



Elvis Was in the House

ELVIS COSTELLO and the Imposters were in Barrington for Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital's 2019 Signature Event this past fall. The large crowd of guests moved up front and center to the stage for a rare concert close-up of the singer and his band. See more photos of this exciting fundraiser event on page 142 in this issue.

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ABOUT Town

The QB Calendar

January

BRIDAL OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, January 11, 2020

Barrington's White House
11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Experience a simulated wedding experience at Barrington's White House, complete with flowers, food, and the latest trends at the Barrington Wedding and Bridal Open House at Barrington's White House. Guests will see this historic mansion presented in its most beautiful form! There will also be opportunities to observe set-ups for a

ceremony, dinner, and dancing, and the cocktail hour. There will also be an opportunity to meet with White House wedding partners, including caterers, photographers and florists. Attendees can also enter to win two Waterford Crystal Toasting floats for the bride-to-be. For more information, visit www.barringtonswhitehouse.com.

MAGNIFICENT MOZART

Elgin Symphony Orchestra

Friday, January 10-Sunday, January 12, 2020

Friday & Saturday 7:30 p.m., Sunday 2:30 p.m.

Observe a glimpse into the brilliant mind of

Mozart at the Elgin Symphony Orchestra. Maestro Andrew Grams will lead the orchestra from the concertmaster chair and pianist William Wolfram will join the ESO for this celebration of 16th century composer. To purchase tickets, visit elginsymphony.org.

ANNUAL DINNER & SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER

Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce

Thursday, January 16, 2020

Avante Banquets and Conference Center
5:30 p.m.

The BACC will hold its annual fundraiser to benefit the community as over 200

community advocates, business leaders and government officials gather to recognize community achievements. Events will include a live and silent auction for Chamber grants and program as well as a scholarship ceremony for esteemed local high school students of 2019. For more information, visit barringtonchamber.org.

MISSION POSSIBLE FUNDRAISER

Let It Be Us

Saturday, January 25, 2020

**Sears Centre, Hoffman Estates
6-9 p.m.**

Join GiGi's Playhouse, Let It Be Us, and Garibaldi's Italian Eatery for the Mission Possible Fundraiser at the Windy City Bulls game! Gates open at 6 p.m. with tip-off following at 7 p.m. A portion of every ticket purchased online will be donated to GiGi's Playhouse & Let It Be Us! For more information visit fevo.me/missionpossible.

TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES

Elgin Symphony Orchestra

Saturday, January 25, 2020

**Hemmen's Cultural Centre
7:30 p.m.**

Join the Elgin Symphony Orchestra and Jeans 'n Classics for Abbey Road: The Beatles, as they perform the best-selling Beatles album—Abbey Road with a warm-up set featuring hits from the White Album. This performance faithfully interprets the music of The Beatles, with the signature flair of world-class vocalists from Jeans 'n Classics and the award-winning ESO.

February

LINES KID HEROES FUNDRAISER

Arnett C. Lines Elementary School

Friday, February 7, 2020

Come show your support for the Lines Playground Project at Concorde Banquets in Kildeer. The evening includes cocktail hour with open bar and appetizers, sit down dinner, live music with cover band Modern Day Romeos, auction items, raffles and more! For more information, visit www.Linesplayground.com.

BARRINGTON TOWN WARMING

Barrington Cultural Commission

Saturday, February 8, 2020

**Barrington's White House
8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.**

Join fellow community members for this "Town Warming" as guests gather together some of the nation's most profound leaders and our community's most influential business, religious, academic, and civic pioneers for this robust program that covers significant issues facing the population today.

DANCING WITH THE BARRINGTON STARS

Barrington Area Council on Aging

Saturday, February 8, 2020

**Stonegate Banquet & Conference Centre
6-10 p.m.**

This charity dance competition will feature delightful dance ensembles for all members of the community to see. Funds will be put towards BACOA and their many programs to enrich the lives of local seniors. See their poster ad on page 62 for more info.

THE POWER OF FATE: VERDI, STRAUSS & WAGNER

Elgin Symphony Orchestra

Saturday, February 8, 2020, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, February 9, 2020, 2:30 p.m.

