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Crossgates to curb unescorted teenagers

By MARY LANNON

A quick Internet survey of malls across the country reveals that the new parental escort policy to be put in at Crossgates Mall is one of the strictest of its kind.

The mall will now require teens under 18 to have a parental escort after 4 p.m. on Friday and Saturday nights unless they are going to the movies or only shopping at an anchor store. About 35 "greeters" will be hired to stand at entrances to check for picture IDs and ensure that unescorted teens do not enter the main mall area.

During a press conference, flanked by three Pyramid mall general managers, the Guilderland police chief, the county prosecutor and the executive director of the chamber of commerce last Thursday, Pyramid Companies CEO Michael Bovalino announced the new policy.

"We collectively believe that this policy will provide an even safer shopping, dining and entertainment experience for all of our visitors," Bovalino said.

While increasingly common, parental supervision policies seem to target younger visitors and later hours than the one Crossgates announced. Zona Rosa Mall in Kansas City requires parental supervision of children under the age of 16 after 9:30 p.m.; similarly, Easton Town Center in Columbus, Ohio, requires the supervision after 9:30 p.m. of children under the age of 15. Mall of America, one of the first malls to institute a policy, requires children under the age of 15 to be supervised on Fridays and Saturdays after 6 p.m. Newport on the Levee mall in Kentucky requires supervision of children under 16 after 8 p.m. and Dayton Mall in Ohio and Pheasant Lane Mall in Nashua, N.H. also draw the age line at 16 but Pheasant Lane requires the supervision after 6 p.m. and Dayton after 4 p.m.

On the other hand, Eastland City Mall near Detroit does have a policy similar to that announced for Crossgates. It does not allow children under the age of 18 without parental supervision after 5 p.m. Two other Pyramid malls, Carousel Center near Syracuse and Walden Galleria near Buffalo have both had the policy successfully in place for two years or more, said Terri Walsh, general manager of Crossgates.

Walsh added the policy was put in place because of the large numbers of teenagers congregating in the mall.

"Increasing numbers of unsupervised youth who have gathered here on Saturday night have challenged our merchants..." she said.

They have also been a difficulty for security staff and police, she added.

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Close shave



Ann DeLucco and Tori Teal race to shave balloons at the Elm Avenue Park Family Fun Day sponsored by the Friends of the Bethlehem Public Library.

Jim Franco

Kotary, Messina join Dem ticket

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

It appears, for now, that town Supervisor Theresa Egan will run with no opposition from the Bethlehem Republicans as she looks to make history by becoming the first Bethlehem Democrat elected to the position for two consecutive terms.

There appears to be no hint of divisiveness within the party, despite coming off of an emotional election year that saw two Bethlehem Democrats pitted against each other in the race for Albany County district attorney.

"My feeling has always been that

everybody has differing opinions. What I try to do, I always want qualified, professional people at town hall. I look at qualifications first, as opposed to affiliations," Egan said. "We just want the best way to serve Bethlehem, and that's the right way to think, so any division left over (is gone). All nominations were unanimous. There was no contrariness, no objections."

Running on the Democratic line with Egan are first-time campaigners Kyle Kotary and Sam Messina.

Egan, who has repeatedly said she was first elected with the mandate of developing a comprehensive plan and updating zoning codes, now sees a

continuation of the issues she faced in her first campaign and during her first term.

"Ninety percent of the blueprint is done. We set an ambitious course two years ago," Egan said.

Several issues have arisen as the comprehensive plan nears completion. Among those are a number of grants the town has applied for, including one that would give the town a plan for development on the waterfront. Maintenance and preservation of open space also remain on the table as the plan nears completion.

The town has just secured a \$75,000 grant, for which it will chip in half, to study

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Republicans tap proven winners

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

Bethlehem Republicans will send to voters next November an entirely incumbent line, from the town board down, the first time they have done so since 1997.

At last Thursday's committee meeting where all candidates for town office were unanimously nominated, the party appears unified and energized, having fully recovered from the controversial resignation in January 2004 of then-chairman Keith Wiggand amid allegations that he used his state office position to solicit political contributions.

