

# rise

## IN THE NEWS

Summer 2018

### SUMMER ENRICHMENT



**87**  
children,  
ages 5 to 18  
attending  
6-weeks of camp



**8,352**  
hours of  
academic  
classroom  
instruction



**4,176**  
FREE  
Breakfast  
& Lunch  
served



**522**  
fun-filled  
& educational  
field trip  
experiences



**Generosity begins where we live, learn, shop, work, and play.**



Don't sit on the sidelines... Get involved!



**UPCOMING  
Events**

**6th Annual Latino Festival of  
Hightstown & East Windsor**



Location: Rocky Brook Park - 170 Bank St., Hightstown  
When: August 18th, 2018 - Time: 1:00pm to 6:00pm  
Rain Date: August 25th, 2018

**THANKS  
GIVING  
FOOD  
DRIVE**



Collection starts soon!  
**GIVE-A-GIFT  
FOR THE HOLIDAYS 2018**  
Early registration for both programs is now open!  
visit [njrise.org](http://njrise.org).

Thank you  
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# Bicycle Rack



# THANK YOU!

- BCB Community Bank
- Berkshire Bank Foundation
- Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.
- Bicycle Rack
- Church & Dwight Co.
- County of Mercer-Human Services/DCS/CSBG/Child Care Services
- East Windsor Fire Company #2
- East Windsor Township
- Emergency Food and Shelter Program
- ETS
- First Energy Foundation
- Hovione
- Investors Foundation
- Janssen Pharmaceuticals Inc.
- Kiwanis Club of Trenton New Jersey
- Lillian Lea Foundation
- Mary Owen Borden Foundation
- NJM Insurance Group
- Nordson Corporation
- Novo Nordisk Inc.
- NRG Energy
- Otto Family Advised Fund of the Princeton Area Community Foundation
- PNC Foundation
- Project Linus
- The Bunbury Fund of Princeton Area Community Foundation
- Women and Girls Fund of Princeton Area Community Foundation
- NJOFBI-SE2D/ College Readiness/Youth Entrepreneurship
- Wakefern Food Corp.
- Walmart Foundation
- William and Joan Rue Family Fund of the Community Foundation of New Jersey

## REGISTER TODAY!

Thanks to the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP), local seniors can enjoy an extra day of food distribution. CSFP is a free program available to low income seniors over 60 years old who are NJ residents.

Participants receive a box of groceries once a month along with additional fresh fruit and produce *if available*. Call 609-443-4464 to register.



Provide children of our community with a great start to the new school year by donating school supplies.

Check our website [njrise.org](http://njrise.org) for a complete school supply list or to volunteer.



Rise is proud to announce our newest team member...

### Welcome to the Rise Board of Directors, Bill Zester

**Borden Perlman, Commercial Lines:  
Risk Advisor**



Read more about Bill on [njrise.org](http://njrise.org)

Bill was introduced to Rise thru VolunteerConnect. He was intrigued with the services they provide the community, the proximity to where he lives in Manalapan and Leslie's proclivity in managing this nonprofit. Bill was honored when they invited him to join their board and fill the voided Treasurer's position.

"I am looking forward to my new role as Treasurer on the Rise Board. We find ourselves in challenging times when brick and mortar retail stores are moving on line or vanishing from the industry. We just witnessed Toys-R-Us, a 70 year old retailer close its doors and liquidate its inventory.

At Rise we are in good shape and embracing the future buying habits of our customers, here locally and overseas thru eBay and other online sites. Change is inevitable and we must adapt to survive. An old Greek philosopher, Heraclitus once said, 'The only thing that is constant is change'.

My joining the Rise Board is a change for me and a welcomed opportunity, in a changing world, to help drive this agency toward its successful mission."

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Laudenberger

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