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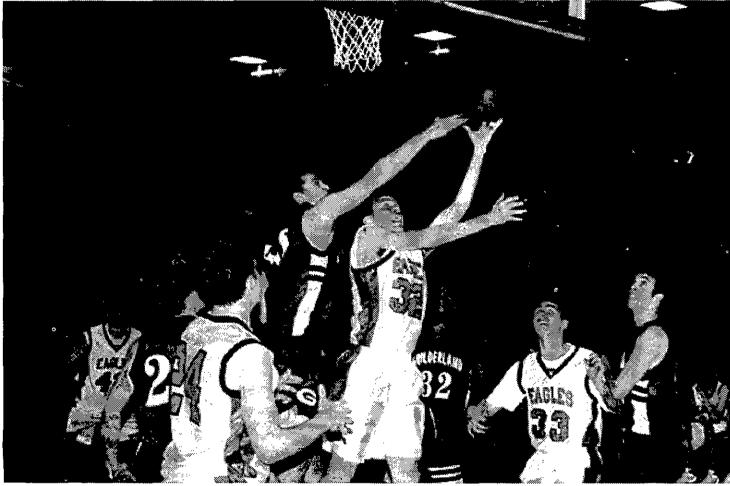
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Bethlehem's John Burke goes through traffic for a layup during Friday's Suburban Council game against Guilderland. See story on Page Jim Franco

Details still sketchy on EPA site

Residents fear home values will go down

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

Bethlehem, named in December as one of two finalists for the Hudson River dredging project, is not guaranteed a full dewatering site, a standing room only crowd of about 200 heard from government officials last Wednesday. Judging from many of the comments made by residents who spoke, nothing would make them happier.

'On that property, a couple of things could happen," said Environmental Protection Agency Community Involvement Coordinator Leo Rosales. "It could get a full dewatering facility, it could be a transfer station, where processing wouldn't happen, or the site could just be held onto for a couple of years until 2007, 2008, when it could be more useful. The site is still on the table. It will be used for something.'

Residents who spoke wove a common thread of reasons why they believe Bethlehem's 94-acre OG Real Estate site, owned by Victor Gush, doesn't belong as part of the six-year-plus \$500 million endeavor that seeks to remove 30 years' worth, or 2.65 million cubic yards of, PCBs from the Hudson.



Two residents in two hours spoke in favor of the project. The rest of the speakers aired concerns about property values, air emissions, noise, odor and a lack of concrete information.

Proponents say the project will decrease the instances of cancer and other health effects in those who consume fish from the river, like humans and birds.

Sixty percent of the PCBs lie in the river bottom in the area around Fort Edward, the other finalist for a dewatering site. A number of residents argued that it's cost prohibitive to transfer something heavy, like the treated water, to an area of the river where the sediment is not PCB-laden. "I don't see why it can't all be handled at the Fort Edward site and this site isn't necessary at all," said Republican town board member George Lenhardt, to applause.

Another resident said that since Fort Edward benefited from the industry and development associated with GE, that town should bear the brunt of the dredging project, too.

"We had nothing to do with GE. We benefited in no way, shape or form, and we should not have to suffer the consequences here," Joan Disare said.

Supervisor Theresa Egan has argued that little, if any, pre-project monitoring has gone on below the Federal Dam in Troy, where the Bethlehem site is.

EPA representatives gave a presentation on what residents could expect with a full build-out of the Superfund project. General Electric, the company that, at the time, legally disposed of PCBs via the Hudson River, hasn't decided on disposal routes or methods, making specifics sketchy at best, said Dave King, director of the EPA's Hudson River Field Office.

"I'm sure GE wouldn't want to build two facilities if they don't need to," King said. "Perhaps the Fort Edward site can handle all of the material, but we don't know that."

The dredging will be a physical process, King said, where the water is squeezed out of PCB-laden sediment. King said that after that process, the water will be up to drinking-level standards. The site, upon the project's completion, will be cleaned up and any structures that are useful for the next project will be left,

Gush, who had a plan in the works for a multi-million dollar mixed-use project at the same site, is in talks now with GE to work out leasing the land.

The Superfund project is the largest of its kind ever attempted.

Because of its status as a Superfund project, no mitigation to host communities is available, leading residents to ask questions about property values, which some believe will decline after the project

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Highway Dept. gets high marks

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

Perhaps most motorists could tell this past weekend, but a private, nationallypublished study on snow and ice control has confirmed what Bethlehem Highway Superintendent Gregg Sagendorph has known since he took his position.

That the town's method of clearing and controlling roads before, during and after snowstorms and ice storms is one of the best in the Northeast.

The study, conducted by Slingerlands resident and former Department of Transportation engineer Duane Amsler as part of the National Cooperative Highway Research Program, considered the chemical and plowing methods of 26 municipalities that Amsler already believed to have efficient techniques in place.

"We participated because we thought it would be worthwhile, and that we could review the results," Sagendorph said. "We kind of knew (that our method was efficient), but just having it confirmed was good.'

The town highway employees,

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Local youngsters need marrow transplants

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

Two school-age children and their families hope a bone marrow drive scheduled for February turns up a match for them, after, family members and a look into the anational bone marrow database has so far turned up none.

Jackie Hill, a school bus driver for Bethlehem Central schools, has a 16-year-old son. Anthony, who was diagnosed in 2002 with Hodgkin's Lymphoma. Hill said her son, who recently got his learner's driving permit, is looking to "just be a normal kid again. Ellen Clark's fourth-grade daughter, Shania, a student at Pinewood Elementary in the Mohonasen School District in Schenectady County, was diagnosed in 2002 with acute

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State Police arrest contractor for larceny

State Police from the New Scotland barracks arrested a general contractor for allegedly stealing about \$20,000 from customers. He was arrested after a 10-month investigation by the New Scotland Bureau of Criminal Investigation.

Thomas P. Cronin, 53, of 56 Blue Spruce Lane in Ballston Lake, was arrested on a grand jury indictment, and now faces two counts of third-degree grand larceny, a D felony; one count of fourth-degree grand larceny, an E felony; and a count of petty larceny, a misdemeanor.

Cronin was working for Four Seasons Sun Rooms out of Long Island when the larcenies allegedly happened.

After getting money from five customers, Cronin allegedly failed to perform the work he was contracted to do, resulting in the

Cronin was arraigned in Albany County Court before Judge Stephen Herrick and sent to Albany County Jail without bail. New York State Police are asking anyone who had contact with Cronin to call them at 768-8161.

Progress Club lists February schedule of meetings

The Delmar Progress Club has announced meetings for the month of February.

On Monday, Feb. 7, a general meeting will be held in Bethlehem Public Library community room at 10 a.m. The literature group will meet Tuesday, Feb. 8 in the town hall room 101 at 2 p.m.

The travel group will meet Thursday, Feb. 10 in the library community room, also at 2 p.m.

The creative arts group will meet in the library board room on Wednesday, Feb. 16 at 10 a.m. The antique study group will meet in the town hall room 101 cn Tuesday, Feb. 22 for slides and needlecraft.

On Feb. 28, the knitters will meet in the library board room at

For information, call Helen Smith at 439-3916.

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HELDING NOT CIRCULATE Bethlehem police make two DWI arrests

Police have made two driving while intoxicated (DWI) arrests since Jan. 10.

According to police, on that date in the area of 25 River Road, police saw a car run a stop sign.

After pulling over Jerome P. Trent, 51, of 93 Morris St. in Albany, police said they smelled a strong odor of alcohol on his breath. A check showed him to have a suspended license from Menands Court and an active bench warrant for his arrest from the town of North Greenbush.

Trent failed field sobriety tests and was placed under arrest for DWI and aggravated unlicensed operation. Another check showed that Trent had a previous conviction for operating a motor vehicle with a blood alcohol content greater than .08 percent.

Judge Frank Milano sent Trent to Albany County jail without bail.

On Jan. 15, at 9:23 a.m., police arrested a 36-year-old woman, who said she was on her way to work, for DWI.

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Police noticed inadequate exhaust on the car Erika F Buckout, of 1643 5th Ave. in Troy was driving. A check showed ar insurance lapse as of July 2004 or

According to reports, when the police car's lights were activated the officer saw Buckout look into her mirror, though she failed to pull over immediately. When Buckout did pull over, in the vicinity of Leonard Place, police said she did so partially onto the

Police said they smelled alcohol on Buckout's breath, and she admitted to drinking at party earlier.

She refused a chemical test police said.

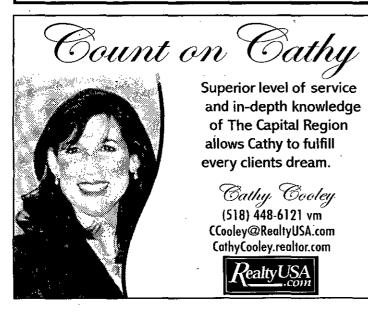
Buckout faces a DWI charge third-degree aggravated unlicensed operation charge a well as traffic infraction charges including no insurance and suspended registration.

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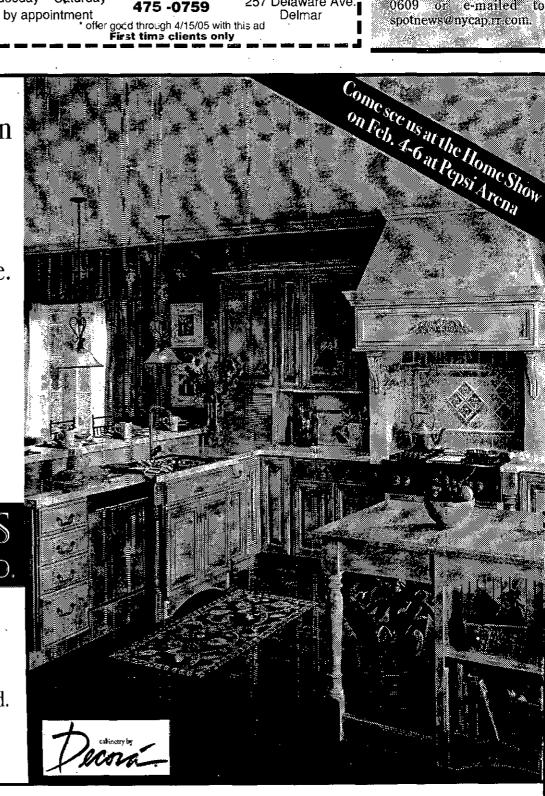
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Jim and Kyle Vincent enjoy playing hockey at Elm Avenue Park Saturday.

Porco grand jury resumes investigation

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

After a few-week hiatus, the grand jury for the investigation into the November murder of a prominent Delmar resident and the coinciding attack of his wife will resume this Friday.

A court officer from the New York State Appellate Court, where Peter Porco served as Judge Anthony Cardona's law clerk, showed up at the Porco's 36 Brockley Drive residence on the morning of Nov. 15 when Peter Porco failed to report for work. Joan Porco was found upstairs from her deceased husband, with trauma to the head and body, police have said. Joan Porco was alert before she was taken by ambulance to the hospital.

She remained at an Albany hospital for weeks, with her family keeping vigil beside a police presence before she was transferred to Sunnyview Rehabilitation Center in Niskayuna before Christmas.

The grand jury has heard from 'dozens of witnesses," according to Assistant District Attorney Dave Rossi.

The grand jury took a break for the holidays, over which a new district attorney was sworn in, and then took time off, Rossi said, because the terms for the grand jury members, who are regular citizens from all walks of life, had expired.

"We took about two, three weeks off to adjust the schedules of the grand jurors. Their terms have been extended," Rossi said, though he declined to say for how

Rossi also couldn't comment on whether an end is in sight for the grand jury, which has met to investigate the murder of Peter Porco, who was 52 when he died.

Rossi has said the grand jury investigation will not necessarily generate charges or an indictment.

When the grand jury is finished hearing testimony, a judge will review the transcripts, though they will not be made public, Rossi said, noting that grand juries and the testimony they hear remain a secretive process. Chris Porco and his 23year-old brother, Johnathan Porco, who is in the Navy, were called persons of interest at the beginning of the investigation. Both were interviewed by police. Chris Porco's Jeep Wrangler was seized by police for processing after they traveled to Rochester the day of the discovery of Peter Porco's body.

Bethlehem Police have never publicly called Chris Porco a suspect in the attack on his parents. Interviews with Chris Porco ended when Terence Kindlon, whose services were retained by 21-year-old Chris Porce's family, advised him not participate in any more police interviews.

Rossi said the district attorney's office remains in contact with the Porco family.