"We have a great team and something really to be proud of," GOP chairman Jeff Perez said after the

nominations. "Tonight is really a high point for me. We have five incumbents, the best team that we could ask for, each of them is the head of their ticket."

George Lenhardt, in his 12th year as a town board member, will be vying for years 13 through 16 in the fall election.

His fellow committee members believe the "modest" Republican represents the institutional memory of the town board, since he is the longest-serving member.

Lenhardt, a lifelong Bethlehem resident, believes an up-to-date zoning code is at the forefront of the town's agenda.

"That, and to get the comprehensive plan adopted, are my main reasons for running again," said Lenhardt, whose wife Lynn is a longtime Bethlehem Central board of education member. "To support the Republican Party in the community

and all the residents in the community."

Lenhardt, no stranger to campaigning, said he expects to be successful for a fourth term.

Tom Marcelle, who is completing his first term on the town board, was also nominated, putting to rest rumors that circulated earlier in the year that he would not be seeking re-election.

Marcelle said some conditions in town have improved since he took his position nearly four years ago, though

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Police arrest one on felony charges Public meeting on road renovations

Bethlehem Police arrested a California woman on several felony charges.

Police received a call on May 12 from employees at the Bank of America at 111 Delaware Ave. in Delmar.

The employees believed a woman was attempting to complete a fraudulent transaction.

As police arrived, employees identified a woman on her way out of the bank as the woman who attempted the transaction.

She identified herself to police as Janet Jones of California.

The employees, though, identified her as Stephanie Y. Kirianoff. The employees notified the real Jones in California, who then filed a report with the San Ramon Police Department.

According to reports, Kirianoff, 39, of 15339 Weddington Ave. in Sherman Oaks, Calif., attempted to deposit an \$8,500 check made out to Jones and endorsed by Kirianoff.

She then allegedly attempted to withdraw \$7,000 from the same account.

Employees knew of recent scams in the area attempted with California IDs and became suspicious, police said.

Kirianoff allegedly admitted to the fraud.

She faces felony charges of second-degree forgery, second-degree criminal possession of a forged instrument and attempted grand larceny.

Albany County has announced that a public informational meeting will be held to discuss the proposed rehabilitation of CR 204 (Schoolhouse Road, Krumkill Road and Russell Road) in the Towns of Bethlehem and Guilford.

The meeting will be held on Thursday, June 2, 7 p.m. at the North Bethlehem Fire Department, 589 Russell Road.

Albany County is currently developing the design for the rehabilitation of the CR 204 corridor. The project begins on Schoolhouse Road at the Thruway bridge and runs south to Krumkill Road, continues along Krumkill Road to Russell Road, and then continues north along Russell Road and ends at the Albany City Line.

Major components of the project include pavement rehabilitation/reconstruction, the addition of 4 foot paved shoulders

and 5 foot concrete sidewalk along the entire project corridor, and improvements to the Schoolhouse Road/Krumkill Road and the Krumkill Road/Russell Road intersections. Minor right-of-way acquisitions will be required and will be discussed during the meeting.

Construction is expected to begin in the fall and is expected to have a duration of 1 to 2 years. The purpose of the meeting is for Albany County to obtain comments and answer questions regarding the proposed project from individuals, groups, officials and local agencies.

This public informational meeting is part of the continuing efforts by Albany County to encourage public input into the development of transportation projects.

Please direct any questions to William Anslow at 765-2786.

Senior volunteers are valuable assets

Bethlehem Senior Services Department recently presented the town of Bethlehem with a check for \$620,987.

The check will not be cashed, however, as the monetary amount is symbolic of the costs the ambitious volunteers who work for the department save the town.

The check was presented to Supervisor Theresa Egan on April 19 at the Bethlehem Senior Projects-sponsored 15th annual Volunteer Recognition for the Bethlehem Senior Volunteer Corps.

The check was then again presented to the town board at its May 11 meeting.

The figure represents the estimated savings for the town over a two-year period, beginning in 2003, thanks to the 234 senior service volunteers who contributed a net amount of more

than 35,000 hours.

