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there's a big surprise
inside...



Artist David Udovic has a big surprise for you. . . just turn the page.

PAJAMA PROGRAM REACHES OUT TO NEEDY CHILDREN WITH WARM PAJAMAS



'Tis the season to be busy and for Pajama Program volunteers it means sorting, sizing, packing and distributing or shipping new pajamas and new books to children-in-need in all 21 NJ counties.

This all volunteer group works magic all year long but the holiday season is naturally its busiest. Since its inception in 2004 the NJ chapter has distributed over 60,000 pairs of pajamas and almost as many books.

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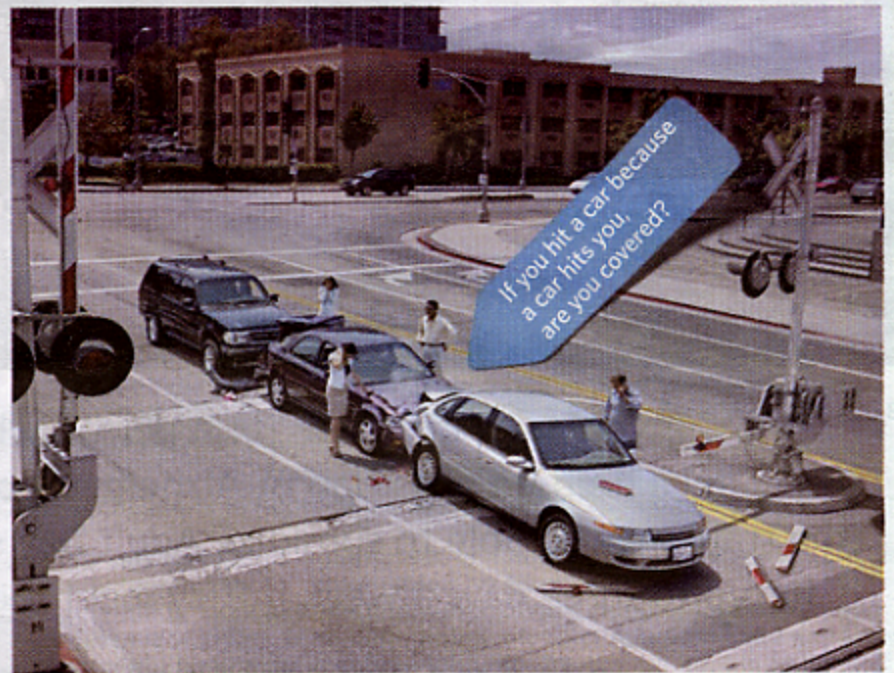
New! 2010 Holiday Ornaments

Have a ball (five in all) with these handpainted and dated glass ornaments in winter colors. Each is presented in a coordinating, fabric-covered keepsake box.

Vera Bradley has something for everyone this holiday season. From hats, to scarves, stationery, and luggage. . . she has it all. Come visit us at:

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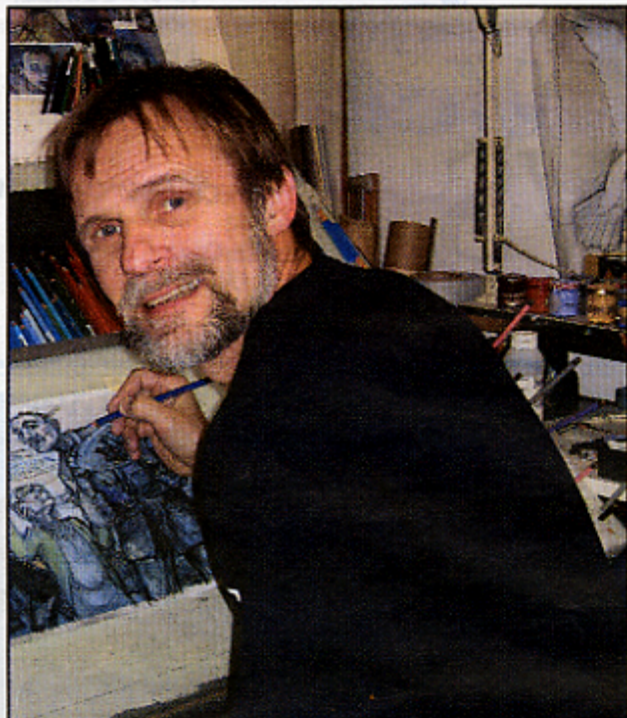
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The Art of Cardmaking

by Jay Stevens

David Udovic wants to bring art to the greeting card. Udovic, a Monmouth county resident, has created a new greeting card line that combines his diverse art background with a unique presentation. His colorful card line is called PopDown™ Greeting Cards, and like most greeting cards-and unlike pop-ups-they are flat. To open a PopDown™, you hold the top and pull the bottom and they slide down,



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The Senior Day Club at Kensington Court

has approval from the
Department of Health & Senior Services
to administer the Senior Day Services Program
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If you are a caregiver for a person who has a diagnosis by a licensed physician of Alzheimer's or a related disorder, the state may be able to subsidize Adult Day services for your loved one for up to three days a week if they meet the client eligibility criteria.

