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This Newsletter is brought to you by the Hillsborough Township Committee:

Mayor Gloria McCauley

**Deputy Mayor Doug Tomson** 

**Committeeman Greg Burchette** 

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## Doris Levine Named HMS Educational Services Professional of the Year

Doris Levine, an Instructional Assistant at Hillsborough Middle School, has received the honor of being named Hillsborough Middle School's Educational Services Professional of the Year for 2018.

Ms. Levine has been a member of the Hillsborough School District faculty since 2004. She provides individualized, extraordinary support for students with special needs. She served as the first transcription specialist, captioning classes for students with severe hearing impairments and currently, creates prevocational materials to support the Moderate

Learning/Language Disabilities and Autism classes with the Work Readiness Program.

The Township Committee of Hillsborough commends Doris Levine for being recognized as Hillsborough Middle School's Educational Services Professional of the Year and we thank her for all her work and dedication to the youth of Hillsborough.



Pictured: Committeeman Frank DelCore, Doris Levine, Mayor Gloria McCauley and Deputy Mayor Doug Tomson

### **High School REACH Interns Honored by Mayor**

Hillsborough Township partnered with the School District's REACH program to offer internships to students at the Municipal Offices. At the May 22ND Township Committee meeting, the interns received certificates of achievement from Mayor McCauley and the Township Committee.

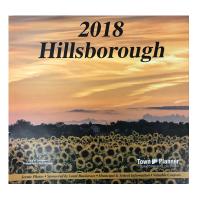
Pictured: Business Advocate David Kois, Fire Subcode Official Ed Allatt, Committeeman Frank DelCore, REACH Intern Coordinator Patricia Yale-Wasdyke, some of the REACH interns, Mayor Gloria McCauley, Deputy Mayor Doug Tomson, Township Administrator Anthony Ferrera and Township Clerk Pamela Borek



# Township to Collect Scenic Photos for the "2019 Town Calendar"

"The Township is pleased to be working with Town Planner Calendar to produce a 2019 color printed calendar which will be mailed out to every residence in Hillsborough, at no cost to our taxpayers," announced Mayor Gloria McCauley at Tuesday's Township Committee Meeting.

"The printing of the calendar is funded through the various advertisements contained within the calendar," added Mayor McCauley.



### **Read More**

# Hillsborough Township Residents

Free Skin Cancer Screening
At the

Green Living and Wellness Fair



Saturday June 2, 2018 at the Hillsborough Township Municipal Building

Skin cancer is the most common type of cancer, and early detection can lead to effective treatment.

Dr. Robert Ilowite of the Dermatology Center in Hillsborough, will provide skin cancer screenings from 8am to 11am.

To make an appointment, please visit the web site at hillsborough-nj.org and complete the online appointment form. Appointments are encouraged, as walk in appointments will be accommodated based on availibility

During the registration process, you will be asked whether you would like only a specific mole or mark checked, or if you would like and upper body, lower body or whole body check.

If you have any questions, please call 908-369-5652 ask for shavon in the Health Department

Register for your Free Skin Cancer Screening

# All types are welcome! Please donate blood!



## **Blood Drive**

Hillsborough Green Living and Wellness Fair

Saturday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> 8:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.

Municipal Building- Senior Citizen Room

Free T-shirt for all donors!

Register online at www.RWJUHDonorClub.org

Donors must be 16 years old (with parental consent) weigh at least 110 lbs. (120 lbs. if age 16), eat and drink well before donation and bring photo ID. For questions about eligibility, call 908-685-2926.

> Robert Wood Johnson | RW Barnabas University Hospital Somerset

Click on image below to watch latest episode of "Hillsborough The Good Life!"





## **Department Updates**

# Building Department

Things to Know if you are Thinking of Replacing Your Roof

Recently, there have been some changes enacted and mandated by the Department of Community Affairs. Requirements for roofing permits have been one of the major changes. Here are some things to know if you are thinking of replacing your roof:

- Single Family Dwellings (Detached MEANING a home that stands on its own, and not connected to any other homes) for roof tear off - no permit is required, but if you are doing a roof over lay a permit is required.
- Single Family Dwellings (Attached i.e. Townhouse or Duplex) a permit is still required for roof tear off or roof overlay.
- Any other structures not attached to your home (i.e. detached garage or pole barn) a permit is still required for roofing.

