



ATTEMPTING TO CAGE A TIGER...Blue Devils Lawrence Persky, No. 21, and Matt Rosen, No. 4, rush to cage a Linden Tiger. Tom Langton, No. 32, and Maurice Boatwright, No. 10, close in to assist.

Devil Boy Cagers Show Marked Improvement

tempts at 72. His greatest asset was his team-leading rebounding ability, both offensive and defensive and his ability to blocks shots. Primarily known for his defensive doggedness, senior Matt Rosen did, however, average 4.2 points per game, hit nine three-pointers and averaged 73 percent from the foul line. Senior Oliver Janney, also dogged on defense, hit 67 percent of his free throws. Junior Brian Kemps played the

beat Scotch Plains without him." Everly further commented on the effects of Kemps' early-season injury. "He was really starting to develop and he had some offensive tools which we needed. He was also a good defender, a good rebounder, a tough kid who did all the dirty work." Junior Lawrence Persky averaged 2.6 points per game and hit four from beyond three-point range. Sopho-



LEISURE STROLL DOWN COURT...Blue Devil Maurice Boatwright leisurely dribbles the basketball down court during a game with Scotch Plains-Fanwood.

first six games before suffering a season-ending knee injury. After Kemps' injury, junior Jeff Weber increased his playing time and averaged 4.1 points per game. Weber hit 80 percent of his free throws and was second in three-pointers with 11. "We had two devastating injuries which hurt," said Everly. "Brian Kemps had a torn ACL/MCL early in the season and Anzelone broke both of his wrists towards the end of the season. With Boatwright out for five games, then Anzelone out for four or five, it made it hard. We needed our three big men (Langton, Anzelone, Boatwright) together to have success." Before Anzelone's injury the Blue Devils got their continuity and became competitive. "From Plainfield on, we were in every single game," pointed out Everly. "And, we almost

mores John Semenero, Doug Minarik and Mark Kolvities had limited playing time and averaged 1.5, 1.4 and 1.3 points per game, respectively. Coach Everly saw some talent in freshman Jim McKeon, 3rd and used him more frequently toward the end of the season. McKeon averaged 2.9 points per game and sank four from beyond three-point range. "Matt Rosen and Jeff Weber stepped up and did a good job for us after the injuries," stated Everly. "On the bright side, we had the opportunity to play a lot of our younger kids and that will be a good progression for next year." Everly considered his prospects for next year. "It will be such an easier transition for us next year. We will have a young team led by a couple of seniors."

Clifford Scotties Stop Lady Devil Cagers

Clifford Scott High School went on a 22-8 first quarter tear, then maintained its lead to stop the Westfield High School girls basketball team, 69-43, in the quarterfinal round of the Section 2, Group 3 tournament in East Orange on March 3. Blue Devil Liz McKeon scored 14 points to stretch her career total to 1,017. Although the Blue Devils drew first blood, taking a 3-0 lead, the Scotties went on an 11-point run in the first quarter then controlled the tempo of the game from that point on. Quisana Noel poured in 16 points

to lead the Scotties and teammates Chesney Blue and Patricia Williams each scored 13 points. Blue Devils Monique Brendel hit for 8 points and Carolyn Matthews sank seven while Karen Manahan and Kristen Leonardis each scored four. Courtney Thornton scored three points and Lindsey Elkoury and Emily Lieberman both added two. The Blue Devils finished their season at 12-9 while Clifford Scott boosted its record to 18-5.

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Clifford Scott 22 13 18 16 69



GETTING THE TAKEDOWN... (GL) Highlander Tim Marcantonio, top, gets the takedown on Frank DiMorzio of Hanover Park. Marcantonio won, 17-1, to advance to the semifinals at 162.

