

EVENTS

Mavis Nicholson Leno, the wife of talk show host Jay Leno, will speak to **Women United in Philanthropy** on Oct. 15 at the group's fifth annual Fall Gathering. Leno is the chairwoman of the Feminist Majority's Foundation's Campaign to Help Afghan Women and Girls. She's an outspoken critic of the Taliban's treatment of women and is leading the effort to make the restoration of women's rights a non-negotiable element of a post-Taliban Afghanistan.

Membership in Women United in Philanthropy is extended to women who contribute \$1,000 annually to the collective fund and vote each year to award a large grant to a local program helping women. A total of \$275,000 has been awarded thus far.

The gathering will be held at the Stony Hill Inn in Hackensack between 6 and 9:30 p.m.

Space is limited. Call 201-291-0601 or e-mail Maxine.Frampton@wuip.org. Tickets are \$85 per person.

The Friends of Dr. W.F. Willoughby will host The Garden Party on Sunday starting at 4 p.m. in the auditorium of the Learning Center at the Englewood Hospital and Medical Center, 350 Engle St. in Englewood. Guests will be treated to a concert from legendary tenor saxophonist Houston Person. The cost per person is \$50 (Sponsor), \$45 (Patron), \$35 (Friend), \$20 (Performance Only), \$5 (Student). For more information and to reserve a seat, call 201-567-3961.