If you have any further questions please contact the Building Department.

### **Business Advocate**

Save the Date: The Next Hillsborough Business Association Business Social will be held on July 31st

The next Hillsborough Business Association Business Social will be held on **Tuesday, July 31st at Roycebrook Golf Club from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm**. Details to purchase tickets will be available shortly through the HBA e-News. To sign up for the HBA e-News, go to **Hillsboroughbusiness.org** 

#### Clerk's Office

**The Primary Election is Tuesday, June 5th.** Polls will be open from 6 am until 8 pm. Please be sure to refer to your ballot for your polling location.



Somerset County voters can still apply for a mail-in ballot for the June 5TH primary election if they bring their application to the County Clerk's office by 3 p.m. on Monday, June 4th. Applications for mail-in ballots are available online or at the County Clerk's Office, located in the lobby of the County Administration Building at 20 Grove St., Somerville. The County Clerk's Office will be open on Saturday, June 2nd, from 9 am to noon in addition to its normal weekday hours.

Completed mail-in ballots can be mailed to the Somerset County Election Board, P.O. Box 3000, Somerville NJ 08876. Ballots also can

be dropped off at the Board of Elections, located next to the County Clerk's Office in the County Administration Building. Mail-In ballots can be returned until the polls close at 8 p.m. on election night.

### **Engineering**

Spring has arrived and many homeowners may want to improve their property by adding or removing soil.

Be Cautious about Accepting Soil

The Engineering Department advises residents to be cautious about accepting soil for their property. Some have accepted soil from locations, which could possibly contain debris, rubble or other contaminants. In one case a resident accepted "free" soil which was contaminated. The homeowner had to pay to have the soil removed and afterwards learned the soil was from a construction site. The "free" soil turned out to be a very expensive undertaking. It is recommend you purchase soil from an approved soil supplier or make sure they are certified by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection agency.

Hillsborough Township has a Soil Permit Ordinance designed to protect residents against such occurrences. It prohibits the importation of soil without first obtaining approval from the Engineering Department. If you are thinking of improving your property, before you either remove or accept soil, dirt or other fill material, be sure to contact the Engineering Department to advise and obtain the proper permit. The Hillsborough Engineering Office can be reached at 908-369-4460.

Following the proper procedures can save residents from significant costs associated with removal of contaminated soil as well preventing penalties.

### Health

Free Skin Cancer Screenings Available at the Green Living and Wellness Fair Dr. Robert llowite of the Dermatology Center in Hillsborough will be available to provide skin cancer screenings at the Green Living and Wellness Fair on **June 2nd** from **8am to 11am** at the Hillsborough Municipal Building.

Skin cancer is the most common type of cancer, and early detection can lead to effective treatment. <u>Register Online</u>, or call the Health Department at 908-369-5652.

## Office of Emergency Managment

June marks the beginning of Hurricane Season - FEMA - the Federal Emergency Management Association offers tips on family hurricane preparedness planning. Be sure to check out the enews for more information.

Hurricane Season Has Begun



#### **Police**

Click it or Ticket!

The 2018 Click-it or Ticket Seat Belt Mobilization takes place from May 21st through June 3rd. The Border-to-Border event is a national, multistate, enforcement program to highlight the importance of seat belt use.

#### **Public Works**

"The Power of Public Works"

"The Power of Public Works" theme for the 2018 National Public Works Week gives voice to the impact that the many facets of public works have on modern civilization. From providing clean water, disposing of solid waste, building roads and bridges or planning for and implementing mass transit, removing snow on roadways or devising emergency management strategies to meet natural or man made disasters, the services provided by public works determines a society's quality of life. This year's theme honors the vital contribution public works professionals make every day to communities all across North America, and it invites the public to celebrate their quiet dedication and indispensable influence on our way of life.