Couple conserves water from rainy days 65 feet from the barn back into the of dumping hundreds of pounds other advantage is that it makes

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

One New Scotland resident has solved his water woes, at least for the time being, from the roof

With a limited water supply that, at times, is silty and grainy, the town of New Scotland's residents are no strangers to water problems. Peter Kelly, who lives on a piece of land that overlooks the Helderbergs and the very limestone cliffs that perhaps helped to clog his showerheads, took a page out of his native Australia's water book when a barn project he undertook to store outdoor machinery also solved a problem he and his wife had been having since they built their house.

"It was purely an experiment, and I didn't know what would happen," Kelly said. "It ended up becoming a justification for spending the money on the barn to improve our water situation." Much of the house's hot water now consists of rainwater that Kelly collects in a 12,000-gallon cistern, below the barn's groundlevel floor. Rain is collected in gutters and follows along a series of pipes down through several fiberglass washers that filter the water, into the 22-foot-long, 14foot-high and 5.5-foot-wide tank that's lined with a swimming pool

Another series of pipes and an immersed pump send the water

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basement of the house.

Department state of Environmental Conservation makes no requirements on water after the initial testing when someone moves into a house. When he heard that, Kelly said, he started seriously considering this system.

"It's a fairly complicated pump system. It's fairly well filtered, not sterile, but still very clean," Kelly said. "It's 100 percent soft because it comes out of the sky. No iron, no minerals." Kelly guessed he saved about \$9,000 by sealing the tank with a pool liner. Sealing it with epoxy would have cost about \$11,000. The Kellys could smell hints of vinyl as their new hot water system, designed by Colonial Plumbing out of Albany, began operating, but Kelly said the smell is a non-issue now.

The Kellys moved into the house about 10 years ago, and Kelly said, from the beginning, loads of laundry would come out with rust stains from the iron in the water. Faucets and showerheads became clogged from the lime silt, Kelly said. His wife began Sunday trips to a coinoperated laundry to spare their wardrobes.

The hot water is gradually dissolving the minerals that collected in the pipes and the showerheads," Kelly said. "The contaminate the water supply dishwasher, we used to take the dishes out and they'd all be spotted with hard water. Now, the dishes are absolutely shining and clear. Things I didn't even expect to happen; it's all kind of exciting."

To complicate water matters, their well, though supporting just the two of them, is just 80 feet deep, Kelly said, noting they would use the 120 gallons that it could hold in a day. The Kellys have a 1,300-gallon holding tank in their basement, where they can track the water level. Kelly also

The of salt into his system to keep the water soft.

> The system was finished Dec. 31, 2003. After running for a year, Kelly seems pleased with the investment of his time, money and energy. He declined to say how much he spent on the entire project.

> Australia, though that county's climate plays less of a role in how the tanks are set up. Kelly, when consider winter weather and temperatures that often drop below freezing, so the top of his tank is buried about 4 feet below the surface of the ground, so the water it collects doesn't freeze. The tanks he's seen in Australia are above ground.

> "It's got to be deep enough so it's protected by the insulation force of the soil. Four feet down, water won't freeze, so we know it's going to be liquid down there," Kelly said.

On Sunday, Kelly's tank was about three-quarters full, holding about 110 inches of water, or 9,100 gallons. "It's at a pretty decent level." Kelly said.

The tank is completely sealed off from insects and to ensure no groundwater or driveway runoff with insects, salt or bacteria.

Having completed the first year of his experiment, Kelly has yet to see the tank empty. He's gotten down to about 18 or 20 inches, but with water coming from a surface area of about 2,000square-feet — the barn roof and the east side of his house's roof - he's calculated, from those figures and Albany's average annual rainfall, a collection of about 30,000 gallons a year.

"It's totally carefree consaid with the old system, he tired sumption," Kelly said. "We use as much water as we want. And the

our well water last that much longer."

Just to be safe, though, Kelly didn't completely rule out the possibility of a dry summer, and has kept the well system as a back-up.

"If it does run out, I'll turn it off and we'll go back to the Kelly said the system is regular system and use it the way common in his home country of we were before. I didn't do anything permanent in there, Kelly said.

Kelly figures the winter setting up his system, had to months a "write-off," expecting to deposit less water than in the summer months.

> "Most of the snow just falls away or blows off," Kelly said. What does melt, whether sleet or some snow, is deposited.

"The only reason we did it was because we love the location," Kelly said. "It was challenging to build out here; it's fairly windy, but it's such a beautiful place to



Members of Girl Scout Troup #96 show off Thin Mint Smoothles they created at Perfect Blend Espresso Bar in Delmar. The smoothles and frappes will be sold at Perfect Blend until Feb. 19. Fifty-cents of every drink will be donated to the Girl Scouts Hudson Valley Council. Front row: Perfect Blend owner Roberta Bastow and Kristianna Russo. Back row: Rachel Schachter, Troop Leader Debbie Russo, Adelle Ricciardi, Leah Howie and Perfect Blend manager Rhonda Lipscomb.

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Life takes us down a long and winding road

By KATHERINE McCARTHY

The road stretched long and flat before us. In the Canadian provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, it's hard to believe that the earth is round, for the ground moves flat and level all the way to the sky. To an east coast U.S. native, used to rolling hills, rivers and lakes, it feels like there's no point of orientation in all that openness.

The ducks that made homes or stopped to drink from the puddles at the side of the road were reassuring alleviations to the vast expanse of earth and sky. Towns that consisted of three grain elevators, railroad tracks and a post office whizzed by in what seems like a hurried clip from a movie. Traveling with a friend to work summers in Alaska, the road

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seemed endless before the prairies of the western provinces yielded to the majesty of the Canadian Rockies.

In the Rhine River's valley in Germany, roads hug the riverbed, so you have to hunker down to look out the car window to see the vinevards on hills and the castles along the ridges. They're more easily viewed from big train windows, and on a sunny day, traveling by boat through the gorges and past the castles of the Rhine can be so breathtaking that you might almost forget to giggle

a "Rheinfahrt."

In New York City, the tall buildings form canyons along broad avenues, and on a January night nearly 21 years ago, I got in a taxi with three other girlfriends and hurtled up Amsterdam Avenue toward what I couldn't have known would be my destiny. We weren't quite as tawdry as Sarah Jessica Parker and her "Sex and the City" pals, but we were all on clearly on the hunt as we headed to the party hosted by male law school students that Wendy's brother had been tasked with recruiting girls to attend.

All these years later, friends still tussle over who introduced Chris and me, but almost from the moment we met, the mapping of our roads together began. My youth wasn't wasted, for in my younger years, I kept a close eye on the scenery as I negotiated the turns the road was taking.

I traveled as much as I could before meeting Chris, and before our lives really began with the births of our children, Chris and I took some great trips together. As happy as we are together, we are very different travelers.

When we're in a strange or new place, Chris is a book traveler. There are pictures of him in front of gorgeous waterfalls and important historical landmarks, nose deep in a Michelin guide. I'm a sidewalk café traveler, happiest at a small metal table, part of but removed from the passing foot traffic, imagining what other people's lives are like.

It's great fun, and I was happy to let my older son in on the game a few years ago, when we were all at dinner and he was the first one finished.

"I'm bored," he said as the rest of us finished our tacos al carbon. How can you possibly be bored in a room full of people? I thought, then taught him how never to be struck with a sense of ennui.

are a million stories in this room, and you get to make them all up."

The couple in the corner behind us, he with gray hair and a beard; she with white hair cut in a page boy style? Were they hippies in the 1960s? Did they march on Washington? Are they vegetarians, or is that a beef burrito on his plate? Does he work for the EPA or a bank? Did she ever write the novel she kept in her head during the years she raised her children and blazed the way for women in a corporate board room?

that long table across the room, drinking pitchers of margaritas? Who's the designated driver? Are they celebrating somebody's promotion, or is it just a regular Friday night? Did they all go to college together; do they work together? Who at that table will end up married to each other, and eat here someday with their own children, telling them about the night they first knew they'd travel the same road together for the rest of their lives?

I didn't tell Christopher that the road isn't all romantic river valleys and happy family dinners.

Just like Capital District winters, life's thoroughfares can get pockmarked with potholes, giving us a jolt when we least expect it.

Sometimes, that road gets tedious, holding not great adventures, but another load of

"Christopher," I said, "there laundry, another day at work, another moment of reaching the top step only to have somebody call you back downstairs.

In these middle years of our lives, it feels like our job is to hold the course, so our kids can figure out what road they're going to travel. Christopher, now 14 and a freshman in high school, is getting excited about the fact that in less than four years, he'll get to travel his own road. As parents, it means he finally understands that his grades will help determine what road that will be.

Cormac, at 12, is just figuring The 10 people in their 20s at out that he doesn't like being a passenger on somebody else's road. He's got some ideas about the roads he wants to travel author, filmmaker, chef, island dweller - but so far his way of getting there is to protest the requirements - 'homework, chores, pleasant attitude around the house – of the road his parents have chosen for the family to travel now.

> Soon enough, both of our backseat passengers will be traveling on their own. The thought of it makes me want to seal shut the windows of the minivan and lock the doors so they can't escape. It also makes me dream about traveling in a small sedan, not the mommy marker, one day. Mostly, it makes me want to take a lot of snapshots of this particular road, for there's sure to be a curve not too far

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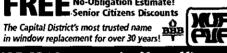
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Matters of Opinion

And a little child ...

What else but weather (and a whole lot of scandal and downright thievery) is dominating the news this blustery winter? For one thing, the generosity and determination of many in the Capital District to reach out and help tsunami survivors. Astory like this usually gets our attention for a few days, but interest generally wanes after that.

What we've noticed is that entire segments of our

communities have dedicated themselves to helping out. School chil-dependent of the school children of the sc dren, teachers, artists, civic groups, corpora-

tions, churches and individuals have all come forth and become part of the worldwide relief effort.

This type of behavior is refreshing after tales of wanton greed of individuals in various organizations (SPAC, NYRA) throughout the region. Some of these ongoing transgressions will go unpunished despite the fact that many hundreds of thousands of dollars apparently ended up in the pockets of individuals in a number of high-profile organizations.

The news stories often read like a Dickens' novel with villains blithely cutting the best deal for themselves that they can - even when they're on their way out. Their behavior makes the Martha Stewart scandal look like very small potatoes.

We try to teach our children accountability - that there are consequences for their actions, but clearly there are those who ignore these precepts in favor of the almighty dollar.

Are these the role models we want our kids to emulate? Perhaps they should look to our leaders in government as people to look up to. Well, not in New York. Our state legislators are viewed as dysfunctional, and they likely will continue on in this fashion after logging a 20year record of foot-dragging on passing a state budget on time.

The average person would end up in big trouble if he or she ignored paying his bills for months on end. But politicians play by their own rules.

So we are left with few heroes, mostly made up of common folk, who are giving their time and energy, and in the case of school children, their pennies to help others, also mostly common folk, who lost everything in the wake of the tsunami. The mostly grassroots efforts highlight the importance of small communities banding together to help others in dire need.

Let's hope we learn something from current events and move toward a world that rewards goodness and honesty rather than greed and selfishness.

Fond memories of small town life

By RUTH McDOWELL

The writer is a former longtime resident of Delmar.

It's winter in Delmar and a new year. It's time to sit in front of burning logs and let their glow take you back to past years. This is a "once upon a time" story because, though true, it seems like a fairy tale now. I was a blushing bride when I moved to Delmar in 1941, and we didn't even have a key for the little house we rented because nobody locked their

After all, Dave Main, the only policeman in town, patrolled the street on foot and all was well.

With a pocketful of change, 1 could dash to the store and buy a menu to please a new husband. Bread was a nickel a loaf, but man cannot live on bread alone, as the saying goes. Two lamb cutlets were just 35 cents and Dempf Pastry Shop was right on Delaware Avenue and specialized in apple squares at just 5 cents a piece and very delicious.

Waltermire's drug store was across the street and had a soda fountain with just three flavors available, vanilla, chocolate and strawberry. For a bit of refreshment, you might treat yourself to an ice cream cone for another five pennies. (The last cone I had was at Toll Gate for \$2.50. Of course it was a triple decker and made with an exotic rum flavoring).

On special days we patronized Libby's Restaurant a few doors away and enjoyed a full-course dinner for 75 cents. This included a mid-meal dish of sherbet to "enhance the palate" before themain course. Adams Hardware was a big asset. Earl had stockpiled things you couldn't buy elsewhere. It was a treasure trove.

We lived on a cul-de-sac so all our neighbors became close friends. Frequently one of them churned a bucket of ice cream, and we all gathered for the treat and then harmonized around the piano, just as you see in old movies on television.

There was no TV, so entertainment was mainly home-

made. (There was a tiny theater, "The Pit," which catered mostly to the young set for cowboy

Point of View

pictures on Saturdays). In the space of four years, several of us who were already neighbors, moved to larger houses near each other and stayed friends for many, many vears.

brought the whole town together with 500 people appearing on stage during the evening. There was a Delmar Men's Orchestra, school choirs, a pageant and Home Scene, which I often wrote and directed.

