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MAINTENANCE CORNER

***NEW* Rate Your Maintenance Cards**

We are still having our monthly drawing for "Rate Your Maintenance" card winners, but now there is a twist. When you return your rate your maintenance card, not only will you have a chance to win a \$25.00 gift certificate from the Taft business of your choice, but a maintenance team member will also be in the running to win. So help yourself and your favorite maintenance team member win some gift certificates! Congratulations to Philippe Urfalino who was chosen as the winner for January's Rate-Your-Maintenance contest. He will win a \$25.00 gift card!



Yale Basketball
Is all this snow bringing you down? Well get back up and come out to a men's Yale basketball game. Yale has conference home games this month against Cornell, Columbia, Princeton, Penn, Dartmouth, and Harvard. LET'S GO YALE!



Thinking Ahead
The Preferred Waiting List has begun forming for Spring, Summer, and Fall 2011. Do you know someone looking for an apartment next year? We would love to help. Have them call the office at 203-495-TAFT for more information and to schedule an appoi-



Best of New Haven
The New Haven Advocate will be starting there "Best of New Haven" voting on February 10th. Cast your vote for The Taft Apartments as the top apartment community in New Haven!!!

Indoor Storage
Heated indoor storage units are still available for rent on floor SC. These units can be rented out by Taft residents and the general public starting at \$50.00 a month. See Jason in the office for further details.

Down The Road.....

ntment. The list is growing day by day and it is on a first come, first serve basis.



Cupids Arrow

Lease Renewals
Just a friendly reminder. Lease renewal offer letters went out the week of January 24th to notify individuals when their leases will be up. Please call or stop by the office at your convenience to renew your lease.



Valentines Fun
Please join us in the lobby on Monday, February 14th from 3-5pm in honor of Valentines Day. Refreshments will be served and we will have balloons available for the New Haven Advocate's "Best Of" voting. Help The Taft reach #1 in 2011!!!!

Help The Less Fortunate
Non-perishable food items are still being collected in the lobby. We want to fill the big, red box in the lobby. The donation will be made to the Downtown Evening Soup Kitchen.

Upcoming Events



Shubert Theater:

- February 4, 2011 - Flights of Fancy
- Flights of Fancy features in-store wine tasting, special discounts and extraordinary giveaways at over 20 Downtown New Haven shops and boutiques.
- February 11, 12, 13, 2011 - Yale Opera Don Giovanni
- Yale Opera presents its annual production at the Shubert Theater.
- February 19, 20, 2011 - The Rat Pack Is Back
- This spirited show features uncanny vocal re-creations, a live 12-piece orchestra and hits like "That's Amore," "My Way," and more.
- February 23, 2011 - An Evening with Anthony Bourdain
- The internationally acclaimed chef, author, and host of Travel Channel's "No Reservations."

Long Wharf Theater:

- Current - February 13, 2011 - The Old Masters
- Under the menacing shadow of Mussolini, two aging lions joust over the value of art and money. Just outside Florence, famous art historian Bernard Berenson and notorious art dealer Joseph Duveen edge toward a revealing final encounter.

Yale Repertory Theater:

- Current - February 19, 2011 - The Piano Lesson
- Winner of the Pulitzer Prize in Drama, August Wilson's *The Piano Lesson* returns to Yale Rep, where it had its world premiere in 1987.
- February 23 - 26, 2011 - The Method Gun
- Acting guru Stella Burden suddenly and mysteriously moves to South America, leaving behind her devoted company members in the midst of a nine-year rehearsal process for *A Streetcar Named Desire*. In *The Method Gun*, the diaries and letters of Burden's followers are pieced together to recreate the company's final months of rehearsal.

