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## Mayor Dan Reiman Begins Record 5th Consecutive Term



Mayor Daniel J. Reiman, 42, officially began his fifth term on Sunday, January 6th, as he was sworn in by New Jersey Assembly Speaker Craig Coughlin at the Carteret Borough Council Reorganization Ceremony, along with Councilmembers Dennis DiMascio and AJ Johal.

Mayor Reiman is the only person in the history of the Borough to be elected to five consecutive four-year Mayoral terms. Mayor Reiman won November's General Mayoral Election with more votes than any candidate in Carteret history, garnering 82% of all votes cast in what was the highest turnout in a Mayoral election in the past 60 years [see election results, page 3]. Reiman was first elected to the borough council in 2000 at the age of 24 and went onto become the youngest person ever elected Mayor in Carteret at 26 in 2002, and the youngest ever elected Mayor in the State at the time.

just a few years ago have and continue to become reality. I'm proud, honored and humbled to stand before you here today and take this sacred oath of office."

Mayor Reiman highlighted a few of the seemingly endless additions and improvements he has initiated and overseen during his tenure, including many which will be completed during this new four-year term.







Council Members Vinnie Bellino Jorge Diaz Dennis DiMascio A.J. Johal Randy Krum



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The C.B.P. is a Non-Profit Corporation that promotes Business Retention and Recruitment through a variety of Marketing Programs and Incentives. "Our residents and voters decided to move our community forward on the promise of building a better Carteret," said Mayor Reiman. "Now, many of the ideas and initiatives that some thought were impossible

[Left to right] Councilman Randy Krum, Councilman Vinnie Bellino, Councilman Jorge Diaz, Mayor Daniel J. Reiman, Assembly Speaker Craig Coughlin, Councilman A.J. Johal, Borough Clerk Kathy Barney, Councilwoman Susan Naples, Councilman Dennis DiMascio, Borough Attorney Robert J. Bergen

"This year you will see the opening of our long awaited Municipal Marina, and over

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### Johal & DiMascio Sworn In [con't. from cover]

the next few years we will host the Opening Night of our Carteret Performing Arts Center and concert hall, the addition of new downtown businesses, restaurants, and mixed use developments in our upcoming Washington Avenue Arts District, the groundbreaking on the 2-mile waterfront walkway, and a planned Waterfront Event Center at Waterfront Park," said Reiman. "During this term we will begin construction on a ferry terminal to provide service to Manhattan. Residents will soon experience ice skating and recreation amenities at the newly constructed Noe Street Park, and a ground breaking for major improvements at Bishop Andrews Park in Chrome."

Carteret, which was voted "The Best Town in Central Jersey" in a 2018 Home News Tribune Readers' Poll, has a thriving economy with a record low unemployment rate of 3.8% and companies like Amazon, FedEx, Performance Team, Dr. Pepper/Snapple, and P.C. Richard & Sons have decided to call Carteret home.

"Our local economy will continue to grow with mixed-use residential and commercial developments, and the continued private and institutional investment that is taking place in our commercial, industrial and manufacturing sectors will only help to further improve our ratable base and to stabilize taxes," said Mayor Reiman.

Under Mayor Reiman's administration, Carteret has pursued and received



Councilman Dennis DiMascio sworn in for 4th term by N.J. Senator Joseph Vitale

hundreds of millions in grant funding, as well as over \$1 Billion in private investment. Reiman's Administration has also won landmark awards and settlements against past chemical operators who polluted and abandoned parcels of property in the Carteret Industrial and Waterfront zones.



Councilman A.J. Johal sworn in for 2nd term by Freeholder Director Ronald G. Rios

aggressive pursuit to solicit grants donations and endowments to support and improve our infrastructure; fixing roads, improving flood management and stormwater control."

He concluded "Residents have a lot to look forward to and homeowners can anticipate increasing property values as Carteret becomes a destination for outdoor and indoor recreation, the arts, dining, and commuters looking for a home close to the city with reliable and convenient transportation options, with businesses and residents choosing to invest in Carteret."