It fostered a great feeling of togetherness with hopes for peace in the near future because war had been declared and made a difference in our lives.

My husband was drafted but was sent back home because of

> an erratic heartbeat. Meanwhile, as a member of the Motor Corps, I drove a Red Cross truck during the war, delivering medical materials to all the churches where they folded bandages to be sent abroad. One night I had to meet a troop train in Rensselaer to dispense boxes of lunches that I had picked up at headquarters.

A whole train of soldiers was heading for New York City to go overseas, and this would be their last meal until they boarded the ships. All lights were off, and they made a quick stop to pick up our food.

Since the candles of my birthday cake could now heat up a room, I have moved to the sunny climes of Florida to be near my son Walter McDowell who attended kindergarten through graduation in Bethlehem Central

My mind goes back to those thoughts of earlier years. We all look up at the same stars and pray that wars will cease and terrorism ends, and that we may return to that peaceful realm of a small town we once knew those many years ago.

dash to the store and buy a menu to please a new husband. Bread was a nickel a loaf, but man cannot live on bread alone as the saying goes. Two lamb cutlets were just 35 cents and Dempf Pastry Shop was right on Delaware Avenue and specialized in apple squares at just 5 cents a piece and very delicious.

With a pocketful of change, I could

dren, Dooley's gas station on Delaware Avenue and Oakwood Place became a haven for them. It was not just the penny candy he sold that was the attraction, but Mr. Dooley would repair their bikes or fill their tires and not charge anything. At that time the Firemen's Fair

Later, when we all had chil-

was a big event in the town, a fund-raiser for those loyal volunteers. I still treasure a glass pitcher my son finally won after tossing away so many nickels that he used up his whole allowance. but he knew I collected pitchers, and he wanted to surprise me.

The present site of Bethlehem Central Middle School was the senior high and the annual Christmas festival, later called White Christmas, was held there. It

Writer simply wanted more time to review plan

Editor, The Spotlight:

It is puzzling to me why Barbara Ostroff felt a need to reprimand me in her Jan. 19 letter to the editor, "Mud slinging is unfair to reputable man," for comments attributed to me in a Dec. 8 issue of *The Spotlight* reporting on the second public hearing for the Delmar Fire Station bond. In that issue I was quoted as saying. "We haven't had enough time to talk this through. I feel stongly we should continue this dialogue, and we shouldn't be held hostage by Mr. Verstandig." I acknowledge and stand by this quote.

Had Ms. Ostroff attended the second public hearing she would understand that the quote she cited is out of context and does not represent the full scope and breadth of discussions at the hearing that evening. During the course of the hearing, which continued till 11 p.m., concerned citizens repeatedly asked for more time to review the proposal. Delmar fire district officials

indicated that their need to move the bond proposal forward so quickly was to satisfy a contractual agreement with Mr. Verstandig to close the deal by the end of December. Residents requested that the district approach Mr. Ver standig to extend the contract for a few months to allow more time for public debate. We were told by district officals that Mr. Verstandig would not consider a contract extension and that if the district did not purchase the property by the end of December, he would sell it to another interested party.

I do not personally know Mr. Verstandig but have shopped in his store and found it to be one of the gems in our town. To assert that my comments at the hearing were a form of "bashing", "ma-licious" or "dragging Mr. Verstandig's name through the mud" is nothing short of incredulous.

> John Fuhrnam Delmar



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Pen pal column stirs concerns about bias

Editor, The Spotlight:

I was quite taken by Katherine McCarthy's article on her German e-mail pen pal in the Jan. 12 edition.

How silly of me to think that the generation of Germans who gave us Adolph Hitler and the pogroms may in fact be truly repentant to the world for the actions of a few lunatics.

The fact that 6 million Jews, as well as countless homosexuals and those who had the courage to think politically away from the Fuhrer and his party were massacred simply because they were who they were, would make Lydia of pen pal note weigh the consequences of the "horrible actions" of the Americans over what had befallen Europe.

Perhaps Lydia may have considered the abominations of the war simply an inconvenience to her sleepy little village. Perhaps she didn't consider the atrocities of the day to be so atrocious. Perhaps she has held fast to the belief that the world

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would be better off in a "genetically pure" state. Perhaps she would have thought differently if her husband had been carted off to the gas chambers along with her children, simply because the family was "born wrong.'

I may be overstating the case, but one would like to think that education over the years and enlightenment would find Lydia and her compatriots with a somewhat different vantage point.

I guess because of my own personal bias of trying to find the best in people, I would prefer to think that Lydia is simply regressing in her advanced years to a place that has reality a little bit obscured.

The rose colored glasses she is wearing are showing her a world a bit more slanted than the rest of us see. ... I would like to think that is the case, but alas, I fear she speaks for more of the world than I would like to admit.

William A. Kellert Loudonville

Editor, The Spotlight:

I would like to thank the Bethlehem community as well as other local community members who helped to make the Holiday Toy Drive for the Bethlehem chapter of Family-to-Family to be such a major success. I would like to thank both the Glenmont Price Chopper as well as the Slingerlands Price Chopper for being collection sites for new and gently used toys.

Your support in this endeavor was greatly appreciated. I would also like to thank Federal Express which shipped 40 boxes of tovs and food to families in West Virginia and Louisiana at no cost.

This is just part of their ongoing support of this national organization as they provide free week's worth of meals once a shipping on a monthly basis to month. The toys that the Bethover 25 chapters of this lehem community so generously organization across the country. Bethlehem Family-to-Family serves families in two of the holiday season. poorest areas of the country by having local families and organizations sponsor a family with a

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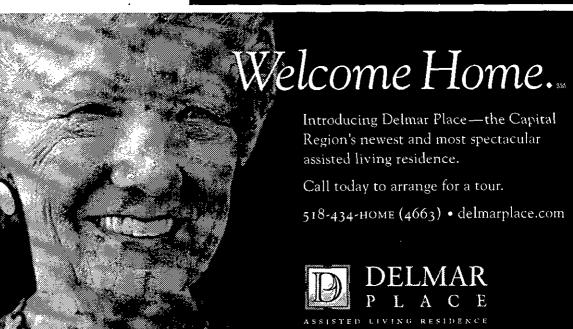
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Margaret McClelland Cemetery in Menands.

Margaret W. "Peg' McClelland, 93, formerly of Slingerlands, died Thursday, Jan. 20, at her residence in Colonie.

Mr. McClelland was born in She moved Albany. Slingerlands in 1970.

She worked for New York Telephone Co. in accounting for 42 years.

She was a member of the Telephone Pioneers and First Congregational Church.

There are no immediate survivors.

A memorial service will be held at First Congregational Church, 405 Quail St., Albany at a later date.

Contributions may be made to First Congregational Church, 405 Quail St., Albany 12208 or Community Hospice of Albany, 445 New Karner Road, Colonie 12205.

Caroline Snead

Caroline Snead, 77, formerly of Selkirk, died Tuesday, Jan. 18, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Mrs. Snead was born in

She worked for B.T. Babbits Co. and St. Peter's Hospital.

She was the widow of Samuel Snead.

There are no immediate Colonie. survivors.

Services were from Metropolitan N.T.M. Baptist Church in Albany. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery in Selkirk.

Contributions may be made to Metropolitan N.T.M. Baptist Church, 105 Second St., Albany

Kevin Butler

Kevin D. Butler, 37, formerly of Clarksville, died Wednesday, Jan. 19.

Mr. Butler was born in Albany. He also lived in Colonie.

Survivors include his parents, James and Marilyn Crounse Butler of Schroon Lake; and two sisters, Kristi MacKrell of Milford, Pa., and Kimi Butler of

Services were from Applebee Funeral Home in Delmar. Burial will be in Onesquethaw Cemetery in Clarksville in the spring.

Contributions may be made to Animalovers, P.O. Box 6426, Albany 12206.

Richard Killion

Richard J. Killion, 79, formerly of Delmar, died Sunday, Dec 26, in Wilson N.C.

Mr. Killion was born in Rensselaer and lived most of his life in Delmar.

He was an Army veteran of World War II.

He worked for the Postal Service in Albany.

Ruth Smith Killion.

Survivors include a son, Richard Killion Jr. of Albany; and

a daughter, Kathleen Killion of Burial will be in Pine Hill Tucson, Ariz.

Mr. Killion was cremated, and his ashes were scattered in North Carolina.

C. Keith Colburn

C. Keith Colburn, 90, formerly of Delmar, died Thursday, Jan. 20, in Winter Haven, Fla.

Mr. Colburn was born Morristown. He graduated from Morristown High School.

He worked for Main Bros. Oil Co. for 16 years, retiring in 1979. He also worked for Bell Aircraft and John Hancock Insurance Co.

He was a member of Ancient Temple 14 in Albany, a grand high priest state of New York Royal Arch Masons, a member of the Scottish Rite and Onesquethaw Eastern Star Chapter 818, Delmar.

He also belonged to Knights of York Cross of Honor, Albany, Red Cross of Constantine, Albany, and was past president of the Florida State High Twelve.

He was husband of the late Peggy Wood.

Survivors include his wife. Gladys Merriman; three daughters, Janice Monnat of Pulaski, Elizabeth Scott of East Greenbush and Alice Margaret Distell of West Sand Lake; three brothers, Arthur Colburn of Lisbon, Robert Colburn of Lakeville and William Colburn of He was married to the late Anchorage, Alaska; 11 grandchildren; and 20 great-grand-

> Services were from Oakridge Funeral Home in Haines City, Fla.

Cemetery in Morristown.

Joseph Mosca

Joseph N. Mosca, 82, of Delmar died Saturday, Jan. 22, at Albany Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Mosca was born in Troy. He was an Army Air Forces veteran of World War II.

He received a degree in accounting from Siena College.

He was a self-employed CPA.

Survivors include his wife, Helen H. Mosca; a son, Joseph Mosca Jr. of Delmar; two sisters, Mary Costa of Ballston Spa and Rose Strack of Troy; and a brother, John Mosca of Florida.

Services were from Applebee Funeral Home and the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, both in Delmar. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Glenmont. Contributions may be made to the Siena College Scholarship Fund.

Teresa Silvestri

Teresa Mary Rossi Silvestri. 97, of Selkirk, died Thursday, Jan. 22.

Mrs. Silvestri was born in Utica. She was the widow of Louis Silvestri.

Survivors include a daughter, Loretta Crandall of Melrose; two grandchildren; and two greatgrandchildren.

Services were from Meyers Funeral Home and the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, both in Delmar. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Glenmont.

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Highway

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about 60 in all, start by spreading a layer of salt when the snow flies or is expected to fly hard, about 400 pounds per lane mile, Sagendorph said. Plowing begins after a layer of an inch or two of

The half-million dollar study required the department to keep meticulous records of every snow and ice event for three winter seasons, Amsler said. Sagendorph said the department purchased a couple of thermometers, but other than that, the cost of keeping the records, resulting in more paperwork, was worth what the department was going to find out from it.

"The cost benefit was tremendous," Sagendorph said.

Sagendorph inherited the method when he took his post in the early 1990s, and he's adopted the old 'if it ain't broke, ...' mantra to keep motorists on the road in the poorest of conditions. The department also keeps up on seminars and schools every year, Sagendorph said. Amsler called Bethlehem's highway department's methods excellent.

"They keep a fairly high level of service after the storm," Amsler said. "It's not as good during the storms, but given the traffic volume and the topography of the area, that's not a big deal."

Amsler said he and his study co-writers considered the application rates of the participants, what levels of service they needed to reach and what results they got for the application,

resulting in enormous amounts of data from the 26 participants.

During ice storms, the method changes a bit, with a heavier concentration on salt with additional sand dispersed for more traction, Sagendorph said.

"Ice storms are a whole different ball game," Amsler conceded.

This past weekend, area meteorologists had highway departments all over bracing for a blizzard that, Sagendorph said, never materialized.

"We were prepared, but it was a fairly routine storm. We got about a foot of snow, Sagendorph said, noting the weight of the snow and the ease with which plows were able to move it away.

This winter, after getting a late online start, according to Sagenderph, has been a pretty average one, like last year's winter, which during included storms November, December and March, but little snow during the in-between months.

"This winter has started easy. We didn't have plowable snow until Dec. 27 or 28, which is a late start for winter," Sagendorph

The difference this year is the freezing temperatures, which prevent salt from doing its jobs. On those days, calcium chloride is added to the salt to improve its performance, but temperatures below zero, Sagendorph said, little can be

This study, Amsler said, will serve as a teaching mechanism for his classes.

taxation and finance advises taxpayers to get ready now for the individuals serving in and in upcoming tax season. The office advises taxpayers to begin organizing records and receipts as well as determining whether their 2003 tax returns are vastly different from what they

anticipate earning in 2004.