### Recreation

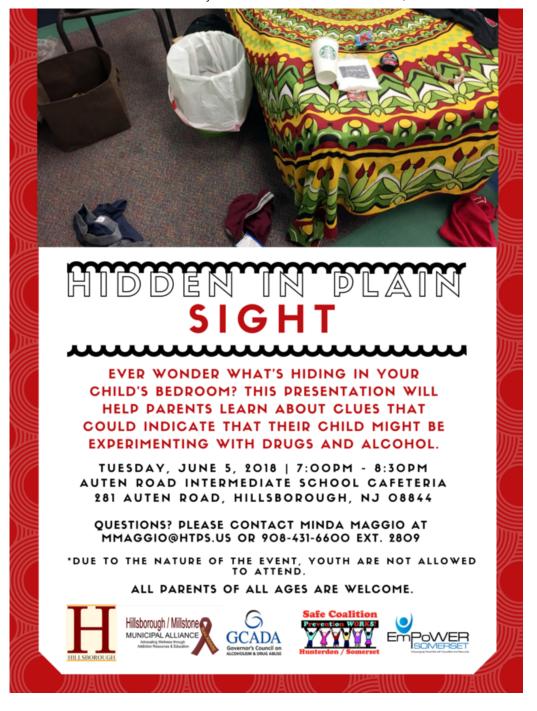


#### Sign up for Summer Programs

With the nice weather finally here, don't forget to sign up for the summer leagues and camps. Great options are currently available such as summer day camps, summer sports camps, boys and girls Ann Van Basketball league and much more!

Visit Parks & Recreation Website to Sign Up

**Boards & Commissions** 



**Read in Spanish** 

Register Now

## **Township Job Line**

### Hillsborough Township is currently looking to fill the following positions:

- Electrical Inspector, Full Time
- Plumbing Inspector, Full Time
- Building Inspector, Part Time
- Building Maintenance, Part time





# HILLSBOROUGH TOWNSHIP **IS HIRING**

Join Our Team!

Located in the heart of Somerset County Hillsborough Township offers an excellent work environment with an extensive benefits package.

Medical - Dental - Vision - Cafeteria Plan - Flexible Spending Account Pension - Employee Recognition Program - Merit Increases

## OPEN POSITIONS

#### **ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR**

Salary \$62,000

Responsible for daily field inspections, as assigned by, and under the direct supervision of, the full-time Electrical Subcode Official. This is an AFSCME Union position with a 40-hour work week. Township vehicle provided for inspections.

#### Required

- Electrical Inspector ICS license.
- · Strong customer service skills.
- · Strong computer and technology skills.
- Ability to multi-task in a busy environment.
- · Valid New Jersey driver's license.

#### Preferred

- Electrical Subcode Official license
- Interest/desire to obtain additional licenses

#### PLUMBING INSPECTOR

Salary \$62,000

Responsible for daily field inspections, as assigned by, and under the direct supervision of, the full-time Plumbing Subcode Official. This is an AFSCME Union position with a 40-hour work week. Township vehicle provided for inspections.

#### Required

- Plumbing Inspector ICS license
- · Strong customer service skills.
- · Strong computer and technology skills.
- · Ability to multi-task in a busy environment.
- · Valid New Jersey driver's license.
- Clearance of a criminal history background check.
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#### Preferred

- · Mechanical Inspector license.
- · Plumbing Subcode Official license
- Interest/desire to obtain additional licenses

The Township of Hillsborough is an equal opportunity employer. Forward a cover letter of interest, resume, and 3 references, to Dianne Borngesser: dborngesser@hillsborough-nj.org



908-369-4313

379 South Branch Rd.Hillsborough, NJ 08844



www.hillsborough-nj.org

## News You Can Use

Hillsborough UNICO Scholarship Recipient Liliana Passalaqua Honored with the Brian Piccolo Memorial Award.

Ms. Liliana Passalaqua received a \$1,000 scholarship from the Hillsborough Chapter of UNICO, at the Brian Piccolo Awards Dinner which was held on Thursday, May 3, 2018, at the Gran Centurions in Clark, NJ. Graduating seniors,

eleven in total were honored, from Clark, Elizabeth, Hillsborough, The Plainfields, Raritan Valley, Scotch Plains-Fanwood, Union and Westfield Chapters.

