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# Funny Cide's jockey undaunted by loss

By ROB JONAS

The weather wasn't the only thing that rained on Funny Cide's parade at last Saturday's Belmont Stakes.

After leading through the first half of the mile-and-a-half race, the 3-year-old gelding was passed by Empire Maker on the final turn and wound up placing third in the final event of the Triple Crown.

For the 101,864 fans that jammed Belmont Park on a cool, rainy afternoon to see if Funny Cide could win the Triple Crown, it was a disappointing end to a marvelous run that started with a victory in the Kentucky Derby and included an impressive win in the Preakness. But for the people in Funny Cide's camp — including Delmar resident Gus Williams

— that feeling quickly disappeared.

"He gave it a good run. What can you do?" Williams said.

"I don't feel disappointed about this horse at all. He had a great run," jockey Jose Santos said. "To win the Triple Crown is very difficult. It's been 25 years since someone won the Triple Crown, and I hope that it takes another 25 years before someone wins it."

Jose Santos

Funny Cide had the right starting position for the race. He left from the No. 4 position, which initially kept him off the rail, where the runoff from the heavy rain had formed puddles of standing water.

But when none of the other five horses in the field moved to the lead out

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## Local fans enjoy ride

By ROB JONAS

Usually, a Saturday morning train going from the Albany-Rensselaer station to Penn Station in New York City is only four cars long.

Last Saturday, Amtrak had to more than double the size of its usual weekend train to accommodate all the Capital District residents going to Belmont Park to watch Funny Cide race in the Belmont Stakes.

More than 550 people bought a special

\$60 round-trip ticket package that included a connection on the Long Island Rail Road from Penn Station to Belmont Park, admission to the grandstand and a race-day program.

"We were trying to get down to the Kentucky Derby, and we didn't make it," said Colonie resident Mary Kalica, who made the trip with her friends Gloria and Don Maki and Marilyn Davis. "Then, we tried to go down to the Preakness (in Baltimore), and we didn't make it. When we knew about this (train), we called them (the Makis) right away."

Some of the people on the train were sporting Funny Cide T-shirts and other

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## Marcelle to run for town justice post

By KRISTEN OLBY

The race for Bethlehem's vacant seat for town justice is now a contested one, with the town's Republican party endorsing its candidate this week. Current town board member Tom Marcelle, who is serving his first term, will make a bid for the bench. Marcelle says he'll remain on the board until the election is held Nov. 4.



Marcelle

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## Patriot Act opponents speak out

By KRISTEN OLBY

The town of Bethlehem may soon join forces with a growing number of other communities nationwide that are formally opposing the USA Patriot Act, if a neighborhood group has its way. The Bethlehem Bill of Right Defense Committee, in conjunction with several other organizations, co-sponsored an educational forum on Sunday to discuss the act and its implications.

More than 100 people crowded the town hall auditorium to learn more. A lawyer, librarian, book store owner, professor and civil liberties expert all spoke out against the Patriot Act, which was passed shortly after Sept. 11, 2001. The lengthy law, designed to help fight terrorism, gives new powers to both domestic law enforcement and international intelligence agencies.

"So few people really understand the

incredible impact the Patriot Act has on the Bill of Rights and on the Constitution," said Melanie Trimble, executive director of the Capital District New York Civil Liberties Union.

Opponents of the act say it threatens constitutionally guaranteed freedoms while eliminating the checks and balances that previously gave courts the opportunity to ensure law enforcement powers were not abused.

Under the 342-page law, the FBI can compel libraries and book stores to hand over reading lists of patrons without informing them. Library personal would be prohibited from disclosing they'd been ordered to produce such documents.

"If the FBI has been at my library I cannot tell you ... unless I wish to face possible arrest," said Barbara Nichols Randall, director of Gunderland Public Library.

The American Library Association

believes this provision of the law violates the Freedom To Read Act adopted by the organization 50 years ago. As a result of the legislation, Randall said her library has modified some of the circulation records it keeps.

"We've reviewed our record-keeping practices. If we do not keep a record, that record cannot be seen," said Randall, followed by boisterous laughter from the audience.

The library has also held training sessions for staff to outline what processes should be followed should law enforcement arrive. Some community

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Justin Henderson gets ready to launch a plastic rocket at Elm Avenue Park last Sunday.

Jim Franco


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# Bethlehem police ready to roll with mobile unit

By KRISTEN OLBY

By the end of the month, Bethlehem police will have a new tool in their fight on crime rolling down the town roads. It's the size of a city bus and called the Field Operations Unit (FOU) or "Foo" as its been dubbed by the department for short.

The operations unit consists of practically everything you'd find at the Police Department, except officers. Right now, they're all being trained on how to drive the 30-foot-long bus while becoming acquainted with the equipment inside.

"Everything that we have in our communication center is

duplicated in the bus," said Bethlehem Police Chief Louis Corsi.

The field operations unit will allow police to conduct investigations and respond to emergency situations for lengthy periods of time. Corsi anticipates it will be used at road checks, heavy vehicle inspections, major crime scenes and during natural disasters. In an emergency situation, such as a train derailment, the field operations unit would serve as central command, providing communication access and a place where multiple agencies can confer on tactics.

"You can operate that scenario separately from public safety

because when something large happens in town, the rest of the town still has to run. There's still calls for service, there's still 911," explained Corsi.

The bus is equipped with two computer dispatch centers, radios, phones and a mobile data terminal that allows officers to pull up records from the Department of Motor Vehicles and other county agencies while in the field.

"There's a weather station built into it so if we're on the scene of a hazardous material we can get the wind direction," said Corsi, whose plans for the field operations unit don't end there. He'd like to see a mast camera installed to obtain long-range video, a useful tool

when handling hazardous chemical situations that can keep officers at a distance.

The empty International bus was purchased in 2001 by the department for about \$50,000 and is specifically designed to function as a mobile command vehicle. Equipment and furnishings were installed over the course of two years for an additional \$50,000, with work wrapping up this week.

By using local companies to outfit the unit, Corsi estimates the department saved upwards of \$100,000, compared to purchasing a fully equipped bus. The department paid for the field operations unit through budgeted revenues.

With the introduction of the unit, an aging 1981, 24-foot GMC truck that once served as the mobile command unit for the department can now be put to rest. But, it had its glory days. When lightning struck the department's tower, crippling communications in 1998, the mobile command unit had to be hard wired into the system and parked outside the building for six months. These days, the field operations unit would prevent such a dilemma because it's capable of tapping into the computer system immediately. Corsi estimates "Foo" will serve the department and its needs for the next 20 years.



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# BC board pleased with vote turnout

By RONALD E. CAMPBELL

On June 3, voters in the Bethlehem Central School District passed the 2003-04 budget by a margin of 2,756 to 1,352. Incumbent school board member Lynne Lenhardt was re-elected without opposition.

"It was such a huge voter turnout and such a large plurality. It must have been all of the publicity in recent months across the whole state concerning the budget process that caught everyone's interest," said school board President Warren Stoker.

"The results demonstrate people are satisfied with the way the district is being run," he added.

According to the New York State School Board Association, "Voter support for schools sets a record. Despite tax levy increases that averaged 7.4 percent statewide, voters in 94 percent of New York State's 704 school districts approved district budgets June 3."

"That's the highest approval rate since NYSSBA began keeping records in 1969. Since then, an average of 82 percent of budgets have passed on the first vote. This is quite extraordinary, considering the weakness of the economy," said Timothy G. Kremer, NYSSBA's executive director. "These votes say that people want high-quality schools, and they are willing to pay for them. The votes also say that citizens have confidence that the school boards they elected have made prudent decisions to balance needs and means."

Bethlehem School Superintendent Les Loomis agreed. "It was a very difficult budget year and the board worked very hard and made some difficult choices," he said.

The board reduced expenses by \$877,000 and applied the entire amount of state aid, restored by the legislative override of the governor's veto, to reduction of the tax rate increase in the district. The resulting estimated tax rate increase of 3.7 percent is exactly half that projected for the state average of 7.4 percent to support the final district budget of \$55,814,285.

At its June 4 meeting, the board continued its review of the Facilities and Enrollment report and made some decisions concerning the elementary schools.

"The board has determined that it should build a new 12 classroom elementary school on

the Van Dyke property across from the high school," Loomis said.

"We will expand the core facility of Clarksville by adding two classrooms which will result in a net gain of one. The library/media center will be expanded from its present 1,200 square feet to 1,600, and the cafeteria/auditorium will be enlarged," said Loomis.

"Clarksville is an important piece of our educational picture," said Stoker. "Further, the neighborhood concept runs deep in our district which made support of Clarksville important to us."

"Also, most of the new residential construction is in the area of the proposed new elementary school on Van Dyke, which makes utilization of this property already owned by the district school a good solution to crowding in the district elementary buildings," Stoker added.

Elevators are being considered for Elsmere, to gain access to second floor space, and for Slingerlands. Options for the middle school will be discussed at the next board meeting, which is scheduled for June 11 at 8 p.m. at district offices.

The final proposals will be included in a bond referendum the board hopes to present to district taxpayers in October or November.

By a margin of 429 votes, R-C-S voters passed the school budget that included an increase in spending of just one-tenth of 1 percent over the current year. The \$32,395,720 budget passed with 975 votes for and 546 against.

Roughly 60 percent of the budget will be spent on instructional expenses, such as teacher salaries. Fringe benefits, which include health insurance, retirement costs, and social security, will absorb 15.6 percent of the budget.

Another 11 percent will be used for general support expenses such as building and ground maintenance. Just over 7 percent of the budget will be used for debt reduction while another 6.3 percent will be allotted toward transportation costs.

The passage of the budget will make possible the hiring of a part-time science teacher at the high school to help students meet state science requirements, one additional custodian and an added teaching position for the start of full-day pre-kindergarten in September.

Voters also approved a proposition that would allow the district to purchase five new buses, to replace five aging buses, by a vote of 963 to 512. The cost of the buses may not exceed \$328,000.

The district was also given permission from voters to continue a bus lease agreement that began last year by a vote of 964 to 509. The district will be able to lease four school buses at a total cost of \$41,370, including finance charges.

## Splish splash



Julia Soleau enjoys a swim in the Elm Avenue Park pool last Sunday.

Jim Franco

## Kenholm Pool slates open house

By KATHERINE MCCARTHY

If you're looking for something to do with Dad on his special day, check out the open house at the Kenholm Pool this Sunday, June 15, from noon to 7 p.m. Located on Dumbarton Drive in Delmar, the Kenholm Pool is celebrating its 40th anniversary and will offer a 40 percent discount to the first 40 new members.

Built before the town park and its pool, the Kenholm Pool has long added to the close-knit feeling of the neighborhood that was young when the pool was built. Originally available only to residents in the Kenholm neighborhood, membership is now available to the entire community.

"The pool is a very calm place, very family-oriented, the kids love it, and the lifeguards know all the children," said Kim McCall, a member of the pool's board, who oversees lifeguard

scheduling.

The pool is open from Memorial Day till Labor Day. Until school gets out, its hours are from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. daily. After that, it will be open noon to 8 p.m. every day. The Kenholm pool is actually two pools — one large, 8-foot deep pool, and a 16-foot by 20-foot kiddie pool.

There's lots of grass, shade, convenient parking, chaise lounges and chairs on-site. There are grills for members to use, as well as picnic tables, and vending machines for a little snack during the day.

One to three lifeguards are on duty at any given time, and swimming lessons are available from a water safety instructor-qualified lifeguard. There's an adult lap swim for the first and last half-hour of each day, and the first 15 minutes of every hour at the pool are adult swim time. There's also a volleyball net, and at different times throughout the

summer, there are theme parties.

The pool is available for rental when it's not open — including evenings, since the pool has lights — and for limited party use when it is open. Bethlehem Pre-School also runs a swimming program for its kids in the summer.

Kids 10 and older can go to the pool unaccompanied; kids under 10 need to be in the company of someone who's at least 14. The pool is run by a nine-member volunteer board, which oversees maintenance, accounting, lifeguards and compliance with state Department of Health's regulations.

This Sunday's open house will be from noon to 7 p.m. with free hot dogs, lemonade and soda. Action Bounce will provide a firehouse slide from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Annual membership to the Kenholm Pool is \$375; with a 40 percent discount to the first 40 new members.

For information, call 439-9831.

## Library renovations to begin soon

By KRISTEN OLBY

Renovations to Bethlehem Public Library will be under way late this summer thanks to voter approval on June 3 of a \$1.5 million bond proposal that will fund the work.

The referendum passed by a margin of 940 votes — 2,517 for and 1,577 against, including absentee ballots. The project will result in a tax increase of approximately \$33 per year for five years (a total of \$165) for a home assessed at \$150,000. The library will contribute \$100,000 already earmarked for the work.

"I like it as it is but I can see where there's need for improvement," said E.D. Hamiller of Slingerlands, a frequent library patron, who cast his vote in favor of the work.

The aging building — built more than 30 years ago — will see a facelift resulting in what library officials say will be a new and improved facility that's easier to

navigate. Interior lighting will be upgraded utilizing an energy-saving system, new carpet installed and fallen exterior and interior bricks will be replaced.

Bathrooms and the circulation desk will be made handicapped accessible to meet Americans With Disabilities Act code requirements. The library's popular audiovisual section will be moved from the rear of the library to the front, making it easier to locate, and the quiet reading area will be shifted away from the circulation desk.

"The whole atmosphere in the library is going to be much more welcoming, bright and friendly, and user access is going to be tremendously improved," said an ecstatic Library Director Nancy Pieri shortly after the vote.

Three years ago voters overwhelmingly rejected a loftier renewal project — roughly \$8.6 million — that would have included closing the facility while some work was to be conducted. This time around, library officials launched a zealous marketing campaign, holding public meetings to gain feedback on improvements and distributing a

needs assessment plan that outlined priority projects.

"That showed very specifically what we're going to do in each department, in each corner of the library, and it gave an estimated cost for it," said Pieri, who believes the plan helped voters understand the dire need for repairs.

This time around, the library will remain open with sections closed off to patrons during construction. While work on this project is not yet under way, planning for future library improvements continues.

"Once this project is completed, I think we're going to have to go back and take a look at what we need to do for the next 10 years," said Pieri. Potential long-term projects include replacing the 20-year-old roof, adding a new elevator and addressing parking needs.

Voters also approved the library's operating budget of \$3.15 million by a vote of 2,746 to 1,407, according to the school district. Happy Scherer, Paula Read, and Louise Kavanaugh were elected to the library board.

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# Trees lend value and character to neighborhoods

By KATHERINE MCCARTHY

When we first looked at the house that would become our home, it was early April. There were two trees in front of every house, and it was easy to imagine a shaded summer street.

"It's like the '50s here," the real estate agent said, overreaching just a tad for the era that would best evoke our childhoods.

There had been neighborhoods we rejected outright because of a lack of trees. Seven shady summers and gloriously colorful autumns later, Cynthia Sobiecki, a realtor with Realty USA, confirmed my suspicion that trees can help make a neighborhood.

"Often, homebuyers will seek properties with mature landscaping and private settings," Sobiecki said. "They add to the

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perceived value of a home and are an important criteria to numerous buyers."

When we first moved into our home, there was a large stand of woods around the corner. Shortly after our arrival, bulldozers headed down the street, and in a space that didn't look big enough, nearly 20 new houses went up. People who grew up here bemoaned the loss of the woods that provided so many childhood adventures.

"There was a pond in the woods," one friend said, "and my

brothers and I skated on it in the winter."

We were all sad to see the trees and undergrowth go, but now people are out tending new shrubs and flowers in front of their houses, mowing their lawns or shouting at teenagers who drive by too fast to slow down.

Some people have planted trees on their lawns — oaks, pines, flowering crabs — so that one day, that neighborhood will move beyond being a great spring and fall neighborhood to a place where my dog and I can find a shaded walkway in the summer. When my children are grown, I hope they will marvel at the trees that have grown up where they never knew any.

We've guaranteed our kids a few tree memories. One is due to my father, who started promising the boys a tree house when we first moved from Manhattan to a rented house here. That house had craggy catalpa trees that produced gorgeous white flowers each spring and shed big seed pods that doubled as natural maracas in the fall. One of the trees had a double trunk and 3-year-old Cormac loved to stand between the two.

"It's my resting tree," he said, and when we pass that little red house, he still sighs about that tree. There was a maple tree on the property, too, with a branch just low enough for the neighborhood kids to climb. We have a picture with four or five kids grinning down from what must have seemed like lofty

perches to them.

My father finally built the boys' tree house when we moved here. In its first summer, Christopher held "space school" there: today, the boys and their friends hide their cache of toy weapons for their elaborate, self-invented game of "Time Warp."

There's a pulley system that Grandpa added another summer, which periodically requires reinforcement of the tree house's basic rules: Do not put the dog in the bucket; and, no tying the rope around kids' waists to try to hoist them up.

Their time in trees echoes my childhood, when the neighbor's cherry tree was the primary foliage in a yard where their seven children were joined by the rest of the neighborhood, and whoever wasn't playing in the perpetually ongoing baseball game usually hung out in the skybox that tree created.

A huge poplar made the perfect hide-and-seek spot, close enough to home base to come in free when the seeker went after the long-distance hiders. Even if the seeker thought to look behind that poplar, you had a good chance of beating him or her to safety.

On a recent trip to New York City, my mother and I found a bit of each of our childhoods when we wandered down Central Park's Writers Way, lined by American chestnuts forming their enormously high canopy.

As I looked up, I was a child again, walking under the roof of

chestnuts that kept me dry and shady as I walked along Caroline Street on my way to school. Somehow, the trees were even more imposing in winter, when their bare branches could hold inches of snow far above our heads.

As people move into brand new houses, I hope they will remember that trees are a renewable resource and put a couple in front of their house. Perhaps, if all of us haven't yet bought Dad a tie or some tools, how about giving him a tree for Father's Day?

Bob Horn, master gardener, said that the city of Albany and Cornell Cooperative Extension maintain a list of recommended trees for this area. Horn said to buy trees from a reputable nursery, which should cost about \$100 for a 10-to-12 foot tall tree with a diameter of about two-and-a-half inches.

"It's best to plant in the spring and fall," he said, "but remember that the tree will need two years to recover from the shock of planting."

"Let the tree sway in the wind, which will help it establish its root system," Horn said. "Water it once a month in conditions like we have now, and once a week if we get into a drought."

It sounds like a recipe for raising children: don't overfeed them, give them lots of liquids and let them establish their root system while they reach for the sky.

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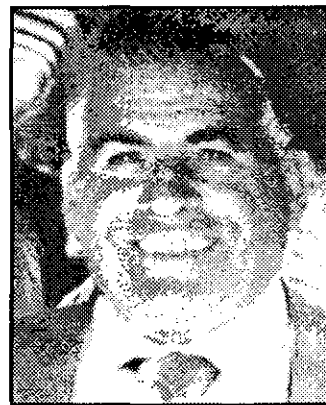
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# Construction to begin in late summer

A "yes" vote on the library's building referendum last week was the initial step on the road toward significant improvements in library facilities and services for the town.

With design work already in place, the project can go forward immediately with the bidding process. Work is expected to begin in late summer and be completed in about six months.

The \$1.5 million renovation project includes accommodation for more public computers and data ports, a reconfigured entrance and floor plan, ADA upgrades to service desks and lavatory facilities, improved interior and exterior lighting, new carpet, group and individual study areas, and dedicated areas for tots and teens.

The exterior profile of our 32-year old, 28,800 square-foot building will not change.

## Green design

According to the architects (Sear-Brown), renovation will incorporate sustainable, or "green," design features.

Carpeting, ceiling, and other materials will have significant recycled material content. Replacement lighting will save energy and be eligible for grant money through the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority. New materials and finishes will have low VOC (volatile organic compound) content and new low-flow plumbing fixtures will be installed.

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Environmental sensitivity will also be reflected in construction practices. A waste management program will be applied to construction debris, and indoor air quality will be monitored throughout construction.

## Business as usual

The project will be completed in six phases, allowing the library to remain open. Areas under construction will be sealed off. Access to grounds and parking may be restricted.

