



# Chapel West News 7/14



## MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS

### Leah Whelan joins Chapel Medical Group

This past May, Chapel Medical Group welcomed **Leah Whelan, APRN** to the practice joining Drs. Sunil Menon, Patrick Asiedu, and Wayne Warren.

Leah completed her training as a nurse practitioner at Mass General Hospital in Boston, MA. Her interests include diabetes management and geriatrics. Leah is currently accepting new patients.

The Chapel Medical Group has been in practice, in New Haven since 1958. Today it is located at **1308 Chapel Street**.

## Athwal family school news

**Gurbeer Athwal** begins 6th grade this fall having received from CHET (Connecticut Higher Education Trust) a \$500 scholarship this year.

**Parmiot Athwal**, finished with high honors at Eli Whitney Technical High School in June. He also played tackle for the **Screaming Owls** football team. This fall he starts at Gateway College with the intent of transferring to UConn, and finishing with a chemical engineering degree in four years.

**Jagdev Athwal**, owner of **India Palace Restaurant** on Howe Street, is now in his 18th year of business. The Palace has a full Indian menu and many interesting beers. It's buffet luncheon continues to be a big draw.

The Athwals are yet another example of a Chapel West family who have made a success in their new home, America.



from left to right: Gurbeer, Jagdev, and Parmiot Athwal.

## Story from the New Haven Independent.

by Paul Bass, July 24, 2014



NHPD Officer Arpad Tolnay (photo by Paul Bass)

Officer **Arpad Tolnay** said he “got lucky” and ended up catching two alleged carjackers believed to have attacked a Yale doctor. . .

He just happened to spot two teens with hooded sweatshirts crossing the street. He just happened to match their appearances with that of two suspects he'd been looking for. He just happened to stop them and discover a trail of evidence. . .

**He was at the right time at the right place, he insisted....** Tolnay's superiors disagree that he simply got lucky. They say that his apprehension . . . demonstrates a keen combination of observation powers, “street sense,” and dot-connecting that Tolnay has honed in his 16 years as a New Haven patrol officer. . .

**Sergeant Torquati** spoke of the way Tolnay “talks to folks.”... Arp's got this uncanny ability to communicate on many levels. He speaks multiple languages. He's got his own street sense.”

“Clearly,” Torquati added, “he pays attention.”



The future Senior Society building before moving to its new location (photo by Rod Topping)



A progress photo of work being done on the new apartments, taken July 29.



Chapel West gets wired up with Fiber Optics. Cameras to follow soon.



**Woody Ford at Gaylord**  
*"Our prayers and thoughts are with you daily. Get better. We need you."* - Vin

## Tidbits by Vin Romei

*"I became a professional fisherman, but discovered I couldn't live on my NET income."*

Tree planting programs with URI is to continue in the fall. Pruning starts shortly. There is great cooperation between Parks and Rec, URI, and **CHAPEL WEST** for the entire project. We are very excited for our district.

The **Sullivan's** location hopes to complete renovations by mid to late August. Omer Ipec always does a great, 1st class job. We can't wait to see the finished restaurant.

**Mini-Mart Market** on Chapel Street is completely remodeling the interior of their store. Nick and Varinder run a good operation. With the aid of a recently installed security camera, they nabbed a homeless person who was sleeping in and messing up the back of their building. Three cheers for **SECURITY CAMERAS**.

*I have never killed a man, but I have read many obituaries with great pleasure.*

- Clarence Darrow"

Best, Vin Romei



CW planters with boxwood, vinca vine, and petunias

We're always interested in new stories and tidbits!

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