Music Director Andrew Grams, oboist Frank Rosenwein (an Evanston native), and the ESO will bring the drama with The Power of Fate: Verdi, Strauss & Wagner. Love, revenge, war, and reflection are all themes that come to life in this intense, heart-stopping performance.

FANTASTICO FIESTA FRIDAY IN FEBRUARY

Barrington Breakfast Rotary Club

Friday, February 21, 2020

6:30 p.m.-11:30 p.m.

**Concorde Banquets
20922 N. Rand Road, Kildeer**

It's BBRC's Annual Funraiser Fantastico! Come and get your salsa on with professional dance instructor Karen Bloom and our awesome Latin band. Enjoy all the great food, fun, company, entertainment and open bar at Concorde Banquets in Kildeer. Tickets: barrington-breakfast-rotary-club.ticketleap.com.

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HOPE THROUGH CARING GALA

Saturday February 22, 2020

Marriott Schaumburg

Join your friends at Les Turner ALS Foundation for a fun night in Chicago. Come help raise funds for research and clinical care and strive to provide services for people living with ALS and their families and increase public awareness. Visit lesturnerals.org.

OSCAR SHORTS

Saturday, February 22 & Sunday, February 23, 2020

Catlow Theater

12-4 p.m.

Come view the most acclaimed mini features at the 8th annual showing of the Academy Award nominated short films presentation at the Catlow Theater. Brought to you by the Barrington Cultural Commission and The Catlow.

'BE MINE' FUNDRAISER

Let It Be Us

Friday, February 28, 2020

Tortoise Club, 350 N. State St., Chicago, IL

7-11 p.m.

Join Let It Be Us for its second annual fundraiser held in Chicago. For more information, visit LetItBeUs.org.

March

POWER OF THE PURSE

Barrington Area United Way

Thursday, March 5, 2020

The Onion Pub & Brewery

Join Barrington Area United Way in empowering women in the Barrington community as personnel host their annual luncheon and purse auction. For more information, visit bauw.org.

NIGHT OF THE LION

Roaring Into The Twenties

Saint Viator High School

Saturday, March 7, 2020

7-11 p.m.

Come out for a night of music and dance at Saint Viator High School's largest fundraiser of the year. Dance to the sounds of your favorite band and enjoy a delightful dinner with

friends, alumni and supporters of Saint Viator. There will be a silent and live auction.

SPRING CASINO NIGHT

Barrington Junior Women's Club

Saturday, March 7, 2020

Guests will partake in a Las Vegas themed event as proceeds are put towards BJWC. Visit bjwc.org for further information regarding this fundraiser.

BARRINGTON CELTIC FEST

Friday, March 13-Sunday, March 16, 2020

Come out and enjoy Barrington's weekend-long St. Patrick's Day celebration at our annual Celtic Fest located outside McGonigal's Pub.

THE MANE EVENT-MELODIES AND MANES

Field of Dreams Horse Rescue and Adoption

Saturday, March 14

6 p.m.

Field of Dreams will hold its 13th annual Signature Fundraiser, The Mane Event, at the Bloomingdale Gold Club in Bloomingdale. Mingle and sip at our cocktail hour as you peruse the silent auction. Enjoy a buffet dinner while being entertained by live music by Ashton Wolf and his dueling pianos. Proceeds will go to the rescue, rehabilitation, care, and training of horses. Tickets are \$85 per person, and \$95 after March 4. For more details and to buy tickets, go to fodonline.org.

Save the Date!

WINGS ANNIVERSARY GALA

April 2020

GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH

BYFS Gala

Saturday, April 18 at 6:30 p.m.

Barrington Hills Country Club

Tickets are \$195 per person.

FRVPC HORSE TRIALS

June 25-June 28

To watch the sport of Eventing live in Barrington Hills, mark your calendar for June 25 - 28, 2020 and be a part of the 50th anniversary of the Fox River Valley Pony Club Horse Trials (frvpcHORSETRIALS.org).

