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Patricia L. Walsh - Peter S. Palmer, Director - Patrick Scaglione, Deputy Director (front row)
Brian D. Levine - Mark Caliguire (back row)

FREEHOLDER NEWS



[Healthy Workplace Awards](#)

Freeholder Walsh was on hand earlier this month when Somerset County received a Gold Award from Healthier Somerset.

[Chess Challenge](#)

Freeholder Levine challenged 10 students in a simultaneous chess tournament held yesterday at the Bridgewater Library.

[Turf Field Groundbreaking](#)

Freeholders Palmer, Walsh and Caliguire joined Bernardsville officials this week to break ground for a new synthetic turf field at the Polo Grounds.

[Freeholder Citations](#)

Bound Brook Schools

[Curbing Hunger Month Food Drive](#)

Thomas Edison Energy Smart Charter School

[VEX IQ Robotics](#)

[NASA Student Conference with Kennedy Space Center](#)

[Model UN](#)

[International Robotics](#)

[Math Counts](#)

WHAT'S NEW

[Help Curb Hunger](#)

There's still time to help curb hunger! If you missed the curbside collection, you still can donate online at www.CurbingHunger2017.org Thanks for your support!

[Recycling Calendar](#)

The next First Saturday of the Month recycling drop-off is July 1 in Bridgewater. Drop off electronic waste July 1 in Hillsborough. Both programs are free to county residents. The Recycling Center and county offices will be closed July 4; curbside pickup for residents of Hillsborough and Millstone will be Wednesday, July 5.

[Schools Help Curb Hunger](#)

Bound Brook Schools once again held their own Curbing Hunger Month food drive, collecting just over a ton of food.

[Sheriff's Office Accreditation](#)

Sheriff Provenzano is proud to announce the Somerset County Sheriff's Office has been approved for re-accreditation by the New Jersey State Association of Chiefs of Police.

[BOBO Fridays](#)

Please donate to the next "Buy One, Bring One" food collection on July 21. This is an ongoing program to help boost supplies at the Food Bank Network of Somerset County.

['Project First Class'](#)

Donations of **new** school supplies for children served by local nonprofits are being accepted through Aug. 11.

LEADERSHIP NEWS

[Congratulations Graduates!](#)

Thirty-eight students graduated from the Youth Leadership Somerset Class of 2016-2017.

SENIOR CORNER

[July Programs](#)

Check out the special programs at our [six county-operated senior centers!](#)

[Farmers Market Vouchers](#)

Starting July 3, eligible seniors can obtain \$25 worth of vouchers to buy New Jersey fresh produce such as fruits, vegetables and herbs.

[Senior Art Exhibit](#)

Calling all senior artists! Submissions are due by July 24 for this annual exhibition.

[Farmers Market in Somerville](#)

Enjoy Jersey Fresh produce July 13 at a market stand in front of the Somerville Senior Housing facility. Vouchers will be available for eligible seniors.

LIBRARY SYSTEM

[Summer Reading Challenge](#)

Jump into summer reading with SCLSNJ!

[July 4 Closings](#)

SCLSNJ's ten library branches will be closed Tuesday, July 4, for Independence Day.

PARKS & RECREATION

[Independence Day Festival](#)

Come enjoy spectacular fireworks at the annual Independence Day Family Festival at North Branch Park, July 4. Park open 6 to 10 p.m. Fireworks at 9:30 p.m.

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