### Carteret Recognized for Most Stable Taxes in Middlesex County

A recent Asbury Park Press article recognized Carteret for having the most stable property taxes in Central NJ over the past 20 years. According to the article by reporter Susanne Cervenka, New Jersey property taxes, on average, have more than doubled since 1998, increasing from \$4,119 to \$8,690 in that span. Examples of increases in the region include Elizabeth in Union County, whose taxes have increased 174%, Deal in Monmouth County which had a 172% tax increase, Bernards in Somerset County with a 162% increase, and Monroe, right here in Middlesex County, which saw a 160% increase.

"My administration has secured over \$250 million in grants, endowments and donations, as well as over \$1 billion in private construction over the last 15 years, and top companies like Amazon, Dr. Pepper/Snapple, Fedex, and PC Richards choosing to locate here in Carteret," said Mayor Reiman. "This progress has led to Carteret having the lowest property tax increase in the county and the lowest unemployment rate in the Borough's history."

Carteret, on the other hand, saw the lowest increase in property taxes in the last 20 years, raising an average compounded amount of just over 2% each year from 1998 until 2017, giving the Borough the lowest tax increase in Middlesex County over the past 20 years. Other municipalities in the county saw significant tax increases in that span, including Woodbridge which saw a 125% increase, South Amboy which had a 123% increase, Metuchen which saw taxes rise 136%, and Edison which had a 133% increase.

In addition to stable taxes, Carteret was named in a recent Home News Tribune Reader Poll as *"The Best Town in Central Jersey"* for the all the upcoming improvements and projects Mayor Reiman has initiated, thanks to grants, settlements, and private investments in the Borough. The next few years will see the opening of the Carteret Performing Arts Center and Washington Avenue Arts District, the Carteret Municipal Marina, a twomile waterfront walkway, ferry service to Manhattan, brand new restaurants, mixed use residential and commercial properties, a new Marriot Hotel, and the opening of two new parks, all with little expense to taxpayers.



# CARTERET LOCAL ELECTION MAYOR & COUNCIL Tuesday, November 6th 2018

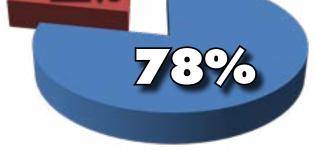
# MAYORAL ELECTION Daniel J. Reiman, [D] Fred Gattuso, [R]

Total	<u>GATTUSO</u>	REIMAN	<b>District</b>
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	29	192	Carteret, District 1
	57	295	Carteret, District 2
	33	254	Carteret, District 3
	31	232	Carteret, District 4
	51	227	Carteret, District 5
and the second	42	188	Carteret, District 6
	44	205	Carteret, District 7
	29	287	Carteret, District 8
	66	175	Carteret, District 9
	51	215	Carteret, District 10
	87	261	Carteret, District 11
	55	271	Carteret, District 12
	58	238	Carteret, District 13
	41	206	Carteret, District 14
	73	218	Carteret, District 15
	49	181	Carteret, District 16
	98	246	Carteret, District 17
	46	190	Carteret, District 18
	38	175	Carteret, District 19
	131	814	Carteret, Mail-In
	25	164	Carteret, Provisional
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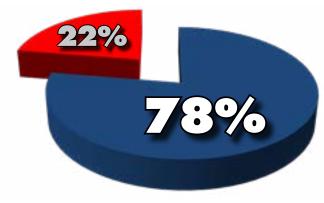
## **BOROUGH COUNCIL ELECTION**

🗖 Dennis DiMascio, [D] 📕 Tony Gallo, [R]				🗖 A.J. Johal, [D]	Regina Merritt, [R]	
District	<b>DIMASCIO</b>	GALLO	JOHAL	MERRITT		Totals:
Carteret, District 1 Carteret, District 2	192 299	32 63	185 285	33 66	22%	

Carteret, District 3	245	35	228	35
Carteret, District 4	226	31	210	36
Carteret, District 5	220	56	208	60
Carteret, District 6	177	43	169	44
Carteret, District 7	191	53	187	48
Carteret, District 8	268	37	259	41
Carteret, District 9	167	76	152	77
Carteret, District 10	189	70	189	65
Carteret, District 11	237	108	227	104
Carteret, District 12	249	74	239	70
Carteret, District 13	220	76	193	72
Carteret, District 14	193	50	185	50
Carteret, District 15	198	81	193	84
Carteret, District 16	160	58	163	57
Carteret, District 17	234	101	211	66
Carteret, District 18	180	56	166	59
Carteret, District 19	154	53	151	54
Carteret, Mail-In	768	169	741	188
Carteret, Provisional	156	31	152	31
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Totals:





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### Mayor Announces Family-Friendly Attractions Under Construction at Carteret's Noe Street Park

Mayor Daniel J. Reiman and Carteret Parks Commissioner, Councilman Vinnie Bellino, are proud to announce upcoming features and attractions being constructed at Carteret's Noe Street Park. They include seasonal aerator fountains with colored programmable lights, a sound system, fitness stations, a fitness area and fountain for dogs, an obstacle course, a fire pit, bike racks, an observation platform for remote control model boats, benches, a walking path, rest rooms, and a Winter ice rink.

Residents and visitors may remember skating on Carteret Pond at Carteret Park in the past, a memory which Mayor Reiman and the Borough Council aim to recreate.

"Family ice skating was always a staple of Carteret Recreation when I was growing up," said Mayor Reiman. "Now, residents and visitors alike will be able to bring or rent skates for recreation or to play hockey and other cold weather sports."

The park and pond are constructed on a block which was originally residential properties that the Borough acquired in the low lying areas of Noe Street that have experienced severe flooding in the past, and were destroyed during Hurricane Sandy.

"The County is committed to providing continued support to our municipalities for the improvement of their recreational facilities," said Middlesex County Freeholder Director Ronald G. Rios. "We are proud to partner with the Borough of Carteret on this project. Every new park and recreational amenity not only benefits the residents of that municipality, but contributes to the quality of life of County residents as a whole."

Funding for the project was provided in part by a grant from the Middlesex County Open Space Fund for \$750,000.

To read more about the project, visit <u>Carteret.net</u> or call 732-541-3817.





### Black History Month Celebrated in Carteret with Live Events and Film Series

Mayor Reiman and the Borough of Carteret, in collaboration with the Central Jersey Arts Council, celebrated Black History Month throughout February with a film series, live cultural Story Weaving, and traditional African drumming performances.

The film series featured African American classic films Betty & Coretta, Remember the Titans, Marshall, Selma, Glory, Loving, and recent Academy Award winning film Black Klansman. On Sunday, February 17, families were treated to Victor Marshall's Traditional African Drumming performance of "From Africa to

the New World" and African Story Weaving by Yvonne Caesar.

On February 28th, the Central Jersey Arts Council presented Art and Story Time at the Carteret Library, which included readings of "Uncle Remus: The Complete Tales" by Jerry Pinkney, "Dave The Potter: Artist, Poet, Slave" by Laban Carrick Hill, and "A Chair for My Mother" by Vera B. Williams. Following the readings, children used clay and watercolor to create their own



### **Carteret Opens Slip Registration** for New Municipal Marina

Mayor Daniel J. Reiman and the Borough of Carteret announced today that the Carteret Business Partnership is now offering preregistration for slips at the Carteret Municipal Marina, which will open for the upcoming 2019 boating season.

The Marina, located along the Arthur Kill River at Carteret's beautiful Waterfront Park, 200 Middlesex Avenue, features 185 slips open to the public, 38,000 square feet of floating docks, gas and diesel fueling stations, sanitary pump out, and a 17-foot draft. Slips are offered at the lowest price in the region along the river, at \$110 per foot. Carteret residents are offered an even lower rate at \$95 per foot. Slips contracts and registration are available at Carteret.net/Marina, for seasonal, annual, or monthly rentals.

*"Carteret is proud to offer this beautiful new marina along the* Arthur Kill River, an important waterway with quick access to Manhattan and the Raritan Bay," said Mayor Reiman. "With such competitive pricing, boaters from all over the region have already purchased slips and we will be open in time for the upcoming boating season."

To protect boats from the effects of water displacement and wave action while docked, the Borough has included a 700-foot wave screen breakwater and a 265-foot floating wave attenuator in the marina.

Waterfront Park, which connects to the Marina, features an array of recreational offerings for visitors including a fishing pier, boat ramp, miniature golf course, beach volleyball and bocce ball courts, as well as a picnic area and pedestrian walkway that includes a sensory perception garden.

