

## The Buzz Around Berlin

### Marine Corps Rose Program

In conjunction with the Marine Corps Birthday (Nov. 10) and Veterans Day, Berlin residents George Perodeau and Peter Galgano Jr., members of the Marine Corps League, Hardware City Detachment 781, set up a display for the Marine Corps Rose Program Oct. 10 and Oct. 11 in front of Super Stop & Shop at 1135 Farmington Ave. The MCL Rose Program, In Memory of Those Who Served Forever Remembered, is designed to parallel the VFW "poppy program" to



provide funds for detachments to assist wounded veterans and local youth programs and provide other services to the community. On Nov. 5, Perodeau and Galgano presented a framed cer-

tificate of appreciation to Cheryl Woodin, Store Manager and Paul Morse, Customer Service Manager of the Berlin Stop & Shop for their support of the Marine Rose Program.



### A bakery tour

Troop 66232 recently toured First and Last Bakery and Cafe in Hartford. The girls, who are earning a Sweet Shoppe badge, toured the bakery and with guidance from Head Pastry Chef, Dave Mansur, rolled their own croissants and oatmeal cookies. Pictured with Chef Mansur are Emma Arroyo, McKenzie Cyr, Jillian Parmelee, Lindsay Walsh, Danielle Messina, Julia Ladd, Kelsei Zliczewski, Emma Klepacki, Shanna Lennehan, Melanie Bosco and Nikki Baedor.

### Baby's first Christmas

Send us your precious photos of your baby's first Christmas and we will publish them in the new year. Send along all the information we will need, such as parents and grandparents names as well as names of siblings who were waiting for the little bundle of joy when he or she came home.  
E-mail photos to [news@theberlincitizen.com](mailto:news@theberlincitizen.com).

### Raising Berlin officers

The officers of Raising Berlin, right, pose for a photo at their first-ever treelighting this month. They wore matching festive scarves to mark the occasion. They are: President, Lisa Toussaint; Vice President, Sharon Pinchera; Social Chair Person, Amanda DiDomenico and Secretary, Giulia Dubuc.

### Student of the Month



Joseph Salwocki, of Berlin, was recently recognized as the Rotary Club of Middletown Outstanding Student of the Month. Salwocki, a senior at Vinal Technical High School, is a member of the National Honor Society, a senior mentor and an Eagle Scout in Berlin Troop 24. He is pictured with Patricia Lyman, president of the Rotary Club of Middletown and Suzanne Niemiec, guidance councilor at Vinal Tech.



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