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PopDowns™ he calls Pie-ñatas. As he demonstrates one of the greeting cards he brings along to show the moms, I'm impressed. I had seen them online, but that doesn't do them justice. "I've been exhibiting at craft fairs and bringing them around to the library events to give them some exposure," he said. "Since they're unique, they have to be seen in person." Udovic has been selling the cards online and has begun marketing his card to New Jersey retailers. "We've been working with Bayshore Pharmacy in Atlantic Highlands. They're very supportive of local artists. Now we're ready to expand the business."

A look at Udovic's long experience gives some insight into how it all began. His fine art was influenced by various jobs he held over the years: graphic artist, designer of trade show displays and enclosures, and computer circuit board designer. "I always kept an interest in painting still life and grand landscapes, but the technical work I was involved in led to developing some kinetic sculpture, and the circuit board design inspired pieces that combine hard-edged shapes with natural forms," he said. Udovic's new interpretation led to other works and resulted in a solo exhibit "Nature, Technology and

Art," which was presented in New Jersey galleries, corporations, museums, libraries, and cultural centers over a 10 year period (1984-1994). It also led to a commission by the State of Utah to paint a large-scale narrative of their history in a hi-tech fashion. Udovic said, "it was an opportunity to present on a large scale the influences of computer technology on the aesthetic." Today the 12-foot mural hangs as a permanent installation at the State Capitol's Data Processing Center.

Since then many other art projects have kept Udovic busy, including painting home murals and picture book illustration. His latest picture book, Aunt Matilda's Almost Boring Party, by Jane Morris Udovic, Published by Front Street, is about a charity ball that turns into a pie-fight. They all incorporate his interest in the narrative, the art of story telling through composition. He said, "I'm always looking for ways to express a harmonious world in motion."

Udovic explains that his greeting card designs are drawn from this love of the graphical narrative. The influence of children's book illustration is apparent in the original characters he designed for his "Animal Friends" line. "I've also begun to incorporate local images," he said. "From Atlantic Highlands to Cape May, the beautiful Victorian homes on the Jersey shore inspired a series of greeting cards with Victorian homes and interiors. They all tell a story."

PopDown™ cards, including Udovic's "Christmas Collection" and birthday invitations, are available locally at Bayshore Pharmacy in Atlantic Highlands. You can see all of his designs at his website,

www.popdowncards.com.

**LINCROFT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
DECEMBER HAPPENINGS:**

Sat. Dec. 4 10 am- prayer gathering: time out- writing an "all year" Christmas list to God

Dec. 12 12 pm Caroling to the Homebound following church and chili lunch

Dec. 19 10 am Service of 9 Lessons and Carols

Dec. 24 7:30 pm Candlelight Service, dramatic reading "The Visitor"

Dec. 26. 10 am Christmas Short Story reading

**Presbyterian Church
at Shrewsbury**

Adult education for Advent

Sunday 9:15 am The Adult Forum will continue to discuss contemporary issues using the Wired Word. Through it we consider issues that are in the news and how these issues raise questions of faith for us and others.

Tuesdays, November 30, December 7, 14, 21 at 9:30 AM we will consider how God spoke to the people in the Christmas Story and how God continues to speak to us.

Wednesday evenings December 1, 8, 15, 22 at 8:00 pm at the Manse(348 Sycamore Ave.) we will consider revelation in its various forms and how it touches us at Christmas and throughout our lives.

Worship during Advent

Sunday Worship during advent will be full of the themes of Advent, looking forward to the coming of our Lord. The advent candles will be lit, the choirs will sing and ring as we remember why we celebrate in this season.

Wednesday evenings December 1, 8, 15, 22 at 7pm there will be a short and meditative communion service in the Sanctuary.

Wednesday evening December 15 the communion service will be paired with our celebration of Blue Christmas when we open ourselves to our need for healing with individual prayer and anointing.