> For more information about the Marina, please contact Linda at:

> > 732-541-3110 or visit: **Carteret.net/Marina**





### **Carteret Charges Two Liquor Stores** with Serving Underage Persons, Suspends their Licenses for Seven Days

undercover Police Officer, according to charges filed by the patrons are carded sufficiently." Carteret Office of the ABC Counsel.

The Borough has suspended the liquor licenses of two stores after said "21 means 21, and undercover police officers will continue the establishments were caught selling alcohol to an underage testing local establishments on a regular basis to ensure that

Liquor Shop at 787 Roosevelt Avenue violated N.J.A.C. 13:23 (1) on December 12, 2018 and Bottle Giant of Carteret at 101 Roosevelt Avenue violated the state statute on October 22, 2018, according to charges, which carry a 1st offense penalty of up to 15 days in liquor license suspension. A second violation of the statute carries a penalty of up to 30 days in liquor license suspension.

Both liquor stores were notified of the charges and a hearing was held on Monday, January 28, 2019, at which both licensees pled guilty and were each sentenced to a 7-day suspension by the Carteret Alcoholic Beverage Commission.

Carteret Mayor Daniel J. Reiman, chairman of the local ABC



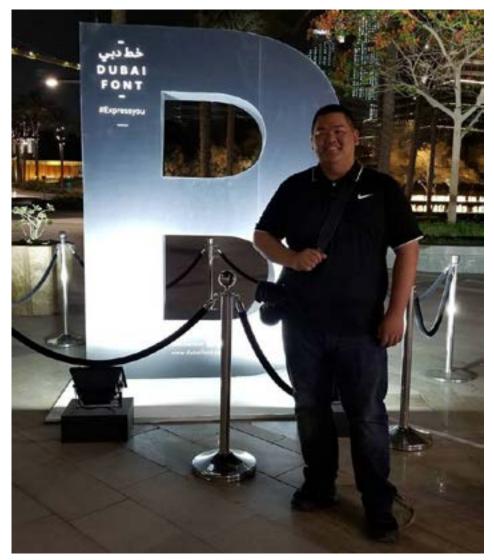
### Carteret's Blazing Star Cultural Arts Center Features Carteret Photography by Resident Brian Chen



The Blazing Star Cultural Arts Center, located at 63 Carteret Avenue, is now exhibiting renowned photographer Brian Chen's exhibit which documents events and landmarks in the Borough. The exhibit also features historical photographs and documents supplied by the Carteret Historical Committee. The Grand Opening of the exhibit took place on January 10th, featuring the artist himself, Brian Chen, who discussed his photography and answered questions.

"We are very lucky to have a talented photographer and resident like Brian Chen here in Carteret," said Mayor Dan Reiman. "Brian has documented countless important events and moments in the Borough during the last few years and we are proud to feature his photographs at the Blazing Star."

Brian Chen is a first generation Chinese-American photographer, born and raised in Carteret, NJ. He attended the Carteret Public School system graduating in the Class of 2003 from Carteret High School and pursuing a degree in Electrical Engineering. Brian worked in the Engineering Departments of several companies and is currently employed as a Project Manager for an industrial construction company. Due to the technical nature of his work, Brian decided to explore his artistic and creative abilities by learning photography. Brian's photography skills are self-taught via articles on the internet and tutorial videos on YouTube. Rather than venturing outside of town to recreate cliche photographs of landmarks, Brian focused on his home town. Growing up in Carteret, he is proud of the community that has come to life in the past decade and wanted his photography to reflect the love and appreciation he has for his home. He aimed to capture all the things that Carteret can be from beautiful, vibrant landscapes to loud and colorful cultural festivals that make the melting pot of this wonderful and unique town. His photography has been recently broadcast on NBC4NY, ABC7NY and published in the Home News Tribune. When he is not taking photos, Brian balances his time between traveling and spending time with his family and friends. Brian has also been active in his community, serving on the Volunteer Fire Department since 2003, served as an Emergency Medical Technician from 2006 to 2014, and recently joining the Carteret Office of Emergency Management. The exhibit is presented by the Central Jersey Arts Council, which operates the Blazing Star, the Carteret Historical Committee, and the Borough of Carteret, which owns the Blazing Star.