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Signal Hill NSDAR Co-Sponsoring History Lecture at Library on January 19

THE SIGNAL HILL, NSDAR Chapter of Barrington, IL is pleased to be partnering with the Barrington Area Library in presenting "Holocaust Survivor's Story", by the Holocaust Museum and Education Center on Sunday, January 19, 2020 at 1:30 p.m. Registration is free, and is open to the public. For more information, please visit our website at <https://signalhilldar.com/> or contact Diane Sleger at dasleger13@gmail.com



The Signal Hill chapter of DAR celebrated its Holiday Luncheon at Makray Memorial Golf Club in Barrington. The event helped to honor veterans, including their Illinois DAR State Regent, Sharla Luken who presented "Serving Those Who Have Served Us". From left: State Regent Sharla Luken, Shenandoah Constantino, Donna Alexander, Lisa Davis, Registrar Linda Lyons, and Regent Joyce Wright. New members, not shown, joined at the same time: Lauren Constantino, Katherine Houston and Ariana Davis. We have 141 members, which includes 18 new members this year!

Signal Hill, NSDAR to Host Annual Youth Awards on Feb. 23 at Barrington Area Library

THE BARRINGTON AREA SIGNAL HILL CHAPTER, National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution (NSDAR), will be sponsoring their annual American History Essay Contest and Good Citizen Award recognition event.

The Annual Youth Awards event will be held on Sunday, February 23, 2020 at the Barrington Area Library, beginning at 2-4:30 p.m. This event is free, open to the public, and refreshments will be served.

One high school level senior will receive the Good Citizen Award, which is a scholarship for \$1000 from the Signal Hill Chapter. The award is based upon a student who possesses good citizenship qualities of dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism at home, school, and in the community.

For more information about the event, or the annual contests, please contact Lynn Watters at signalhillhistorian@gmail.com.

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JPF Board and Auxiliary Board at the 2019 JPW Brew Revue.

Jeffrey Pride Celebrates 20 Years with Gala Fundraiser

20th Anniversary Warm Winter's Night Gala
Jeffrey Pride Foundation
March 14, 2020 at 6 p.m.
The Cotillion, Palatine

The JPF mission is to support the most promising research available until cancer-free lives for children is a reality.

THE JEFFREY PRIDE FOUNDATION for Pediatric Cancer Research is an all-volunteer charity founded in 2000 in memory of Jeffrey Pride, and in response to learning that pediatric cancer research is severely underfunded, receiving less than 4% of all money raised to fight cancer. Over the past 15 years we've supported drug research, clinical trials and most recently genomic testing of children's cancer cells. This provides children with the most promising, targeted and specific treatments for their cancers. These new developments quite possibly could have changed Jeff's treatment and he and other children like him might have been healthy adults today.

We have helped cover the actual financial costs for kids going through clinical trials, covering their administrative expenses, those not covered by their insurance. Utilizing the valuable information gained from that study we continued genetic testing looking at markers that help determine each child's genetic risk level, allowing very specific targeted treatments to be developed that attack only the cancer cells and leave the rest of the body unharmed.

The 20th Anniversary Warm Winter's Night Gala is an evening that includes, dinner, drinks, silent and live auctions, live music from High Society, and dancing. Tickets on sales on January 15, 2020 and are \$250 each, or \$2,250 for a table of ten. Tickets and more information is available at jeffreypridefoundation.org.

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CFC Community Education Programs Focus on Water, Wildlife, and Biodiversity

CITIZENS FOR CONSERVATION will launch its 2020 Community Education Program Series with **One Drop at a Time** on Saturday, January 18, 2020 at 10 a.m.

Landscape architect Marcus de la fleur will discuss sustainable stormwater management and beneficial landscaping practices in yards. He is the owner of the Chicago design and consulting firm de la fleur LLC, and has contributed to the design and management of multiple sustainable projects including LEED-registered or certified projects.

The annual program series, which focuses on creating habitat and earth-friendly yard practices, will also feature:

The Battle for Our Wetlands

Saturday, February 22

CFC restoration manager Kevin Scheiwiller will discuss how to use warrior sedges to combat wetland invasives and how to rebuild a functioning sedge meadow.

Vanishing Edens: Biodiversity in a Changing World

Saturday, March 14

Author Michael Jeffords will discuss how current pressures affect the biodiversity of plants, pollinators and other wildlife. Jeffords is coauthor of *Exploring Nature in Illinois: A Field Guide to the Prairie State*.

Living with Beavers

Saturday, April 18

Chris Anchor, senior wildlife biologist for the Forest Preserve District of Cook County, will discuss his research on beavers in the area.