Tezucar, Melendez and Feeley Capture N. N. Region 3 Wrestling Crowns

ning, 4-2. In the first period, Vanderveer scored two barrel roll takedowns while Adams had an escape. Leading 4-1, Vanderveer got a takedown in the second, then added an escape and a takedown in the third period to eventually win, 9-3. Comparing his county finals bout and his Region 3 title bout with Adams, Vanderveer said, "He used the same method as he did in the county finals, but I just adjusted better this time. I decided to get more physical with him this time and get more aggressive."

cessfully defended his title at 217, with a 6-3 decision over Carl Betz of Bayley-Ellard. Ekstrom defeated Mike Harms of Brearley in the quarterfinals in 1:14 and won by a 14-2, majority decision over Chris Cioffi of South Plainfield in the semifinals. The top-three wrestlers in each weight class advanced to compete in the Super-Region tournament also held in Union on March 10. Survivors will then make the trip to Atlantic City to compete in the state tournament on March 12-13.

(Roselle Park), 6-1
SEMIFINAL BOUTS:
105: — Apello (RP) d. Mike Picharello (Parsippany), 3-1; Anderson (SoP) d. Dan Khitrik (Hanover Park), 6-4
114: — Shamsudin (P) md. Anthony Spolozino (Colonia), 17-7; Ramos (SoP) d. Kevin Bryan (Seton Hall Prep), 2-0, OT
121: — Vanderveer (GL) md. Anthony Curcio (Parsippany), 15-4; Adams (RP) d. Billy Wilson (South Plainfield), 4-2
127: — Costigan (P) d. Anthony Lawson (Irvington), 7-6; Ott (R), p. Graham

Top-seeded Mike Mergott at 173 faced defending champion Aaron Morton of Plainfield in the quarterfinals and came up with a 4-3 victory. "I was a little upset because there was a mix-up in the seeding meeting and I was expecting to wrestle Attonito from Madison. But, I knew that he (Morton) wasn't working as hard this year as he was last year. I wrestled hard, never stopped and just wore him down to the end."

TITLE BOUTS:
105: — Dannie Apello (Roselle Park) d. Matt Anderson (South Plainfield), 4-2, OT
114: — Dan Shamsudin (Parsippany) md. Roberto Ramos (South Plainfield), 9-1
121: — Brett Vanderveer (Governor Livingston) d. Rory Adams (Roselle Park), 9-3
127: — Louis Ott (Rahway) d. Brian Costigan (Parsippany), 10-8, OT
132: — Tony Melendez (Scotch Plains-Fanwood) d. Brandon Kaufman (Delbarton), 6-5, Criterion OT
137: — Craig Frost (Roselle Park) d. Anthony Politi (Hanover Park), 7-0
142: — Donnie DeFilippis (New Providence), p. Rick Hey (Parsippany Hills), 3:03
147: — Matt Acellano (Hanover Park) d. Mike Vitello (Watchung Hills), 6-4, OT
154: — Onur Tezucar (Westfield) d. Todd DeWitt (Johnson), 9-4
162: — Kevin Kolbeck (Roselle Park) d. Tim Marcantonio (Governor Livingston), 9-8
173: — Barry Stein (Union) p. Mike Mergott (Johnson), 5:59
191: — Dan Kunst (South Plainfield) p. Todd Rosenthal (Millburn), 2:13
217: — Pat Ekstrom (Cranford) d. Carl Betz (Bayley-Ellard), 6-3
Hwt: — Jim Feeley (Scotch Plains-Fanwood) d. Mike Munoz



HEADING FOR A SECOND TITLE...Cranford Cougar Pat Ekstrom, top, applies pressure on Carl Betz of Bayley-Ellard in the 217-lb. title bout. Ekstrom won, 6-3, to grab his second title.