For more information about the Blazing Star or the Chen photography exhibit, please contact the **Central Jersey Arts Council at (732) 541-3879** or Brian Chen directly on <u>Facebook</u> <u>@chenb840</u> or on <u>Instagram @im brian chen</u>. Gallery hours: Wednesdays 10-12, Saturdays and Sundays 1-3pm.

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## Expanded Public Pre-K Opens in Partnership with Borough and Board of Education



Mayor Reiman has been joined by Superintendent of Schools Rosa Diaz, and Board of Education President Marty Murray to announce that Acelero Learning is now offering Pre-K 3 and 4 for additional Carteret Public School Students.

The new Acelero Learning facility has partnered with the Carteret Board of Education to expand early childhood education for 39 three-year-old and 46 four-year-old public school students out of the former Holy Family Parochial School at 132 Emerson Street. The districts three elementary schools educate a total of 153 pre -school children, bringing the total amount of preschool students in the district to 238.

The former Holy Family School, which was constructed in 1924 by the Bernardine Sisters as a Catholic education facility, operated until its closure in 2002. Soon after, the school was rented to Newmark High School which provided educational service to special needs students. In May of 2017, Holy Family School and Holy Family Convent, along with the Parish Center, were acquired by the Borough of Carteret for \$2.5 million for the purpose of educational use. Mayor Reiman led the charge to acquire the building after the Board of Education at the time decided not to purchase or lease the building for school expansion. The Borough is now leasing the facility to Acelero.

"I'm very happy that Acelero has agreed to lease the former Holy Family School site as a benefit for our children here in Carteret," said Mayor Reiman. "The space was previously offered to the Carteret Board of Education years ago. The board and school administration at time, declined to acquire or use the property for expansion. Today we have a great working relationship with the school administration and we look forward to improving the schools by working together."

Carteret School District Superintendent Rosa Diaz said

**Carteret Board of Education President Marty Murray said** "In my role as Board President, I have developed a strong working relationship with Mayor Reiman and his administration. I'm glad we are able to partner with Acelero to expand early education at the Pre-K 3 and 4 level and I look forward to future opportunities for the Borough and School Board to work together in expanding our school district."

Mayor Reiman continued, "Though we have less students in the district today then we have had in the past, this expansion of Pre-K 3 and 4 early childhood education will benefit these kids as they learn at an accelerated rate and progress through the public schools. This would free up significant space in the Middle School and allow for reduced class room counts in terms of the number of students per class. The Borough has already taken the necessary step of putting the owners of the site on notice that it may be acquired for public educational use."

In 2017, the Mayor offered a commercial building on Washington Ave to the School District to be used as an industrial and culinary school. The district has yet to take any action on that offer, but recently engaged an architectural group to evaluate all of the existing buildings for possible retrofit or expansion.

"The issue always comes down to funding. If the state actually funds Governor Murphy's education program, then we are looking at close to \$8 million more a year in school funding within 3 years. The problem is that we have seen this show before. In 2009, former Governor Corzine unveiled his school funding formula in Carteret. And based upon the state's own formula, the state underfunds Carteret schools by \$16 million each year. Corzine gave us a down payment of \$4 million, and the following year Chris Christie took it back. The state has short-changed Carteret by hundreds of millions of dollars in school funding," Mayor Reiman added.

The Carteret School District has received \$2,275,371 in Preschool Education Expansion Aid this year.

For more information about Acelero Learning in Carteret, please call: **732-969-2626**.



"Many studies conducted around the long-term effects of preschool have shown a strong relationship between early childhood education and success in diverse areas of life. We recognize the importance of affording all students with a strong foundation that sets the stage for lifelong learning. Our efforts to ensure full-day, quality preschool education has been made possible through the partnership between Carteret Public Schools, Acelero Learning, and the Borough of Carteret."

"Acelero Learning believes that all children, regardless of the economic conditions of their family, can meet their development goals and have a successful future," said Acelero of Carteret's Director Sherring Clark.

Acelero Learning serves more than 5,000 kids in 44 education centers in 4 states.