All programs will be held at the Barrington Village Hall at 200 S. Hough St., Barrington. Free parking is available in the lot behind the building. Programs begin at 10 a.m.; coffee, conversation, and handouts will be available at 9:30. CFC members are free; \$10 for nonmembers. RSVP to 847-382-SAVE (7283) or communityed@citizensforconservation.org. Please provide your name, phone number and the program name.

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A Fifth Season – Hope Shines On Batten Disease

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THE NOAH'S Hope-Hope 4 Bridget Foundation hosted their 9th annual Batten disease fundraiser on Saturday, November 9, 2019 at the Marriott Oak Brook.

A gracious thank you to our sponsors and 360 guests for making *A Fifth Season* another successful fundraiser! A total of \$225,000 was raised, which will go to support advocacy, and research to develop therapies to delay symptoms of CLN2 Batten disease through the Noah's Hope-Hope 4 Bridget Foundation.

We have devastatingly lost Noah and Laine VanHoutan (Downers Grove), Bridget Kennicott (Barrington), Ethan Gahlbeck (Elmhurst) all between the young ages of 10-12 to Batten disease. Currently, there is no cure for this fatal childhood disease. *Hope shines on for them.*

CLN2 Batten disease is rare genetic disease that is often referred to as the ALS and dementia for children. Children with Batten disease develop normally as toddlers; walking, talking, and laughing. Unfortunately, they soon experienced on-going seizures and loss of muscle control including their ability to speak, walk, and eat.

The evening included keynote speaker, Nicole Boice, Founder of Global Genes, which is a leading patient advocacy organization dedicated to raising global awareness of rare disease. Boice spoke of the impact Noah's Hope-Hope 4 Bridget has had in the Batten and rare disease communities and how their leadership has guided so many with research guidance, policy advocacy and compassion support to families walking the same path.

For the 8th year, Ben Bradley of WGN and Mike Schimmel motivated guests during the live auction and fund-the-need campaign raising over \$50,000 and completed the evening with their annual "AFS selfie",

Sara and David Kennicott and Jennifer and Tracy VanHoutan, founders of Noah's Hope-Hope 4 Bridget, thanked sponsors, welcomed guests, provided a foundation research update unveiled a new foundation video. Guests strolled through the ballroom filled with photos of Noah, Bridget, Ethan and Laine.

The 10th A Fifth Season is planned for Saturday, November 14, 2020.

All funds raised will go towards CLN2 Batten research via Noah's Hope-Hope 4 Bridget, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization whose mission is to provide funding for research and education in efforts to find a treatment and cure for CLN2 Batten disease. To learn more, visit NoahsHope.com and Hope4Bridget.com.



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What's Happening at the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce



The Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce (BACC) and the Village of Deer Park gathered for a ribbon cutting ceremony on Tuesday, November 12, to celebrate the opening of Dogtopia at 21540 W. Field Pkwy. in Deer Park. "We are so excited to open our new Dogtopia facility for dog daycare, boarding and spa services," said owner Kara Ferguson. "Deer Park Town Center is an ideal location for us to provide a safe and fun open-play environment for all four-legged family members in the community." Dogtopia of Deer Park offers socialization and exercise in playrooms supervised by certified Canine Coaches, who ensure that the dogs are surrounded by others of similar size, temperament and play style. All dogs are required to be fully vaccinated and evaluated prior to daycare and boarding services. Call 847-607-1245 or visit: dogtopia.com/deer-park.

BACC to Host Annual Dinner & Scholarship Fundraiser on Jan. 16

THE BARRINGTON AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

(BACC) will host its "Spirit of Excellence" Annual Dinner & Scholarship Fundraiser on Thursday, January 16, 2020 at Avante Banquets and Conference Center, 1050 Northwest Hwy. in Fox River Grove.

"BACC is one of the most vibrant, active and largest chambers in the region," said Suzanne Corr, BACC President/CEO. "For over 50 years we have been a driving force in the business community, creating events and opportunities that help our members and the community come together and prosper. Our Annual Dinner is a celebration of our members and our accomplishments. We make business happen."

The BACC Annual Dinner & Scholarship Fundraiser attracts nearly 200 business, community, and governmental leaders for a celebration of business and community achievements. Tickets to the event are \$50 per member/\$65 per guest and can be purchased online at www.BarringtonChamber.com.

BACC Welcomes New Members

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