If changes are dramatic, they may need to consult the tax department's Web site at www.nystax.gov or contact the department's customer service representatives at 1-800-CALL-TAX. The Web site has information on how to obtain or download tax forms, determine whether they qualify for free

Tax filers can also consult the department's catalogue of frequently asked questions, which provides answers to questions regarding estate taxes, gift and prize winnings, sales and tax, child support enforcement, technical assistant and help with other tax-related

support of the Iraq War, changes to the state's individual and corporate tax forms is also available.

State tax dept.: Get ready now

Taxpayers looking for detailed information about tuition tax credits or tax credits for homeowners or renters should log on to the department's Web site and click on publications and technical bulletins. There they'll also get information on earned income tax credit qualifications, tax issues related to domestic help, questions and answers on New York state's Farmers' school

The state department of matters, Information on the STAR tax credit and tax information for school tax program, tax help for nonresidents and part-time residents.

> Filers should also be aware that they may benefit from the following changes to this year's tax law: the college tuition tax credit deduction has been increased; a new earned income tax credit for New York City residents; long-term health care insurance credit has been increased; an alternative fuel credit has been extended; new tax breaks for members of the military and militia; and an opportunity to contribute to the prostate cancer research, detection and education fund.

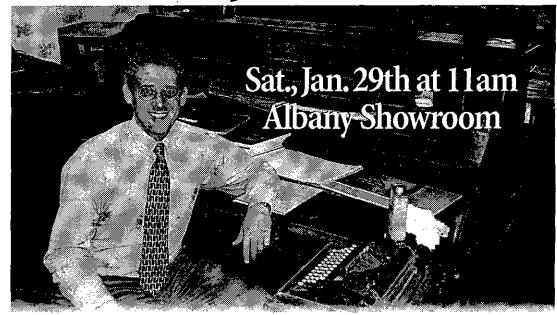
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Thursday, Feb. 17 at 7 p.m., with a work session open for beginners and experienced alike.

You may attend either or both

No signup is required.

Up for discussion

The young people's department is ready for reading action with two kids' book discussion groups in February.

It's not too late to enjoy The Storm, by Cynthia Rylant (grades 2-3 on Feb. 4) and Joey Pigza Swallowed the Key, by Jack Gantos (grades 4-7 on Feb. 8).

Lapsit signups

Signups are being taken for Lapsit Stories that will be held on Feb. 3 and 17.

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panied by a caregiver, Lapsit is a The experience continues participatory storytime that includes bouncing rhythms, sharing and playtime.

News and Notes

Food For Fines is almost over. This opportunity to help the New Scotland Food Pantry and receive discounted fines on overdue library materials ends on Jan. 31.

Our tax display is up and ready to provide you with all the documents you need for income tax preparation. If you need assistance, our reference librarian on duty will be happy to help you.

Every Other Thursday Night Poets will meet on Jan. 27 at 7 p.m.

Adult Book Discussion will meet on Feb. 2 to discuss True Notebooks, by Mark Salzman.

Barbara Vink

Storyteller knits pearls of tales

Storyteller Kate Dudding will share original and traditional tales about knitting and those who knit for us in "Sweaters and Mittens



and Hats - Oh My!" at the Bethlehem Library Sunday, Jan. 30 at 2 p.m.

The program also features a collection of sweaters knit by the storyteller and her mother.

Dudding delights in giving joy to her audiences, "ages 10 to 110." She states that sharing her own family stories elicits memories that listeners can then share with their own families and friends.

"The Reminder," a story

recently published in the book Knit LitToo: Stories from Sheep Shawl, is one of the tales on the program, along with "The Mitten,"



"My Mother's Hands," and "The Little Old Woman Who Hated Housework," a participation tale from Scotland by Margaret Read MacDonald.

Dudding is well known in the regional and national storytelling community. She has told stories and presented workshops at many venues in the Northeast. She is co-producer of Story Sundays, a storytelling dinner series for adults, now in its sixth season. She also co-produced the Egg's popular Tellebration event from 1997-2003. Her stories "A Circle of Love" and "The Birth of a Folk Art" were recorded live at the Egg for Tellebration CDs in 2001 and 2002.

Dudding also has published articles in The Museletter, the publication of the League for the Advancement of New England Storytelling, and in The Storytelling Magazine, the publication of the National Storytelling Network.

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Scrapbooks, insects and snow shoes are in spotlight

Wendy Burke, a Creative Memories consultant, will hold an informational scrapbooking program on Tuesday, Feb. 1, at the Voorheesville Public Library.

Participants are encouraged to bring and share with the group any scrapbooks or pages they already have to illustrate a variety of styles.

Then on Thursday, Feb. 17, at 7 p.m., the information gathered will be used in a scrapbooking workshop.

The workshop is open for beginners and those who are experienced.

Burke also will bring tools for participants to use and will offer her experience and talent to help frame pictures in some innovative ways.

No signup is required.

Program on insects

A program on winter insects will be offered on Saturday, Feb. 5, at 2 p.m. at Five Rivers Education Center in Delmar.

Participants will take an outdoor walk in search of insects and their winter homes.

The program is free.

For information, call Five Rivers at 475-0291.

Snowshoe walk Jan. 29

A snowshoe walk will be held on Saturday, Jan. 29, and Sunday, Feb. 6, at 2 p.m. at the Five Rivers Education Center in Delmar.

The program is free.

Participants should call ahead to reserve snowshoes. A limited number of children's snowshoes are available.

For information, call 475-0291

Nature art program

A nature sketching and watercolor painting program will be held Saturday, Jan. 29, from 10 a.m. to noon at the Thacher. Center.

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For information, call Thacher Park at 872-1237.

Helderview Club to meet

The next meeting of the Helderview Garden Club will be held on Thursday, Feb. 3, at 6:45 p.m. at the Voorheesville Public

The topic will be health issues for gardeners presented by Barbara Gaige, master gardener from Cooperative Extension.

For information, call 765-2889.

Moose presentation

Carl Herzog, a state Department of Environmental Conser-

present a program on the history of the moose in New York State on Saturday, Jan. 29, at 1 p.m. at the Thacher Center.

The program fee is \$1.

For information, call 872-0800.

Honor society induction

The National Honor Society at Voorheesville High School will induct its new members on Monday, Feb. 7, at 6 p.m.

The induction was originally scheduled for Jan. 8 but was

Community forum Feb. 8

A community forum will be held Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 7:30 p.m. at Voorheesville High School in the Performing Arts Center.

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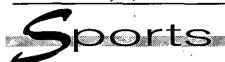
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Bethlehem fends off Guilderland comeback

By ROB JONAS

The saying that it's hard to beat the same team three times in a season held true last Friday when Bethlehem and Guilderland met in a Suburban Council boys basketball game.

Bethlehem jumped out to a 20-8 halftime lead and held on for a 43-37 victory over Guilderland that prevented the Dutchmen from moving into sole possession of first place in the Gold Division.

"We knew there was a long

streak of them beating us, and we wanted to stop that," Bethlehem guard John Burke said.

"We respect them immensely, and that's why we value this win a lot," Bethlehem coach Jeremy Klugman said.

In two previous meetings this season, Guilderland survived its shooting woes to post victories over Bethlehem by 10 and 15 points. But on this night, the Dutchmen's 1-for-16 performance behind the three-point arc crippled them.

lose, and we have to try to relax out there," Guilderland coach Ron Osinski said.

"I want to give our defense a lot of credit because they made them take a lot of bad threepointers," Klugman said. "We had a hand in their faces every time."

After missing 12 threes in the first half, Guilderland made a comeback bid by penetrating through Bethlehem's man-to-man defense in the third quarter. Driving layups by Mike Dillon,

helped pull the Dutchmen within two points late with less than two minutes left.

"We just started trying to hustle a bit, and that was the difference," Osinski said. "We also were able to start applying full-court pressure because we were making our shots.'

Bethlehem had an answer, though. Kevin Stempsey drained a three-pointer to put the Eagles ahead by five points, and then Burke made a short jump shot at

"I think we have to play not to Josh Miller and Justin Maxwell the third quarter buzzer to give Bethlehem a 29-22 lead.

> "Our biggest problem has been making big shots, but Stempsey came through with that three late, and then Burke hit that shot at the end," Klugman said. "Without those shots, we don't have the ability to stop the (Guilderland) run."

> Burke continued to make key contributions for Bethlehem in the fourth quarter. He opened the period with another short jump shot off a scramble, and then he made a layup to end a brief Guilderland rally.

> Burke's biggest contribution came in the final 20 seconds. With Bethlehem clinging to a fourpoint lead, the reserve guard grabbed a defensive rebound following two missed Guilderland shots and was fouled. Burke then calmly sank two free throws to put the game out of the Dutchmen's reach.

"I grabbed that rebound, and I knew they'd start fouling," said Burke, who finished with 10 points off the bench.

"We said in the locker room that (Burke) was the best player in practice the last two days," Klugman said. "He provided a huge spark for us."

Stempsey, who scored the game's first seven points, led Bethlehem with 12 points.

"He has the potential to do that," Klugman said. "He has the. confidence in his scoring ability, and we believe in him."

Dillon scored 11 of his teamhigh 13 points in the second half to lead Guilderland's comeback

"That was probably the best game he's played all year. That was the good thing that came out of (the loss)," Osinski said.

The win against Guilderland capped the best week Bethlehem has had this season. The Eagles ended a two-game losing streak with a 52-48 home victory against Ballston Spa last Tuesday.

"This is definitely going to give us a big boost for the Suburban Council Tournament and hopefully a good seed for Sectionals," Burke said.

Meanwhile, the Dutchmen are searching for answers after losing two of their last three games and dealing with early deficits during that stretch — even in last Tuesday's 66-38 victory over winless Mohonasen.

"I think the guys felt going into the season like they were going to be the team to beat," Osinski said. "Now, they're realizing that other teams are bringing their 'A' games when they play us."

Bethlehem and Guilderland are off until Friday because of midterm exams week. Bethlehem travels to Blue Division co-leader Shaker, while Guilderland meets Saratoga.

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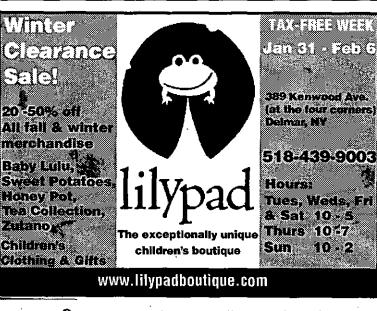


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Tournament champs



The Bethlehem Knights under-13 premier soccer team won a holiday tournament Jan. 17 in Bergenfield, N.J. The team is, from left, (front) Anthony Czech; (middle) Ken McDermith, Stephen Russo, Dan Krzykowski, Max Kornstein, Andrew Kitzrow and Mike Frederick; and (back) James Naughton, Zach McMahon, Philip Sell, Joey Naparstek and coach Brett Miller.





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Hockey club continues to grow in Bethlehem

By ROB JONAS

This is part of a continuing series of stories about community sports programs in Bethlehem.

The Bethlehem Youth Hockey program nearly had to leave the town it serves. When the Bethlehem Ice Group (BIG) Arena was put up for sale last spring, there was concern that the two ice rinks would be melted for good and that programs such as Bethlehem Youth Hockey would have to find new homes in existing arenas that were already crowded with other Capital District clubs.

"We were disappointed," Bethlehem Youth Hockey president Bob Lane said. "Last season went very well for us, and we were aware of the financial problems the arena had."

Fortunately for the 6-year-old Bethlehem Youth Hockey program and the other clubs that used the BIG Arena, the Capital District YMCA came to their rescue. The local YMCA chapter bought the complex and kept one of the two ice sheets open — choosing to melt the other to make way for a gym and a swimming pool.

The drop in the number of available ice rinks at the former BIG Arena (now known as the Bethlehem Area YMCA or BAY) has not hindered the town's youth hockey program. Though team practice times have been shifted around due to the 50-percent cut in available ice, Lane said everything has worked out.

"We're thrilled with the way the Y has run the arena," said Lane. "I think with their help, this season has gone as smoothly as it has."

The emergence of Bethlehem Youth Hockey is tied directly with the construction of the BIG. Arena. Before the Delaware Avenue complex was opened in 1998, the town had some youth travel teams, but not a full-fledged program.

"There were a group of people
— Frank Murray and others —
who played in other programs,
and they felt that Bethlehem was
a community that could support
(a youth hockey club)," Lane said.

The key was building an ice rink in Bethlehem. With several region-wide clubs occupying rink time at other facilities in Albany County — the county rink in Colonie and Albany Academy's field house — the founding members of Bethlehem Youth Hockey felt the program needed its own facility.