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### Carteret Offers 'Artistic Expression' Art Sessions for Seniors

Mayor Reiman and the Carteret Office on Aging are offering special art sessions throughout the Spring designed specifically for senior citizens to express themselves through painting in watercolor, pastels, acrylic painting, mixed media, open studio, sculpture, and painting/glazing. The sessions will run for two hours each month from March until September at the Thomas J. Deverin Community Center at 100 Cook Avenue in Carteret.

"Many active seniors live in our Carteret community," said Mayor Reiman. "Our Office on Aging is always seeking to offer seniors free and low cost programs and activities designed specifically with their interests in mind. We are proud to offer art in all forms for our residents, and this is a great program that our seniors have enjoyed in the past."

To register or for the complete schedule, please call the Carteret Office on Aging at (732) 541-3890.



### **Artistic Creative Expression Sessions for Seniors**

2019 Proposed Schedule (\*subject to change) 10:15 AM – 12:15 PM

DATE /TIME	CATEGORY	SESSION DESCRIPTION
March 19, 2019	Watercolor	"My Favorite Things"
		Participants will reflect upon things they cherish in their everyday life. They will examine the lines, shapes, colors, and textures of these items. Participants will utilize water colors to paint a still life painting.
April 16, 2019	Pastels	"Painting With Pastels"
		In the spirit of Georgia O'Keeffe participants will explore color blending and utilize oil pastels to paint a beautiful unique floral masterpiece.
May 21, 2019	Acrylic Painting	"A Serene Scene"
		Participants will use a variety of acrylic painting techniques including dry brushing, washing, color mixing, dabbing and sponging to paint an individually selected landscape and/or cityscape on canvas.
June 18, 2019	Mixed Media	"Selfie"
		Participants will develop a deeper understanding of the relationship between a variety of materials as they create a mixed media collage selfie.
July 16, 2019	Open Studio	(Open Studio)
		Participants will put finishing touches on their works of art. Framing and presentation materials will be made available to ensure all gallery submissions follow the Middlesex County Art Show guidelines.
August 20, 2019	Sculpture	"Sensational Sculptors"
		Participants will create an original clay sculpture using hand building techniques (pinch, coil, slab) attention to thickness and joining will be covered to ensure stability during the drying process.
September 17, 2019	Painting/Glazing	"Stroke of Color"
		Using Mayco Stroke and Coat glazes, participants will learn about the glazing and firing process. Participants will apply custom glazes to their original clay/ceramic pieces.



Artistic Creative Expression Sessions for Seniors March 19th, 2019 – September 17th, 2019 10:15 AM – 12:15 PM (dates listed above\*) at the Thomas J. Deverin Community Center, 100 Cooke Avenue