Mergott defeated John Dynan of Christian Brothers, 6-2, in the semifinals. In the finals, Mergott was defeated by Barry Stein of Union who had an outstanding tournament. Highlander Tim Marcantonio, seeded second at 162, won by a 17-1, technical fall over Frank DeMorzio of Hanover Park then breezed past Eran Galipeau of Parsippany Hills, 16-7 to reach the finals. Unfortunately, for Marcantonio, his third attempt at Kevin Kolbeck of Roselle Park fell shy once again, losing 9-8. Raider Gary Cousar placed fourth in the tournament after losing to Scott Shunder of Delbarton in the third-place wrestle off. Big Pat Ekstrom of Cranford suc-

cessfully defended his title at 217, with a 6-3 decision over Carl Betz of Bayley-Ellard. Ekstrom defeated Mike Harms of Brearley in the quarterfinals in 1:14 and won by a 14-2, majority decision over Chris Cioffi of South Plainfield in the semifinals. The top-three wrestlers in each weight class advanced to compete in the Super-Region tournament also held in Union on March 10. Survivors will then make the trip to Atlantic City to compete in the state tournament on March 12-13.

Markel (Union), 5:11
132: — Melendez (SPF) tf. Rob Verhoeven (Cranford), 15-0, 3:19; Kaufman (Del) tf. Andre Lebron (Irvington), 15-0, 4:33
137: — Frost (RP) tf. Shawn Stueber (Rahway), 16-0, 3:52; Politi (HP) d. Joe Salerno (Chatham), 3-2
142: — DeFilippis (NPr) tf. Pat Mania (Parsippany), 18-3, 2:30; Hey (PH) d. Dan Bookstaber, 5-4
147: — Acellano (HP) md. Greg Donofrio (Cranford), 11-3; Vitello (WH) d. Matt Koppenheffer (Seton Hall Prep), 4-3
154: — Tezucar (W) p. Mike Conway (Morristown), 1:39; DeWitt (J) won by injury default over John Donofrio (Cranford), 3:35
162: — Kolbeck (RP) p. Joe Keane (North Plainfield), 1:16; Marcantonio (GL) md. Eran Galipeau (Parsippany Hills), 16-7
173: — Mergott (J) d. John Dynan (Christian Brothers), 6-2; Stein (U) d. Greg Howlett (Roselle Catholic), 13-10
191: — Rosenthal (M) p. Gary Cousar (SPF), 2:56; Kunst (SoP) d. Scott Shunder (Delbarton), 8-6
217: — Ekstrom (Cr) md. Chris Cioffi (South Plainfield), 14-2; Betz (BE) d. Ishmael Medley (Elizabeth), 13-10
Hwt: — Munoz (RP) d. Colon Hunter (South Plainfield), 3-2; Feeley (SPF) d. Roger Attieh (Bayley Ellard), 3-2

U. C. Dolansky Gets MOC Second Place
Union Catholic High School swimmer Lisa Dolansky recovered well from an earlier season knee injury and placed second in the girls 100-yard backstroke event with a time of :59.27 at the Meet of Champions at Gloucester County Institute of Technology in Depford on March 7. Blue Devil Jesse Coxson came in fourth in the girls 500-yard freestyle with a time of 5:05.95 and Raider Dave Russ placed sixth in the boys 100-yard freestyle with a time of 48.96.

Pope John Rejects Viking Girls, 53-35
Pope John jumped on the Vikings early and held a 29-15 lead at the half in the quarterfinals of the Parochial A girls basketball tournament in Scotch Plains on March 4. Shrita Smith led Union Catholic with 10 points. Jen Schultz and Jackie Huber both sank six points, Kenyal Johnson hit four and Jessica Ballweg scored three while Brenda Kaus, Simone May and Lisa Mortkowitz scored two apiece.

PUBLIC NOTICE

BOARD OF EDUCATION WESTFIELD, NEW JERSEY
NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Education of the Westfield School District, Union County, New Jersey, at the Board of Education, 302 Elm Street, Westfield, New Jersey, for the following supplies, equipment or services:
BID FOR:
B-2011
COPIER SUPPLIES FOR THE 1999-2000 SCHOOL YEAR
BID DUE:
MARCH 26, 1999 AT 11:00 A.M.

