHOLD

Investor Savings Bank
is involved with Second Chance Toys of NJ
PLEASE NOTE: Only clean plastic toys in good condition are accepted!
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Freehold Branch
Hwy 9 & Adelpia Road, Freehold
Phone: 732-780-0600
Hours: Monday-Thursday=8:30am-4pm, Friday= 8:30am-7pm,
Saturday=9am-1pm
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http://secondchancetoys.typepad.com/my_weblog/

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FREEHOLD

Burlington Coat Factory Store is participating in
One Warm Coat Drive Now until January 15
during store hours
Freehold Store
3684 Route 9 North, Freehold
732-761-1153
For more information on One Warm Coat, please check out
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<http://www.onewarmcoat.org/>

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Toys R Us
600 Trotter Way, Freehold
Phone: 732-462-0500

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HAZLET

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during regular store hours
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732-345-1648 or 732-530-4500 x459
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<http://red-bank-nj.toysfortots.org/local-coordinator-sites/lco-sites/default.asp>
Toys R Us
3035 Rte 35, Hazlet
Phone: 732-888-8200

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HOWELL

Now until Monday, December 14
6:00am-- 6:00pm
Lil'achievers LLC is proud to announce their involvement in the Dottie's House
Adopt-A-Family program for the holidays.
They will be collecting toys, clothes and monetary donations
for a family, two boys ages 7 and 8.
They have asked Santa for a Nintendo DS each,

games, a DVD player and winter clothes- sizes 8 and 10.
 They will also be accepting other toys appropriate
 for the boys' age and monetary donations to help
 the family out this holiday season.
 Please help us help Santa fulfill their wish list
 for the holidays!

Thank you for your help and support!

Lil' Achievers

326 Ford Road, Howell

Info: 732-730-1855

Info E-Mail: lilachievers@verizon.net

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LITTLE SILVER

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Coastal Chiropractic

180 White Road, Suite 201 (Avenue of the Commons)

Little Silver

Phone: 732-530-1525

For more information or to volunteer to wrap gifts, you can
 call Home Instead Senior Care at 732-542-9004.

<http://beasantatoasenior.com/>

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LONG BRANCH

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First Baptist Church of Long Branch

499 Bath Avenue, Long Branch

Phone: 732-229-1453

For more information or to volunteer to wrap gifts, you can
 call Home Instead Senior Care at 732-542-9004.

<http://beasantatoasenior.com/>

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LONG BRANCH-PIER VILLAGE HOSTS SOLDIER HOLIDAY GIFT DRIVE

With much gratitude and in the spirit of giving to others for the holiday season,
 Pier Village of Long Branch has created a Soldier Gift Drive Now through
 December 31st.

This drive will be collected for the American Recreational Military Services
 (ARMS) is a 501 (c) (3) public charity.

For Active Duty United States Soldiers, Aquamedica will offer 50% off any spa
 service

for soldiers and family members who are home for the holidays. This is a
 wonderful

way to have Aquamedica recognize and honor our soldiers and their families
 who live in our community and beyond.

From now through December 31st, Aquamedica will be the drop off destination

at Pier Village for wish list items below to our troops overseas protecting our families and our country. We are encouraging the public to think of these brave men and women and ease their comfort during this holiday season and GIVE. We hope to have a successful drive!

Suggested Items that can be donated:

- Body wipes pkgs. of 10-15 small enough for ruck sack travel
- All size Zip Lock bags, qt/to larger
- Ready to mix drink mixes, Kool-Aid, Gatorade, Crystal Lite is nice compact
- Hand sanitizer
- Disposable razors
- Dollar store (stick-ups) for living quarters and back packs
- Antibacterial wipes lotion
- Sunscreen
- Travel size toothpaste, toothbrushes
- Deodorant
- Soap
- Shampoo
- Tissues
- Gold Bond Powder
- Eye drops
- Chapstick
- Q-tips nail
- shaving cream
- Paper, pens, postcards, envelopes
- Individual chef-boy-r dee macaroni w/pop tops
- Cereal bars, granola bars, Energy Bars
- Beef jerky
- Playing cards/used decks ok if complete
- Magazines, local papers, comics, paperback books - mystery, action, drama, science fiction
- Magazines: Cycleworld, Men's Health, Sports, Hunting/Fishing, Car magazines, Anything music (specifically guitar related
- Magazines w/ songs words/ lyrics), Popular Science, Popular Mechanics, Outdoor Life)

Aquamedica is located at 16 Laird Street in Pier Village, Long Branch

www.aquamedicaspa.com

For more information, please contact Susan Belfer at 732-239-1559

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MANALAPAN

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 Babies R Us
 17 Rte 9, Manalapan
 Phone: 732-845-2861

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MANASQUAN

The Academy of Finance at Manasquan High School
 is sponsoring its annual Christmas Toy Drive.
 Students are collecting toys that will be donated to
 Big Brothers, Big Sisters of Monmouth County.
 Anyone wishing to drop off a toy should contact academy
 director John Driscoll by sending an
 e-mail to: jdriscoll@manasquanboe.org or calling 732-528-8820, ext. 1661.
 The deadline to drop off toys is Friday, December 11

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MARLBORO

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 is involved with Second Chance Toys of NJ

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Marlboro Branch

450 Union Hill Rd, Morganville

Phone: 732-617-7229

MTWF 8:30-4pm

Th 8:30-7pm, Saturday=9am-1pm

**For more information on Second Chance Toys, please check out
Second Chance Toys**

http://secondchancetoys.typepad.com/my_weblog/

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MIDDLETOWN

Middletown PBA 124 Toy Drive is underway.