"That really allowed the program to blossom as it did, and that group of people was largely responsible for getting the BIG Arena built," Lane said.

Today, Bethlehem Youth Hockey has approximately 215 children from the town and outlying communities such as Guilderland, Voorheesville and Ravena playing in 12 travel teams from the mite (7- to 8-year-olds) to the midget (15-17) divisions. Additionally, the club started a learn-to-play program this season.

"I think we have a very good philosophy," Lane said. "Hockey gets a bad reputation sometimes, but we emphasize that hockey is a great team game that is a lot of fun."

Tryouts are held every September, and the season lasts from October through March.



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Ballston Spa 48

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Voorheesville 59, Schalmont 41

Voorheesville leaders: Mark Carson 19 points, Greg Klopfer 13 points, Nick Duncan 12 points.

Watervliet 67, Ravena 54

Ravena leaders: Joe Fisk 23 points, Corwin Hendy 11 points.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Ravena 47, Watervliet 23

Ravena leaders: Chantel McClure 13 points, Katelyn Matousek 11 points.

Voorheesville 43, . . Schalmont 38

Voorheesville leaders: Alex Fish 11 points, Amanda Markert 10 points.

Ballston Spa 52, Bethlehem 44

Bethlehem leaders: Katie Rowan 12 points, Leah'Gillham 10 points.

BOYS BOWLING

Columbia 22. Bethlehem 10

GIRLS BOWLING

Columbia 27, Bethlehem 5

Boys swimming

Guilderville 93, Canajoharie 90

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Cerutti (100 backstroke), Philip Albany Academy 99, Park (100 breaststroke).

Wrestling

Galway 55, Voorheesville 6

Wednesday, Jan. 19

Boys bowling Mechanicville 21, Voorheesville 11

Voorheesville leader: Nick Salvino 227 game, 661 series.

GIRLS BOWLING

Ravena 27, Cobleskill 5

Ravena leader: Renee Rohl 226 game, 613 series.

WRESTLING

Ravena 48, Schalmont 27 Lansingburgh 59, Voorheesville 15

Thursday, Jan. 20

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Ravena 46, Cohoes 22

Ravena leaders: Molly McGuire 20 points, Jeannine Rider 12 points.

Boys bowling

Burnt Hills 17, Bethlehem 15

Bethlehem leaders: Mike Jones 267 game; Nick Zautner 685 series.

Boys swimming Bethlehem 99,

Mohonasen/Schalmont 65

Bethlehem individual winners: Tim DcGroff (200-yard freestyle), Nate Foley (200 individual medley), Tim Pasquini (diving), Aaron Brauner (100 butterfly), Tim Brosnan (100

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Wrestling

Ravena 86, Voorheesville 0

Friday, Jan. 27

BOYS BASKETBALL

Ravena 48, Cobleskill 36 Ravena leaders: Keith Geraldsen 14

points, Joe Fisk 11 points.

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Bethlehem 43, Guilderland 37

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GIRLS BASKETBALL

Ravena 47, Cobleskill 25

Ravena leader: Molly McGuire 16

Voorheesville 62, Cohoes 52

Voorheesville leaders: Brigit Feeney 23 points, Megan Maikoff 17 points. Guilderland 41,

Bethlehem 28

Bethlehem leader: Samantha Feinberg 10 points.

HOCKEY

Shaker/Colonie 9,

Bethlehem 3

Bethlehem scoring: Andrew Ravena 3-1, Columbia 2-2.

Kelleher 2-1, Zach Blau 1-0, Erik Russo 0-1.

Bethlehem saves: Tim Crowley 1, T.J. Caswell 25.

Saturday, Jan. 22

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Team scores: Bethlehem 159.8, Shaker 157.65, Guilderland 152.4, Norwich 133.85.

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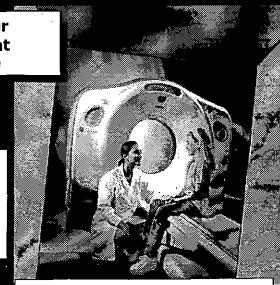
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Kathryn Bookbinder

Kathryn F. Bookbinder, 87, formerly of Delmar, died Sunday, Jan. 16, at Wuesthoff Hospital in Rockledge, Fla.

Mrs. Bookbinder was born in Hagerstown, Md. She moved to Florida in 1973 from Delmar.

She received her bachelor's degree from Western Maryland College and her Ph.D. from Columbia University.

She worked for the Public School of Washington County, Md., Arlington County, Va. and the Bethlehem Central School System while living in Delmar.

She was a member the American Psychologists Association and was elected as a

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diplomatin June 1970 by the American Board of Professional Cemetery in Hagerstown, Md. Psychology.

She was past president of the board of directors of the Family Counseling Center, past president of Merritt Island Women's Club, Elder of Riverside Presbyterian Church, tax counseling for the elderly and past secretary of Volunteer Organizations Active in Disaster (VOAD).

Survivors include her husband, Harold Bookbinder of Merritt Island, Fla.

Services were from Florida Memorial Funeral Home in Rockledge and Riverside Presbyterian Church in Cocoa Beach, Fla.

Burial was in Resthaven County.

Dorothy Purchase

Dorothy Kent Purchase, 89. formerly of Slingerlands, died Friday, Jan. 14, at Evergreen Commons Nursing Home in East Greenbush.

Mrs. Purchase was born in Mineville, Essex County. She also lived in Bolton Landing, Marion, Wayne County, and Brownsville, Vt., before moving to Slingerlands in 1990.

She graduated from Mineville High School and the University at Albany with a degree in education.

She taught French and English in Bolton Landing.

Mrs. Purchase was a member of the Presbyterian Church in Marion. She was also a member of the DAR in Newark, Wayne

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Survivors include four daughters, Mary Sheldon of Montclair, Va., Kathryn Purchase of Washington, D.C., Ann Purchase of Delmar and Jane Purchase of Omaha, Neb.; a brother, Stanley Kent of Moriah; eight grandchildren and six greatgrandchildren.

Services were from Delmar Reformed Church.

Contributions may be made to Friends of Stoughton House, Windsor, Vt. 05089.

Barbara Rissberger

Barbara Rissberger, died Sunday, Jan. 16, in Topeka, Kan.

She was born in Brooklyn and lived in Voorheesville for 42 years on Altamont Road.

She was an award-winning salesperson for Quaker State Oil.

She was the widow of Edward A. Rissberger.

Survivors include a son, Edward A. Rissberger of Pompano Beach, Fla., three daughters, Caryl R. Kennedy of Topsfield, Mass., Elizabeth R. Smith of Topeka, Kan., and Susanna R. Magee of Cumberland, R.I.; a sister, Margaret Bindy R. Bearup of Albany; and eight grandchildren.

Services were from Reilly & Son Funeral Home and St. Matthew's Church, both in Voorheesville.

Burial was in Our Lady Help of Christians Cemetery Glenmont.

Contributions may be made to savethechildren.org in support of families devastated by the recent tsunami,

Chin Van Tran

Chin Van Tran, formerly of Selkirk, died Saturday, Jan. 15.

- Mr. Tran was born in the town of An-lac, near Saigon in South Vietnam.

He was town chief from 1960 to April 30, 1975, when the communists took over South Vietnam. He was later sent to a

re-education camp for three years. Shortly after his release from the re-education camp, he joined a resistance group trying to overthrow the communist regime. As the group's activities were later discovered, he went into hiding and eventually escaped to Malaysia and later moved to the United States as a refugee seeking political asylum. He was subsequently sponsored by First Reformed Church of Bethlehem and resettled in Selkirk in 1980.

With others, he founded the Vietnamese Community of the Capital District of Albany in 1992.

Survivors include his wife; six children; and nine grandchildren.

Services were from New Comer-Cannon Funeral Home in

Burial was in Memory's Garden in Colonie.

Mildred Shelmerdine

Mildred L. Shelmerdine, 93, of Hannacroix, died Monday, Jan. 17, Eden Park Nursing Home in Catskill.

She was the widow of Robert Shelmerdine.

Survivors include two sons, James J. Shelmerdine of Clarksville and Ranny R. Shelmerdine of Melbourne Beach, Fla.: two daughters, Marion Court of Hannacroix, and Mildred Roosa of Williamson; 12 grandchildren, 21 greatgrandchildren, and three greatgreat-grandchildren.

Contributions may be made to Greenville Christian Life Center, P.O. Box 447, Greenville 12083.

Florence Furman

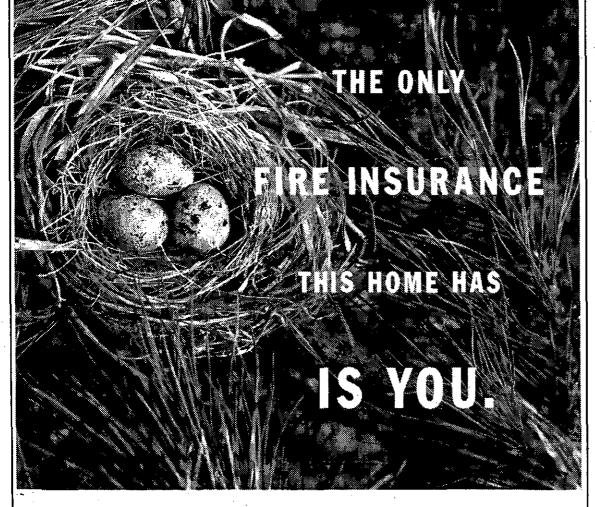
Florence "Dorothy" Van Dyke Furman, 83, of Clarksville died Tuesday, Jan. 18.

She was the widow of Ray Furman Jr.

Mrs. Furman was a selfemployed beautician in the town of New Scotland.

Burial was in Onesquethaw Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to the Onesquethaw Rescue Squad, P.O. Box E, Clarksville 12041.









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Halvorsen, Venter wed



Ryan and Christy Jean Venter

daughter of Carl and Audrey the pharmacy practice depart-Halvorsen of Glenmont, and Ryan Venter, son of Thomas and Maureen Venter of Delmar, were married May 30.

Rev. David Corlett performed the ceremony at Delmar Reformed Church in Delmar. A Desmond Hotel in Colonie.

The maid of honor was Andrea Larsen. The bridesmaids were Katie Feller, Alaina Forrest, Elizabeth Halvorsen, sister-in-law of the bride, Amy Venter, sister of the groom and Britta Venter, sister of the groom.

The best man was William Roehr. Groomsmen were Ilya Furman, Kenneth Halvorsen, brother of the bride, Brendan Venter, brother of the groom and Patrick Venter, brother of the

The bride is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School

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Christy Jean Halverson, and Siena College. She works in

ment at Albany College of

Pharmacy in Albany.

The groom is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and Boston College. He is currently pursing a master's degree at the University at reception followed at Fort Albany. He is a financial aid Orange Ballroom at the counselor for the Albany College of Pharmacy in Albany.

the couple lives in Glenmont.

Albany County Bar names new officers

The Albany County Bar Association has announced its officers and board of directors for 2005, John B. Kinum, of the firm McNamee, Lochner, Titus and Williams has been elected president. Kinum is a Glenmont resident who graduated from Albany Law School in 1958 and was admitted to the bar that same vear.

Kinum specializes in business, finance and development. He lives in Glenmont with his wife. Rosemarie. His son, Michael, is a practicing attorney with the same firm. His daughter, Debra, lives in Massachusetts.

Also, James T. Potter, who serves as town attorney for Bethlehem, has been elected president. Potter is employed with Hinman, Straub PC. Judge Cathryn M. Doyle, with Albany County Surrogate Court, has been elected vice president. Patrick J. Higgins, of Powers and Santola, was named treasurer, while David P. Miranda, with Heslin, Rothenberg, Farley and Mesiti, was named secretary.

Also named to three-year terms on the board of directors were: Margaret C. Tabak, with the Law Offices of Margaret C. Tabak; Glen P. Doherty of Mcnamee, Lochner, Titus and Williams; and Gaspar M. Castillo, Jr. of the Law Offices of Castillo and Associates. Elena M. R. DeFio, of Roemer, Wallens and Mineaux was named to a one-year term on the Board of Directors. Philip Steck, of Cooper, Erving and Savage and Edward B. Flink of Flink, Smith and Associates continue their terms on the board. Robert T. Schofield continues to serve as the chairman After a wedding trip to Maui, of the committee on admissions.



William Tribou and Sara Hughes

Hughes, Tribou to marry

Sara Hughes, daughter of Richard and Mary Jane Hughes from Indiana University. of Delmar, and William Tribou, son of Bill Tribou of Canton, Conn. and Christine Davis of Canton, Conn., are engaged to be married.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School in Delmar and Ithaca College.