The library's meeting rooms will serve as "swing space" to temporarily accommodate displaced materials and operations.

## Programs on hold

Because of meeting room unavailability, limited parking and safety issues, we will be canceling

most library programs from September, 2003 through March, 2004. Fall story times will still be held, though for a shorter period of time.

Program scheduling will be re-evaluated as the project moves toward completion. Library programs will be reinstated as soon as is practical.

Our meeting rooms will also be unavailable for community group meetings booked from September 1, 2003 to July 1, 2004. The library maintains a list of other meeting rooms in the Delmar area. If you would like a copy, call 439-9314, and press option "7" for the meeting room coordinator.

## Learn more

The library's needs assessment document and other information about the project can be found on our Web site, [www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org](http://www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org).

The Web site and the library newsletter will keep you informed of developments.

## Library closing

The library will be closed this Friday, June 13, for Staff Development Day.

No materials will be due that day, and the garage drop slot will remain open for your convenience. (The curbside book return will be locked.) There will be no telephone service. You can request, renew and research on the library Web site at, [www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org](http://www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org). The library will reopen on Saturday, June 14, at 10 a.m.

Louise Grieco

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# Matters of Opinion

## Give Dad his due

Father's Day tends to be a day to reflect upon all the things fathers do for their families all year long.

It's a time when we think of his wisdom and guidance in helping us make our way through life. We typically thank him with gifts, cards and small tokens of our affection.

Let's face it, modern day dads have a tough job and are expected to be more than just providers or breadwinners. Dads are no longer viewed as the main breadwinner who comes home from work and sits in his easy chair and reads the paper. Fathers today are expected to take active roles in raising families, where many women also hold down full-time jobs.

Dads no longer "bypass" the diaper-changing days and are expected to play a hands-on role in parenting their children right from the beginning. This, overall, is a better scenario for the well-being of families.

So on Sunday, let's take a moment to thank Dad for all he does all year long. Let's try to make him feel that he is appreciated on his special day.

Happy Father's Day.

### Editorials

## Stay cool on the road

Summertime and the livin' is easy.

Well not exactly, especially for drivers throughout the Capital District.

Right now, road work is in full swing and that translates into delays, sometimes long traffic delays, and tempers are often hotter than the temperatures.

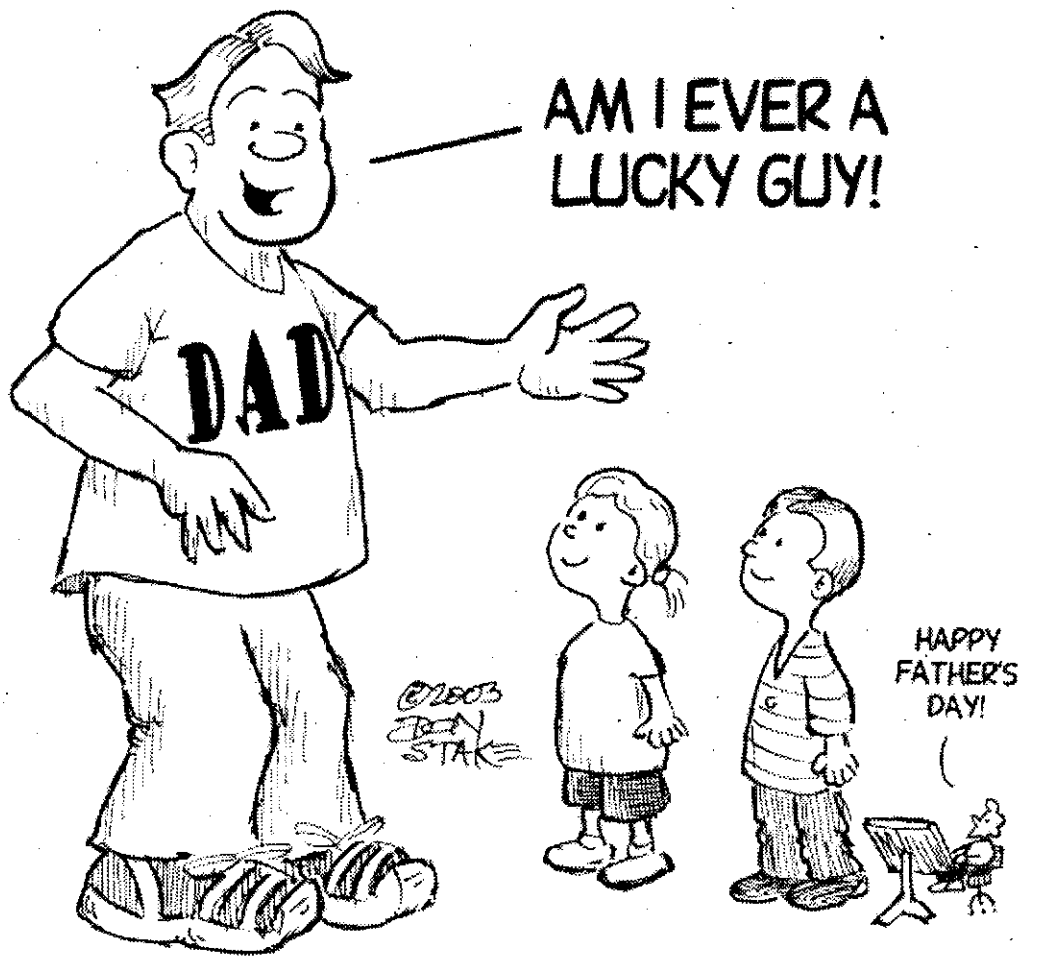
Add to that the fact that school is winding down and kids will take to the roadways on bikes, and that means another risk factor for drivers to consider.

Drivers must learn to lighten up and exercise more patience. Leaning on the horn or otherwise inappropriate behavior simply adds to an already uncomfortable situation.

Let's exercise patience and accept the fact that traffic delays are inevitable at this time of the year.

Drivers who tend to lose their cool sometimes exhibit signs of road rage, which can lead to real trouble with law enforcement agencies or unnecessary accidents. Drivers who keep their cool can sometimes avoid traffic tie-ups by taking alternative routes where there is no congestion. If you can't avoid a route where road work is going on, turn on the radio; eventually you'll get through.

Another way to avoid trouble is to leave a little earlier for work, before the road crews start their work.



## Dad knows how to eat elephants

By ROBIN SHRAGER SUITOR

*The writer is a freelance writer who lives in Delmar.*

I was packing recently for an out-of-town work conference, trying to fit three nights and four days worth of business and casual clothes into the 22-inch wheeled suitcase I borrowed from my father.

I chuckled to myself, conjuring up travel advice Dad has offered in the past: "Don't schlep too much. Bring interchangeable outfits. Roll up your socks and stuff them into your shoes."

So Father's Day is coming and I'm thinking, how do I show my appreciation for the source of such great wisdom?

Actually, my dad is easy when it comes to buying presents. He'll tell you what he wants. In the past he's put in requests for new polo

### Point of View

shirts or a particular book. One year he announced he was getting a new set of golf clubs, and he invited each child to sponsor an iron. To top it off, we get the whole family together and order Italian food and he picks up the tab for Father's Day dinner!

More than gifts or golf or even grilling, my father enjoys spending time with his children and grandchildren. Occasionally my parents come over to be with my 6-year-old while my husband and I go out. My father refers to this as "bonding with his grandchild" rather than "babysitting."

I enjoy watching him interact with my daughter. She looks forward to seeing him, not only because he forks over change for her piggy bank, but because he takes the time to play cards, look at her school work, watch her perform magic tricks and even show up at her dance class. In short, he takes an interest in her.

My father also takes an interest in my activities and especially enjoys hearing about my work. I like sharing stories about my job with my father. Who else but a 38-year career civil servant would spend more than an hour talking about developing contracts, budgeting and working with consultants?

My dad and I speak the same language when it comes to our passion about state service. I describe projects I'm working on and seek his advice on the options I might pursue. He jokes that he should charge me a consulting fee.

Ironically, when I was a kid I only knew that my father was something called an "auditor." However, when asked about Dad's occupation, I told my elementary school teacher my

father was a volunteer fireman, because I didn't know what an auditor did. I also didn't know that "volunteers" don't get paid.

I was nearly 30 years old before I actually grasped what my father did for a living. By that time, he had retired. I still long for the days when we both worked downtown and I would chance upon him at lunchtime. He'd say, "How's it going, kid?" and we'd walk laps at the Empire State Plaza.

My dad still frequently phones to "use up cell phone minutes" and see how things are going. My infinitely wise and patient husband Jeff reminds me I am still my father's child, no matter how old I get, and I should cherish my parents' interest in my welfare. I try to remember this so I don't shout "Why are you calling during 'West Wing'?" Rachel's finally asleep, and I just sat down."

I must have had this outburst at least once, because often my dad just says "Hi. Everything OK?" I tell him yes and he says, "OK, go back to your television show." He's not looking for a long conversation, he just wants to hear the sound of his child's voice.

There are times he catches me when I'm feeling overwhelmed with work or with parenting or with life in general. This is when one of his top pieces of advice comes into play: "How do you eat an elephant? One bite at a time."

Yes, it's a riddle of sorts, basically a kid's joke. But it has gotten me through many stressful situations. Just when I'm feeling lost, I take a deep breath and begin by tackling one small task at a time. It may not sound like profound advice, but it has been helpful.

Here's what else he taught me: Life is a series of decisions. You don't always make the right ones, but you can figure out a way to turn the bad ones around.

For example, there was the time my dad told me not to sign

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# Matters of Opinion



Robin Suitor and her dad, Jerry Shrager.

up for physics class my senior year in high school. It wasn't that he thought I couldn't handle the topic, he just saw no need for me to overload a schedule that already included AP calculus and other honors courses. But I didn't

listen.

It wasn't long before physics class began wreaking havoc on my grade point average. At the meeting with the guidance counselor, Dad wore a suit and used the word superfluous. I

didn't know what the word meant at the time, but it sounded very impressive. Soon, I transferred out of physics and into Spanish 4 (the class I should've signed up for in the first place, ay caramba!).

My father can't solve every problem. He doesn't have all the right answers (nor has he claimed to). There are times we annoy each other. I'm 37 and he still tells me, "Stop making faces." Still, I know he has my best interests at heart, and he takes pride in my successes.

My most recent success was leaving for that work trip with a barely bulging suitcase containing a limited but sufficient selection of clothes and toiletries. There was even room to bring back some of the material I accumulated during the conference.

I look forward to celebrating with my dad on Father's Day, not because we can put dinner on his credit card, but because he deserves credit for the love, support and guidance that he's packed into my life.

## Happy Father's Day

## Players deserve better

Editor, The Spotlight:

Maybe it's just a coincidence, but could the dramatic difference between the success of Bethlehem's varsity girls lacrosse and varsity girls softball teams be explained by the following?

During April and May, as a volunteer coach for a travel baseball team, we would practice on Saturday mornings at the high school field. There, I observed the girls lax team working hard for two hours in a well-designed practice session.

Across the way, the varsity softball field was always empty.

As a result of their effort, the girls lax team won the sectionals

and hope to win the state title. The girls softball finished below .500 again and couldn't even make the sectionals despite a talented, veteran team with outstanding pitching.

Under the previous coach, the team practiced before school at 6 a.m., on Saturday mornings and Sunday evenings. Not surprisingly, during those five years, the team always contended for the league championship and sectional title.

I simply think the softball players of this school district and the taxpayers deserve better.

Joe Urschel  
Delmar

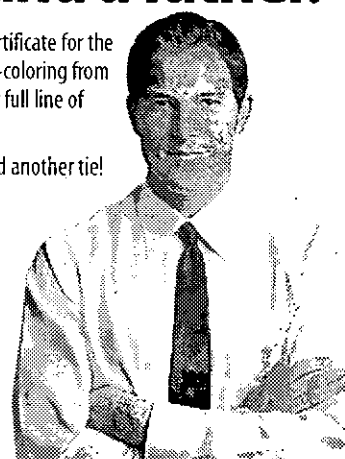
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## Kudos to dentist for raising fluoride issue

Editor The Spotlight:

I am glad to see that the Bethlehem town board is once again considering the health benefits of fluoridating the water

supply.

Thank you Dr. Joseph Hart and thank you Tom Marcelle for raising the issue of fluoridation at a recent town board meeting. I

respect both of you for your leadership in this matter.

I have known Dr. Hart for nearly 30 years and never in my lifetime, have I met a more competent, trustworthy dentist.

May the good town board members please be aware that basic dental health care needs for children trumps political expediency in the soul of a true leader.

Thomas A. Welsh  
Delmar

## Trustees say thank you

Editor, The Spotlight:

Two weeks ago, we asked for your help. Now we wish to express our appreciation for your help. Voters overwhelmingly approved the bond for the Bethlehem Public Library's \$1.5 million renewal project.

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drop, but 61 percent of you supported a referendum that is essential to maintain the outstanding services our residents expect and deserve.

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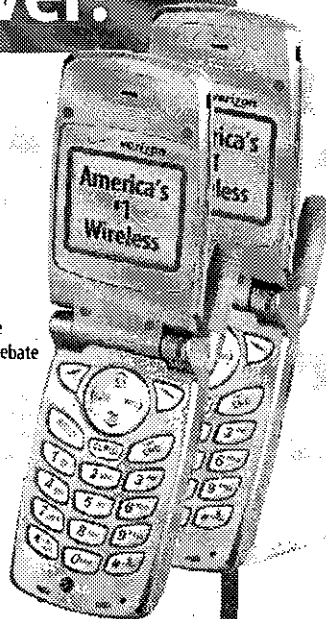
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# Undercurrents of the Capital District

## A Peaceful Respite

By KATHERINE MCCARTHY

The warmth of the spring sunshine and the quiet of the day created a dream-like trance. Standing on the Whipple Bridge at the foot of Van Vranken Road, looking at the worn footpath next to the remains of the Erie Canal, it was easy to imagine a long-past day. Then, a flat-bottom canal boat might have plied the canal, maybe stopping for repairs or supplies at the dry docks, mule barns and grocery stores that once were part of Vischer Ferry. It's easy to imagine hearing, "Low bridge!"

Instead, the creaky-gate call of the red-winged blackbird and the croak of bullfrogs are the soundtrack that accompany the tall green grass, cattails and white tufts of blossom that float gently down from the trees to form the illusion of snow on the edges of

leftover canals and ponds that make up the Vischer Ferry Nature and Historic Preserve.

It's a far cry from the suburban developments and malls that typically come to mind when people think of Clifton Park. "It's our little treasure," Town Historian John Scherer said of the 400-acre preserve bounded by Riverview Road on one side and the Mohawk River on the other.

The Vischer Ferry Nature and Historic Preserve was founded in 1977 when a group of citizens appealed to the town to keep the land undeveloped. Then, the town of Clifton Park and the state Department of Transportation cared for the property, today, it's a joint venture between Clifton Park and the state Canal Corp.

The preserve is located in Clifton Park's hamlet of Vischer Ferry, which was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1975. Its Greek revival homes pay tribute to the heyday of the Erie Canal, when it was a booming little village.

"Vischer Ferry was a major place for boat building as you can see by the remains of the three dry docks in the preserve," Scherer said. "There were boom times, starting in 1825, when about 250 boats went through Lock 19 every day."

Two names are important to the Vischer Ferry preserve. One is Fort's Ferry, where Clifton Park's first settlement grew up when Nicholas Fort ran a ferry across the Mohawk River starting in 1727. John Clute's house still stands on Riverview Road. It's a solid brick building that faces the Erie Canal. Clute was a merchant who prospered largely due to a spring under a willow tree that made his property a regular stop for canal traffic. Clute also had a station barn, where mules were available for rental.

"Station barns were common along the canal," Scherer said. "If you didn't own mules, you could rent them to tow your boat along the canal."

Today, Nancy Douglas has taken advantage of the rich, silt-laden soil to run her landscape design and gardening business, Willow Springs Perennials, from John Clute's house. Her front lawn rolls down to the Erie Canal, the original towpath and the marshland between it and the Mohawk River.

"There are kingfishers and all kinds of wildlife," she said. "There are the remains of a farmer's bridge on my property — the low, stone bridges that were built so farmers could get to their lands after the canal broke up their properties. Those stone bridges were the genesis of the words, 'low bridge, everybody down.'"

Before the building of the Erie Canal, Mohawk Indians farmed the land along

the river. When the first white settlers arrived from the neighboring towns of Niskayuna, Schenectady and Albany, they also farmed the land. In 1825, the Erie Canal opened and created a supplemental living for the farmers of the area.

In 1836, the canal was widened, and it was rebuilt again in 1842. When the Barge Canal opened in 1917, the land flooded each spring, and the settlers moved inland. The state bought the property and for a while, some of the owners leased back their houses to use as summer camps.

"This is one of the few places in the state that you can see all three versions of the Erie Canal," said Scherer, who leads interpretative tours of the preserve.

In addition to seeing the remains of the Erie Canal, locks, farmers' bridges and the iron trestle bridges that were common during the canal's heyday, the Vischer Ferry Nature and Historic Preserve is prime recreation land today. The preserve's trails are used for walking, mountain biking and cross-country skiing in the winter.

Clute's Dry Dock still sees boats, since it's been turned into a canoe launch. The water also draws birdwatchers and fishermen. Markers help orient visitors to the preserve, and the town of Clifton Park mows and maintains the trails.

"It's a great educational resource," said Pat Haffner, Clifton Park's director of parks

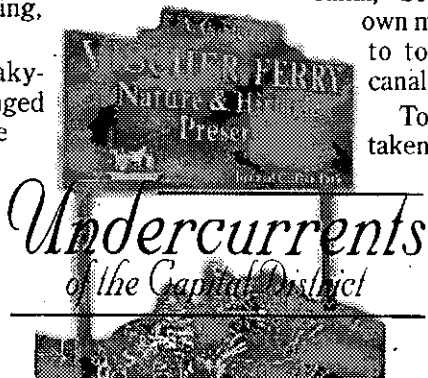
and recreation. "We have an educational brochure designed primarily for elementary school teachers that an intern prepared for us."

A pamphlet that serves as a guide to the preserve is also available at town hall. The town of Clifton Park allocated \$4,500 for the preserve in its 2003 budget and allocated \$5,000 in 2001 and another \$13,000 for improvements that have yet to be spent. A master plan for the preserve ensures that it will remain an important town resource for years to come.

Strolling along the paths lined with blossoming wild strawberries, it's easy to believe Haffner's words.

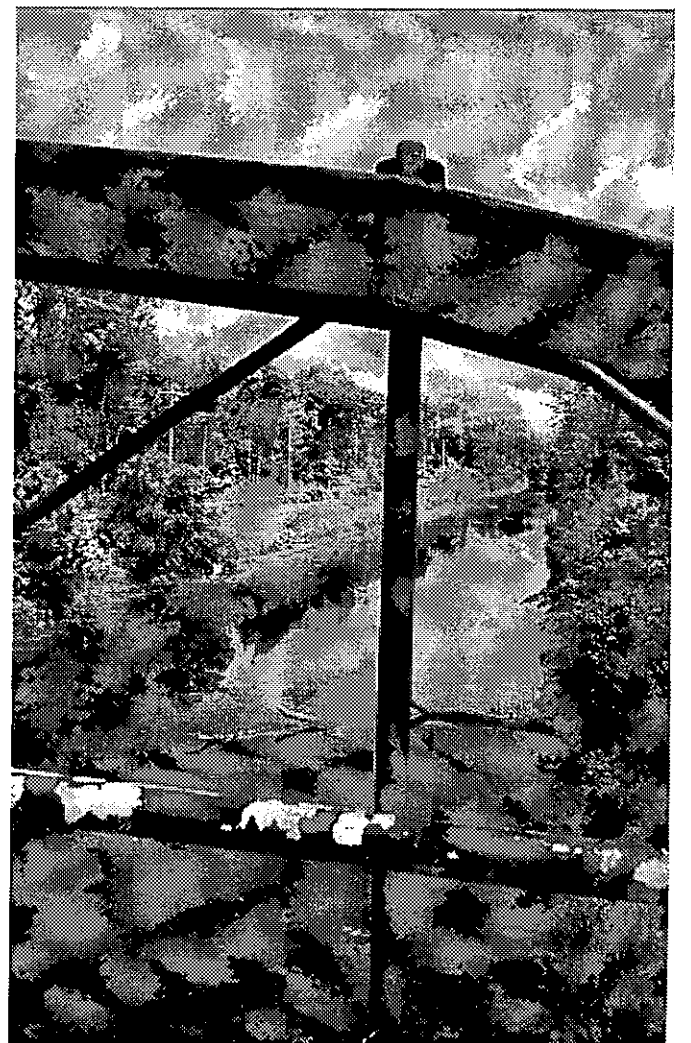
"There are so many wonderful features to this preserve," she said.