Karen Pellettier, director of Senior Services, took figures from a national volunteer organization to estimate rates of certain services and salaries of people who provide certain services.

Pellettier used \$10 per hour for each of the volunteers, pretty much the national standard for the services they provide, she said.

Some volunteers were also presented with individual awards at the banquet, including the Golden Hubcap Award for the volunteer who logged the most hours driving the senior van and the Helping Hand Award, given to a volunteer who helped on the senior buses for the most hours.

Those recipients each logged between 3,000 and 6,000

volunteer hours over the two-year period.

Bethlehem Senior Projects teams with the Senior Services Department to supplement programs and services for senior residents.

Such programs include the Bethlehem Food Pantry, the Bethlehem Community Loan Closet, Garden Bounty Program, Donate A Car program, health programs and wellness series, as well as panel discussions.

The collaboration has also been responsible for bringing a number of grants and successful fund-raisers to town.

The partners have also bestowed grants upon the community, including \$5,000 to the Alzheimer's Association for community education in 1997.

Kiwanis offers own "antiques roadshow"

The Kiwanis Club of Delmar will be hosting an antique fair on Saturday, June 4 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Bethlehem Town Hall at 445 Delaware Ave. in Delmar.

The antique fair will have a number of local antique dealers and appraisers who have expertise in many areas giving their best appraisal of items brought to the fair.

A list of dealers and appraisers will be available at the door.

The cost to have items appraised will be \$10 for one item or \$25 for three items.

Coffee and doughnuts will also be available.

All proceeds from the fair will go to the administration of Kiwanis projects for youth including Builder's Club, Ki Club, Circle K, pediatric trauma Little League, walk to cure diabetes and many others.

Wave the flag...summer kicks off this weekend!

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Dering gets new spot as voters OK budget

RCS gets go-ahead, too

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

Though this year's Bethlehem Central School District's budget and school board vote saw the largest turnout of voters in five years, the budget passed by the slimmest margin the school district has seen in just as many years.

The budget passed by 151 votes, with 2,157 voters approving the

\$65.4 million budget that represents a 9.9 percent budget-to-budget spending increase and carries with it a projected 7.6 percent tax rate increase.

Superintendent Les Loomis said the district doesn't take anything for granted.

"We want to thank the community for their support of the 2005-06 budget. The narrowness of the vote clearly demonstrates that the tax rate causes the community to stretch very hard," Loomis said. "We are dedi-

cated in every way possible way to maintain the quality of education and keep spending as much under control as we can."

In his 18 years as superintendent, Loomis has never seen a budget shot down.

The school district, however, is studying feedback it received in an exit poll conducted of voters, Loomis said.

"We are doing everything we can to continue to improve," Loomis said. "We will make any adjustments and changes we can to deliver."

Loomis said he was impressed with the turnout, which he called "fairly high."

"One of the things we've done in the district is to try to make the turnout as strong as possible and to continue to look at ways to improve turnout," he said.

Voters also elected three school board members — including the two incumbents who ran for re-election — to the school board for three-year terms.

Board president Robin Storey and Warren Stoker, a former board president, received 2,338 and 1,952 votes, respectively.

Newcomer James Dering, a BC grad, got the last spot on the board with 1,639 votes.

Dering is the father of a kindergartener in the district.

Candidates Susan Radosh and Bonnie Turner received 1,505 votes and 1,479 votes, respectively. Paul Black received 1,467 votes.

"(The two incumbents) have shown exceptional leadership," Loomis said. "They are dedicated and effective, and the community recognizes that Jim Dering, as the father of a kindergarten student, will make a significant contribution (to the board)."

Voters also approved a \$844,000 bus purchase proposition by a 710-vote margin.

The final tax rate for the next school year will be settled in August, according to the district's

Web site. The rates will be based on final assessment figures and equalization rates for each town, according to the state Office of Real Property Services.

The projected in-

creases are \$1.96 per \$1,000 of assessed property for taxpayers in Bethlehem and \$1.73 per \$1,000 for New Scotland taxpayers.