Christmas Eve there will be three services at 4:00PM, 7:00PM, 10:30PM. Each service has it's a specific focus. 4:00PM is a shorter, informal service. 7:00PM includes the children's choir and is focused on families.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church -

CHURCH SERVICE: each Sunday at 10AM; always includes a special song by Good Shepherd's delightful church choir

Additional special music (during Sunday 10AM service):

Dec 12: Clarinet and piccolo

Dec 19: Brass ensemble: Bob Sislian and sons (photo "brass6.jpg") performing Christmas carols.

SPECIAL EVENTS:

Dec 12: annual Christmas Party 5PM in church hall (photo "a003.jpg" - 2009 Christmas Party)

Dec 19 (during 10AM service): The Sunday School children will perform a special Christmas Program

December 24: Christmas eve services (with Holy Communion) at 4 p.m. and 10 p.m. The 10 p.m. service will be a Candlelight ceremony. We look forward to welcoming the community on this holy time.

For any questions, call Pastor John Elstad, 732-864-0616

Further information:

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church 732-842-4596
<http://www.good-shepherd.us/>

**ADVENT CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE
AT LUTHER MEMORIAL CHURCH
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Advent Series "It's About Time"

December 1, 8 & 15 Services at noon and 7:30 PM (Soup Suppers@6:00 PM)

German Christmas Worship
December 10 @ 7:30 PM

Choir Cantata "Love's Pure Light"
December 12 @ 10:30 AM

Christmas Children's Worship
December 19 @ 10:30 AM

Christmas Eve Candlelight and Carols
December 24 @ 7:30 PM

Christmas Day
December 25 @ 10:00 AM

Sunday after Christmas
December 26 @ 10:00 AM

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SATURDAY

7:30 AM - 2:30 PM

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YOUTH LEAGUES

SOCCER RECREATION LEAGUE-Still taking registrations for 6th, 7th & 8th graders, play every other Saturday night until March. Register now.

ROLLER HOCKEY "DRAFT" LEAGUE- Ages 6 to 15, 9 game season plus playoffs, \$140.00 per player, starts December 4th, Saturday games. "NEW" 6 and under Club Division-8 weeks of instruction and play, starts Saturday, Jan 8th, \$110. per player w/Jersey.

BOY'S & GIRL'S HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER LEAGUE-Starts Dec. 4th & 5th-Feb. 26th & 27th 2010.Eight + games including finals, \$1295.00 per team plus referee fee.

5 v 5 YOUTH TRAVEL LEAGUE-U8 - U14 Boys & Girls, Starts Jan. 2 & Jan. 8th, \$775.00 for ten week session.

YOUTH CLASSES & CLINICS

BASKETBALL-Learn to Play, 7 weeks, ages 5-11, starts Jan. 6th, Thursdays from 5-6 pm, \$140.00 .

MULTI SPORT-Ages 2.5 to 5, Tuesdays, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and Ages 4 to 8, 4 to 5 p.m. starts Jan. 11th , 7 weeks, \$140.00. Intro to different fun sports,

ROLLER HOCKEY MONDAYS-Tyke Hockey, no equipment, Ages 4-6, 4 to 5 p.m. Learn to Skate-Ages 5 to 12, 5-6pm. Learn to Play Hockey, 6 to 7 p.m. Ages 5 to 12, all 7 weeks starting January 3rd. Developmental Hockey - Class starts Tuesday, Jan. 4th, 6 to 7 p.m., for 6 weeks, \$100.00 per player, ages 6 to 12.

SOCCER- Tiny Tots, Fridays, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. starting Jan. 14th., ages 2.5 to 5 years, 7 weeks, \$140.00. **NJSA 04 YOUTH SOCCER ACADEMY TRAINING**, ages 4 to 8, 4-5p.m., ages 8 to 12 , 5-6 p.m., Thursdays starting Jan. 13th, 8 weeks for \$180.00, beginner- advanced training.

LACROSSE CLINIC, Dec. 27th, 28th & 29th, Grades 1st-12th, 6 hours of training by Hoop Lax Lacrosse, \$100 per student.

BASEBALL CLINIC, Dec. 27th, 28th & 29th, ages 8 to 12, batting & instruction by Coach Larry, 3 to 5 p.m. \$150.00 for 6 hours.

SPEED TRAINING & SOCCER GOALKEEPING CLASSES , ages 9 & older, two sessions, Mondays, starting Jan. 3rd and Feb. 14th, 6 to 7 p.m., call for pricing

ROVERS INTERNATIONAL - Soccer training with Spencer Rockman, Sunday mornings, two sessions, 8:00 a.m. and 9:20 a.m.

ADULT LEAGUES

Soccer-Womens, Mens, & Over 35 start in December along with all Roller Hockey Leagues, Open, Over 35 & Over 40, Flag Football and Women's Field Hockey.

BIRTHDAY & ADULT PARTIES

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