John Scherer will lead two tours of the preserve this summer. On Aug. 9, he'll lead an Erie Canal tour to the remains of Lock 19, and on Sept. 20, during Farm Fest, visitors will walk to Fort's Ferry. For information, call the Clifton Park Parks and Recreation Department at 371-6651.



The original John Clute home is currently home to Willow Springs Perennials. Photo on right is a view of the Erie Canal from Whipple Bridge at the Vischer Ferry Nature and Historic Preserve.

Katherine McCarthy



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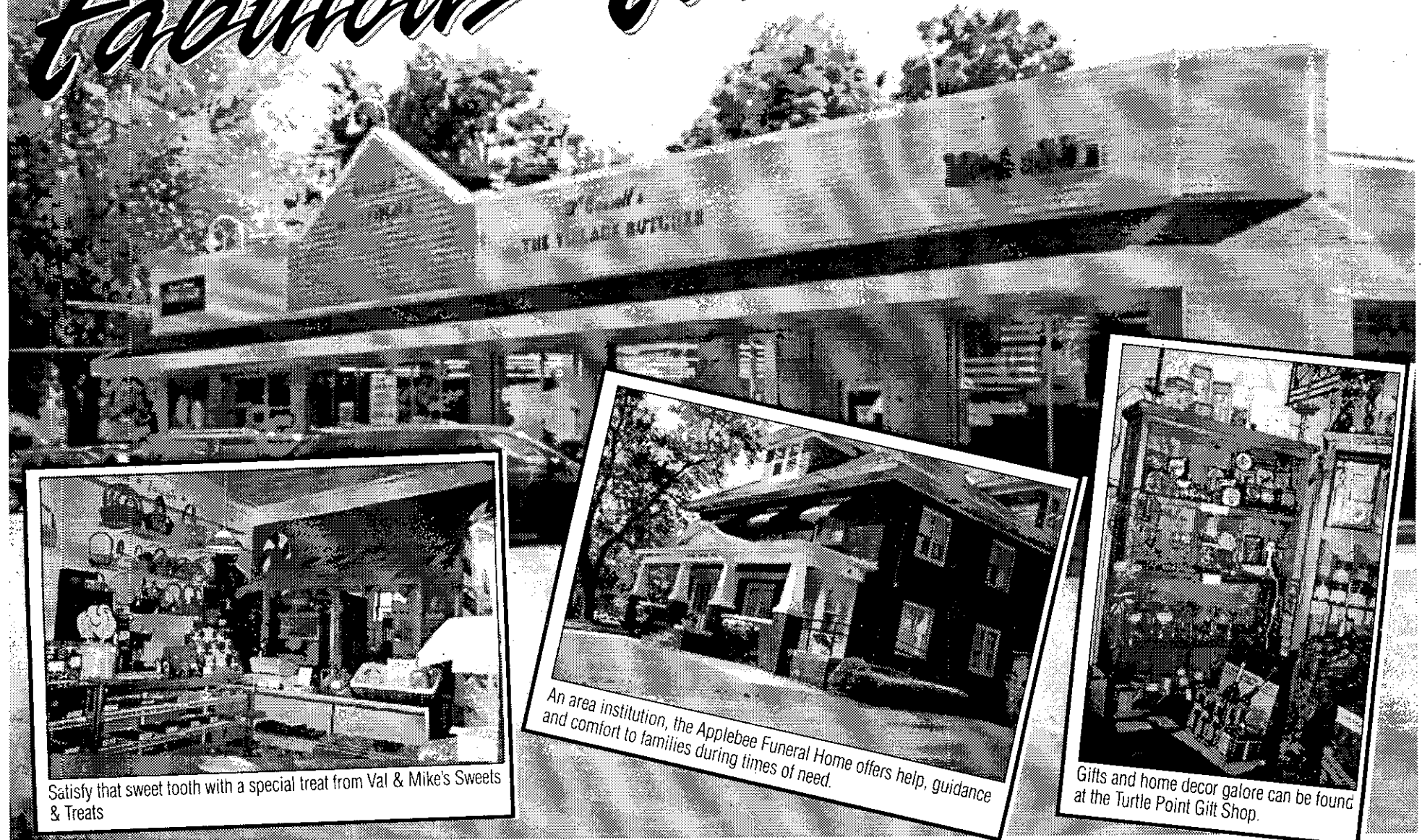
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# Matters of Opinion

## Garden tour proceeds help beautify town

Editor, The Spotlight:

On Wednesday, June 18, Bethlehem First and the Bethlehem Garden Club are sponsoring the seventh annual Garden Tour, consisting of five gardens in the Slingerlands/Delmar/Elsmere area, plus Bethlehem Veterans Memorial Park.

These gardens and the park represent color, architectural design, arbors, water gardens and ponds, use of trees, rocks and hills, sunny and shaded areas, plus special walkways all done on large and small parcels of land. Both expert and beginning gardeners will find much to share. Tour time is from 4 to 8 p.m., rain or shine.

Tickets are \$10 per person and are on sale in the southern end of the Price Chopper Plaza parking lot on New Scotland Road in Slingerlands. A driving map and description of the gardens will be available to all. Tickets will be sold from 4 to 6:30 p.m.

Last year, 356 people toured five Slingerlands gardens. After expenses, \$3,200 was available for

community-wide projects. As yearly numbers increase, we hope to welcome more than 400 visitors this year. All proceeds are returned to the Bethlehem community in the form of the plant a tree program (to date more than 50 trees have been planted along Delaware Avenue); the daffodil project, local seasonal planting projects and cash contribution for Five Rivers Garden and Pond project.

We are considering a five-year beautification project which might entail new entrance plantings along all major highways and roads into Bethlehem, plantings around the proposed Four Corners clock, new flower barrel plantings after all major road work is completed and possible banner and light pole planters along Delaware Avenue. Lots of ideas and needs, and only by your visiting these wonderful gardens can we realize them all.

Meredith Meislahn

and Ellie Prakken

Bethlehem Garden Tour co-chairwomen

## 4 Corners spruce up is great, but fake flowers must go

Editor, The Spotlight:

I am happy to see the many improvements around the Four Corners area and look forward to the mini-park and clock.

However, I must gently chide some merchants for using artificial flowers in their planters.

Attractive though they may be, fake is fake.

I hope in the future, there will be a return to the seasonal, real planting.

Richard Harte  
Delmar

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## Gift of life is best of all gifts

Editor, The Spotlight:

I have recently had a kidney transplant and was so overwhelmed by my friends, family and extended family's willingness to help me make it through this very difficult time in my life, as well as my husband and two sons.

I had 21 individuals offer to donate their kidney (if it were a match). Luckily, I had two matches in the first four people that got tested. They were my cousin, Marisa Kosakowski, and my sister, Gina France. My husband Walter and my girlfriend Gina Gaudio's bloodtypes were

incompatible.


My sister Carla was my donor. She gave me my life back. My children, my husband and I will be grateful to her always. She gave unselfishly and wholly to help me live to watch my sons grow and enjoy their future.

I just wanted all your readers to know that if you can give the gift of life it is truly the best gift of all. Organ donations are a very special gift and it will help someone's life more than anyone can imagine.

My sister and I would like to thank the many people that

helped us through this very difficult time in our lives. Whatever it was you did: from the family and friends who were willing to be tested to give their kidney, to the words of encouragement that everything would be OK; family and friends that kept our lives uncomplicated so that we were able to deal with the matters at hand, who prayed for us while we were in surgery, who came and supported us while we were in the hospital, who came to visit at home during my recovery.

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# Legion to host Father's Day breakfast

The Voorheesville American Legion will host an all-you-can-eat buffet breakfast on Sunday, June 15, from 8 a.m. until noon at American Legion Post 1493 on Voorheesville Avenue.

The cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. Everyone is welcome.

## PTA schedules Thursday meeting

The PTA's next regular meeting is on Thursday, June 12, at 7:30 p.m. at the elementary school.

The PTA will also hold a reception for district faculty and

## NEWS NOTES

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staff who are retiring.

## Town board to meet

The New Scotland town board meets today, June 11, at 7 p.m. at town hall on Route 85.

## Garden club sponsors annual tour

The Helderview Garden Club will host its fourth annual Garden

Tour on Thursday, June 26, from 4 to 8 p.m. Tickets will be available at SuperValu from 4 to 7 p.m. the day of the tour.

The cost is \$7 per person.

For information, call Kazy Gainor at 765-2576.

## Summer swim program has openings

The Voorheesville summer swim program in the new pool at the high school has openings in all sessions — June 30 to July 11, July 14 to 25 and July 28 to Aug. 8.

Forms can be picked up at the library, SuperValu Foods or the district office.

Send registration forms and payment to Voorheesville Summer Swim Program, 432 New Scotland Road, PO Box 498, Voorheesville 12186.

For information, call Barb McKenna at 765-3313, ext. 712.

## Class of 1983 to hold reunion

The Voorheesville class of 1983 is holding a 20th reunion July 25 and 26.

The celebration will include a happy hour at Smith's Pizza Tavern in Voorheesville and a barbecue at Western Turnpike Golf Course on Route 20 (Western Avenue) on Saturday.

Classmates are asked to send addresses (regular and e-mail) to Linda Anderson Stewart at stewartsl988@aol.com or call her at 478-7268 for information.

## Church plans picnic at Swift Road Park

First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville will be hosting a family picnic on Sunday, June 22, from noon to 5 p.m. at the Swift Road Park (Wallace Park).

For information, call 765-2895.

## Peace group presents copy of Bill of Rights

Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace recently donated a framed reproduction of the Bill of Rights to the town of Bethlehem.

At a presentation during the May 14 town board meeting, Dan Lewis represented Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace. He explained that during a meeting in town hall room 101 this spring, the organization noticed a copy of the Constitution hanging on the wall.

The group felt that a gift of the Bill of Rights would provide the companion document that helps to define us as a free people.

Supervisor Sheila Fuller received the gift on behalf of the town. She said that it would be hung in the meeting room the very next day and thanked Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace for their gift.

Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace is a group of community members who coalesced in January 2003 to provide an alternative voice to the rapid march to war in Iraq.

With more than 300 members in the town of Bethlehem, the group is committed to working locally to communicate a message of peace not being heard in the mainstream media. The group sponsors educational events, public gatherings and civic activities.

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# BCMS names second quarter honor, merit rolls

Students on the second quarter honor and merit rolls at Bethlehem Central Middle School are:

## Grade six honor roll

Sree Addepalli, Shauna Agneta, Aakash Agrawal, Nicholas Amirault, James Angermeier, Sarah Aronson, Europa Baker-Brathwaite, Julia Baldwin, Zachary Barach, Devon Barrett, Daniel Barth, Max Bassinson, William Baynes, Thomas Bell, Corey Benziger, Melissa Berger, Anita Bernardi, Andrew Bettinger, Alexandra Black, Leanna Blanch, Ben Bloodstein, Jack Bossung, Matt Branigan, Lorraine Breen, Megan Brodzik, Jesse Bryant, Esther Buff, Brian Burkins, Haley Caldwell, Jessica Carroll, Shannon Cass, Kevin Cassidy, Margaret Chu, Matt Cleary, Kathleen Clyne, Lindsay Coe,

Kevin Coffey, Ellie Cohen and Ellen Davidson.

Also, Isabelle Defino, Marcela Desemone, Caitlin Dole, Megan Dority, Bari Jean Dorman, Mary Dugan, Sidney Dunn, Michael Dymond, Elissa Ebersold, Frankie Escobar, Anne Fast, Zachary Ferrara, Evan Finkle, Jessica Finkle, Jessica Fiore, Lindsay Fitzpatrick, Jeff Fossett, Paulia Gadomski, Grace Gerry, Phillip Giarrusso, Benjamin Gollop, Jenny Gorman, Ethan Greenberg, Ben Greenman, Noah Greenstein, Kyle Gross, Spencer Gyory, Amy Halvorsen, Julianna Harder, Daniel Hart, Joseph Hartunian, Molly Hassett, Erik Hill, Sarah Hooper, Molly Howland, Megan Hutchins, Daniel Ibanez-Granados, Carrie Jackson, Lindsay Jackson, Kayla Jacques, Olivia Junco, Marie Kalet, Neela Karikehalli and

Sasha Kassoff.

Also, Alexander Keefer, Devon Keir, Kevin Kennedy, Mariah Kennedy, Michelle Kennedy, Ryan Kennedy, Cody Kessler, Alexander Klein, Thomas Klim, Allysa Knaack, Emily Knapp, Adam Kohl, Sayoko Kubotera, Brendan Kung, Nicole Labate, Michael Ladue, Kyle Lamb, Madison Lang, Melissa Lawler, Kathleen Leamy, Samantha Liebman, Aislinne Lutz, Max Lyons, Madeline Magin, Sara Malott, Michael Mancuso, Julia Martens, Tom Matthews, Leland Mayron, Matthew Mazzella, Alaina McCreary, Kelsey McNary, Evan Mitchell, Ashley Moak, James Moody, Brittany Mooney, Bradley Morris, Michael Mosher and Kyle Niehaus.

Also, Dana Niu, Casey O'Connor, Devin O'Hanlon, Amy Olinzock, Megan Olsen, Jordan Orayfig, Sean Osborne, Sean Pauquette, Amanda Perez, Jonathan Piedmont, Juliette Piegare, Christopher Piplani, Kay Pisciotta, Samara Pollak, Rachel Porter, Ryan Prinzo, Lisette Pylant, Molly Quirk, Sarah Rabinow, Dan Redwood, Evan Reilly, Jillian Ricciardi, Michael Rice, Gregory Richards, Christopher Riedel, Neil Robertson, Ari Rodriguez, Elena Rooney, Liz Rosenthal, Cynthia Royle, Emily Rudolph, Austin Santoro, Kathryn Schimanski, Andrea Schindler and Carolyn Schrade.

Also, Allison Schreffler, Lauren Sheffer, Becca Simeone, Morgan Skrabalak, John Slattery, Caroline Sloat, Bridget Smith, Emily Smith, Sam Smith, Stephen Smith, Yvonne Smith, Jillian Smitka, Alexander Sobiecki, Joshua Steiner, Samuel Stewart, Gilbert Strizich, Kiersten Swete, Allison Swiatowicz, Tom Swift, Alexander Sypek, J.T. Tanenbaum, Taylor Teal, Seth Tobolsky, Jillian Vell, Paul Viglucci, Alex Walsh, Matthew Weiss, Greg Welter, Samantha

Welter, Becky White, Layla Wolfgang, Allison Yates, Kristen Yates, Nicholas Youngblood and Ali Zaidi.

## Grade six merit list

Ian Aadland, Fiyin Abraham, Vincent Adams, Alexander Anneling, Alison Appleby, Amye Barends, Robert Barker, Ezekiel Barnett, Taylor Bastow, Arthur Benware, Brittany Bethea, Andrew Betor, Lucas Bifera, Daniel Blalock, Nikkie Blanchard, Mike Bonacci, Mark Boucher, Jarrod Bugbee, Craig Calaban, Brian Caluori, MaryBeth Carswell, Alex Catalfamo, Taylor Chase, James Christensen, Timothy Cleary, Anni Cole, Fiona Connors, Jennifer Conophy, Benjamin Conti, Peter Crowley, James Danaher, Erika Danz, Aaron DeVost, Garrett Doblewski, Daniel Donato, Melanie End, Grant Fecteau, Sean Fischer, Jim Flood and Sydney Fluster.

Also, Cassie Ford, Samuel Gallup, Daniel Gally, Rebecca Gardiner, Elisha Garhartt, Andrew Glastetter, Tasha Hamm, Richard Hancock, Niles Hartley, Connor Hautau, Jeffrey Henrikson, Kaitlin Henry, Rebecca Himmelfarb, Jacob Hodom, Kristin Hoeg, Jesse Hoffman, James Hollywood, Paul Hospodar, Zohair Jakhra, Isma Jamshaid, Kayla Johansson, Chastity Joynt, Sean Kennelly, Lauren Kilpatrick, Raeann Kitchen, Jimmy Kivlen, Peter Kleinke, Emily Kovacs-Perrotto, Alec Kreidel, Jedediah Kubisch, Kristiana Laccetti, Emily LaFountain, Harrison Lane, Craig Languish, John Languth, Bethany Latham, Kateri LeBlanc and Parker Leckerling.

Also, James Lee, Gary Lenz, Brittany Low, Tyler Macri, Rebecca Maltzman, Alexandru Mangeri, Amanda Martinez, Evan Maslack, Stephen McCarthy, Alex McCullough, Michael McCurdy, Patrick McGrath, Jackie McHugh, Christina McKay, Zachary

McKee, Cody McNally, Cody Miller, Michael Morelli, Elizabeth Murray, Kayla Nasca, James Naughton, Jacob Nolte, Jessica Northrup, Ethan Nozik, Alex Nye, Nicholas O'Brien, David Ostroff, Jacob Ostroff, T.J. Ouellette, Rachel Owens, Jack Paeglow, Kyle Palmer, Khadijah Peek, Kyle Pelersi, Madeleine Petraglia, Kevin Phelps, Matt Plummer, Sean Quinlan, Victoria Ramos, Daniel Randall, Edward Reilly, Kyle Retzlaff, Ariel Ricard and Andrew Rinaldi.

Also, Gregory Roeth, Alexander Rosa, James (J.J.) Rosander, Claire Rosen, Derek Ruetz, David Ruf, Kirstie Russell, Kayla Salisbury, Jayna Schenk, Alison Schmitt, Heather Schwartz, Alex Scialdone, Matthew Sgroi, Thomas Shepardson, Kylie Sherlach, Jeffrey Shove, Nathan Singer, Lacey Smaka, Lia Smaka, Katie Smith, Kit Sombke, Briana St. Jacques, Ryan State, Timmy Stears-Heffner, Brian Supple, Jeremy Teitler, Dan Trimarchi, Noelle Tumminello, James Turner, Ryan Twomey, Margaret VanHeusen, Tony Vargas, Carrie Viviano, Kristin Wagner, Justin Walker, Rebecca Weissman, Kevin Wendth, Heather Williams, Anne Woehrmann, Samantha Zabel, David Zhang and Rachael Zima.

## Grade seven honor roll

Amanda Bailey, Emily Barnes, Faolain Barrett, Matthew Barron, Liz Becker, Emily Beer, Nichole Belser, Timothy Blumkin, Rachel Boochever, John Brady, Jesse Brauner, Abigail Bruff, Julia Cardamone, Matthew Catalano, Halley Coplin, Samantha Dannick, Melanie DeMatteo, Nicholas DeVries, Kerry Deyo, Mary Beth Dineen, Matthew Dombrowski, Ashley Eberle, Amanda Eckert, Jillian Egan, Robert Elze, Donal Erickson, Lauren Fealey, Ross Feinberg, Aubrey Fishman, Jennifer Frangella, Rachel Garbo, Maria Garguilo, Chloe Gatta, Shari Ginsburg, Kristen Gloeckler, Sarah Gosselin and Allison Greenberg.

