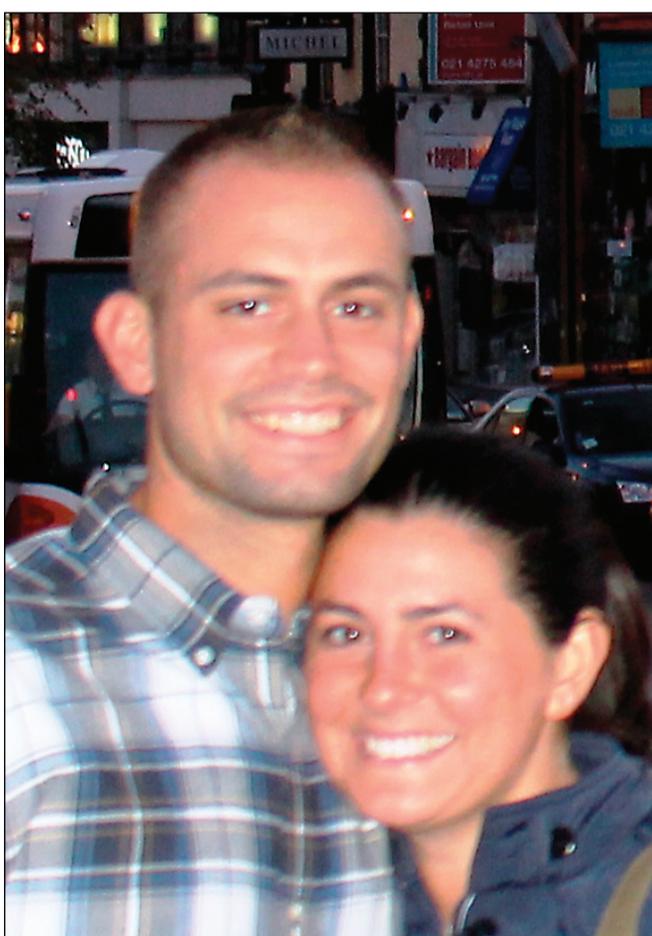


# Special Occasions

## ENGAGEMENTS

### MCDONNELL ~ GIANNACIO



**MICHAEL GIANNACIO AND LYNDSEY MCDONNELL**

Bob and Ro McDonnell of Northfield happily announce the engagement of their daughter, Lyndsey McDonnell to Michael Giannacio, son of Charlie and Brenda Giannacio of Yardville, NJ.

Lyndsey received her Bachelors of Science degree in Fashion Merchandising from the Fashion Institute of Technology, NYC and is currently employed as an Associate Merchant for Tommy Hilfiger.

Michael graduated with a Bachelors Degree in Criminal Justice from Richard Stockton College of NJ and is employed by New Jersey State Police.

The couple currently resides in Hoboken. A beautiful wedding at Windows on the Water in Sea Bright, NJ is being planned for August 17, 2012.

### FITZGERALD ~ MOWERY



**SAMUEL MOWERY AND JESSICA FITZGERALD**

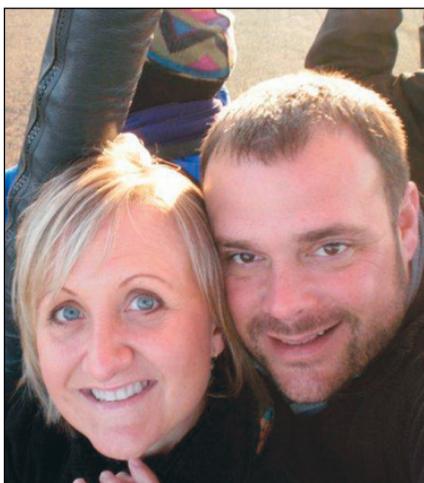
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Fitzgerald of Wildwood Crest happily announce the engagement of their daughter, Jessica, to Lieutenant Colonel Samuel P. Mowery, USMC, son of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Mowery of New Cumberland, PA.

Ms. Fitzgerald is a graduate of Georgetown University, where she received a B.A. in Government, and American University, School of International Service, in Washington, DC, where she received an M.A. in U.S. Foreign Policy. Ms. Fitzgerald is a civil servant with the U.S. Department of Defense.

LtCol Mowery is a graduate of the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD, where he received a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering, and the Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, CA, where he received an M.S. in Operations Research. LtCol Mowery currently serves as Commanding Officer, Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point in Havelock, NC.

No date has been set for the wedding.

### FAUSEY ~ JOHNSON



**LAURA FAUSEY AND BRIAN JOHNSON**

Laura Fausey and Brian Johnson are happy to announce their engagement that became official during the first minutes of 2012. Laura is the daughter of Eileen and Bill Fausey of Swanton, NJ and is employed by Utilipath LLC of Mooresville, NC. Brian is employed by U.S. Foods and is the son of Barbara Johnson of Charlotte, NC, and the Rev. T.W. Johnson of Harrisonburg, VA. The couple plan a spring wedding and will make their home in Huntersville, NC.

### SPANOS ~ PARENT



**JACLYN SPANOS AND MATTHEW PARENT**

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Spanos of Buffalo, New York are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jaclyn of New York City, to Matthew Parent also of New York City. Matthew is the son of Mrs. Barbara Parent of Marmora, New Jersey and the late Brian A. Parent. Jaclyn graduated from the Fashion Institute of Technology with a Bachelor's Degree in Fashion Merchandising Management and is currently a Senior Account Executive at Liz Claiborne, Inc. Matthew graduated from Loyola University in Baltimore with a Master's Degree in Business Administration and is currently employed in the Corporate Finance Dept. of ANN, INC. An August, 2012 wedding is planned.

## ANNIVERSARIES

### DIODOARDO



**ERNEST "NINO" AND MARIA ANTONIETTA DIODOARDO**

Congratulations to Ernest "Nino" and Maria Antonietta DiOdoardo. On Sunday, January 29th, 2012, they will have celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary.

Who would've thought? Forty years, and they never had a fight! Join us in wishing them many more years of love and happiness.

From their family,  
Sonia, Jay, Jason, Julia, and Tania

### MERLINO



**SAM AND JANE MERLINO**

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Merlino of Egg Harbor City are pleased to announce the celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary on January 26, 2012. They were given a celebration dinner with family in attendance at Joseph's Restaurant in Egg Harbor City. Sam and Jane first met at Bobby Breder's Sweet Shoppe in Egg Harbor City. They were married by Father Joseph Hayden in St. Nicholas Church, Egg Harbor City on January 26, 1952. In 1955, they were blessed with their only daughter, Patricia. They continue to be members of the St. Nicholas Church and lifelong residents of Egg Harbor City.

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