Liliana is a Hillsborough High School Varsity Swimmer, lettering all 4 years. Not only does Liliana excel in the pool, she was inducted into both the National Honor Society and the Spanish Honor Society, as a Junior for her academic excellence. Liliana is currently serving as President of the High School Interact Club, a branch of Rotary, of which she is a 4-year member. She also volunteers at Special Olympics



and teaches swimming to children with special needs. She has been a lifeguard and swim instructor at Roycefield Swim Club and the Hillsborough YMCA. Additionally, she works with The New Brunswick Caring Cooks which provides meals for Ronald McDonald House.

Liliana plans to attend Rutgers in the fall, majoring in biochemistry.

#### **About UNICO National:**

UNICO National, founded in 1922, is the largest Italian American service organization in America, with local Chapters in 22 States across the country. Its all-volunteer members work to support charitable, educational, scientific and literary causes while promoting Italian heritage and combating negative stereotyping.

#### unico.org

# Annual Open House and Live Demo - Spring Reins of Life Horses Helping Trauma Survivors

Horses Helping Veterans & Youth Equine Assisted Psychotherapy

S unday, June 3rd, from 1:00pm - 4:30pm ET

SPRING REINS of LIFE (501c3) – Hunt Cap Farms 401 Main Street, Three Bridges, NJ 08887 (Hunterdon/Somerset County) Directions listed below.

Family Friendly – Horse Demos LIVE @ 1:30, 2:00, 3:00 & 4:00 PM!



Spring Reins of Life is a nonprofit which serves trauma survivors in NJ. We are EAGALA Model Certified and currently the only program in NJ to earn the Military Services Provider Certificate. Most of our clients either do not want to or simply cannot "talk about it"...The Horses HELP without saying a single word!

THEN JOIN US to LEARN MORE!

EAP is a fast growing popular adjunct / alternative to traditional talk therapy. There are now EAGALA Model programs in all 50 states and over 50 countries (growth of over 400% in past 3 yrs) world-wide. There is NO RIDING or mounted activities in this work which is solutions focused to address emotional & mental health issues associated with trauma & loss.

RAIN or SHINE – We have indoor facilities! On site there will be: EAP Demos, Crafts, Bake Sale & Live Music! No horse experience needed to participate.

Please RSVP/ Tickets are FREE / Invite A Friend! (Tax Deductible Donations Appreciated)

Visit the <u>Facebook Event Page</u> or email <u>info@springreinsoflife.org</u> or call 347-886-2798 for more information.

#### **DIRECTIONS:**

Spring Reins of Life makes its home at Hunt Cap Farms at 401 Main Street, Three Bridges NJ 08887.

HCF is a private facility that by grace, we are leasing a portion of. GPS will reliably get you to the specific area but then it quits or lies – so here is the secret map: Main Street is really CR613 (Old York Road), the driveway to the farm entrance is the only driveway on the west side of Main Street between the double set of RR tracks and the Raritan River Bridge (entrance is much closer to the river than the railroad). There is a small lamppost black & white sign in front of a white house that says "Hunt Cap Farms".

DRIVE VERY SLOWLY on the short gravel driveway, there will be SRoL Volunteers to help you park. Do not approach the white house (private residence). The SRoH/SRoL barn is at the end of lot where the elbow of the annex is. We ask for 7-10 mph in and out of the driveway because there are loose animals about – puppies, a mini named Crazylegs, a trio of goats, and our therapy cat Red...and we love them.

## **Events for Charity & Causes**



RideWise invites you to pledge to <u>drive less</u> during the month of June.

Sign the pledge and track your miles.

www.RideWise.org

Many prizes from local sponsors for top participants and contest winners.

\$100 Amazon Gift Card to grand prize winner.



- . Walk
- . Bike
- . Share a ride
- Take the train
- . Take the bus
- . Telecommute

Reduce your miles driven for work or recreation.

Sign up to compete in the Employer Challenge



## Hillsborough Fire Company #3 Announces 19th Annual Golf Outing

Attention golfers! Please join Hillsborough Fire Company #3 on Monday, June 11th for their 19th Annual Golf Outing at Royce Brook Golf Club, one of NJ's top golf facilities.