She received a master's degree

She is a teacher for Canton High School. The future groom is a graduate

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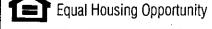
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Family ENTERTAINMENT

Two married actors, Meta Wolff (Laurie O.Brien), whose grandfather was Jewish, and Aryan Oskar Weiss (Norbert Weisser), are cauping the lower their love of their country when Hiller begins his rise to power in the 1930s in "Times Like These" written and directed by John O, Keele.



Cap Rep opens two politically minded plays

By ARTHUR LENNIG

olitical issues are always with us, often too much so. On stage they can be dreary and preachy, but this is not the case at Capital Rep where for the next month two plays will be offered in rotation, Times Like These and A Walk in the Woods. One deals with pre-war Nazis, the other with post-war Russians. Both are — hard to believe — entertaining and extremely well acted.

Times Like These is a two character play dealing with a married couple during the 1930s in Berlin. The wife is a gifted and famous actress, a star of

the German theater. Flamboyant and aggressive, she coaches her less talented husband who seems doomed to unimportant roles. But their positions will be changed by Herr Hitler when he becomes *Der Fuehrer*. The woman has no religion—"I'm an actress!"—but she has a Jewish grandparent and therefore is banned from her profession, whereas her husband—a pure Aryan—now succeeds. In several dozen vignettes, we witness how their relationship changes to the outer world and to each other.

Skillful, indeed, is the playwright's ability to create within one room and with just two players the dramatic

transformation of an entire nation known for its culture into a barbaric realm beset by storm troopers and prejudice. Despite the superb acting, the first act runs about 10 minutes too long and some judicious pruning would make it even more effective.

The second half of the play is more problematical, but is so energized by the acting and the drama of actual historical events that the viewer accepts some of the playwright's deficiencies. The wife lets out her frustration at being banned from her profession by urging her husband to make his role as Hamlet into a protest against the Nazi regime, Orson Welles staged Shakespere's Julius Caesar back in the 1930s in modern day fascist costumes, but it is a bit of a stretch to convert Hamlet into a political document. The ideas may be a bit shaky, but in the theater one tends to accept this Hamlet-Aryanstorm trooper concept without questioning the author's facile comparisons. The play moves engagingly on and is such a lively drama and so emotionally powerful that it is not as grim as the subject could be.

Some lines take on additional meaning for they can be applied to our present situation in Iraq, but actually all plays dealing with political matters to some extent light up contemporary issues. Individuals and countries may change, but good political drama always pertains to the nightly news.

One complaint could be the set. It is supposed to be an opulent

apartment furnished in art-deco modern style worthy of a leading actress, but it looks more like a slightly run-down Greenwich Village dig badly furnished and shabbily decorated. The pea-green radio is a particular horror!

The second play, A Walk in the Woods, with delightful lines that could have stemmed from George Bernard Shaw, traces the conversations between two negotiators trying to sign a disarmament treaty in Geneva. One is a cynical, charming Russian with an odd sense of humor and the other a dedicated and idealistic American who is trying in his earnest way to save the world from nuclear disaster.

Despite the serious issues — one thinks here of the grotesque film about Dr. Strangelove — the play is in fact a comedy. The realistic Russian points out that as soon as they agree on some aspect, the scientists on either side think up new weapons, so that the negotiations are always one step behind and thus are always fruitless.

Both plays received standing ovations—perhaps all too common today—but in this case these performers deserved the accolade.

The two dramas will run in rotation. Call Cap Rep box office at 445-SHOW (445-7469) or visit www.capitalrep.org for dates.

Regular performance times are 7:30 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday; 8 p.m. Friday; 8:30 p.m. Saturday and 2:30 p.m. Sunday. Ticket prices range from \$31 to \$39.



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TIMES LIKE THESE

Capital Repertory Theatre, 111 N. Pearl St., Albany, through Feb. 19, \$25-30. Runs concurrently with "A Walk in the Woods." Information, 445-7469.

A WALK IN THE WOODS

Capital Repertory Theatre, 111 N. Pearl St., Albany, through Feb. 20, \$25-30. Runs concurrently with "Times Like These," Information, 445-7469

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PIANO PERFORMANCE

University at Albany Dept. of Music presentation, Robert Gluck, piano and electronics, Jan. 30, 3 p.m., Recital Hall of the Performing Arts Center, uplown campus. Tickets \$8 and \$4 through Performing Arts Center Box Office. information, 442-3997.

'CARNIVAL CELEBRATION!'

University at Albany Dept. of Music presentation, Max Lifchitz plays danceinspired plano music written by composers from Brazil, Cuba and the United States, Feb. 3, 8 p.m., Recital Hall of the Performing Arts Center. uptown campus. Tickets \$8 and \$4 through Performing Arts Center Box Office, information, 442-3997.

AN EVENING OF BRAHMS

University at Albany Dept. of Music presentation, Feb. 5, 8 p.m., Recital Hall of the Performing Arts Center, uptown campus. Tickets \$8 and \$4 through Performing Arts Center Box Office. Information, 442-3997.

THE G.E. SMITH BAND

Former "Saturday Night Live" bandleader G.E. Smith brings his blues/rock band into town for two shows, Feb. 12, 7 and 9:30 p.m., The Van Dyck, Scheneclady, \$20. Information, 381-1111.

IRISH 2000 "WINTERFEST"

With Danu, the McKrells, the Prodigals and Eileen Ivers. Feb. 12, 5 p.m. at the Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$39.50 to \$65. Information 476-1000

LUCY KAPLANSKY

Singer/songwriter, Feb. 12, 8 p.m. WAMC Performing Arts Center, Albany, \$22. Information, 465-5233.

HOT CLUB OF COWTOWN

String jazz band, Feb. 13, 7 p.m. at the Egg. \$20. Information, 473-1845.

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Acoustic guitarist, Feb. 17, 8 p.m. at the Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, \$24 to \$27, Information, 273-0038.

LE VENT DU NORD

Traditional Quebecois music, Feb. 18, 8 p.m., WAMC Performing Arts Center, Albany, \$15. Information, 465-5233.

TOM RUSH

Folk singer, Feb. 19, 8 p.m., WAMC Performing Arts Center, Albany, \$22. Information, 465-5233.

NEW YORK VOICES

Vocal jazz quartet, Feb. 25, 8 p.m. at The Egg, \$24. Information, 473-1845.

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Singer/songwriter, Feb. 27, 7 p.m. at The Egg. General ticket sale begins Jan. 10, \$22. Information, 473-1845.

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Feb. 12 at the Palace Theater, Albany, \$26.50 to \$29.50. Information, 465-3334.

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ALBANY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT GALLERY

Now You See It, an exhibit about magic, through Feb. 6, half-hour free parking. Information, 242-2241.

LOCAL COLOR ART GALLERY

Holiday exhibit, 961 Troy-Schenectady Road, Latham, through Jan. 31. Information, 786-6557.

ALBANY INSTITUTE OF ART

The Greatest Generation Goes to War. through Feb. 15, plus exhibits on Hudson River School painting, American sculpture, Egypt and the history of Albany, 125 Washington Ave. Information, 463-4478.

SCHENECTADY MUSEUM

Giants of Industry: Edison's Pwerful Legacy, through April 18, plus Spirit of Schenectady, collection highlights and planetarium, Nott Terrace Heights. Information, 382-7890.

UNIVERSITY ART MUSEUM

Presents "Edward Mayer: Tracing Changes," an overview of his 30-year career plus three site-specific installations, through April 3, University at Albany uptown campus, hours 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, noon to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Information, 442-4035.

OPALKA GALLERY

Presents "New York School: Another View,* through March 20, The Sage Colleges, 140 New Scotland Ave., Albany, hours 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, 6 to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. Information, 292-7742.

UNION COLLEGE

Presents "Moku Hanga," an exhibition of contemporary Japanese woodcuts, through Feb. 14, Arts Atrium Gallery 'Walter Harke: Recent Work," a collection of paintings, drawings and prints completed by Union professor Walter Harke, through March 13, Mandeville Gallery, Nott Memorial. Information, 388-

THE HYDE COLLECTION

Presents "Carrie Mae Weems: The Louisiana Project," the artist's examination of the history of New Orleans through still photography, narratives and video projection, Feb. 6 through April 10, Charles R. Wood Gallery, 161 Warren St., Glens Falls, hours 10 a.m to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Information, 792-1761.

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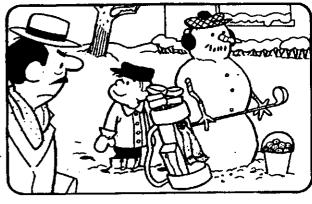
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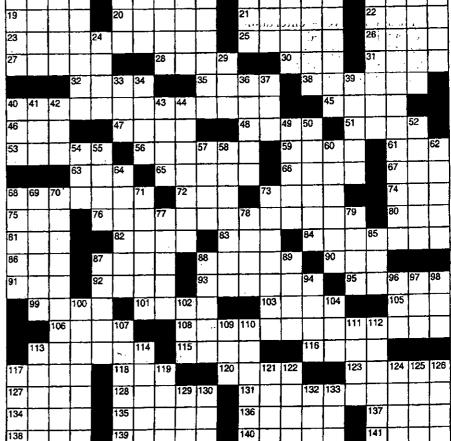
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evening prayer meeting and Bible study, Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155, 7:30 p.m. Information, 765-3390.

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AA MEETING

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

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Thurs. Jan. 27

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

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Tarrytown Road, Feura Bush, 768-2133.

Route 155, Voorheesville, 765-3390.

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Mon. Jan. 31

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Road, Voorheesville, 765-2805.

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Krumkill Boad, North Bethlehem, 438-

Route 9W, Glenmont, 462-2016.

New Scotland Road, 439-1766.

children's choir, 6:15 p.m., senior choir, 7 p.m., 85 Elm Ave. Information, 439-4328

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-

THURSDAY NIGHT POETS

At the Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School Road, 7 p.m., call for information, 765-2791.

Fri. Jan. 28

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CHILDREN'S WRITING WORK-SHOP (JULY AND AUGUST)

Bethlehem Public Library, 451Delaware Ave., 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Information, 439-9341.

VISUAL SUPPORT GROUP

Strategies to cope with visual impairment, led by Dr. Edwin Pesnel Refreshments. Room 101, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, 1-2 pm. Sponsored by Bethlehem Senior Services. Information, 439-4955, ext. 4.

AA MEETING

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

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Friday services, discussion and kiddush at sunset, 109 Elsmere Ave. Information, 439-8280. **NEW SCOTLAND**

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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-

Sat. Jan. 29

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AA MEETING

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

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WORSHIP INFORMATION

Bethlehem Community Church, 201 Elm Ave., 439-3135. 1 Bethlehem Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, Elm Avenue and Feura Bush Road, 439-0358. Bethlehem Lutheran, Church, 85 Elm Ave., 439-4328. Delmar Full Gospel Church, 292

DELMAR COMM. ORCHESTRA

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

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

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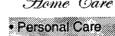
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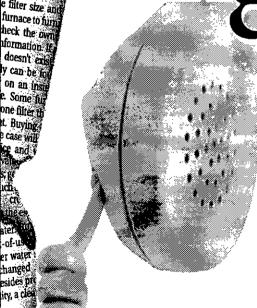
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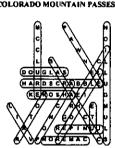
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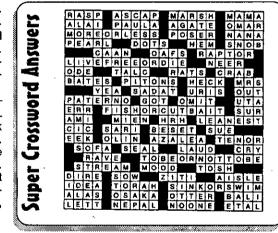
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LEGAL NOTICE

WHITEHALL PROPERTIES OF ALBANY, LLC, Notice of formation of a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC) Articles of Organization filed with the New York Secretary of State on December 18 2004. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any law-ful 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 any process against the LLC is 596 New Loudon Road, Latham, New York LCD-10867 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

MIG Technologies LLC was filed with the SSNY on 01/15/ 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: c/o Vanguard Corporate Services., 307 Hamilton Street, Albany, NY 12210. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-10868 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION

OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY The name of the LLC is Envoy Construction, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on December 13, 2004. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or ac-tivity. 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 pro-cess against the LLC is 5545 Depot Road, Voorheesville, New York 12186. LCD-10912 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

MORRIS INFORMATION,

1. Notice of formation of Morris Information, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 11/22/ Office Schenectady County. The SSNY has been designated whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC, c/o 26 Computer Drive West, Albany, New York 12205. The purposes of the LLC is consulting and to engage in any lawful business; incur indebtedness, secured and unsecured: to enter into and perform contracts and agreements of any kind necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the business of the LLC; and to carry on any other activities necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the foregoing, as the Members in their discretion may deem desirable. LCD-10927 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