BID FOR:
B-2012
DATA PROCESSING/COMPUTER SUPPLIES FOR THE 1999-2000 SCHOOL YEAR
BID DUE:
MARCH 26, 1999 AT 11:30 A.M.

The bids will be received at the Administration Building, 302 Elm Street, Westfield, New Jersey 07090, on the date and at the time indicated, and then publicly opened and read aloud.
Bids must be in strict compliance with specifications. Bids must be made on the proposal forms in the manner designated. Proposals must be endorsed on the outside of the sealed envelope, with the name of the bidder, the bidder's address and the name of the supplies, equipment, or services for which the bid is submitted. It is understood and agreed that proposals may be delivered before time or at the place specified for opening. The Board of Education assumes no responsibility for bids mailed or misdirected in delivery.

The Board of Education of the Town of Westfield, in Union County, New Jersey, reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids for the whole or any part and waive any informalities in the interest of the Board of Education. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the date set for the opening thereof.
Bidding shall be in conformance with the applicable requirements of N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-1 et. seq., pertaining to the "Public School Contracts Law".
Bidders are required to comply with the requirements of P.L. 1975, C. 127, (NJAC 17:27).

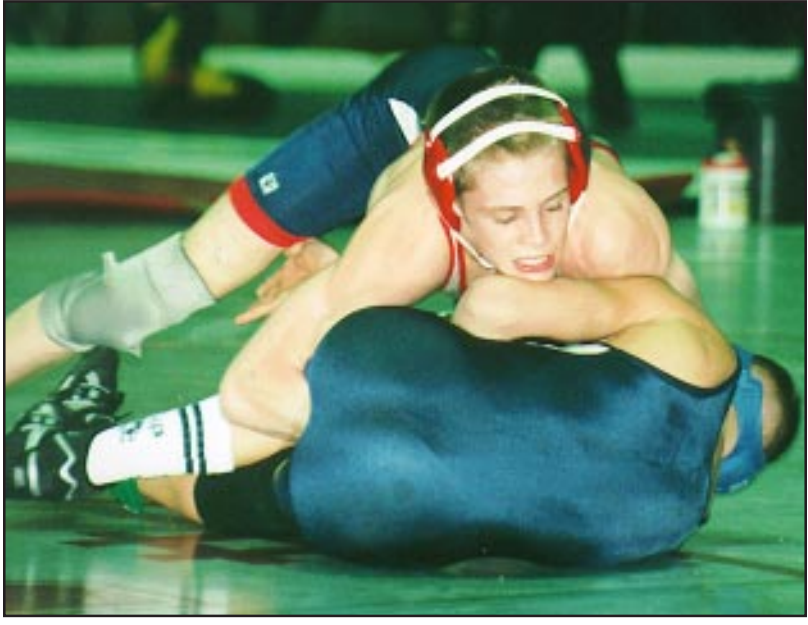
By order of the Town of Westfield Board of Education, Union County, New Jersey.
Robert A. Berman
Board Secretary
1 T - 3/11/99, The Leader Fee: \$51.51

PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS
At a regular meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Scotch Plains held on March 9, 1999 the following decisions were rendered:
Granted permission to the application for a Special Use Permit for Ed Krieger, Via Extreme Cuisine, also known as 503 Park Avenue, Block 1401, Lot 6, B-2 zone, for permission to have outdoor seating, as indicated on their application, for the period January 1, 1999 to December 31, 1999.
Barbara Riepe
Township Clerk
1 T - 3/11/99, The Times Fee: \$12.75