Registration and breakfast will kick off at 7:15am with a shotgun start following at 8:30am. Following the tournament, there will be an Awards Ceremony and lunch at the Woods Road Fire House (324 Woods Rd, Hillsborough, NJ).

See registration form for instructions. Sponsorship opportunities available!



Donation of \$150 per Golfer includes:

- Breakfast
- Beverages and Food at the Turn
- Green Fee
- Cart
- Scoring
- Lunch
- Tournament Awards

#### **Download Registration Form**

## **Knights of Columbus Golf Outing**

The Knights of Columbus are holding their Annual Charity Golf Outing in support of the Raritan Pregnancy Aid Center in Raritan and Samaritan Homeless Interim Program in Somerville. The event will be hosted again this year at Heron Glen Golf Course in Ringoes, NJ on June 18, 2018.

Through your kindness and generous support, the Knights will be able to supply much needed aid to young women during pregnancy and assist children from age 3 - 21 into managing functional skills and academics despite their disabilities.



More Information | Registration Form

## An Evening of Laughs for a Cause That Matters 3rd Annual "Laughing Matters" to be Held on June 14th 100% of Proceeds go to Family of Chris Koll & Steps Together

June 14th, 7 pm to 11 pm Falcons Nest

140 Falcon Road, Hillsborough
Doors Open @ 7 PM
\$55 per ticket until 6/3, \$65 after 6/3 until sold out.
Ticket price includes a drink ticket.

\*\* Please bring your own snacks but not alcohol as this is a liquor licensed venue. \*\*

#### **PURCHASE TICKET NOW**

(Your Paypal receipt will serve as your entry ticket.)

If you need to purchase multiple tickets (or a table), email Jen or Kristin with a list of names.

You can then provide them with a check payable to Steps Together for \$55 X the number of tickets or pay online @ https://steps-together.org/donate/

Have a group of friends you want to sit with? Contact the event coordinators **Kristin D'avanzo** or **Jen Wilke** with your table details. Tables sit 8 but 10 can squeeze in.

Click **here** for more info about Comedian Carie Karavas, voted most fascinating woman in 2014!



## 5TH ANNUAL COL STANLEY L. LAPIDOW SCHOLARSHIP MOTORCYCLE RIDE & BBO

SATURDAY
JUNE 23, 2018
14 WARNER DRIVE
HILLSBOROUGH
NJ

# JOIN US FOR A MOTORCYCLE RIDE

THROUGH COL LAPIDOW'S HOMETOWN

REGISTRATION AT 10:30AM KICKSTANDS UP AT 11:30AM

# JOIN US FOR A FUN BBQ PARTY

1:00PM - 6:00PM

- \* BOUNCE HOUSE \* FOOD & DRINKS \*
- \* CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT \* MUSIC \* GAMES \*

### PLEASE REGISTER BY JUNE 15, 2018

FOR MORE INFORMATION, TO REGISTER, OR TO MAKE A DONATION PLEASE VISIT

WWW.LAPIDOW.COM



The late COL Stanley L.

Lapidow dedicated much of his life's work to the military and the memory of those who served our great Country.

In his honor, the

COL STANLEY L. LAPIDOW SCHOLARSHIP

was created to support the cadets of the Rutgers Army ROTC Scarlet Knight Battalion.

\*ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY - NORTHERN NJ CHAPTER\*

## **Important Dates**

### **Meeting Dates**

June 6, 2018	Board of Adjustment	7:30 pm
June 7, 2018	Planning Board	Canceled
June 12, 2018	Township Committee Meeting	7:30 pm
June 14, 2018	Planning Board	7:30 pm
June 28, 2018	Planning Board Business Meeting	7:30 pm

All Boards & Commissions Meeting Dates | Community Events | Library events

## **Community Events**

Visit the Community Events Calendar Page on the Hillsborough Township Website to see what's happening around town or to post your event