LEGAL NOTICE

(LLC) The name of the LLC is BBL SPORTS, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on December 16, 2004. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any law-ful 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 302 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York LCD-10928

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE CSS TECHNOLOGIES, LLC

 Notice of formation of CSS Technologies, LLC, a limited iability company (the "LLC").
Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 02/10/2004. 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 26 Computer Drive West, Albany, New York 12205. The purposes of the LLC is software development and to engage in any lawful busi-. ness; incur indebtedness, secured and unsecured: to enter into and perform contracts and agreements of any kind necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the business of the LLC; and to carry on any other activities necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the foregoing, as the Members in their discretion may deem desirable

LCD-10934 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NORTH AMERICAN FINAN-CIAL STRATEGIES, LLC

 Notice of formation of North American Financial Strategies, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 02/24/2004. Office location: Saratoga 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 26 Computer Drive West, Albany, New York 12205. The purposes of the LLC is cost segregation consulting and to engage in any lawful business; incur indebtedness, secured and unsecured; to enter into and perform contracts and agreements of any kind necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the business of the LLC; and to carry on any other activities necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the foregoing, as the Members in their discretion may deem desirable. LCD-10935 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Articles of Organization of Alan Lobel Enterprises, LLC ("LLC") filed with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on December 31, 2004, effective January 1, 2005. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail a copy of any process to the LLC, 301 South Allen Street, Albany, NY 12208. The purpose for which the LLC is formed is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLCL. LCD-10936

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE AMSTERDAM STABLES I

1. Notice of formation of

LEGAL NOTICE

Amsterdam Stables I, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 12/16/2004. Office location: Montgomery 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 o 26 Computer Drive West, Albany, New York 12205. The purposes of the LLC is horse racing and breeding and to engage in any lawful business; incur indebted-ness, secured and unsecured; to enter into and perform contracts and agreements of any kind necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the business of the LLC: and to carry on any other activities necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the foregoing, as the Members in their discretion may deem desirable. LCD-10943

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE AMSTERDAM STABLES II,

1. Notice of formation of Amsterdam Stables II. LLC a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SŚNY") on 12/16/2004. Office location: Montgomery 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/ Computer Drive West, Albany New York 12205 The purposes of the LLC is horse racing and breeding and to engage in any lawful business; incur indebtedness, secured and unsecured: to enter into and perform contracts and agree ments of any kind necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the business of the LLC: and to carry on any other activities necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the foregoing, as the Members in their discretion may deem desirable. LCD-10944 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NÓTICE Notice of Formation of The Gilbert Family LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 12/13/04. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: c/o Patricia G. Keane, 209 Wellman Ave., N. Chelmsford, MA 08103-1360. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-10953

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of D R Property Development, LLC Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 12/16/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: 831 Creek Ct., Slingerlands, NY 12159. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-10954 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

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

The name of the LLC is J.T. KARRAT & SONS TRUCK-ING, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on January 7, 2005. 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 c/o Capital District Regional Market, 381 Broadway, Menands, New York

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LCD-10975 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY

COMPANY Name: Catena Properties, LLC (LLC). Articles of orga-nization filed with sec. of state of NY (SOS) on 12/28/ 04. Office location: Albany County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to The LLC. Hartwood Road, Delmar, New York 12054. Purpose: Any lawful business pur-LCD-10981

(January 26, 2005)

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

LEGAL NOTICE

The name of the LLC is FIRST COLUMBIA 555 HVA, LLC. The Articles of Organi zation of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of tate on January 7 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 LEC 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. LCD-10982

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ORGANIZA-TION OF LIMITED LIABIL-ITY COMPANY

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FOURTH: The purpose of the Company is to engage in any lawful business acts or activities for which limited liability companies may be formed under law.

FIFTH: The Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State on January 5, 2005 LCD-11001

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

"Madison Garden LLC" was filed with the SSNY on 12/17/ 04. Office: Albany County. 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 them: Vanguard Corporate Services, Ltd., 307 Hamilton Street, Albany, NY 12210. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-11004 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

MAINNEY, LLC Notice of formation of Mainney, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 01/07/ 2005. Office location: Rensselaer 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 26 Computer Drive West, Albany, New York 12205. The purposes of

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(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Energy Construction LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 1/3/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: 1071 State Route 143, Ravena, NY 12143. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-11025 (January 26, 2005)

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ARTICLES OF ORGANIZA-TION

SARATOGA AVIATION, LLC Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company

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state is designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The 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:

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Albany, New York 12211 FOURTH: The management of the limited liability company will be performed by one or more managers. Alexander Powhida, as Attornev-in-Fact for Saratoga Aviation, LLC

LCD-11030 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ORGANIZA-TION OF INDEPENDENT TOWERS, LLC On December 7, 2004, Independent Towers, LLC (the "LLC") filed Articles of Organization with the New York State Department of State. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The New York Secretary of State is designated as the agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The post office ad-dress to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him or her to the LLC, c/o John S. Stevens, 99 Pine Street, Albany, New York 12207. The LLC is organized for the purpose of real property development nd management. LD-10860

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Centex Construction, LLC Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/ 21/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Dela-ware (DE) on 9/16/04. 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., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Townsend Bldg., Dover, DE 19901. Pur-pose: any lawful activity. LD-10868

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

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Notice of Qualification of The ML Private Opportunities Fund, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/10/04. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/14/04. 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., Al-bany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: 1209 Orange St. Wilmington, DE 19801. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities.

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of

Renaissance Hotel Management Company, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/8/2004. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 11/10/1999. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The Prentice-Hall Corporation System, Inc., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Prin-cipal office of LLC: Dept. 924.13, 10400 Fernwood Rd., Bethesda, MD 20817 Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Loockerman & Federal Sts., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities LD-10870 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: PAR-TRIDGE HILL LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/13/ 04. 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 process to the LLC, 427 New Karner Road, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-10872

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME HAWTHORNE GARDENS OF GUILDERLAND LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/13/04. 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 process to the LLC, 427 New Kamer Road, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: For any lawful purpose LD-10873 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY WOODLANDS OF LATHAM LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/13/04. 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 process to the LLC, 427 New Karner Road, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-10874

(January 26; 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: WILLIAMSBURG COURT APARTMENTS LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/13/ 04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

LEGAL NOTICE

SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 427 New Karner Road, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-10875 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Richmond Riverhead Realty LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/ 18/2004. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Corporation Service Company, 80 State Street, Albany, NY 12207-2543, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activities LD-10882 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Nobel Biocare USA, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/2/ 04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/29/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave. of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Principal address of LLC: 22715 Savi Ranch Parkway, Yorba Linda, CA 92887. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, John G. Townsend Bldg., 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10883 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of GROVENDALE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/16/2004. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The Company, 25 Greystone Manor, Lewes, DE 19958: Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10884

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Sunstone M2 L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/18/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Illinois (IL) on 10/11/2000. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave. of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Principal address of LLC: 350 N. Orleans, Chicago, IL 60654 Arts. of Org. filed with IL Secy. of State, Howlett Bldg., Rm 329, Springfield, IL 62756. Purpose: any lawful activities (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of RCG-UA Eastchester, LLC Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/ 15/04. Office location: Albany. County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 11/15/04. 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. Principal office of LLC: The London Yam Bldg., 590 56th St., West New York, NJ 07093. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10896

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Notice of Qualification of Eastchester Heights NYC, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/16/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 11 15

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04. 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. Principal office of LLC: The London Yam Bldg., 590 56th St., West New York, NJ 07093. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secv. of State, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10897

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC Articles of Organization for PAUL PERRY KITCHENS, LLC were filed with the Sec retary of State of New York on November 23, 2004. Office located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon which process may be served and a copy of process shall be mailed by the Secretary of State to the LLC at III Winners Circle, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: for any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the law. LD-10899

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Notice of Qualification of Deerfield Triarc Capital LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/17/04. NYS fictitious name: Deerfield Triarc Capital Subsidiary. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/14/04. 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. Principal office of LLC: 8700 Bryn Mawr Ave., 12th FI., Chicago, IL 60631. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Townsend Bldg., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10908 (January 26, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of Deerfield Triarc TRS Hold-ings, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/17/04. NYS fictitious name: Deerfield Triarc TRS Holdings Subsidiary. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/15/04. 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. Principal office of LLC: 8700 Bryn Mawr Ave., 12th Fl., Chi-cago, IL 60631. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Townsend Bldg., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10909 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Chesterfield Hill, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/ 14/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/12/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Roger G. Halfhide, Esq., Weinstein, Boldt, Halfhide & Camel, 1925 Century Park East, Suite 1050, Los Angeles, CA 90067. Address required to be maintained in home jurisdiction: 3500 South Dupont Highway, Dover, Kent County, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activi-

LD-10913 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Latham Noodles, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/6/ 2004. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as

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agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Jennifer Matteo, 2050 Western Ave. #101 Guilderland, NY 12084, reg istered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10916 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SORIS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/14/2004. Of-fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The Company, 25 Greystone Manor, Lewes, DE 19958. Purpose: any lawful activi-

LD-10917 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

FORMATION OF LLC Articles of Organization for NO MAN'S LAND, LLC were filed with the Secretary of State of New York on December 21, 2004. Office lo-cated in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon which process may be served and a copy of process shall be mailed by the Sec-retary of State to the LLC at 27 Woodlawn Avenue, Albany, New York 12208. Purpose: for any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the law. LD-10918 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Boise Packaging & News-print, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/17/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 8/9/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served is: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Avenue of the Americas, Suite 501, New York, NY 10001. The principal office of the .LC: 9 East Loockerman Street, Suite 1B, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4, Dover, DE 19901 Purpose: any lawful activi

LD-10920 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of LENDERS PROTECTION, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/2/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/19/ 03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Irvin Hilts, 19 British American Blvd., Latham, NY 12110. Principal office of LLC: 5508 Highway 290 West, Suite 202, Austin, TX 78735. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Loockerman & Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities.

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Regus Management Group, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/21/04. Office location Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/8/04. SNY designatéd as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall máil process to: c/o Corporation Service Co. 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Principal office of LLC: 15305 Dallas Pkwy., Suite 1400, Addison, TX 75001. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Federal & Duke of York St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10922

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PUBLICATION NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF LIM-ITED LIABILITY COMPANY FIRST: The name of the Limited Liability Company is FOUR CORNERS PHAR-MACY, LLC (hereinafter referred to as the "Company"). SECOND: The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed with the Secretary of State on December

THIRD: The county within New York State in which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany. FOURTH: The Secretary of

State has been designated as agent upon whom pro-cess against the Company may be served. The post of-fice address to which the Secretary of State shall mail process is: Four Corners Pharmacy, LLC, 340 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York 12054.

FIFTH: The existence of the Company is to be perpetual. SIXTH: The purpose of the business of the Company is any lawful activity pursuant to Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Law. LD-10923

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Cairo Prime Site, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/16/2004. Ofce location: Albany County SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 5 County Route 358, Medusa, NY 12120. Term: until 9/1/2104. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10924 (January 26, 2005)

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Notice of Formation of Fashion District Real Estate LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/ 15/2004. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The Company, #0001 Incorporators LLC, 140 Highway One, Lewes, DE 19958. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10929 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Aspen Provider LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/3/2004. Office location: Albany County SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The Company, 25 Greystone Manor, Lewes, DE 19958. Purpose: any lawful activi-LD-10930

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of 40 Scott Ave LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/15/04. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/10/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 25 Grevstone Manor, Lewes, DE 19958 Address required to be maintained in home jurisdiction: Greystone Manor, Lewes DE 19958, Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities LD-10931 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of AFP International, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/14/04. Office ocation: Albany County. LLC formed in California (CA) on 4/22/98. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Henry N. Jannol,

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10350 Santa Monica Blvd., Ste 350, Los Angeles, CA 90025. Address required to be maintained in home jurisdiction: 10131 National Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90034. Arts. of Org. filed with CA Secy. of State, 1500 11th Street, 3rd Fl., Sacramento, CA 95814. Purpose: any lawful activi-

LD-10932 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Benham Constructors, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/ 28/04. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Oklahoma (OK) on 9/2/94. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave. of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Principal address of LLC: 9400 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73114. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of OK, 101 State Capitol Build-ing, Oklahoma City, OK 73105. Purpose: any lawful activities LD-10933

County, LLC formed in Delait may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National LD-10937

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LEGAL NOTICE

Organization filed with Sec-retary of State of New York (SSNY) on 4/20/04. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process SSNY shall mall copy of pro-cess to Conway Circle of Performing Arts, LLC, 1283 Rugby Road, Schenectady, New York 12308. I D-10949

LEGAL NOTICE

Articles of Organization for TIA D. OLDS, M.D., LLC were filed with the Secretary of State of New York on De-cember 23, 2004. Office located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon which process may be served and a copy of process shall be mailed by the Sec retary of State to the LLC at 24 Riverwalk Way, Cohoes, NY 12047. Purpose: for any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the law. LD-10950

BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEAR-Notice is hereby given that

113-4 A (1), Alternative Tower Sites of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem to install 6 Panel antennas and related call processing equipment to an existing tower at the pre-mises of 44 Hannay Lane, Glenmont, New York 12077. Michael C. Hodom

Chairman LD-10955

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of The Benham Companies, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/ 13/04. Office location: Albany ware (DE) on 2/11/70. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave. of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Principal address of LLC: 9400 North Broadway, Oklahoma City, OK 73114, Attn: Legal Department. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of DE, Federal and Duke of York St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activi-

Notice of Formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: Conway Circle of Per-forming Arts, LLC. Articles of

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FORMATION OF LLC

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LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednes-day, February 2, 2005, at 7:30 p.m., at the Town Of-fices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take Delmar, New York to take action on application of Cingular Wireless for Special Exception under Article VI. permitted Uses, Section 128-20 C (1), public utility, and,

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TOWN OF BETHLEHEM **BOARD OF APPEALS** NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEAR

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, February 2, 2005, at 7:45 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of Bob Hughes for Variance under Article XII, Percent of Lot Occupancy, Section 128-50, Single Family Dwellings and Article XVII, Side Yards, Section 128-73, Required Widths of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem for construction of a sunroom addition which will exceed the allowable percentage of lot occupancy and an existing foundation which currently encroaches into the side yard setback requirement at premises 2 Knights Way, Albany, New York.