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE WESTFIELD COMMUNITY CENTER IN THE COUNTY OF UNION
NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Westfield Community Center Association Notice is hereby given that bids for facility improvements in the Town of Westfield, New Jersey are requested.
Bids may be picked up at our office at 558 West Broad Street, Westfield, New Jersey between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning on Thursday 11, 1999.
Bids must be returned, sealed, to our office by 12:00 noon on Thursday, March 18, 1999.
Bids will be opened promptly at 12:10 p.m. March 18, 1999 at 558 West Broad Street, Westfield, New Jersey.
Bidders will be required to have a minimum of \$300,000 bodily injury insurance each occurrence and \$300,000 property damage each occurrence insurance, also, workman's compensation of \$100,000 each accident.
Original certificate of insurance must be included with bid proposal when returned. Bidders must comply with provisions of chapter 127 PL 1975 supplement to the law against discriminating (affirmative action).
The Westfield Community Center reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids for the whole or any part of the work or materials and to waive any information as they may deem necessary for the interest of The Westfield Community Center.
Minority contractors are encouraged to bid.
By order of the Board of the Westfield Community Center.
Ernestine N. Howell
Executive Director
1 T - 3/11/99, The Leader Fee: \$36.72



ADVANCING TO THE FINALS... (GL) Highlander Brett Vanderveer, top, does a job on Anthony Curcio of Parsippany, winning 15-4, and advances to the finals. Vanderveer won his third Region 3 title.

PUBLIC NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, UNION COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-9712-97.
SUMMIT BANK, PLAINTIFF vs. DOUGE JULIEN, NELTA JULIEN HW. MR. AND MRS. CHARLEIN CHARLES, H/W ET AL, DEFENDANT.
CIVIL ACTION, WRIT OF EXECUTION, DATED JANUARY 9, 1998 FOR SALE OF MORTGAGED PREMISES.
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, on the 6th Floor of the Union County Court House (Tower) 2 Broad Street, Elizabeth, New Jersey on WEDNESDAY THE 7TH DAY OF APRIL, A.D., 1999 at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.
The judgment amount is \$92,479.23.
The property to be sold is located in the CITY OF ELIZABETH, New Jersey 07202, County of UNION, and State of New Jersey. Commonly known as: 131 CATHERINE STREET, ELIZABETH, NEW JERSEY 07090.
Tax Lot No. 0111 in Block No. 09.
Dimension of Lot: Irregular 82.43 feet wide by 135.00 feet long.
Nearest Cross Street: Boudinot Place.
Situate at a point on the southeasterly side of Catherine Street at its intersection with the northeasterly side of Boudinot Place.
There is due approximately the sum of \$96,798.19 together with lawful interest and costs.
There is a full legal description on file in the Union County Sheriff's Office.
The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn this sale.
RALPH FROELICH SHERIFF

FEIN, SUCH, KAHN & SHEPARD, P.C., Attorney
Suite J
7 Century Drive
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054
CH-753608 (WL)
4 T - 3/11, 3/18, 3/25 & 4/1/99
Fee: \$177.48

PUBLIC NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, UNION COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-13419-92.
RESOLUTION TRUST CORPORATION AS CONSERVATOR FOR CATERER FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK, PLAINTIFF vs. HUBERT MARK WILLIAMS AND JANET E. WILLIAMS, HIS WIFE; ET ALS.; DEFENDANT.
CIVIL ACTION, WRIT OF EXECUTION, DATED MARCH 12, 1998 FOR SALE OF MORTGAGED PREMISES.
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, on the 6th Floor of the Union County Court House (Tower) 2 Broad Street, Elizabeth, New Jersey on WEDNESDAY THE 24TH DAY OF MARCH, A.D., 1999 at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.
The judgment amount is \$109,900.60.
The property to be sold is located in the TOWN OF WESTFIELD in the County of UNION, and the State of New Jersey. Commonly known as: 226 MARYLAND STREET, WESTFIELD, NEW JERSEY 07090.
Tax Lot No. 5 in Block No. 566.
Dimensions of the Lot are (Approximately) 150.00 feet wide by 50.00 feet long.
Nearest Cross Street: SITUATED on the SOUTHEASTERLY side of MARYLAND STREET, 250.00 feet from the NORTH-EASTERLY side of BOYNTON AVENUE.
There is due approximately the sum of \$113,999.27 together with lawful interest and costs.
There is a full legal description on file in the Union County Sheriff's Office.
The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn this sale.
RALPH FROELICH SHERIFF