Click on flyers for more information

# American Diabetes Association Wellness Village

June 2nd 12 - 4 pm Rider University



# Jr. Raiders Free Movie Night Under the Stars

June 8th 7:30 pm Triangle Road Football Complex

### St. Joe's 5k Run/Walk

June 9th 8 am St. Joseph's Church





#### Touch a Truck

June 9th 12-5 pm Central Jersey Regional Airport

### **Rose Day Festival**

June 9th 11 am -5 pm Colonial Park Rose Garden

#### **Montgomery Rodeo**

June 9th 7 pm June 10th 2 pm Montgomery Rodeo

#### Hillsborough Fire Co #3 Golf Outing

June 11th 7:15 am Royce Brook Golf Club



## An Evening of Laughs for a Cause That Matters

June 14th 7-11pm Falcons Nest

## Walkathon to Benefit Mental Health Awareness & Eagle Scout Project

June 16th 9-10 am Ann Van Middlesworth Park

## "Determined to Reach Your Destiny" Speed , Agility and Track Camp

June 25-28

## Wildlife Explorer Program at Duke Farms

July 10-14 (ages 8-10) July 23-27 (ages 11-13)

# Hillsborough Night at Somerset Patriots

Friday, July 13th 7:05pm Somerset County Ballpark

#### Hillsborough Rotary Fair

August 14-19 Field Adjacent to Hillsborough Promenade (Lowe's)

## **School News & Updates**

### **Seeking Old Triangle Road School Photos**

Triangle Elementary School, home of the Tigers is taking a look back in history to its early days. Built in 1962, Triangle School is a twin to Woodfern Elementary. They are seeking historical photographs of the School for a project. If you have any photographs to share, Triangle School will scan them and return the original pictures to you. Please send items to Amy Mele, Triangle School 156 S. Triangle Road, Hillsborough, NJ



08844. They will also accept scanned photographs, sent to <u>amele@htps.us</u>. Any information you can provide about the year and subject of the photographs is greatly appreciated! Stay tuned for the end result of this amazing project.

### ARIS/HMS Discount Card 2017-2018 - Now Only \$5!!

ARIS/HMS 2017-2018 Discount Cards available for \$5.00 each, with all proceeds going to ARIS and HMS school programs and staff grants. The card includes reusable discounts from 34 local businesses including ShopRite's \$4.00 off \$100.00 purchase, McDonald's, Super



Sundaes, Lenny's, Philly Pretzel, Revival Barbershop, Olympia Sports and many more!! Discounts are valid through 9/30/18. Special Promotion: Buy 5 cards, get 1 card free!

To purchase a discount card, please email <u>wenholt@aol.com</u> or stop by Super Sundaes (near the Post Office) and pick one up.

## **Somerset County News**

### **Somerset County June Recycling Events**

- First Saturday of the Month Drop-off June 2nd from 8 am to 2 pm at the Somerset County Recycling Center, located at 40 Polhemus Lane, Bridgewater
- **Electronic waste drop-off** June 2nd from 8 am to 2 pm at the South County Public Works Facility at 410 Roycefield Rd., Hillsborough
- Hazardous Waste drop-off June 16th, from 9 am to 2 pm at the Franklin Township Senior Community Center Parking Lot, located at 505 DeMott Lane, Somerset

A complete listing of recyclable items, recycling drop-off events (First Saturday of the Month, household hazardous waste, medicine, e-waste and tire) and much more is available at <a href="https://www.co.somerset.nj.us/recycle">www.co.somerset.nj.us/recycle</a>

#### **Read More**

### **Senior Centers Announce June Programs**

The Somerset County Senior Centers announce the June program schedule. Programs begin at 11 a.m. unless otherwise noted.

All county-operated senior centers offer a nutritionally balanced lunch, Monday through Friday, for a suggested donation of \$2.50 for anyone 60 and above. Menu choices include a hot meat-based or meatless entrée, or a cold meat-based or meatless boxed lunch. Reservations must be made prior to 10 a.m. the previous business day. Participants are welcome to bring friends or neighbors to lunch.

#### **Read More**

MUNICIPAL BUILDING EVENING OFFICE HOURS

CLERK'S OFFICE 2nd & 4th Tuesdays until 7pm (June, July & August 2nd Tuesday Only)

HEALTH DEPARTMENT 2nd Tuesday until 7pm

BUILDING DEPARTMENT Tuesdays until 7pm

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Recreation Activities Guide

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Hillsborough Parks & Recreation | Sustainable Hillsborough
Hillsborough Schools | Hillsborough Public Library

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