Also, Alexander Guntner, Cara Hannigan, Zachary Herman, Tresne Hernandez, Brendan Herrmann, Kyle Hickey, Jenna Hooper, Brittany Howland, Cody Jacques, Caroline Jennings, Donna Jin, Erik Johnsen, Joshua Johnson, Jordan Jones-Reese, Christine Jordan, Gleason Judd, Joseph Kane, Nicholas Kaplan, Hannah Keehan, Kristin Kenney, Alex Laurens, Rebecca Lee, Corinne LeVine, Michael Lois, Emma Loy-Santelli, Brittany Lutz, Lauren Manning, Anna Martin, Kelly McCall, Molly McCann, Hannah McCarthy, Zachary McCarthy, Rachael McCormick, Matthew McGann, Patrick McGrath and Stacey McLeer.

Also, Stacey McWhinnie, Hannah Meckler, Cameron Meyers, Erin Miller, Eric Mortensen, Sarah Moylan, Rosemarie O'Brien, Megan O'Donnell, Paula O'Donnell, Danielle Osterhout, Kristin Peck, Allie Poll, Samuel Reichler, Nicole Rice, Daniel Roberts, Douglas Rooney, Molly Ruslander, Claire Sacco, Naomi Sargent, Emma Schneider, Elizabeth Sciaolino, Hana Segerstrom, Patrick Sharlow, Debra Sheppard, Samantha Shrager, Marisa Shuman, Kaitlyn Shumelda, Claire Skotnes, Celeste Smith,

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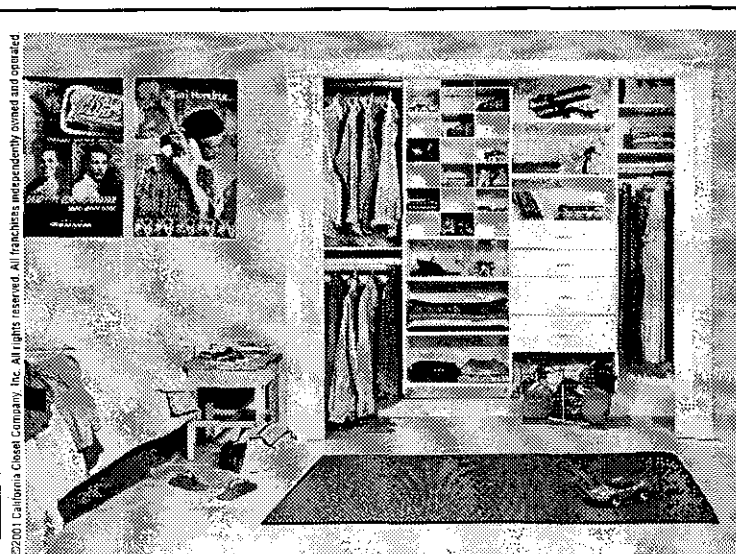
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Bryant Abbuhl, Andrew Acquaviva, Andrew Affonso, Michael Agneta, Colleen Ahern, Christine Aleo, Alison Ardit, Kristi Averill, Mike Barba, Cailie Barrett, Gregory Bartow, Kaci Behn, Jasmine Bellamy, Mike Bellizzi, Peter Bergquist, William Blake, Michael Blendell, Ryanne Brockley, Matthew Bub, Samantha Burkart, Claire Burns, Alexander Canovas, Megan Carpenter, Alexis Carpinello, Katie Carroll, Thomas Casline, Joey Cassidy, Thomas Caswell, Lauren Clark, Sam Clinton, Samuel Cochetti, Sean Commerford, Benedict Conboy, Emily Crisorio, Caroline Cunningham, Seamus Curran, Tamir Danon, Cassandra Davis, Clara Dempf, Leigh Denning, William DeRuve, Katherine Dias, Matthew DiFrancesco, Robert DiMola, Thomas Dolfi and Patrick Donohue.

Also, Christine Donovan, John Drazan, Kevin Drinkwine, Maximilian Domicich, James Dunlap, Paul Durlacher, Dylan Eder, Christa Farrell, Cameron Felitte, Brenna Filippello, Christopher Fink, Kate Foley, Micaela Foley, Zachary Foote, Mason Forando, Sarah Fuhrman, Lucas Giaccone, Kyle Gibson, Colin Gillman, Laurie Giordano, Molly Gordon, Kathryn Halvorsen, Alex Hammer, Drew Hammer, Brittany Hammond, Erin Hedderman, Brian Henchy, John Hobb, Patrick Hoff, Chrissy Hoffman, Joshua Holden, Kelly Hotaling, Austin Hughes, Kayleigh Hynes, Leah Jeffers, Catherine Johansson, Alastair Johnston, Jason Jones, Marvina Jones, Ashley Kalendek, Scott Kattrein, Kevin Kelley, Trisha Kellogg, Jacob Kindlon, Lina Kleinhans, Alexander Knox and Lauren Kopp.

Also, Dana Kowalski, Elana Krischer, Alexander Lacey, Laura Lambert, Daniel Lanchantin, Coleman Larlee, Aliza Leavitt, Jessica Lengfellner, Nicole Levine, Anthony Locascio, Carly Lukatschat, Matthew Lyons, Patrick Mancilla, Brittney Mancinelli, Alexander Martin, Matthew McCaffrey, Sam McCaffrey, Chris McCarthy, Gregory McCarty, Corey McGuire, Katie McNally, Robert McNary, Beau Melita, Meredith Michl, Jeffrey Monaco, Liz Morelli, Ryan Mulhall, Connor Muncil, Nicholas Munsell, Lucas Nitsche, Robert Norrie, Joshua Nuss, Robert O'Connor, Katherine O'Donnell, Brittany Palmer, Noah Pannucci, Lillia Panych, Daniel Paoletti, Joseph

Paratore and Kaila Pascarella.

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## Summer camp offerings

By DIANE BURMAN

*The writer is the Jewish Community Center assistant executive director.*

Usually it's just a few days after school's out for summer when you hear your child saying, "There's nothing to do!" With some planning, parents can make sure boredom doesn't creep into their kids' days by signing them up for summer camp at the Albany Jewish Community Center. The Albany JCC offers an action packed summer for children age 3 to 15. There are many new programs this year, such as a water trampoline, specialty camps and a week with the Harlem Globetrotters.

From June 30 to Aug. 22, campers in Camp Taf, Camp Shalom and Camp Olam will enjoy a variety of activities based on each week's theme. Camp Taf, for age 3 through 5, has the advantage of a flexible schedule filled with swimming, singing, dancing and arts and crafts. Camp Shalom is for first- and second-graders, who will spend their days having a genuine camp experience. The program offers Red Cross-certified swim lessons and specialist led sports, music, arts and crafts and nature instruction.

Camp Olam is in Grafton, where second- through sixth-graders will spend their summer. Camp Olam is home to a private lake for swimming, boating,

kayaking, hiking trails, athletic fields, basketball and tennis courts, an art and drama cabin and a state of the art high and low ropes course. New for Camp Olam is a fun and exciting water trampoline. The oldest campers will also enjoy parent visiting days, special theme days and overnights at Camp Olam.

Also new this summer are weeklong specialty camps. During the first week in July, the Major League Soccer Camp will be at the center for kindergartners through sixth-graders. Campers will learn skills, do drills and participate in game situations with certified MLS coaches. Full or half-day pro-grams are available.

Aug. 4 to 8<sup>th</sup> is Outdoor Adventure Camp at Olam for third-through sixth-graders. The first group is closed, but a waiting list has been started.

For information, call 438-6651 or e-mail [dianeb@saajcc.org](mailto:dianeb@saajcc.org).

Aug. 25 to 29<sup>th</sup> is a special Harlem Globetrotters camp. Campers can sign up for a week of morning or afternoon sessions.

"We are constantly working to make each summer more fun than the last," Marc Burg, camp director said. "This year will be hard to beat."

For information, contact the SAAJCC Center Camps office at 438-6651, ext. 110, or e-mail center camps director Marc Burg at [MarcB@saajcc.org](mailto:MarcB@saajcc.org).

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# Sports

## Bethlehem loses state title bid in overtime

By PHIL BLACKWELL

Never before had a Section II team drawn so close to grabbing a state girls lacrosse championship of any kind. And that's exactly why it hurt so much.

The Bethlehem Eagles, on the brink of a historic victory Saturday in the state Class A championship game at SUNY-Cortland, saw that dream shattered by the West Genesee Wildcats in an epic 12-11 overtime battle.

In a matter of minutes, the ecstasy of a state title turned into total heartbreak. The Eagles' two-goal lead vanished in the final 90 seconds of regulation, and they

never could score in OT.

No matter how it ended, though, it was still a game where the trite cliché about nobody deserving to lose really applied. Bethlehem did everything but win.

"I cannot say just how proud I am of these kids," said the Eagles' head coach, **John Battaglini**. "We just feel that time ran out."

The irony was that, at one point in that damp, overcast afternoon, the Eagles were praying that time would run out. Late in the second half, Bethlehem carried an 11-9 lead, and were close to closing out the reigning two-time state champions and ending West Genesee's remarkable 66-game

win streak.

To reach this point, the Eagles had played a brilliant game of possession and control. It led by as many as four goals in the first half (7-3) and, after a Wildcat rally, had surged back ahead midway through the second half. **Kristin Link** had scored five times, with **Katie Wagoner** adding three goals and three assists and **Brianna Bubeck** putting home three goals, too.

Things seemed to get even better when, with 4:34 to play, WG's best player, **Shannon Burke**, was whistled for a yellow card. To this point, Burke had four goals and two assists, and without its offensive anchor for three minutes, WG looked doomed.

But no team wins 66 games in a row without some resolve, and WG had oceans of it, plus the confidence gained from winning back-to-back state titles — something that Bethlehem lacked.

"Our inexperience (at this level) showed a bit," said Battaglini.

After forcing a turnover, WG charged down and, with 1:21 to play, **Lindsey Moore**, the Wildcats' other senior anchor, fired home a goal to cut it to 11-10. A wild scramble followed the next draw, but the Wildcats gained possession — and more importantly, Burke returned from her card and drew a free-possession shot.

Now it all rode on Burke trying

to beat Bethlehem's brave freshman goalie, **Emily Szelest**. With 11.5 seconds left, Burke fired and beat Szelest.

On to overtime, which is a pair of three-minute periods. Late in the first OT, Moore drew a free-possession shot and ripped home her sixth goal, putting WG ahead. Seconds later, Bubeck got open in front, but her point-blank shot was stuffed by WG goalie **Samantha Falcone**.

Winning the draw in the second OT, the Wildcats spent most of the three minutes in a stall, passing all around the Eagles' end of the field and holding on long enough to gain its third consecutive state title.

Battaglini said that his players never got tired, despite the Eagles' lack of depth, and carried through to the end with strong hearts.

Bethlehem had reached the final in impressive style, methodically taking apart the Section V champion Brighton Barons Friday afternoon in an 8-3 victory.

After allowing the first two goals of the game, Bethlehem's defense proceeded to shut out Brighton for more than 39 minutes.

"We didn't play a polished game," said Battaglini. "But our defense was fantastic."

**Katelyn Primomo**, **Cate Quinlan**, **Kate Metevia**, **Katie Rowan** and **Tricia Primono** were all aggressive and tough, stepping in front of errant

Brighton passes and protecting Szelest quite well.

Meanwhile, on the other end, the Eagles patiently worked for good shots and found them. Usually, Link would be the benefactor, as she finished with five goals.

"Early on, we were timid," said Link. "Once we got the lead, we wanted to control the ball and make sure our shots were goals."

A day later, Bethlehem found itself battling a West Genesee team it had faced in early May, losing by a 15-12 margin. The Eagles gained confidence from that game, and from the opening whistle, believed it could sink the Wildcats. It came within 11.5 seconds of attaining that goal.

Way back when the season started, Battaglini gave his team a target that was within reach, since Bethlehem had reached the state Class A semifinals in 2002. "I want to be coaching you on the last possible day," he said.

Now, having reached that last possible day with the rout of Brighton, Battaglini had a simple message for those who believed that Bethlehem could not stop West Genesee. "Why not us?" he said.

Indeed, the Eagles were that team — until the last moments, when Bethlehem's state championship was snatched away by a West Genesee dynasty that refused to abdicate its throne.

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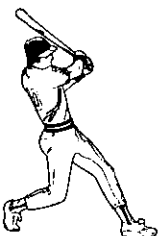
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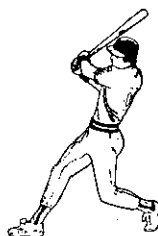
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## Tigers take title



The Bethlehem Soccer Club's under-9 team, the Tigers, won the under-10 division of the Guilderland Soccer Tournament May 24 and 25. The Tigers are front row, from left, coach Jeff Rockmore, Zach Rockmore, Jacky Bryant, Conor Oberlander and Jeff Smith; middle row, from left, Ben Porter, Tyler Kessler, Brett Kaplan and Peter Downey; and back row, from left, coach Dan McMahon, Joshua Smith, Seth Partridge, Brad Campion, Kyle Reilly, Henry Taylor, Connor McMahon and coach Tim Taylor.

## Umar places in top three at state meet

Bethlehem's Rafiq Umar had a strong showing at last weekend's state track and field championships near Binghamton.

In Friday's public school meet, Umar finished second to Christian Brothers Academy's Felipe Reyes in the long jump with a distance of 22-feet, 3.5-inches and took third in the triple jump with a distance of 45-9.5.

Umar repeated both finishes in last Saturday's Federation meet, taking second in the long jump with a leap of 22-8 and finishing third in the triple jump with a distance of 45-0.25. Reyes won the long jump with a distance of 23-4.5.

Bethlehem's 1,600-meter relay team of Jamie Putnam, Darnell

Douglas, Doug DeMarco and Evan Siegel placed sixth in both the public school and federation meets. They had a time of 3:21.69 in the public school meet and a time of 3:22.94 in the federation meet.

Douglas also competed individually in the 200-meter dash at last Friday's public school meet, but missed qualifying for the finals by six places. He finished 14th in the preliminary heats with a time of 22.86 seconds.

On the girls' side, Bethlehem's Emily Malinowski had a strong showing in the 2,000-meter steeplechase. Malinowski took fourth place in the Division I and federation standings with a time of 7:10.58.

Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk's Brianna Drexler finished seventh in the Division II 100-meter high hurdles at the public school meet. Drexler had a time of 16.32 seconds in the championship heat.

## Freihofer's race has large local contingent

The following runners participated in the Freihofer's Run for Women 5-kilometer race May 31 in Albany (ages in parentheses).

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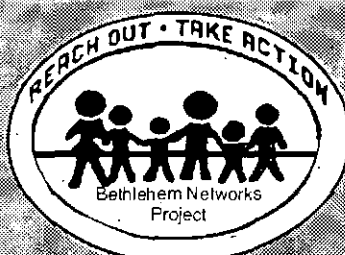
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## Organic vs. inorganic fertilizers

Natural organics are made up of many complex molecules from animal or vegetable sources.

### Advantages of organic fertilizers

- Organics are made up of many complex molecules from living things and hence contain some trace elements and vitamins.
- Do not readily cause burning.
- Promote more even growth throughout the season.
- Do not leach away rapidly.

### Disadvantages of organic fertilizers

- Comparatively low quantity of major nutrients for good growth, namely nitrogen.
- Expensive, per pound of

nitrogen. The materials from which the organics are derived are rather dear and a greater amount is needed to achieve recommended nutrient levels.

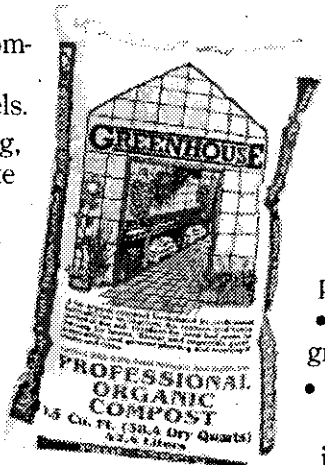
- Slow acting, no immediate results.
- Can cause problems in application. The release of nutrients by organic fertilizers of all types depends upon the activity of soil organisms which break them down. This is favored by warmth and humid-

ity, hindered by coolness and aridity.

Inorganic fertilizers are basically simple chemical salts.

### Advantages of inorganic fertilizers

- High nutrient content of elements necessary for good plant growth namely, nitrogen.
  - Cheaper in cost per pound of nitrogen.
  - Immediately available to growing plant.
  - Relatively easy to apply.
- ### Disadvantages of inorganic fertilizers
- Can cause burning.
  - Promote less even growth throughout the growing season.
  - Rapidly used up and may leach out during heavy rainfall or irrigation.
  - Must be applied more frequently.



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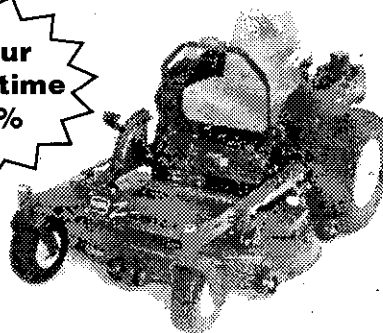
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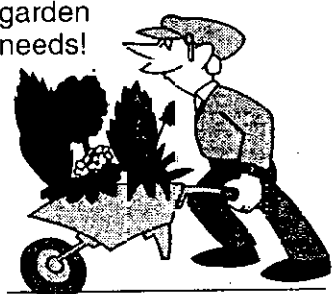
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## Fans

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merchandise featuring the colors of Sackatoga Stables, which includes Delmar resident Gus Williams among its 10-member ownership group.

"I watched the (Wood Memorial in April), and he impressed me," said Saratoga Springs resident Andy DeGregorio, who was wearing one of the Funny Cide T-shirts that had recently gone on sale in the city. "So, I've been following him ever since."

Clifton Park resident Dave Rhodes didn't bother buying an official Funny Cide T-shirt. He had ones made up for himself, his nephew Brian Mackey, and Mackey's wife Renee which were navy blue, button-down baseball jerseys with the words "Funny Cide" and the number 69 — symbolizing the horse's post positions in the Kentucky Derby (six) and Preakness (nine) — on the back in white.

"Every year, I put the Travers winner on the back of my (softball team) jersey," Rhodes said. "So, I figured I might as well" do the same for Funny Cide.

One couple on the train changed some long-standing plans to make the trek to see Funny Cide.

"My wife and I got married only two weeks ago, and we decided to cut our honeymoon short so we could go to the Belmont," East Greenbush resident Eric Wohlleber said.

The rainy forecast for New

York City kept some people away — three cars toward the front of the train were only half full — but didn't dampen the spirits and hopes of those who made the trip.

"I think the horse has a real good shot at winning the Triple Crown because of his heart," said Clifton Park resident Fred DeNovio, who made the trip with a group of horse racing fans called the Cheyenne Social Club. "He has to be held back because otherwise, he'd go out too fast."

Unfortunately for DeNovio and many of the people that rode the train to Belmont, Funny Cide came up short in his bid for the Triple Crown, as he placed third behind Empire Maker and Ten Most Wanted.

"The reality is that it is a difficult race because of the (mile-and-a-half) distance," DeNovio's friend and Cheyenne Social Club president Kevin Moran said during the trip to Belmont. "We'd love to see a Triple Crown winner for the sport and for the Capital District."

As it stands, the Capital District will likely see a Belmont rematch this summer as Funny Cide and Empire Maker are both being pointed toward the Aug. 23 Travers Stakes in Saratoga Springs.

DeGregorio had a message for those who want to go see that race — get to the track early. Really, really early.

"It's going to be unbelievable," he said. "You don't want to visit. You'll have to live there to get around (that day)."

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## Funny Cide

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of the starting gate, Funny Cide went to the front of the pack with Empire Maker following close behind. The two of them stayed that way through the back stretch before Empire Maker made his move on the turn toward the home stretch.

"When I saw Funny Cide lock on to Jose, that's what I wanted to see because once he locked on, I knew he wasn't relaxed," Empire Maker jockey Jerry Bailey said.

Empire Maker put his head in front of Funny Cide around the final turn. Funny Cide tried to keep pace, but he was soon pinched on the rail by Empire Maker and a hard-charging Ten Most Wanted. Empire Maker and Ten Most Wanted dueled over the final eighth of a mile, while Funny Cide dropped back and finished several lengths behind them.