**New, unwrapped toys can be dropped off at
Middletown Police headquarters, 1 Kings Highway,
24 hours a day, 7 days a week.**

**Toys are donated to Middletown Helps Its Own,
the Rainbow Foundation and 180 - Turning Lives Around.
Gift cards of \$25 or less are also accepted to give
families in need.**

**Donations received by Friday, December 18 will reach
families in time for Christmas.**

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NEPTUNE

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unwrapped gift to the store. A group of "Santa's helpers" will
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**Senior Publications
1520 Washington Avenue
Neptune, NJ 07753
Phone: 1-888-637-3200**

**For more information or to volunteer to wrap gifts, you can
call Home Instead Senior Care at 732-542-9004.**

<http://beasantatoasenior.com/>

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**Toys R Us
One Premium Outlet
Rte 66, Neptune**

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OCEAN TOWNSHIP

**Burlington Coat Factory Store is participating in
One Warm Coat Drive Now until January 15
during store hours**

**Ocean Twp Store
2351 State Route 66, Ocean
Be a part of the 3rd "Warm Coats +
Warm Hearts" drive. Donate a coat and**

receive 10% off your purchase, good thru 12/24/09
 For more information on One Warm Coat, please check out
 One Warm Coat
<http://www.onewarmcoat.org/>

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RED BANK

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 Kindly help us by following these requirements.
Red Bank Branch
 20 White Street, Red Bank
 Phone: 732-747-2853
 Monday-Friday=8:30am-5:30pm, Saturday=9am-1pm
 For more information on Second Chance Toys, please check out
 Second Chance Toys
http://secondchancetoys.typepad.com/my_weblog/

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RED BANK

Centrex Sports Club is participating in
 One Warm Coat Drive from January 2 thru 31
 They will be collecting gently worn,
 clean coats in support of the Keyport Ministerium Food
 Pantry assisting the Northern Bayshore area of Monmouth County.
Centrex Sports Club
 500 Highway 35 South, Red Bank
 5:00am-10:30pm Mon-Fri
 For more information on One Warm Coat, please check out
 One Warm Coat
<http://www.onewarmcoat.org/>

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RED BANK

Vinny Faiella, owner of Red Bank Surplus, 16 Wallace St, is
 partnering with Elvis Duran from Z100 Radio in running a
 promotion to send much-needed socks to our soldiers overseas.
 Red Bank Surplus is offering GI cushion sole socks for \$30.00 per
 dozen, and they will ship them directly to the radio station in your
 name for shipment overseas.
 For every five dozen pairs he sells, Vinny will donate an additional
 dozen pairs of socks! For more info and to donate, call Vinny at
 732-530-5655 or email him at redbanksurplus@aol.com. Thanks Vinny!!

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RUMSON

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GMAC/Gloria Nilson
 110 Avenue of Two Rivers, Rumson
 Phone: 732-530-2800
 Hours: 8am-6pm Monday - Sunday
 For more information or to volunteer to wrap gifts, you can
 call Home Instead Senior Care at 732-542-9004.
<http://beasantatoasenior.com/>

SEA GIRT

Wall High School student **Brian Perrino**, along with **Dr. F. Peter Halas**, is running a toy drive to benefit **Toys for Tots**. New and unwrapped toys and, or books can be dropped off at **Sea Girt Pediatrics, 2130 Highway 35, Suite B 214**. The drive will run from **Monday, December 7 to Saturday, December 12**

SEA GIRT

Saint Uriel The Archangel Church, Third Avenue and Philadelphia Boulevard, is participating in this year's **Jersey Cares coat drive**. Last year, the **Jersey Cares Coat Drive** supplied more than **38,000** gently-used winter coats to children, women and men. Coats may be dropped off at the church from **10AM--3PM**, any day of the week. For more information on **Jersey Cares**, please check out **Jersey Cares**
<http://www.jerseycares.org/>

SHREWSBURY-HOLIDAY EXPRESS

As everyone knows I am a volunteer and a strong supporter of **Holiday Express** **Holiday Express**
<http://www.holidayexpress.org/>

Each week they are looking for donations to fill the more than **15, 000** bags they so generously give throughout the year. No one is saying you have to donate the required amount needed for each item. But remember even one item donated is one less needed for the amount requested

WALL TOWNSHIP

Monmouth County Foster and Adoptive Family Services is seeking donations of holiday gifts to benefit children in the area. Gifts can be dropped off at the **Wall Township Police Department** in the lobby. With questions, or for more information, please contact **Elizabeth** at **732-458-4053**.

WALL TOWNSHIP

A coat drive sponsored by the **Reminiscence Neighborhood at Sunrise Senior Living, 2600 Allaire Road**, is ongoing until **Thursday, Dec. 17**. The drive will benefit the **Mercy Homeless Center** in **Asbury Park**. Please drop off any new or used [in good condition] coats or blankets at the **Concierge desk**. Please contact **Lindell** or **Mary** at **732-282-1700** with questions.

BIZETURTLE-EVENTS IN MONMOUTH NEWSLETTER



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