SHAPIRO & KREISMAN, Attorney
Suite J
406 Lippincott Drive
Marlton, New Jersey 08053
CH-753787 (WL)
4 T - 2/25, 3/4, 3/11 & 3/18/99
Fee: \$181.56

PUBLIC NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, UNION COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-14775-97.
AAMES CAPITAL CORPORATION, PLAINTIFF vs. NELSON M. RIVAS; DEERFIELD PROPERTIES, INC., DEFENDANT.
CIVIL ACTION, WRIT OF EXECUTION, DATED DECEMBER 9, 1998 FOR SALE OF MORTGAGED PREMISES.
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, on the 6th Floor of the Union County Court House (Tower) 2 Broad Street, Elizabeth, New Jersey on WEDNESDAY THE 31ST DAY OF MARCH A.D., 1999 at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.
The judgment amount is \$139,665.38.
The property to be sold is located in the municipality of ELIZABETH in the County of UNION and State of New Jersey. Commonly known as 556 WALNUT STREET, ELIZABETH, NEW JERSEY. Tax LOT 1325 BLOCK 12.
Dimensions of Lot: (Approximately) 188.07 x 26.60 x 185.75 x 26.50 (IRREGULAR).
Nearest Cross Street: Situate on the NORTHWESTERLY side of WALNUT STREET 702.00 feet from the NORTH-EASTERLY side of MARY STREET.
There is due approximately the sum of \$143,376.49 together with lawful interest and costs.
There is a full legal description on file in the Union County Sheriff's Office.
The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn this sale.
RALPH FROELICH SHERIFF

EPSTEIN, BROWN, MARKOWITZ & GIOIA, Attorney
245 Green Village road
P.O. Box 901
Chatham Township, New Jersey 07928-0901
CH-754241 (WL)
4 T - 3/4, 3/11, 3/18 & 3/25/99
Fee: \$177.48

PUBLIC NOTICE

SHERIFF'S SALE
SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY, CHANCERY DIVISION, UNION COUNTY, DOCKET NO. F-6088-97.
BANK OF AMERICA, NT & SA, PLAINTIFF vs. JOSEPH M. MARTINEZ, ET ALS., DEFENDANT.
CIVIL ACTION, WRIT OF EXECUTION, DATED SEPTEMBER 11, 1997 FOR SALE OF MORTGAGED PREMISES.
By virtue of the above-stated writ of execution to me directed I shall expose for sale by public venue, on the 6th Floor of the Union County Court House (Tower) 2 Broad Street, Elizabeth, New Jersey on WEDNESDAY THE 24TH DAY OF MARCH, A.D., 1999 at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day. All successful bidders must have 20% of their bid available in cash or certified check at the conclusion of the sales.
The judgment amount is \$111,535.18.
MUNICIPALITY: City of Elizabeth. COUNTY AND STATE: Union County, State of New Jersey.
STREET AND STREET NUMBER: 334 Doyle Street.
TAX LOT AND BLOCK NUMBERS: Lot 236.A, Block 5.
DIMENSIONS: Approximately 25.40 feet x 101.52 feet x 26.98 feet x 110.63 feet.
NEAREST CROSS STREET: Approximately 425.76 feet from Third Avenue.
There is due approximately the sum of \$115,121.65 together with lawful interest and costs.
There is a full legal description on file in the Union County Sheriff's Office.
The Sheriff reserves the right to adjourn this sale.
RALPH FROELICH SHERIFF

ZEICHNER, ELLMAN & KRAUSE, Attorney
One Gateway Center
Newark, New Jersey 07102
CH-753407 (WL)
4 T - 2/25, 3/4, 3/11 & 3/18/99
Fee: \$165.24