"I was hoping that Ten Most Wanted would catch Empire Maker," Williams said. "I don't usually root for another horse, but when I knew (Funny Cide) was out of it, I was rooting for Ten Most Wanted because of some of the things (Empire Maker trainer Bobby) Frankel said about our horse."

Funny Cide entered the Belmont as both the betting line favorite — he was an even money

choice at post-time — and the sentimental favorite of the fans that braved the elements to watch the Saratoga Springs-foaled gelding in his bid for thoroughbred immortality.

"I'm very, very happy for all the support from the New York people," Santos said. "There were over 100,000 rooting for Funny Cide."

Funny Cide's bid for the Triple Crown is over now, but his racing season is far from over. Among some of the summertime stakes races his owners are looking toward are the Haskell in early August and the Travers Stakes Aug. 23 in Saratoga Springs, where he could face Empire Maker again.

"To me, I've never won a race at Saratoga," Williams said. "I don't care which race it is, but the Travers is a million dollars."

## Legion hosts buffet

The Voorheesville American Legion will be holding an all-you-can-eat breakfast buffet Sunday, June 15, from 8:00 a.m. to noon.

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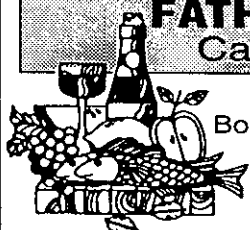
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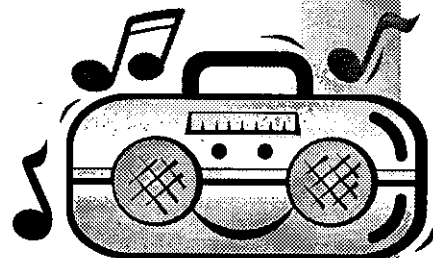
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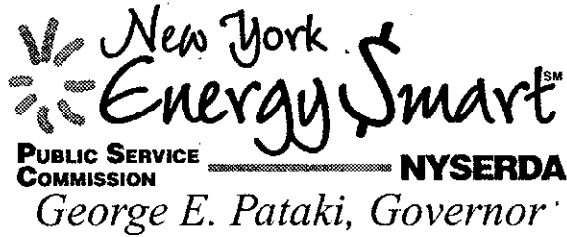
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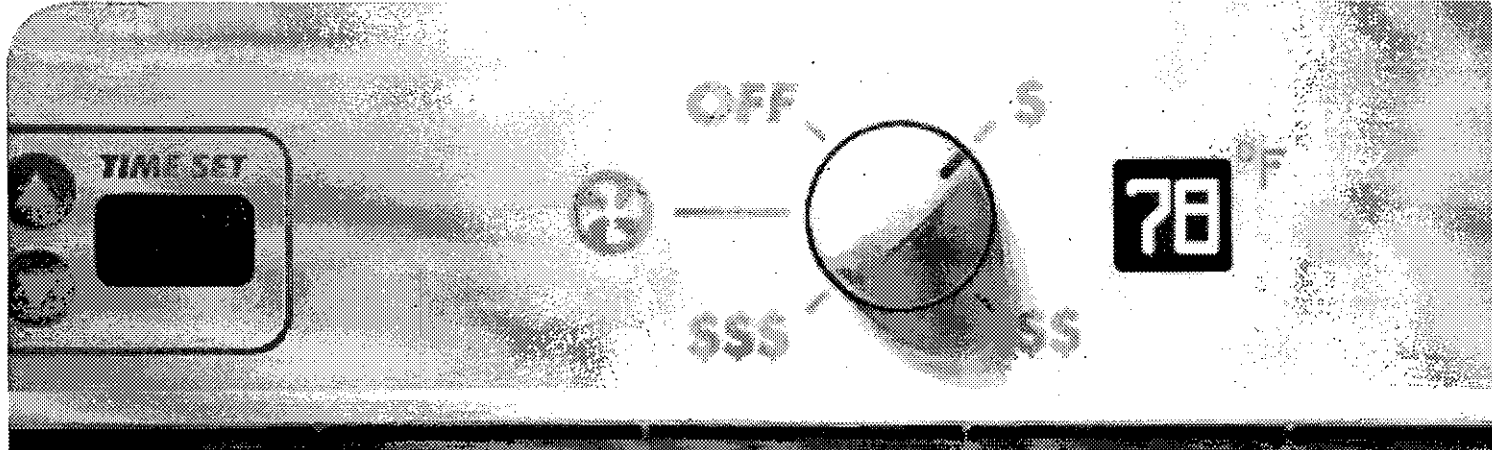
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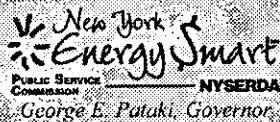
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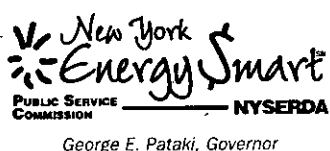
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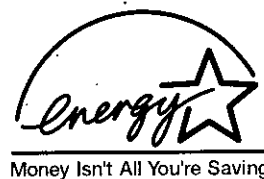
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# Library says thanks for voters support on June 3

The library staff and board would like to thank the school district community for its continued support of Voorheesville Public Library. A vote for the public library is a vote for the enhancement of education and cultural opportunity for all ages, and it's a great bargain. We are particularly proud of our library and hope to continue to meet your needs in a comprehensive, professional and friendly manner.

The Nimblefingers group has hung its annual needlework show



in the community room and showcase. The popular exhibit presents a sampling of the colorful, beautifully stitched projects that the members have worked on during the past year. Nimblefingers meets weekly at the library on Tuesdays between 1 and 3 p.m. to share their expertise in a variety of needlework genres. Newcomers

are always welcome to join. No sign-up is necessary. "Tea and crumpets" are served, and the talented ladies enjoy talking about and showing off their work. The group has decided to continue meeting through the summer this year. It is well worth a trip to the library to view the impressive exhibit.

This Friday marks the last regular story time until the summer reading program begins. Sign-ups for program officially begin June 30. Kids are invited to stop in and register and receive

their packet of materials on the theme of "Picture This, Imagine That — Read." There will fun programs to appeal to all ages, including teens and family evenings.

Adult book discussion is on break until September, but readers may want to check out an unusual selection of material on the table behind the reference desk under the banner that reads: "Red And Good Books Lately?" The librarians have chosen to display books with yes, red covers! There is fiction and non-

fiction, biographies, and of course, many bloody mysteries.

The Every Other Thursday Night Poets meet on June 12 at 7 p.m. No sign-up necessary.

Two reminders: Mark your calendars for the following dates to enjoy our summer concert series on the library lawn: July 9, 23 and Aug. 6. Also, remember that the library is now closed on Sundays and open Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. until after Labor Day weekend.

Barbara Vink

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#### NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)

The name of the LLC is AT-VENTURES, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on February 14, 2003. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 21 Grey Ledge Drive, Loudonville, New York 12211. LCD-4029 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

810 CENTRAL AVENUE, LLC Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization of 810 Central Avenue, LLC ("LLC") were filed with the Department of State of New York ("SSNY") on June 19, 1997. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to c/o 14 Hemlock Street, P.O. Box 517, Latham, New York 12110. LLC does not have a specific date of dissolution. Purpose: All legal purposes. Filer: Law Office of Kara Conway Love Address: 450 New Karner Road, Suite 203 Albany, New York 12205-3898 LCD-4063 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF Advanced Pool Safety, LLC Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is: Advanced Pool Safety, LLC SECOND: The county within this state in which the office of the limited liability company is to be located is: Albany THIRD: The latest date on which the limited liability company is to dissolve is: FOURTH: The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address within or without this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served upon him or her is: Advanced Pool Safety, LLC 65 Dove St. Albany, NY 12210-1810 FIFTH: The name and street address within this state of the registered agent of the limited liability company upon whom and at which process against the limited liability company may be served is: SIXTH: The future effective date of the Articles of Organization, which does not exceed 60 days from the date of filing is: 3/4/03 SEVENTH: If all or specified members are to be liable in their capacity as members for all or specified debts, obligations or liabilities of the limited liability company as authorized by Section 609 of the Limited Liability Company Law, an affirmative statement must be made. A statement of such effect is made as follows: Daniel J. Pickett, organizer ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION

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OF Advanced Pool Safety, LLC Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law Filed by: Daniel J. Pickett 65 Dove St. Albany, NY 12210-1810 LD-4096 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

BRIDGE AND BARN, LLC 1. The name of the limited liability company is Bridge and Barn, LLC. 2. The Articles of Organization creating the limited liability company were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on May 8, 2003 and became effective on said date. 3. The principal office of the limited liability company is in Albany County. 4. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served and the post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail any copy of process against it is: Bridge and Barn, LLC, c/o Rose Watkins, 14 Saybrook Drive, Glenmont, New York 12077. 5. The limited liability company is formed for the purpose of engaging in any business purposes permitted by law. Dated: May 21, 2003 Cooper Erving & Savage LLP Attorneys for Bridge and Barn, LLC 39 North Pearl Street Albany, New York 12207 (518) 449-3900 LCD-4035 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

CAPITAL REGION MORTGAGE CENTER, LLC Notice of formation of the above Limited Liability Company ("LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY ("SSNY") on 05/21/2003. Office location, Albany County, SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any such process served to: the LLC, 1775 Western Avenue, Albany, New York 12203. Purpose: any lawful business purpose. LCD-5012 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

KELTHO PARTNERS, LLC 1. The name of the limited liability company is Keltho Partners, LLC. 2. The Articles of Organization creating the limited liability company were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on June 2, 2003 and became effective on said date. 3. The principal office of the limited liability company is in Albany County. 4. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served and the post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail any copy of process against it is: Keltho Partners, LLC, c/o James M. Thayer, 8 Carlton Terrace, Loudonville, New York 12211. 5. The limited liability company is formed for the purpose of engaging in any business purposes permitted by law. Date: June 5, 2003 Cooper Erving & Savage LLP Attorneys for Keltho Partners, LLC 39 North Pearl Street Albany, New York 12207

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(518) 449-3900 LCD-5020 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Maple Development Group, LLC was filed with SSNY on 4/17/02. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. The P.O. address which SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC served upon him: The LLC, 2050 Western Ave., Suite 201, Gunderland, NY 12084. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-4009 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Adirondack Cartoons, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/5/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Michael G. Bouchard, Esq., 4 Atrium Drive, Albany, NY 12205, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act, activity, business or enterprise. LD-5022 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Pro Golf Retail, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 6/3/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Connecticut (CT) on 4/10/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. CT address of LLC: 101 Taine Mountain Rd., Burlington, CT 06013. Arts. of Org. filed with CT Secy. of State, 30 Trinity St., Hartford, CT 06106. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-5021 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of CM Tel (USA) LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/20/2003. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/13/1999. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 700 Wilshire Blvd., 7th Fl., Los Angeles, CA 90017. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 3, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-5016 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of BM America, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/20/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/16/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 75 Triangle Blvd., Carlstadt, NJ 07072. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE

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19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-5015 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of F.F.T. LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/23/2003. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Nevada (NV) on 4/26/1999. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process may be served. NV address of LLC: c/o The Corporation Trust Company of Nevada, 6100 Neil Rd., Suite 500, Reno, NV 89511. Arts. of Org. filed with NV Secy. of State, 202 N. Carson St., Carson City, NV 89701. Purpose: all lawful purpose. LD-5014 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of APG Consulting, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/20/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/22/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 6751 Forum Drive, Suite 200, Orlando, FL 32821. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-5013 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of DELAVE GROUP LLC, Art. of Org. filed Secy. of State (SSNY) 5/30/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: Margaret Inderhees, 36 Darroch Rd., Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-5010 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC 455 Sand Creek Road, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on May 21, 2003. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to 455 Sand Creek Road, LLC, c/o Craig T. Allen, 5 Lexington Street, Clifton Park, New York 12065. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act. LD-5008 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF JEAJ, LLC (PURSUANT TO SECTION 203 OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY LAW) NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Articles of Organization of JEAJ, LLC (the "Company") were filed with the Secretary of State of the State of New York on May

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30, 2003. The Company is being formed to engage in the ownership, leasing, purchasing, selling, development, mortgaging and all other dealings with real estate necessary or incidental to such purpose and any other lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLC. The office of the Company is to be located in the County of Albany, State of New York. The Secretary of State has been designated as the agent of the Company upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company served upon such Secretary of State is 1900 New Scotland South Road, Slingerlands, New York 12159. LD-5007 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of AVE. P. CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATES LLC a NYS limited liability company (LLC). Formation filed with SSNY on 05/27/2003. Off. Loc: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agt. of LLC, upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 1811 Avenue P, Brooklyn, NY 11229. Purpose: All Lawful purposes. LD-4092 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) Name: LJ TRANSPORT LLC, Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 5/2/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to c/o Breakell Law Firm P.C., 10 Airline Drive, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: Any lawful business purpose. LD-4086 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Hospitalist Medicine Physicians of Albany County, PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/15/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: practice the profession of medicine. LD-4080 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Softlight Systems, LLC, App. for Auth. filed Secy. of State (SSNY) 4/18/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC org. in DE 3/20/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: c/o CSC, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, the Reg. Agt. upon whom proc. may be served. DE office addr: c/o The Company Corp, 2711 Centerville Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808. Art. of Org. on file: SSDE, Townsend Bldg, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-4079 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Rushmore Capital- II, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/9/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/28/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Suite 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Federal & Duke of York St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-4076 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Rushmore Capital-I, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/9/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/28/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Suite 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Federal & Duke of York St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-4075 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Nadine Yates, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/8/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: database management. LD-4074 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Jonathan Bailey Design, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 2/26/2003. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Texas (TX) on 12/19/1997. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. TX address of LLC: 1701 Market St., Suite 400, Dallas, TX 75202. Arts. of Org. filed with TX Secy. of State, P.O. Box 13697, Austin, TX 78711. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-4066 (June 11, 2003)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Gibby's Realty, LLC., Art. of Org. filed Secy. of State (SSNY) 4/22/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: 3 Winners Circle, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-3088 (June 11, 2003)



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Notice of Qualification of McKesson Information Solutions LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/1/2003. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 11/18/1974. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The Prentice-Hall Corp. System, Inc., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Lookerman & Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-4055 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: CRP, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 5/12/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: The LLC, 26 Century Hill Drive Suite 101, Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: any lawful activity. LCD-4054 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Publication  
The Patron Group LLC was filed with SSNY on 3/26/03. Office: Albany County, SSNY designated agent of LLC against whom process may be served. P.O. address which SSNY shall mail process against LLC served upon him: 48 Howard Street, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful business LD-4053 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION PURSUANT TO NY LLC LAW SECTION 1203 (c)  
The name of the professional service limited liability company is G&F PROPERTY MANAGEMENT, LLC. The date of the filing of the Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State was 3/24/03. The County in which the office of the LLC is to be located is Albany. The agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served is the Secretary of State and such shall mail a copy of any process to: Burke, Casserly & Gable, P.C., 255 Washington Ave Ext, Albany, NY 12205. The purpose of the Company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the Limited Liability Company Law. LD-4052 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC  
Notice of Formation of 614 Route 9W, LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company, Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of the State of New York on 10/10/02. NY office location is Albany County. Secretary of State is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him to c/o 614 Route 9W, Glenmont, New York 12077. The purpose of LLC is restaurant management. LCD-4051 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC  
Notice of Formation of LIGHTHOUSE TAVERN, a domestic Limited Liability Company, Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of the State of New York on May 7, 2003. NY office location is Albany County. Secretary of State is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him to c/o Michael Tyrrell, 7 Christine Court, Latham, New York 12110. The

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Purpose of LLC is restaurant and bar business. LCD-4048 (June 11, 2003)

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Notice of Qualification of KC PROPCO, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/2/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/7/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: 1209 Orange St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: all lawful purposes. LD-4042 (June 11, 2003)

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Notice of Qualification of KC OPCO, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/2/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/7/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: 1209 Orange St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: all lawful purposes. LD-4041 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Pursuant to Section 206 The New York Limited Liability Company Law  
1. The name of the limited liability company is VRRMM, LLC.  
2. The Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State on May 8, 2003.  
3. The office of the Limited Liability Company is to be located in Albany County.  
4. The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address within New York to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served upon him or her is:  
VRRMM, LLC  
16 West Meadow Drive  
Albany, New York 12203  
5. The name and street address within New York of the registered agent of the limited liability company upon whom and at which process against the limited liability company can be served is:  
Antonio Milillo, Esq.  
Martin, Shudt, Wallace, DiLorenzo and Johnson  
279 River Street  
Troy, New York 12180  
6. The limited liability company is formed for any lawful business purpose or purposes. LD-4040 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Qualification of Bonanza Acquisition, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/1/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 11/6/02. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Suite 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: all activities relating to and involved with passenger transportation and related services. LD-4039 (June 11, 2003)

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Notice of Qualification of Crowe Chizek and Company LLC, a foreign professional service limited liability company (PLLC). Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/21/03. Office location: Albany County. PLLC formed in Indiana on 3/5/03. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be

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served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: Lexis/Nexis Document Solutions, Inc., 1275 Broadway, Albany, NY 12204. Purpose: practice the profession of public accounting. LD-4036 (June 11, 2003)

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Notice of Qualification of Wachovia Corporate & Investment Banking, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/29/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 3/5/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: One Wachovia Center, 301 S. College St., Charlotte, NC 28288. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-4034 (June 11, 2003)

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Notice of Qualification of First Clearing, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/30/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 3/12/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co. (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: c/o CSC, 2711 Centerville Rd., Suite 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-4033 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).  
The name of the LLC is SABRE TECHNICAL SERVICES, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on March 27, 2003. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 2642 Marco Avenue, Odessa, Texas 79762. LCD-4030 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Qualification of Pitcairn Properties Management Company, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/12/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Pennsylvania (PA) on 2/21/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. PA address of LLC: c/o Pitcairn Properties Inc., 165 Township Line Rd., Suite 1500, Jenkintown, PA 19046. Arts. of Org. filed with PA Secy. of State, Corp. Div., 302 North Office Bldg., Harrisburg, PA. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-4028 (June 11, 2003)

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Notice of Qualification of Field Day Fest 2003, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/28/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/24/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-4027 (June 11, 2003)

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Balzer & Conway, PLLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 3/10/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as the agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to 5 Clinton Sq., Albany, NY 12207. The latest date upon which the PLLC is to dissolve is 12/31/2080. Purpose: to practice the profession of law. LCD-4024 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Qualification of URNA LEASING, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/24/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/24/02. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 5 Greenwich Office Park, Greenwich, CT 06830. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Lookerman & Federal Sts., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-4018 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY  
1. The name of the limited liability company is BJB Enterprises, LLC.  
2. The Articles of Organization of the limited liability company were filed on March 7, 2003 with the New York Secretary of State.  
3. The office of the limited liability company is located in Albany County.  
4. The Secretary of State was designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served.  
5. The Secretary of State shall mail a copy of process served to the limited liability company to 23 Bergen Woods Drive, Cohoes, New York 12047.  
6. The latest date to dissolve is indefinite.  
7. The purpose of the limited liability company is to conduct all lawful activity. LD-4003 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).  
The name of the LLC is DWM PROPERTIES, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on April 30, 2003. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 7 Altamont Avenue, Albany, New York 12205. LCD-4002 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Qualification of Nicklaus Design, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/17/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Florida (FL) on 12/28/00. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. FL address of LLC: 11780 U.S. Highway 1, suite 400, North Palm Beach, FL 33408. Arts. of Org. filed with FL Secy. of State, 409 East Gaines St., Tallahassee, FL 32399. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-3095 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).  
The name of the LLC is FIRST COLUMBIA BENEDICTINE, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on April 29, 2003. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Sec-