### TO REGISTER: The Carteret Office on Aging (732) 541-3890



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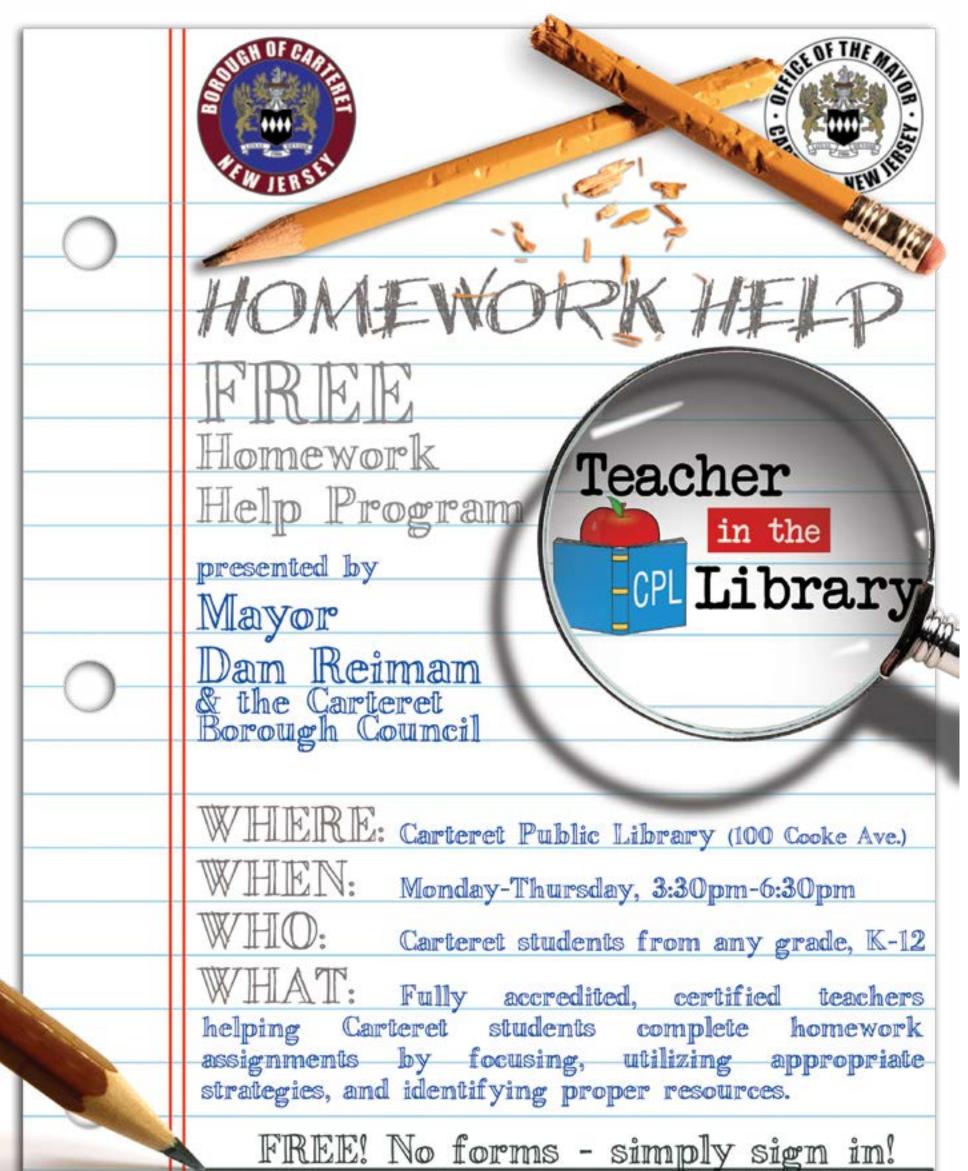
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- Fitting and final touches to your design.
- Fashion Show on the last day of class.

### **The Carteret Recreation Commission**





More information: 732-541-3835

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# **COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT Dennis McFadden** =



Borough of Carteret for 35 years. Captain, in Charge of the Patrol and state." He began his career in November of Division. 1983 when he was hired as an Officer with the Borough. After serving as After 30 years serving Carteret, a Patrol Officer, General Detective, Narcotics Detective and Traffic Officer, of being promoted to Deputy Chief of McFadden was promoted in 1997 to the Carteret Police Department in July Sergeant in the Patrol Division, where 2013. he was in charge of a Patrol Squad and the Traffic/Fatal Accident Unit.

assigned to the Special Investigations Meeting on January 17, 2019. and Narcotics Unit in 2000. In April of 2003, McFadden was promoted to Detective Lieutenant and remained in Mayor Reiman. "Chief McFadden charge of Special Investigations and is very respected by his peers in the

Carteret Police Department Chief Narcotics until his 2006 promotion to *department as well as those in law* 

McFadden received the distinct honor

On New Year's Day 2019, Mayor Daniel J. Reiman announced that In 1998, he was assigned to the Deputy Chief McFadden was officially Detective Bureau as a Detective promoted to Chief of the Carteret Sergeant and oversaw case assignments Police Department. Chief McFadden and investigations until he was sworn in at the Borough Council

"This promotion is well deserved," said

Dennis McFadden has served the Provisional Captain, and eventually enforcement throughout the county





# Are you a Carteret historian?

Q1: In what year was Carteret's Ethnic Day celebration first hosted?

Q2: The 20-foot tall Soldiers & Sailors Memorial at Carteret Park was officially rededicated in what year?

Q3: What Carteret physician contributed to research that helped lead to the diagnosis of AIDS?

Q3: Ronald G. Rios Q1: 1973 Q2: John Street Soccer Park Answers to last issue:

Q3: Joel Weisman (1943-2009) 01: 1975 Q2: 2006 Answers to above questions:





a special overlay for snaps that can only be accessed in Carteret. Whether you are a resident or a visitor, it is a fun way to share where you are with your friends.