Michael C. Hodom Chairman **Board of Appeals**

LD-10956 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of TRUE NOW, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/3/05. Office lo-cation: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 11/16/04. 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. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Corps. Dept. Loockerman & Federal Sts. Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10964

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of NETPORTATION, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/4/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/15/04. 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. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Corps. Dept. Loockerman & Federal Sts. Dept., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10965 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of J.J. Seymour, L.L.C. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/17/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Urban Development Consultants, 4 Saybrook Drive, Bethlehem, NY 12077. Purpose: any lawful act or activ-

LD-10966 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of EDGE COLOCATION, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/4/ 05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Dela-ware (DE) on 11/29/04. SSNY designated as agent

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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. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Corps Loockerman & Federal Sts., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10967 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of CLEAR NETPOINT, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/3/ 05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Dela-ware (DE) on 11/16/04. 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. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Corps. Dept., Loockerman & Federal Sts., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10968 (January 26, 2005)

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CLEC LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 12/24/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/6/04. 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. Principal office of LLC: 510 Bering, Ste. 500, Houston, TX 77057. Cert. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. Dover, DE 19901, Purpose: wireless telecommunications infrastructure and related activities. LD-10973

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NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF TAX ROLL AND WARRANT TAKE NOTICE, that I, Nancy Mendick, the undersigned Receiver of Taxes and Assessments for the Town of Bethlehem, have received the tax roll and warrant for the collection of taxes and will receive payments thereon

Monday through Friday from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and on Saturday, January 29th from 9-noon

at the Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York for the properties assessed upon such roll. NO COLLECTION FEE DURING JANUARY 1% collection fee during February 2% collection fee during

March TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that pursuant to the provisions of law the tax roll of the Town of Bethlehem will be returned to the County of Albany Director of Finance on pril 1, 2005 Dated January 1, 2005

Nancy Mendick Town of Bethlehem Receiver of Taxes & Assessments

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LD-10977

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of International Paint LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 1/6/ 05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 1/1/05. 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, regis-tered agent upon whom pro-cess may be served. DE ad-dress of LLC: 1209 Orange St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Arts. of Org. filed with DE

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Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: all lawful purposes. LD-10980 (January 26, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of Best Buy Direct, LLC. Au-thority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/ 17/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/21/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave. of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Address required to be maintained in home jurisdiction: 9 East Loockerman St., Ste 1B, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, John G. Townsend Bldg, 401 Federal St., Ste 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-11008 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of organization of WHITNEY FIELDS, LLC Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is WHITNEY FIELDS, LLC 2. The Articles of Organiza-

tion were filed with the Secretary of State on January 11, 2005. The principal office of the Limited Liability Company is to be located in the County

of Albany, State of New York. 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 this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Limited Liability against the Limited Clability
Company served upon him
or her is: 330 Broadway, 2nd
floor, Albany, NY 12207
5. None of the members of
the Limited Liability Company (the "Members") in their

capacity as Members, shall be personally or individually liable for any debts, obliga-tions or liabilities of the Lim-ited Liability Company.

6. The Limited Liability Company shall have all powers and purposes allowed it by law. LD-11016

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Notice of Qualification of CCMM I LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 1/7/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 11/30/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail pro-cess 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., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: wireless telecommunications infrastructure and

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related activities.

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LD-11017

Notice of Formation of Y.B ASSOCIATES GROUP, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 1/13/05. 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 The LLC, 119-15 27th Ave., Flushing, NY 11354. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11018

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Notice of Formation of 857 Lakes Road LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 1/12/05. Office location: Albany

Transplants

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lymphoblastic leukemia, or ALL. Shania's mother characterizes her daughter as an avid outdoorsy girl who loves animals, softball and hiking.

The two mothers were paired up through the clinic at Albany Medical Center a couple of months ago and have joined forces to find marrow matches for their children.

Anthony Hill, who attends Berne-Knox-Westerlo Central Schools, found a match among the 5 million people in the marrow bank, but tests later showed Anthony Hill's match to be suffering from his own health problems.

"Something was seriously wrong with him, so it's actually a good thing," Jackie Hill said. "He was able to get his own help, which he needed."

"I just need to get 5 million more people in there," she said. Hill underwent Anthony chemotherapy and two weeks of radiation, sending him into remission for three months, Jackie Hill said, until he found out this summer around his birthday that, "It was back."

Anthony Hill then went through another eight months of chemotherapy, ended up having his appendix removed and then another 10 days of radiation.

Shania was first diagnosed in 2001 as having rheumatoid arthritis, her mother said, which led to steroid treatment, chemotherapy and a false remission.

"When they diagnosed the cancer, she had already undergone chemotherapy, and we knew there was less of a

chance of it staying in remission," Clark said.

Clark said she and Shania and the rest of the family were surprised when the cancer came back, because "she had been doing so well."

Shania needs a bone marrow transplant. Clark said family members have been tested, but no match has been found. Clark said she has not looked in the database for a match for Shania.

According to the National Marrow Donor Program, which provides marrow and blood stem cell transplants for leukemia patients and others, 30 percent of those suffering from those diseases which require a stem cell transplant will find a match in their families. The other 70 percent will have to look for an unrelated donor.

'She's been kind of down in the dumps," Clark said of Shania, who has been keeping in touch with friends from school through notes and e-mail. "I think she's had kind of a turnaround this weekend, though."

This past weekend was Shania's first home visit in about three weeks, Clark said. Meanwhile, the Hill family is suffering from chapped hands, Jackie Hill said, because of all the sanitizer and anti-bacterial soap the family's been going through lately, to minimize the amount of germs brought into the house. When one of Anthony Hill's sisters comes down with a cold, she either sleeps with a mask over her face or is sent to her grandmother's house, Jackie Hill

Doctors tried to harvest

Anthony Hill's own stem cells to fashion a cure for him, but it didn't take.

Anthony Hill hasn't been attending school, Jackie Hill said, which he misses.

There's too many germs, it's too risky. He doesn't feel good," Jackie Hill said.

He did go to school the first few days of this year, but then came down with pneumonia. 'We're fighters, he's a fighter," Jackie Hill said of her son. "He's very positive, very well-liked. It's just so good to hear him laugh." Rain or shine, barring any sudden sickness, both families will be at the marrow drive, where the American Red Cross will take two small vials of blood from each participant to put into the national database. Participants will have to sign a medical consent form to be in the database. Jackie Hill encourages anyone between the ages of 18 and 60 who is in generally good health to attend the bone marrow blood drive. The drive will be held at Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave. in Delmar, on Saturday, Feb. 5, from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. The test costs \$65, though Jackie Hill said she's making efforts to defray the cost for those who cannot afford it. Another drive is likely, Clark said, perhaps closer to Shania's home.

Anyone with questions can call Cheryl Udell at 439-3786 during the day or Bev Hannay at 797-3575 in the evening.

Sketchy

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A community health and safety plan will be developed with community input, King said, under the direction of EPA, Department of Environmental Conservation, state Department of Health and GE officials.

That plan will outline standard levels for odor, noise and air emissions, as well as define protocol for any spills or other incidents that happen. King called the standards already in place "restrictive."

The stretch of river near the Bethlehem site is a known breeding ground for short-nosed sturgeon. The site itself lies in a 100-year floodplain. But EPA officials point to access to two rail lines, and the site's location below the Federal Dam as a suitable means to an end. The position below Troy means the site is capable of handling deep water, or ocean-going barges, which, if ultimately decided on as a method

of transfer, can carry significantly more tonnage than other barges.

EPA officials were pleased with the turnout; previous informational meetings this year when Bethlehem's site stayed in the running as others were withdrawn, drew sparse crowds at best. Wednesday's turnout included county legislators and local business people whose businesses abut the OG Real Estate site.

Cathy Barber, of Port Welding, Inc., said her business is within 100 feet of the site. "It scares the heck out of me," said Barber, who has offered her business site as a monitoring site for the project.

Rosales attributed the increased community interest to the certainty that the site is one of two to be part of the dredging project.

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County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be cess to: Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity LD-11021

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 879 Lakes Road LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 1/12/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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> Notice of Qualification of DAL Global Services, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/10/ 05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 1/1/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Principal office of LLC: 1007 Virginia Ave., Suite 100, Atlanta, GA 30354. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Fed-eral St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful

LD-11023 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of PORT ALBANY VENTURES
LLC. Authority filed with
Secy. of State of NY (SSNY)
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LEGAL NOTICE

SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. c/o Corporation Service Co. 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 Secy. of State, Div. of Corps., 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. activities. LD-11024

Community

(January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Public Notice of Hearing The Town of New Scotland Planning Board Notice is hereby given that the Planning Board of Town of New Scotland, New York will hold a public hearing pur-suant to Chapter 190, Article IV, Section 190-41 of the Zoning Law on the following A Public Hearing for Special Use Permit #457

LEGAL NOTICE

Special Use Permit Application submitted by James Olsen. Application is for the illumina n of a detached sign advertising a coffee/ pastry shop known as "Emma Cleary's". The sign is situated on a parcel owned by Mr. Olsen and is located at 1926 New Scotland Road. The parcel lies within the Commercial District and is identified as New Scotland tax parcel #84.-2-19. The site was formerly used as a re-tail sales and repair store for power equipment known as "Powerama". This application is a Special Use of Article II, Section 190-17 of the Town of New Scotland Zoning Law.

Ing Law.
Said hearing will take place on February 1, 2005 at the New Scotland Town Hall beginning at 7:00 P.M.

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LD-11027 (January 26, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE

Public Notice of Hearing Planning Board Notice is hereby given that

the Planning Board of Town of New Scotland, New York will hold a public hearing pursuant to Article II, Section 190-52 of the Zoning Law on the following proposition: A Public Hearing for Site Plan #65

Site Plan application #65

submittal by Omni Housing Development, LLC on behalf of Jeffrey Glass to be allowed to construct a 10,457 square foot office building on property owned by Mr. Glass. The site address is 1882 New Scotland Road and is currently being used as a golf driving range. The parcel contains 8.44 acres, is located within the Commercial District and is identified as New Scotland tax parcel #84.-2-16. This appli-

cation is a permitted use un-der Article II, Section 190-17 of the Town of New Scotland

Zoning Law.

LEGAL NOTICE

Said hearing will take place on February 1, 2005 at the New Scotland Town Hall be-

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LEGAL NOTICE

TOWN OF NEW SCOT-

LAND Special Town Board Meeting Notice is hereby given that the New Scotland Town Board will hold a Special Meeting in conjunction with the Town Planning Board on February 1, 2005 beginning at 7:00 P.M. at Town Hall, 2029 New Scotland Road, Slingerlands, NY to discuss the proposal for the Planned Unit Development.

Diane R. Deschenes Town Clerk The Town of New Scotland

LEGAL NOTICE

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LEGAL NOTICE

AA MENANDS SELF STOR-AGE LLC. Certificate of Limited Liability Company filed by NYS Secretary of State on August 24, 2004. Principal office is located in Albany County. NYS Secretary of State designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served and the Secretary of State shall mais a copy of any process against it to AA MENANDS SELF STORAGE LLC, 375 Route 17 N, Mahwah, New Jersey 04730. The limited liability company is to be managed by one or more of its LD-11038

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