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retary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 26 Century Hill Drive, Suite 101, Latham, New York 12110-2128. LCD-3094 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC  
Accurecords, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on April 15, 2003. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to Accurecords, LLC, c/o R. Matthew Sweeney, 10 Journey Lane, Glenmont, New York. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act. LD-3090 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY  
Pursuant to Section 206 of the New York Limited Liability Law  
1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is ACFBGH Services, LLC.  
2. The Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State on April 29, 2003.  
3. The office of the Limited Liability Company is to be located in Albany County.  
4. The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address within or without New York to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served upon him or her is:  
ACFBGH Services, LLC  
121 State Street  
Albany, New York 12207  
5. The limited liability company is formed to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the law of the State of New York. LD-3089 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of Halliday Referral Group, LLC. Art. of Org. filed Secy. of State (SSNY) 4/14/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: 50 Beaver St., 2nd Fl., Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agt. at such addr. upon whom proc. may be served is Andrew W. Halliday, Esq. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-3087 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of formation of limited liability company ("LLC"). Name: of LLC: Unitas, LLC, Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on April 25, 2003. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon it to The Strachan Group, 18 Corporate Woods Blvd., Third Floor, Albany, New York 12211. Purpose: to engage in any activity for which LLCs may be organized under the LLC Law. LD-3079 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

RAYMOND REALTY ASSOCIATES, LLC  
Notice of formation of RAYMOND REALTY ASSOCIATES, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 4/14/03. Office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC, c/o Patricia J. Raymond, 7 East Ridge Road, Loudonville, New York 12211. The purpose of the LLC are Own, acquire, manage, lease, develop,

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operate, buy, sell, exchange, finance, refinance, and otherwise deal with real estate, personal property, and any type of business. LD-3080 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

TOWN OF BETHLEHEM BOARD OF APPEALS  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 18, 2003, at 7:45 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of Cheryl Randall and William Carpenter for Variance under Article XVIII, Rear Yards, Section 128-82, Fences & Walls of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem for construction of fence, which will exceed the height requirement at premises 114 Font Grove Road, Slingerlands, New York 12159.  
Michael C. Hodom  
Chairman  
Board of Appeals  
LD-5019  
(June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

TOWN OF BETHLEHEM BOARD OF APPEALS  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 18, 2003, at 7:30 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of Geraldine Aylward, 44 Montrose Drive, Delmar, New York for Variance under Article XVII, Side Yards, Section 128-73, Required Widths of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem for construction of a carport, which will encroach into the Side Yard Setback at premises 44 Montrose Drive, Delmar, New York 12054.  
Michael C. Hodom  
Chairman  
Board of Appeals  
LD-5018  
(June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

TOWN OF BETHLEHEM BOARD OF APPEALS  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 18, 2003, at 8:00 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of David Burnham, 24 Iroquois Trail, Slingerlands, New York for Variance under Article XII, Percent of Lot Occupancy, Section 128-50, Single Family Dwellings of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem for construction of a 3 season room, which will exceed the allowable percentage of lot occupancy at premises 24 Iroquois Trail, Slingerlands, New York 12159.  
Michael C. Hodom  
Chairman  
Board of Appeals  
LD-5017  
(June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Winant-Bomack Insurance Agency, LLC  
LLC was filed with the SSNY on 5/12/2003. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. The P.O. address which SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC served upon him, Robert E. Winant, 3318 Route 33 Neptune, NJ 07753. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. LCD-5024 (June 11, 2003)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

WLCW, LLC  
Notice of formation of the above Limited Liability Company ("LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY ("SSNY") on 05/02/2003. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any such process served to: the LLC, 1256 Central Avenue, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: any lawful business purpose. LCD-4065 (June 11, 2003)

## Delmar woman named business VP at UAlbany

Kathryn K. Lowery of Delmar has been appointed vice president for finance and business at the University at Albany; the chief financial officer for the campus.

She was previously associate vice president for financial management and budget at UAlbany and has served as interim vice president since April 2002.

As associate vice president for financial management and budget, Lowery was the key management officer of the university's budget.

Lowery, a 1997 Chancellor's Excellence Award Winner in Professional Service, joined the university in 1978 after a short stint in the world of corporate investment.

After four years of service in the Computing Center, she joined the Office of Financial Manage-

ment and Budget.

In the mid-1990s, she became part of campus financial planning, modeling and forecasting budget scenarios.

Established in 1844 and designated a center of the State University of New York in 1962, the University at Albany's broad mission of excellence in undergraduate and graduate education, research and public service engages 17,000 diverse students in eight degree-granting schools and colleges.

The university has launched a \$500 million fund-raising campaign, the most ambitious in its history, with the goal of placing it among the nation's top 30 public research universities by the end of the decade.

For information, visit the Web site at [www.albany.edu](http://www.albany.edu).

## Class of '03

### Bates College

Andrea Pressman of Slingerlands (bachelor's in American cultural studies, cum laude).

### Boston College

Matthew Elfeldt of Delmar (bachelor's in finance).

### Bowdoin College

William Thomas of Delmar (bachelor's in government and religion).

### College of the Holy Cross

Tracy Messina of Delmar (bachelor's in psychology).

### Colby College

Alexis K. Grant of Glenmont (bachelor's in human development, cum laude, with distinction in the major).

### Harvard University

Arianne Cohen of Delmar (bachelor's in woman's studies,

magna cum laude).

### St. Johns University Law School

Laura Del Vecchio of Delmar, (juris doctor).

### St. Lawrence University

Kristin Kvan (bachelor's in English writing, cum laude) and Padraic Smith (bachelor's in speech and theater), both of Delmar.

And, Trevor McNiven of Selkirk (bachelor's in economics).

### SUNY Plattsburgh

Claire Del Vecchio of Delmar (bachelor's in marketing).

### Washington University

Freeman Klopott of Delmar (bachelor's in American culture studies and American history, cum laude).

## Dean's List

### Bucknell University

Christina Macmillan of Delmar.

### Coastal Carolina University

Jessica Matthews of Slingerlands.

### Hobart College

David duFresne of Delmar, Durfee Scholar; David Woodworth of Delmar, Hale Scholar; and Eric Wilcox of Selkirk, Hobart Deans Scholar.

### SUNY Alfred

Kuke Giovanniello of Delmar.

### Clarkson University

Stephen Bagg (Clarkson School) and Peter Bird, both of Delmar; and Andrew Tanner of Voorheesville, all presidential scholars.

### Cleveland Institute of Music

Helena Kopchick of Delmar.

### Nazareth College

Krista Matuszek of Delmar and Emily Maher of Glenmont.

### Quinnipiac University

Alissa Python of Glenmont.

### Syracuse University

Amanda Tommell of Voorheesville and Gregory Bauer of Slingerlands.

### UNC Asheville

Jillian Corneil of Delmar.

### University of Rochester

Megan Fish of Glenmont.

### Villanova University

William Tierney of Slingerlands.

## Births

### Bellevue Woman's Hospital

Girl, Virginia Vivian Graze, to Christine and Blake Frazee of Delmar, May 20.

### Student earns award

Stephen Bagg of Delmar was recently presented with the Clarkson School Award. Each year, the school presents an award to a male and female student who exemplify academic excellence and outstanding character.

### Student wins speech award

Jaylin Frese, an eighth grader at St. Thomas School in Delmar, won an award for her dramatic monologue at the third annual Albany Diocesan Catholic Schools Speech Contest at Bishop Maginn High School in Albany.

## Voorheesville honors late administrator

The staff at Voorheesville central schools recently honored a very special teacher with the dedication of a stained glass window that represents colors in a kaleidoscope. It is in the lobby of the district Performing Arts Center.

Linda Wolkenbreit, who was an inspiration in the district for many years as the humanities director, died last year after a long illness, and officials at the school wanted to do something to keep her memory alive in the halls of the school that she loved.

Her spirit was contagious as she cheered the staff on a routine basis with her gifts of candies and

holiday momentos for everyone. She brought well-known authors and dancers to the school for the children to experience and created innovative programs that continue today, such as the Medieval Festival.

Wolkenbreit earned respect and affection from her peers and students alike because of her upbeat nature and her ability to rise above even the toughest controversies.

She loved kaleidoscopes and the school district decided that it would be fitting that a window in her honor be made to resemble the colorful, ever-changing design of a kaleidoscope.

## Delmar student receives award

Elyse McDonough of Delmar, a junior majoring in television-radio-film in the S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications at Syracuse University, is vice president of the Student Athletic Council 'CUSE Cares Community Outreach Program, an organization that was honored at the 11th annual Chancellor's Award for Public Service (CAPS) ceremony held recently on campus.

CAPS awards are given to students who contribute to the quality of life at the university and in the greater Syracuse area. The purpose of the award is to encourage students to become active community participants and leaders by serving the needs of others, and to recognize the students for such efforts.

Nominations for awards are made by students, faculty and staff members. The winners are

chosen by a selection committee that is comprised of students, faculty, staff and community members.

Also, McDonough was recently inducted into the university's chapter of Kappa Tau Alpha Honor Society.

Kappa Tau Alpha Honor Society recognizes academic excellence and promotes scholarship and high professional standards among students of journalism and mass communication.

Membership is by invitation only and must be earned by excellence in academic work. Juniors and seniors must rank in the top 10 percent of their class based on overall grade point average and have a least a 3.0 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale) in upper-level journalism or mass communications courses.

## Glenmont woman named to post

CDPHP recently announced that Judy Foulger of Glenmont has been appointed to director, configuration. In her new post, Foulger will oversee the development and direction of the organization's newly created configuration department. She will be responsible for the analysis, development and implementation of initial system configura-

tion on CDPHP's claims payment platform.

Most recently, Foulger was director, medical affairs operations, at CDPHP. She joined CDPHP in January 2000 as manager, ambulatory review.

Foulger is a registered nurse who trained at the Sheffield College of Nursing in Sheffield, England.

## Mail weddings, engagements

The Spotlight would like to publish your engagement, wedding or anniversary announcement and photo. There is no charge for this community service.

Black and white photos are preferred, but color photos are acceptable. Polaroid photos cannot be printed.

For information and submission forms, call 439-4949. Mail announcements to P.O. Box 100, Delmar 12054.

## Wedding Directory for Bridal Services



### FLORISTS

Floral Garden Specializing in Weddings 339 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 478-7232 [www.thefloralgarden.com](http://www.thefloralgarden.com) Catering to all budgets

### JEWELRY

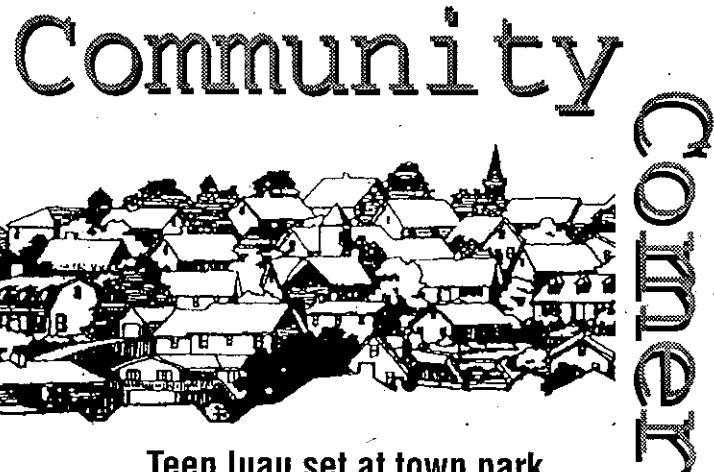
Harold Finkle, "Your Jeweler" 1585 Central Ave., Colonie. 456-6800. Diamonds - Handcrafted Wedding Rings & Attendant's Gifts.

### INVITATIONS

Paper Mill Delaware Plaza. 439-8123 Personalized invitations & announcements for weddings, showers, bar mitzvah, new baby, graduation.

### PHOTOGRAPHY

Personal, Professional Photographic Services. - 469-6551.



### Teen luau set at town park

The town of Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Department will host a teen luau for middle school age students who reside in the town of Bethlehem or Bethlehem school district. The Teen Luau will be on Friday, June 13, from 8 to 10 p.m. at the Elm Avenue Park pool. The pool will be open for swimming and a DJ will be on hand for dancing.

Parent chaperones are needed. Call Karen Hoogkamp at 439-4131 if you can help. In case of rain, the event will be held in the warming area at the park.

Admission is free.



# Obituaries

## Jean McCullough

Jean Helen Mears McCullough, 80, of Callahan, Fla., and formerly of Glenmont, died Wednesday, June 7, in Florida.

Born in Medina, she moved to Jacksonville, Fla., from Glenmont in 1987.

She was a communicant of Prince of Peace Catholic Church.

Survivors include three sons, Michael McCullough, Joel McCullough and Brian McCullough; two daughters, Julie McCullough and Mary Carroll Myrtle; a brother, Edward Mears; 13 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services were from Hardage-Giddens Funeral Home and Prince of Peace Catholic Church.

Contributions may be made to Community Hospice of North East, Florida, 4266 Sunbeam Road, Jacksonville, Fla., or the I.M. Shultzbacher Center, 611 E. Adams St., Jacksonville, Fla.

## Jo-Carol Davidson

Jo-Carol Block Davidson, 47, of San Francisco, and formerly of Delmar, died Wednesday, June 4, at California Pacific Medical Center.

She was a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and attended SUNY New Paltz before moving to San Francisco.

Ms. Davidson was a vocalist who sang with disco artists including Sylvester, Modern Rocketry and Patrick Cowley. As part of the duo Jo-Lo and as a solo artist on Megatone Records, she recorded Billboard dance chart hits and performed in venues including the Hollywood Bowl and Manhattan's Studio 54. She also sang the National Anthem for the San Francisco Giants.

She was a founder and conductor of the Bay Area Comic Music Troupe, the Ethel Merman Memorial Choir and performed annually in the cult theater hit "A Karen Carpenter Christmas". She also staged a one-woman show, "Songs in the Key of Me."

Ms. Davidson sang backup with numerous well-known artists, including Crystal Gayle, the Doobie Brothers and the Count Basie Orchestra.

She worked as a public relations director for animation studio Wild Brain. A longtime AIDS activist, she was appointed by the mayor to co-chair San Francisco's AIDS Emergency Fund. She was also a neighborhood activist and president of Cayuga Improvement Association. The park recently held a memorial

concert and will unveil a sculpture by Demi Braceros in her honor.

Survivors include her husband, Tyler Davidson; her parents Estelle and Murray Block of Glenmont; and two brothers, Richard Block of Antrim, N.H., and Paul Block of Delmar.

Services were from San Francisco's Fort Function. There will be a local memorial service at a date to be announced.

Contributions may be made to the Cayuga Improvement Association, 314 Foote Ave., San Francisco, Calif. 94112 or the AIDS charity Pets are Wonderful Support, PO Box 460487, San Francisco, Calif. 94146

## Lee Crandall Morris

Lee Crandall Morris of Delmar and Murray Isle died Tuesday, June 3.

Born in Belfast, Allegany County, she was a graduate of Albany Academy for Girls and SUNY Potsdam. She earned a master's degree from Russell Sage College.

Mrs. Morris was an educator for more than 40 years and was one of the first Head Start teachers in Albany. She spent her later career in the East Greenbush school district.

She was a member of the Alpha Mu Chapter of Alpha Xi Delta Fraternity and received the Order of the Rose. She was also a member of the Mohawk Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution and the New York State DAR Officers Club, Albany Panhellenic Association, Delta Kappa Gamma Women's International Education Society, Delta Kappa Iota Women's National Education Society, Elsmere Fire Co. auxiliary and the Delmar Progress Club.

She was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Albany and later attended First United Methodist Church of Delmar.

Survivors include her husband, William G. Morris Jr.; a daughter, Christy Morris Green of Dublin, N.H.; a son, William G. Morris III of Potsdam; two brothers, Eli Newell of Alplaus and Ronald Newell of Glens Falls; and five grandchildren.

Services will be Thursday, June 12, from First United Methodist Church of Delmar, 428 Kenwood Ave.

Burial will be in Graceland Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Tebbutt Funeral Home in Albany.

Contributions may be made to the Mohawk Chapter of the DAR, earmarked for the Tamassee School c/o Elsa Marie Kelp,

Elsmere Avenue Extension, Delmar 12054 or Community Hospice of Albany County, 445 New Karner Road, Colonie 12205.

## Jean H. Simmons

Jean H. Simmons, 78, of Springfield, Vt., and formerly of Selkirk, died Tuesday, June 3, in Springfield.

Born in Albany, she lived in Selkirk for many years and had also lived in Troy before moving to Springfield last year.

She worked on the assembly line at Fuller Brush Co. for several years and was a homemaker.

She enjoyed bingo and shopping.

She was the widow of Edward J. Simmons.

Survivors include five sons, Russell Simmons of Texas Creek, Colo., Edward T. Simmons of Gunderland, Gary S. Simmons of Honolulu, Donald Simmons of Littleton, Colo., and Robert A. Simmons of Springfield, Vt.; nine grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were from New Comer-Cannon Funeral Home in Colonie and St. Patrick's Church in Ravena.

Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Glenmont.

Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 260 Osborne Road, Loudonville 12211.

## Leonard Sellner

Leonard S. Sellner of Sun City Ariz., and formerly of Delmar, died Saturday, May 31, in Sun City.

He attended Yale University.

He was a veteran of World War II.

Mr. Sellner retired as chief engineer with a NASA subcontractor.

He was husband of the late Helen C. Prue Sellner.

Survivors include his wife, Ida M. Sellner; three sons, Kevin Sellner of Shady Side, Md., and Keith Sellner and Kent Sellner, both of Albany; a daughter, Karen Sellner of Faison, N.C.; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 9 a.m. on Saturday, June 21, at Christ the King Church in Gunderland.

Contributions may be made to Christ the King Building Fund, 20 Sumpter Ave., Gunderland 12203.

## Theodore Loew

Theodore Loew, 91, of Beverwyck Lane in North Bethlehem, died Saturday, June 7, at Community Hospice of Albany County at St. Peter's Hospital.

Born in Brooklyn, he was educated in the New York City school system. He was a graduate of Cornell University.

Mr. Loew worked for the Edgewood Arsenal in Aberdeen, Md., and then operated his own consulting firm in Stanford, Conn. He then worked for Campbell Plastics in Schenectady, serving as an engineer, technical director and plant manager for 29 years.

He was a member of Temple Gates of Heaven and Mended

Hearts Chapter 13.

Survivors include his wife, Louise Wenk Loew; a son, Dr. Jerome Loew; a daughter, Ruth C. Loew; and five grandchildren.

Services were from Temple Gates of Heaven in Schenectady.

Arrangements were by the Levayah Chapels in Schenectady.

Burial was in Temple Gates of Heaven Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to Beverwyck Elder Fund, 40 Autumn Drive, Slingerlands 12159.

## Elizabeth Atkins

Elizabeth C. Reid Atkins, 95, of Florida, and formerly of Selkirk, died Sunday, June 8, in Florida.

Born in Motherwell, Scotland, she and her family settled in the Buffalo area when they came to America.

Mrs. Atkins became of United States Citizen on Sept. 8, 1932.

## Patriot

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libraries have opted to post signs, making patrons aware of the possibility of surveillance, although neither Bethlehem nor Gunderland has done that.

"We feel that they really might discourage patrons from using the library, and we don't wish to make things more hysterical than they are," said Randall.

Susan Novotny, owner of The Book House of Stuyvesant Plaza, joked she was too frugal to spend money on software to track her patrons' purchases, but many other bookstores do for marketing purposes. Customers who pay with credit cards, which track the titles, can still have their records accessed by law enforcement.

"If the FBI really, really, really wanted to find out what you're reading, they can go into my records and do that," said Novotny.

Bookstore owners who refused to comply would also face prosecution under the act.

## Justice

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"There appears to be no prohibition against a town board member running for a town justice position," said Robert Alessi, town attorney.

If Marcelle proves unsuccessful in the election, he could finish his term on the board. Current Town Justice Paul Dwyer, a Democrat, announced his candidacy for the post in May. Dwyer was appointed to the interim justice position by the town board, after Theresa Egan stepped down to run for town supervisor.

Marcelle, 41, resides in Slingerlands with his wife Elena and their three small children. A graduate of Bowdoin College in Maine and Cornell Law School, Marcelle has been practicing law since the late 1980s.

"I have been blessed with a unique background that qualifies me for judge," said Marcelle.

In 2001, Marcelle argued and won a free speech case before the U.S. Supreme Court, granting a

She worked for the state Department of Taxation and Finance.

She was a volunteer for the Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance, the Bethlehem Grange and the Red Cross. She was a member of the Eastern Star.

She was a member of First Reformed Church of Bethlehem.

She was the widow of Clayton G. Atkins.

Survivors include two daughters, Margaret Koonz of Selkirk and Virginia Stoltz of Spring Hill, Fla.; five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Services are scheduled at 9 a.m. on Friday, June 13, at First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, Church Road, Selkirk. Calling hours will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the Meyers Funeral, 741 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery.

Beginning Tuesday, Novotny plans to make the Freedom To Read Protection Act petition available to patrons. The petition calls for a repeal of the provision in the Patriot Act that grants the FBI the right to access readers' records.

But that's just the beginning in the grassroots fight against the legislation.

The Bethlehem Bill of Rights Defense Committee is hopeful Bethlehem will join the growing list of communities and counties nationwide adopting resolutions declaring civil liberty safe zones.

Three states and 121 cities, towns and counties have already passed similar resolutions, according to the Bill of Rights Defense Committee based in Massachusetts.

"Even though these resolutions may only be symbolic, they have a very strong voice with your local legislators, with your county, your state and eventually it will trickle up to your federal legislators," said Trimble. For more information visit [www.bordc.org](http://www.bordc.org).

religious youth group the same use of school facilities as non-religious youth groups. Since 1991, he has been in private practice as a civil rights attorney specializing in free speech cases.

"A judge needs more than an excellent legal background; a judge needs a strong moral compass. I believe that laws are only as good as the judges who ensure that those laws serve and protect the people," said Marcelle.

Marcelle said he recognizes the role the town justice position plays in the life of the townspeople, especially the young, and he hopes to make a difference if he is elected.

"You'll get a town justice with a national reputation," said Keith Wiggand, chairman of the Bethlehem Republican Party. "He's a very honest man, and he's just a great guy all around," added Wiggand.

The four-year, full-time justice position carries an annual salary of \$37,911.

## Death Notices

The Spotlight will print paid Death Notices for relatives and friends who do not or have not lived in the Towns of Bethlehem and New Scotland. The charge for a paid death notice is \$25.

We will continue to print Obituaries of residents and former residents of the Towns of Bethlehem and New Scotland at no charge.

In Memoriam, and Cards of Thanks will also be printed for \$25.

# Family ENTERTAINMENT

CALENDARS ♦ ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

## An exhibit you'll want to 'sea' at Williamstown

By DEV TOBIN

One of the stars of the permanent collection at the Sterling and Francine Clark Art Institute in Williamstown is a colorful, swirling seascape, "Rockets and Blue Lights," painted by British artist Joseph Mallard William Turner in 1840.

Normally displayed in a prominent place at the end of the first corridor in the museum, the painting seems out of place among the more conventional British works of the late 18th- and early 19th-century in the collection, like the nearby Gainsborough portraits and Constable country houses.

Turner's later works, many of them sea scenes, were impressionistic decades before the official start of French Impressionism, the popular painting movement whose works form the core of the Clark collection.

Now the Clark has put together its major show of the summer around the theme of Turner: The Late Seascapes. The show opens Saturday and runs through Sept. 7.

The exhibit features three dozen paintings and watercolors, several of which have never been seen in this country. Participating galleries include the Turner mother lode — the Tate, the Courtauld Institute, also in London, the Ulster Museum in Belfast, the National Gallery in Washington, the Metropolitan Museum in New York and the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston.

"Rockets and Blue Light" itself will be there, of course, following an extensive conservation project which removed overpainting and discolored varnish. A discussion of the

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— Michael Conforti

conservation project with the conservator who did it, David Bull, will be held on Saturday, Aug. 2, at 2 p.m. The show also includes the Clark's

rarely exhibited "Brunnen, from the Lake of Lucerne."

"This exhibition is the first to examine the marine subjects Turner painted at the end of his life," said Michael Conforti, director of the Clark Art Institute. "Not only will viewers be swept away by the power of these paintings, but they will also have the opportunity to gain new insights into the obsession with the sea that defines so much of his work."

Turner lived during the heyday of Britannia ruling the waves and the small island nation becoming a sun-shining-somewhere world empire. In conjunction with the exhibit, the Clark will present a nautical-theme film series on Fridays at 4 p.m.

The schedule is: June 20, "The Sea Hawk"; June 27, "Longitude"; July 4, "Treasure Island"; July 11, "Mutiny on the Bounty" (1935 version); July 18,

### Van Tromp About to Please His Masters



Rockets and Blue Lights

"The Bounty" (1984 version); July 25, "Horatio Hornblower"; Aug. 1, "Captain Horatio Hornblower"; Aug. 8, "Damn the Defiant"; Aug. 15, "Persuasion"; Aug. 22, "In Which We Serve"; Aug. 29, "I Know Where I'm Going"; and Sept. 5, "Local Hero."

The films are free with admission.

The Clark's lunchtime lecture series, on Thursdays at 12:30 p.m., will also have a nautical theme. Clark curators will discuss watery works from the Clark collection that "they would take with them if stranded on a desert island."

The schedule is: June 12, Richard Rand, senior curator, on Claude Joseph Vernet's "Coastal Scene at Midnight"; July 10, Michael Cassin, curator of education, on Francesco di Stefano Pesellino's "King Melchior Sailing to the Holy Land"; Aug.

7, James Ganz, curator of prints, drawings and photographs, on Gustave Le Gray's "Brig on the Water"; Aug. 14, Brian Allen, curator of American paintings, on Winslow Homer's "Undertow"; Aug. 21, Katie Price, curatorial assistant, on Claude Monet's "Seascape: Storm"; and Aug. 28, Breta Yvars, assistant curator of education, on Pierre-Auguste Renoir's "Seascape."

Cassin will also speak on Saturdays in July at 2 p.m. on various aspects of Turner's work.

The Clark will also present daily gallery talks at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., from June 16 to Sept. 1.

There will be band concerts, featuring music of the British Isles, on Tuesdays in July at 6 p.m.

And the Clark will host a British Seaside Family Day on Sunday, July 27, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Entertainment will include acrobats, magicians and a Punch-and-Judy show. Vendors will be selling fish and chips, cotton candy, snow cones and similar fare.

Admission is \$10 for adults, free for children under 19, students and members. The institute is open daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For information, call 1-413-458-2303 or log on to [www.clarkart.edu](http://www.clarkart.edu).



Brunnen, from the Lake of Lucerne



# ARTS and ENTERTAINMENT

## Theater

### THE BLUE ROOM

Capital Repertory Theatre, 111 N. Pearl St., Albany, through June 15, \$28 to \$38. Information, 445-7469.

### THE WIZARD OF OZ

New York State Theatre Institute, Russell Sage College, Troy, June 13, 8 p.m., \$19, \$16 for seniors and students, \$8 for children under 13. Information, 273-3256.

### DON'T DRESS FOR DINNER

Curtain Call Theatre, 210 Old Loudon Road, through June 15, \$15. Information, 877-7529.

## THE KILLDARES

Tricentennial Park, Broadway, Albany, June 12, 5 p.m., free.

### THE SAW DOCTORS

Revolution Hall, Troy, June 13, 8 p.m., \$20 in advance, \$22 at the door. Information, 273-2337.

### JIMMY STOWE AND THE STOWAWAYS

Tricentennial Park, Broadway, Albany, June 19, 5 p.m., free.

### TIM JANIS

The Egg at Empire State Plaza, Albany, June 20, 8 p.m., \$25. Information, 473-1845.

## Comedy

### KATE CLINTON

The Egg at Empire State Plaza, Albany, June 15, 7 p.m., \$25. Information, 473-1845.

## Visual Arts

### NEW YORK STATE MUSEUM

Strangely Familiar: Approaches to Scale in the Collection of the Museum of Modern Art, through June 29, plus permanent collections on New York state history and geography, Empire State Plaza, Madison Avenue. Information, 474-5877.

### ALBANY INSTITUTE OF HISTORY AND ART

Richard Caliner retrospective, through June 1; plus exhibits on Hudson River School painting, American sculpture, Egypt and the history of Albany, 125 Washington Ave. Information, 463-4478.

### SCHENECTADY MUSEUM

Spirit of Schenectady and Collection Highlights, Nott Terrace Heights. Information, 382-7890.

### ALBANY CENTER GALLERIES

161 Washington Ave., paintings and drawings by Ruth Leonard, through Aug. 29. Information, 462-4775.

## ALBANY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT GALLERY

Albany-Shaker Road, Colonie, Unplugged: Painting in the Age of Technology, through Jan. 4. Information, 242-2222.

### LOCAL COLOR ART GALLERY

961 Troy-Schenectady Road, Latham, "Spring into Bloom," through June 30, Wednesday to Sunday. Information, 786-6557.

## Call for Artists

### ARTISTS WANTED

exhibit space available for original paintings at Local Color Art Gallery, 961 Troy-Schenectady Road, Latham. Information, 786-6557.

### DELMAR COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

openings in the string, horn and percussion sections. Information, 439-7749.

### COLONIE TOWN BAND

several openings, rehearsals on Mondays

at 7:30 p.m. at town hall, Route 9, Newtonville. Information, 783-2760.

### COLONIE CENTENNIAL BRASS CHOIR

openings for brass players, rehearsals on first Thursday and third Tuesday of the month, at 7:15 p.m., town hall, Route 9, Newtonville. Information, 783-2760.

### SUBURBAN SOUNDS COMMUNITY CHORUS

openings in mixed chorus, rehearsals Sundays at 7 p.m. at Altamont Village Hall, 115 Main St. Information, 861-8000.

### FRIENDSHIP SINGERS

openings in women's singing group, focusing on old favorites and show tunes, rehearsals Tuesday mornings at Community United Methodist Church 1499 New Scotland Road, Slingerlands. Information, 439-2360.

### SIENA CHAMBER ORCHESTRA AND CHOIR

rehearsals Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. for orchestra, Wednesdays at 6 p.m. for choir, Siena College, Route 9, Loudonville. Information, 783-2325

### ANNIE SCHAFER ORCHESTRA

openings in the string section, rehearsals Thursdays 9:30 a.m. to noon, Nott Terrace and Eastern Avenue, Schenectady. Information, 372-5146.

### MALE SINGERS NEEDED

for Electric City Chorus, training provided, rehearsals at Faith United

Methodist Church, Brandywine Avenue and Eastern Parkway, Schenectady, Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. Information, 785-4807.

### MONDAY MUSICAL CLUB WOMEN'S CHORUS

invitation for new members to join in singing classical and popular songs, Third Reformed Church, 20 Ten Eyck Ave., Albany, Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. Information, 477-4454.

### CAPITAL COMMUNITY VOICES

rehearsals at Columbia High School, Luther Road, East Greenbush, 7 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays. Information, 477-8308.

### CRAFTERS WANTED

for 2003 New Scotland Plum Fest on Sept. 20. Information, 439-5488.

## Classes

### DANCE CLASSES

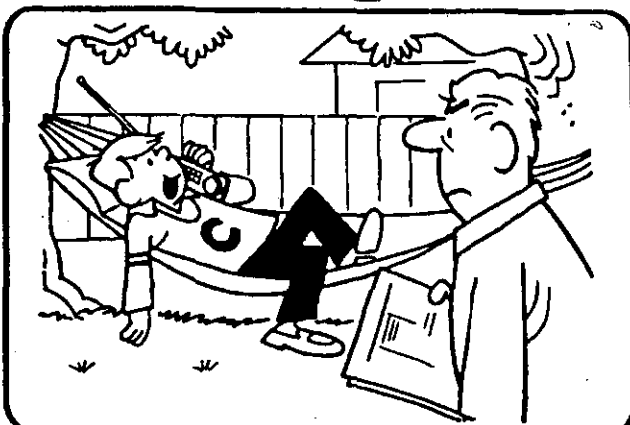
ongoing, all levels, ballet, jazz and modern, New School of Ballet, 1098 Parkwood Blvd., Schenectady, Mondays to Thursdays and Saturdays. Information, 346-1096.

### ART CLASSES

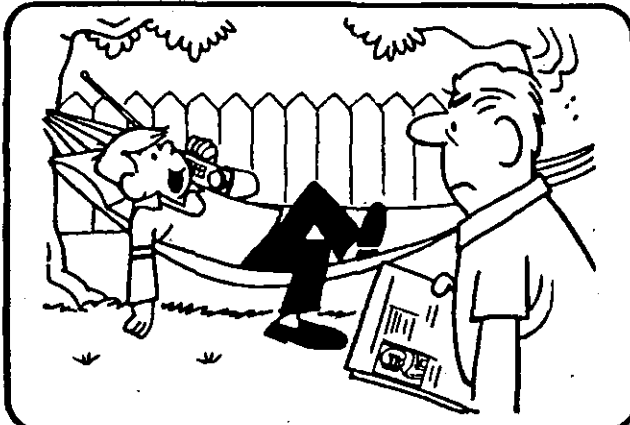
watercolor, oil and drawing, beginner and intermediate, Wednesdays and Thursdays, taught by Kristin Woodward. Information, 783-1828.

## HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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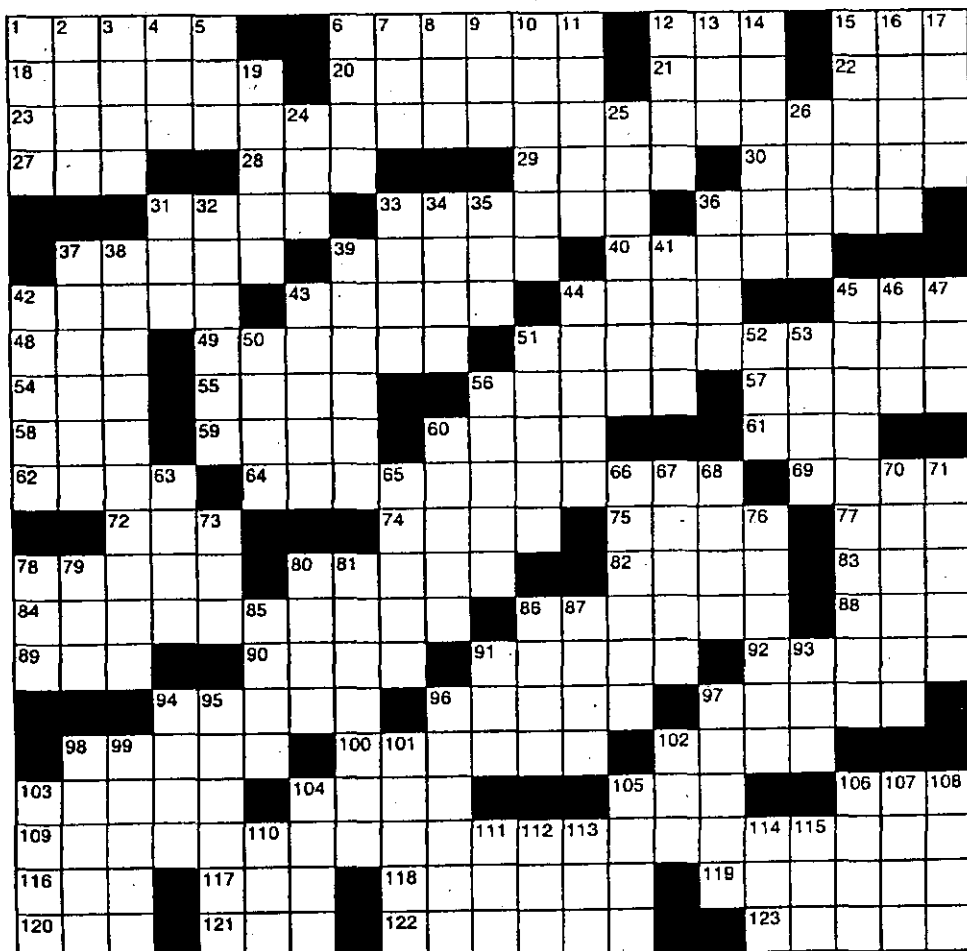
## MAGIC MAZE • "EER"

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Electioneer Marketeer Overseer Puppeteer  
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## The Super CROSSWORD



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- Throbbled
  - Space traveler
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  - Tristan's tootsie
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  - Lamb's dam
  - Unpopular picnicer
  - WWII gun
  - Dear book?
  - Taj town
  - Fir type
  - Toast topping
  - Eddy
  - Apia's locale
  - VCR button
  - Ballet's Shearer
  - Black or Carpenter
  - Rotale
  - Ample abdomen
  - "Shook Up" ('57 smash)
  - Substantiated
  - Part 2 of remark
  - Boulder
  - Leander's love
  - Revlon rival
  - "M" man
  - "Stroker" — ('83 film)
  - Prophet
  - 42 Across movement
  - "au vin"
  - "Dragnet" star
  - Part 3 of remark
  - Tube
  - Gobble up
  - Without — (daringly)
  - Spring flower
  - Writer Wolfert
  - Jergens or Astaire
  - Notre Dame's river
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  - Formed a lap
  - Part 4 of remark
  - Relinquishment
  - Rotale
  - Got a Secret
  - Fitting
  - Tiers
  - John of Bad English
  - Behind
  - Conductor Seiji
  - Civic or Accord
  - Risk a ticket
  - "Baby" ('60 song)
  - Angola's capital
  - Runners carry it
  - Decorate
  - "Yo!" at the library
  - Nav. rank
  - TV-listing abbr.
  - End of remark
  - "The —" ('84 film)
  - Crone
  - Composer Mascagni
  - Merits
  - Urban transport
  - Forsyth's "The — File"
  - Oscar de la —
  - Exiled dictator
  - Comic DeLuise
  - Nobel and Garbo
  - Phlox part
  - Anthony of "General Hospital"
  - Confederate
  - Tangle
  - Claire or Balin
  - Japanese dish
  - Khartoum's river
  - Rock's — Supply
  - Charts
  - Stark
  - Congregational comeback
  - Actor Chaney
  - O'Casey's — and the "Paycock"
  - Comfort
  - Gnu
  - Spice-rack item
  - Bunch of battalions
  - Brilliant bird
  - Asian nation
  - Actress Marisa
  - Bonus
  - Legendary Bruin
  - Mao — -lung
  - Basketball's Willis
  - Wishful winner?
  - RN's specialty
  - Parka feature
  - Dramatist Edward
  - Marshall or Singleton
  - Cinderella's soiree
  - They may be split
  - Mr. Khushchev
  - Somber
  - Location
  - Yearned for yummys
  - Spud
  - Surrey snack
  - Juan's wrap
  - "Golcha!"
  - Start to paint
  - Buffalo forecast
  - White Sox Hall of Famer
  - Russian river
  - Trick stick
  - Turturro of "The Sopranos"
  - Finished first
  - Nourished
  - Mythological meanie
  - Apex
  - '62 John Wayne film
  - Incline
  - Hacienda material
  - Wanderer
  - Deplete
  - Loser's locale
  - Jezabel's husband
  - Twinge
  - Secretary of Labor Elaine
  - Aspen apparatus
  - Beethoven's birthplace
  - Pivot
  - Vardalos of "My Big Fat Greek Wedding"
  - "Norma —" ('79 film)
  - Explosive letters
  - Round Table title
  - Archaic preposition
  - "Jurassic Park" stuff



# The Spotlight CALENDAR

*Wed. June 11*

## BETHLEHEM

### DELMAR ROTARY

Quality Inn, Route 9W, 7:30 a.m. information, 767-2930.

### SOLID ROCK CHURCH

evening prayer and Bible study, 7 p.m., 1 Kenwood Ave. Information, 439-4314.

### TOWN BOARD

Public hearing on "Rural Not Zoned" zoning code revision, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. information, 439-4955.

### BETHLEHEM TOASTMASTERS

The Clubhouse, Adams Station Apts., 1 Juniper Drive, Delmar, 7:30 p.m. information, 439-0871.

### BINGO

Blanchard American Legion Post, 16 Poplar Drive, 7:30 p.m. information, 439-9819.

### BOY SCOUT TROOP 58

Elsmere Elementary School, 247 Delaware Ave., 7:30 to 9 p.m.

### DELMAR FIRE COMMISSION

firehouse, Adams Place, 7:30 p.m. information, 439-3851.

### TESTIMONY MEETING

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 8 p.m. information, 439-2512.

### NEW SCOTLAND

### TOWN COUNCIL

New Scotland Town Hall, Route 85, 7 p.m. information, 439-4889.

### PRAYER MEETING

evening prayer meeting and Bible study, Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155, 7:30 p.m. information, 765-3390.

### FAITH TEMPLE

Bible study, New Salem, 7:30 p.m. information, 765-2870.

### NEW SCOTLAND SENIORS

Wyman Osterhout Community Center, New Salem, call for time. information, 765-2109.

### AA MEETING

First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville, 68 Maple St., 8 p.m. information, 489-6779.

*Thur. June 12*

## BETHLEHEM

### BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS

Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 12:30 p.m. information, 439-4955.

### YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Parks and Recreation Office, Elm Avenue Park, 2-5:30 p.m. information, 439-0503.

### BETHLEHEM ART ASSOCIATION

Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., 6-45 p.m. information, 765-7274.

### CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, 35 Adams Place, 7 p.m. information, 439-7387.

### DELMAR FIRE DEPARTMENT AUXILIARY

firehouse, Adams Place, 7:30 p.m.

### ELSMERE FIRE CO. AUXILIARY

firehouse, Poplar Drive, 7:30 p.m.

### BETHLEHEM MEMORIAL VFW

Post 3185, 404 Delaware Ave., 8 p.m. information, 439-9836.

### AA MEETINGS

Slingerlands Community Church, 1499 New Scotland Road, noon, and Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., 8:30 p.m. information, 489-6779.

## NEW SCOTLAND

### THE CLOTHING CLOSET

A service supported by area Reformed churches to provide clothing to those in need; volunteers welcome. Clarksville Reformed Church, Route 443, Clarksville, 8:30-11:30 a.m. and 4-7 p.m. information, 768-2916 or 439-5400.

### POETS GROUP

Every Other Thursday Night Poets/Writers Group, Voorheesville Public Library, 7 p.m., information 765-2791.

*Fri. June 13*

## BETHLEHEM

### AA MEETING

First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, Route 9W, 7:30 p.m. information, 489-6779.

### CHABAD CENTER

Friday services, discussion and kiddush at sunset, 109 Elsmere Ave. information, 439-8280.

## NEW SCOTLAND

### PIONEER CLUBS

For children grades 1 through junior high; Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155, 3:45 - 5 p.m. information, 765-3390.

### YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS

United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New Salem, 7 p.m. information, 765-4410.

### PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

Weekly at Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School Road, 10:15 a.m. information, 765-2791.

*Sat. June 14*

## BETHLEHEM

### AA MEETING

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 7:30 p.m. information, 489-6779.

## NEW SCOTLAND

### CRAFT FAIR & FLEA MARKET

Clarksville Firehouse, 2178 Tarrytown Road, rain or shine, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

*Sun. June 15*

## BETHLEHEM

### ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE

Masses — Saturday at 5 p.m. and Sunday at 7:30, 9, 10:30 a.m. and noon, 35 Adams Place. information, 439-4951.

### ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL

Holy Eucharist, 8 and 10:30 a.m., coffee and fellowship, nursery care provided, church school, 9:25 a.m., Poplar Drive and Elsmere Avenue. information, 439-3265.

### BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN

85 Elm Ave., worship services 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. coffee/fellowship following worship. Sunday School and Bible classes 9:15 a.m., infant and nursery care, assistive listening devices. Bible class for developmentally disabled, second and fourth Sundays of each month. information, 439-4328.

### DELMAR REFORMED

Worship services, 10 a.m., with child care, Sunday school for all ages T.G.I. Sunday contemporary worship at 5:30 p.m. with child care and children's program through grade 6. 386 Delaware Ave. information, 439-9929.

### BETHLEHEM COMMUNITY CHURCH

Worship service 10 a.m.; nursery and Sunday School through 5th grade provided at both services. 201 Elm Ave. information, 439-3135.

### SOUTH BETHLEHEM UMC

Sunday school, 9:30 a.m., worship service, 11 a.m., followed by coffee hour,

65 Willowbrook Ave. information, 767-9953.

### DELMAR FULL GOSPEL

Sunday service, 9:30 a.m., with Sunday school and nursery, home groups, women's Bible studies and youth group, 292 Elsmere Ave. information, 439-4407.

### FIRST REFORMED OF BETHLEHEM

Church school 9:30 a.m., worship 11 a.m., fellowship hour after worship; child-care provided, vesper 7 p.m. Wednesdays, Route 9W, Selkirk. information, 767-2243.

### FAMILY OF GOD COMM. CHURCH

Church of the Nazarene; Sunday school 9:45 a.m., worship 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Krumkill Road at Schoolhouse Road, North Bethlehem.

### FIRST UMC OF DELMAR

Sunday school and worship service, 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m. (in chapel); adult classes and fellowship 11 a.m., child-care provided, 428 Kenwood Ave. information, 439-9976.

### MOUNT MORIAH MINISTRIES

Sunday school, 9:45 a.m., morning worship, 11 a.m., youth group, 6 p.m., evening service, 7 p.m., Route 9W, Glenmont. information, 426-4510.

### UNITY OF FAITH CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Sunday school and worship service, 10 a.m., 436 Krumkill Road. information, 439-7740.

### FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

Sunday school and worship service, 10 a.m., child-care provided, 555 Delaware Ave. information, 439-2512.

### KING'S CHAPEL

Traditional Baptist Bible service, 10 a.m.; 434 Route 9W, just south of Glenmont Road, Glenmont. information, 426-9955.

### BETHLEHEM CONGREGATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Bible lecture, 10 a.m., Watchtower Bible study, 10:55 a.m., Elm Avenue and Feura Bush Road. information, 439-0358.

### SLINGERLANDS COMMUNITY UMC

worship service and church school, 10 a.m., fellowship hour, nursery care provided, 1499 New Scotland Road. information, 439-1766.

### DELMAR PRESBYTERIAN

worship service, church school, nursery care, 10 a.m., fellowship and coffee, 11 a.m., adult education, 11:15 a.m., family communion service, first Sunday, 585 Delaware Ave. information, 439-9252.

### GLENMONT COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday school and worship service, 10:30 a.m., child-care available, 1 Chapel Lane. information, 436-7710.

### SOLID ROCK CHURCH

worship service, 11 a.m., 1 Kenwood Ave. information, 439-4314.

### NORMANSVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Services Sundays, 6:30 p.m. Mill Road, Normansville, beneath the Normanskill Bridge on Delaware Ave., Delmar. information, 439-5710.

## NEW SCOTLAND

### ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH

Masses Saturday at 5 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 and 10:30 a.m., Mountain View Road, Voorheesville. information, 765-2805.

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST

early worship, 8:30 a.m., worship celebration, 10 a.m., church school classes for nursery through high school, 10 a.m., choir rehearsals, 11:15 a.m., 68 Maple Ave., Voorheesville. information, 765-2895.

### BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:15 a.m., worship service, 10:15 a.m., Auberge Suisse Restaurant, Route 85. information, 475-9086.

### UNIONVILLE REFORMED

Sunday school, 9:15 a.m., worship

service, 10:30 a.m., followed by fellowship, Delaware Turnpike. information, 439-5001.

### CLARKSVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:15 a.m., worship service, 10:30 a.m., followed by coffee hour, nursery care provided, Route 443. information, 768-2916.

### MOUNTAINVIEW EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

Family Bible Hour, 9:15 a.m.; worship service, 10:30 a.m., nursery care provided. Route 155, Voorheesville. information, 765-3390.

### ONESQUETHAW REFORMED

worship service, 9:30 a.m., Sunday school, 10:45 a.m., Tarrytown Road, Feura Bush. information, 768-2133.

### FAITH TEMPLE

Sunday school, 10 a.m., worship service, 7 p.m., New Salem. information, 765-2870.

### NEW SCOTLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

worship service, 10:30 a.m., fellowship following worship service; Sunday school, 9:15 a.m., nursery care provided; 2010 New Scotland Road, New Scotland. information, 439-6454.

### UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Sunday school and worship service, 10 a.m., choir rehearsal, 5 p.m., evening service, 6:45 p.m., Route 85, New Salem. information, 765-4410.

### JERUSALEM REFORMED

worship service, 10:30 a.m., followed by coffee hour, child-care provided, Route 32, Feura Bush. information, 439-0548.

### FAMILY WORSHIP CENTER

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m., nursery and Sunday School available, Thursday night prayer and praise at 7 p.m. 92 Lower Copeland Hill Road, Feura Bush. information, 768-2021.

*Mon. June 16*

## BETHLEHEM

### PEACE VIGIL

Bethlehem Neighbors For Peace, weekly peace vigil, Four Corners intersection, Delmar, 5-6 p.m., information, 439-1968.

### DELMAR KIWANIS

Quality Inn, Route 9W, 6:15 p.m. information, 439-2437 or 439-6952.

### CLASS IN JEWISH MYSTICISM

Delmar Chabad Center, 109 Elsmere Ave., 7 p.m. information, 439-8280.

### INDOOR PISTOL SHOOTING

Albany County Pistol Club, Winne Place, 7 to 9 p.m. Also Tuesday. information, 439-0057.

## EXPLORER POST 157

For boys and girls 14-21, focusing on environmental conservation, 310 Kenwood Ave., 7:30-9 p.m. information, 439-4205.

### DELMAR COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

rehearsal, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. information, 439-7749.

### ROYAL ARCH MASONS

Temple Chapter No. 5; Masonic Temple, 421 Kenwood Ave.

### AA MEETING

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 8:30 p.m. information, 489-6779.

## NEW SCOTLAND

### LIBRARY BOARD

Every third Monday, Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School Road, 7 p.m. information, 765-2791.

### QUARTET REHEARSAL

United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New Salem, 7:15 p.m. information, 765-4410.

## SELKIRK

### BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS

Monthly meeting, 7 p.m. information, 465-3193.

*Tues. June 17*

## BETHLEHEM

### TREASURE COVE THRIFT SHOP

First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

### THRIFT SHOP AND LUNCH

sponsored by the South Bethlehem United Methodist Women's Organization, next to the church on Willowbrook Avenue, weekly on Tuesday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., with lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. information, 767-9953.

### PLANNING BOARD

Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. information, 439-4955.

## BINGO

at the Bethlehem Elks Lodge, Route 144, 7:30 p.m.

### ONESQUETHAW LODGE 1096 F&AM

Masonic Temple, 421 Kenwood Ave. Bethlehem Industrial Development Agency Public hearing to be held on Delmar Place tax-exempt financing, 7 p.m., Town Hall, Room 101.

## NEW SCOTLAND

### PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

Weekly at Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School Road, 10:15 a.m. information, 765-2791.

## NIMBLEFINGERS/QUILTERS

Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School Road, 1 to 3 p.m. information, 765-2791.

## VOORHEESVILLE PTA

Elementary school cafeteria, 7:30 p.m. information, 765-3644.

*Wed. June 18*

## BETHLEHEM

### DELMAR ROTARY

Quality Inn, Route 9W, 7:30 a.m. information, 767-2930.

### BETHLEHEM LIONS CLUB

Quality Inn, Route 9W, Glenmont, 7 p.m. information, 439-4857.

### ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

Northeast NY Alzheimer's Association meetings for families, caregivers, and friends: Delmar Presbyterian Church, 585 Delaware Ave., 7 p.m.

### SOLID ROCK CHURCH

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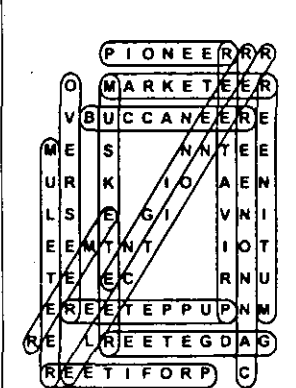
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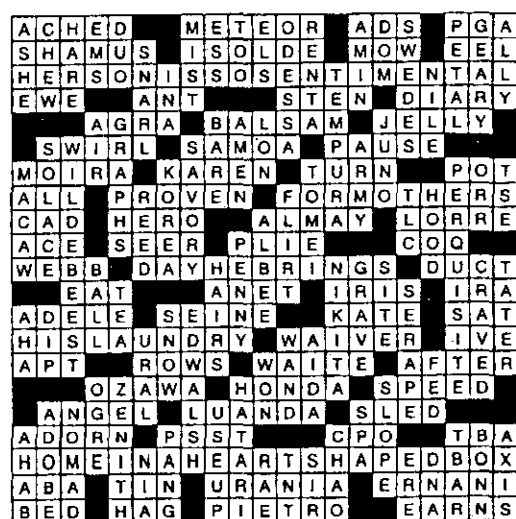
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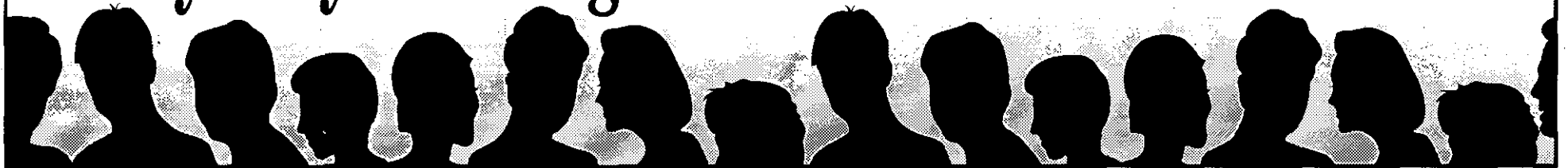
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Even the most luxurious pick-ups are still designed for hauling goods and gear (although hay bales and saddles have been replaced by gas cans and 4-wheel ATVs). Thus tough and reliable bed liner protection is a must for today's truck owners who demand both performance and lasting appearance.

"While many pick-up truck buyers immediately invest in protection for their truck beds, a lot of people don't realize the value a tough, durable bed liner makes over the life of the vehicle," says Lynn Repak, brand manager for HERCULINER(r), America's #1 aftermarket roll-on bed liner.

The polyurethane formula found in HERCULINER and most dealer-installed products, bonds to add a bed liner later on can get the quality and durability of polyurethane in a do-it-yourself installation kit at their local auto parts store for less than a \$100." According to Repak, HERCULINER is sold in a ready-to-use kit with two rollers, a paintbrush, a scuff pad and a gallon of bed liner coating. Plus, it contains rubber granules for tough, skid-resistant protection, so sell a quality liner at a very reasonable cost. "Our program is an economical way for shop owners to get into the spray-on business, allowing costs savings to be passed onto the consumer, so it's a win-win for everyone," said Repak.

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And don't be surprised to see HERCULINER spray-on bed liners being offered as an add-on service at your local repair or body shop. The company introduced a professionally installed spray-on liner that allows shops to gloss shine without reducing the skid resistant properties of the bed liner, as spray waxes can.

To find out where you can find HERCULINER Brush-on Bed Liner kits or a nearby dealer to install the Spray-On Bed Liner and UV Top Coat, visit their website at [www.herculiner.com](http://www.herculiner.com) or call 1-877-HERCULINER (437-2854).

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## Springtime check-up should include car's vital fluids

Springtime is the time to clean out your garage, open windows to let in fresh air, and check to make sure your car's system chemicals (antifreeze/coolant, transmission, brake and power steering fluids) are prepared to protect the engine and other operating systems through another season of rising temperatures and stop 'n go driving.

Winter's extreme temperatures and harsh driving conditions can play havoc on engine chemicals, leaving your vehicle less than fully protected. This is especially true with premium formula antifreeze/coolants, which contain special additives that help ensure engine longevity and prevent radiator leaks. These additives wear out over time, lessening their ability to protect vital engine and cooling system metals against rust and corrosion, and thus the antifreeze/coolant needs to be replaced.

### If You're Low on Antifreeze, You're Low on Protection

Maintaining your car's cooling system is one aspect of vehicle service that can still be completed with basic service tools, and an antifreeze ball tester or a simple test strip, which are available at your local auto parts store. If you can't remember the last time you flushed and filled your coolant system with fresh antifreeze, now's the time to check it.

If your coolant system level is drastically low or the glycol-to-water ratio is not correct, you might consider flushing the system and then filling it with a fresh antifreeze and water mixture to bring it back within operating specifications. For the best year-round protection, most automakers recommend a 50/50 mixture of antifreeze and water. Check your

owner's manual for the vehicle's recommended service interval or talk to a parts professional for details.

Extremely low coolant system levels may be an indication that you have a leaky hose or loose radiator hose clamp. Any hoses that show signs of wear, leakage, cracking or rotting should be replaced.

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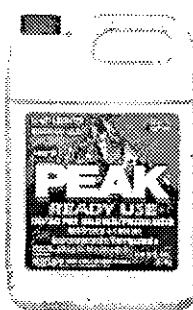
If your coolant system level is moderately low and your antifreeze ball tester shows that the antifreeze-to-water ratio is correct. Then it simply needs to be topped-off with a "ready to use" 50/50 mixture of antifreeze/water, such as PEAK Ready Use, 50/50 Pre-Diluted Antifreeze.

Identifying and correcting coolant system leaks, low fill levels and improper ratios is a fast and easy

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Clearance Priced. \$34,799  
Rebate.....\$4,000

**\$30,799**

Total Savings \$8,426

**'03 CHEVY TRACKER 4 DR**

 #03-1009, 4 cyl, auto, PW/PL,  
A/C, ABS brakes, CD player  
MSRP.....\$21,965  
Savings.....\$-1,366  
Clearance Priced. \$20,599  
Rebate.....\$4,000

**\$16,599**

Total Savings \$4,366

**'03 CHEVY CAVALIER 4 DR**

 #03-9005, 4 cyl, auto,  
cruise, tilt, nicely equipped  
MSRP.....\$16,465  
Savings.....\$-996  
Clearance Priced. \$15,469  
Rebate.....\$4,000

**\$11,499**

Total Savings \$4,996

**'03 CHEVY S-10 EXT CAB**

 #03-6004, 4 cyl, auto, sport susp, tilt,  
cruise, alum wheels  
MSRP.....\$20,119  
Savings.....\$-1,720  
Clearance Priced. \$18,399  
Rebate.....\$4,000

**\$14,399**

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tilt, 22,235 miles

**\$10,777**
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**\$9,900**
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**\$10,777**
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PS/PB, 42,474 miles

**\$7,995**
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**\$9,477**
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37,483 mi.

**\$11,788**
**'01 CHEVY PRISM 4 DR**  
 Auto, A/C, alloy wheels, cassette,  
PS, PB, 29,714 miles

**\$8,995**
**'99 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX GTP COUPE**  
 Auto, A/C, full power, leather,  
alloy wheels, 35,364 miles

**\$12,977**
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**'97 GMC 3/4 TON PICKUP 4X4**  
 Auto., full size worker, V8, air,  
62,173 mi.

**\$12,959**
**'00 GMC SILVERADO 4X4**  
 LS, loaded, V8, air, one owner trade,  
46,488 mi.

**\$16,595**
**'01 CHEVY SILVERADO LS EXT. CAB**  
 Two tone, loaded, V8, one-owner truck,  
36,946 mi.

**\$21,595**
**'00 CHEVY SILVERADO LS EXT. CAB**  
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34,862 mi.

**\$19,959**
**'00 CHEVY S-10 EXT. CAB 7R2**  
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**\$15,977**
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43,933 mi.

**\$7,983**
**'01 BUICK CENTURY CUSTOM 4 DR.**  
 #P3563, Alloy, pw/pl/ps, loaded, silver,  
36,739 mi.

**\$12,337**
**'00 CHEVY MALIBU 4 DR.**  
 #P3594, Auto., air, white, CD,  
25,918 mi.

**\$9,742**
**'00 PONTIAC GRAND AM SE**  
 #P3596, 4 dr., auto., air, 3.4 V6,  
dk. blue, 32,115 mi.

**\$10,594**
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