Incumbents re-elected in RCS

In the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk School District, voters approved a \$37.4 million 2005-06 school budget by 105 votes. The budget, which represents a budget-to-budget spending increase of about 5.3 percent, also carries with it a projected 14.5 percent tax levy.

That levy was reduced from a 17.3 percent projected tax rate increase. That 17.3 percent increase represented a reduction of the original proposed increase, which was more than 29 percent.

Voters also showed support for the school board by downing a proposition that would have reduced the size of the board by two members. That proposition was voted down 1,153-918.

Elected to the board was incumbent John Bonafide, who serves as vice president, and another incumbent, Scott Hughes. Bonafide and Hughes garnered 1,336 and 1,284 votes, respectively. Mike Robbins took 970 votes to round out the board. Candidate James Van Valkenburg received 910 votes.

RCS will also be purchasing five new school buses, thanks to the voters' support of a \$394,038 proposition.

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Thandiwe Foster makes scarves for the dogs participating in the Voorheesville Relay for Life held last week.

Light shines at Relay for Life

By JAMES CUOZZO

The first Voorheesville Relay for Life was a complete success, according to event organizers, who were thrilled with the more than \$85,000 raised for the American Cancer Society.

The 12-hour celebration of life which began Friday evening on a sunlit Voorheesville High School track included over 800 participants, 80 teams of walkers, a candlelight ceremony, cancer survivors and their families, plenty of food and entertainment. Even a group of therapy dogs took the Relay for Life walk.

Middle school teacher and event organizer Sherry Burgoon said the Relay literally was a dream come true.

"This is what I dreamed it would look like," she said. "I never thought it would look like this."

Michael Garris, a Voorheesville eighth grader, was student co-chair of the event. "When I look at all this I definitely am proud of the results of all the hard work," he said.

Garris also provided the event with an eight-member team called

incredible town and I am so grateful for what the community has done."

Burgoon said between the hours of 2:30 and 6:30 p.m. Friday over 75 tents popped up all over the grounds and people scurried around as if they had been working on this project all of their lives.

Carol Bishop-Panepinto, director of special events for The American Cancer Society, said she was speechless and credited the hard work of both organizers and volunteers.

"For a first-time event, this is just amazing to us," Bishop-Panepinto said, adding that the money raised will stay in the Capital District, and will be divided four ways.

"The first part is research, the second is education, the third is advocacy and the fourth is patient services," she said. "We are very proud that we now have three researchers in the Albany area and we are giving away \$1.7 million dollars to those three researchers."

The idea behind the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life started in 1985. Dr. Gordy Klatt from Tacoma, Wash., decided he needed to personally help to raise money to fight cancer. Klatt, a marathon runner at the time, circled the University of Puget Sound's Baker Stadium track for 24 hours and more than 83 miles. His individual efforts raised \$27,000 that night as friends, family and patients witnessed his efforts.

Much of that same focus and spirit took over the event at Voorheesville High School Friday night into Saturday morning.

Eighteen-year-old Jordan Glover is a former Voorheesville student who was diagnosed with a brain tumor at the age of 12. Glover's cancer is now in remission and she is currently enrolled as a freshman at Elmira College. Jordan spoke about being a cancer survivor.

"I believe that the love and support I received from this community of Voorheesville made a difference in why I am here today," she said. "It was those unexpected cards, phone calls, visits, pans of lasagna, stuffed animals, flowers, videos from classmates, posters from art



Mary Kate Dollard and Laura DiVirgilio.

class, books, prayer chain notices and numerous acts of kindness and compliments that I remember that I have kept in a big box at home and in my heart."

Glover cut the ribbon to begin the first lap, walking with 40 other cancer survivors. Caregivers and family members of cancer survivors joined in the second lap. Another highlight of the 12-hour overnight event, the luminaria ceremony, was held during the evening hours. People gathered around the candlelit track to remember, honor and celebrate the lives of those who have battled cancer. Dr. Joanne Porter, pediatric oncologist for the Children's Hospital at Albany Medical Center, was the main speaker for the luminaria event.

A variety of events took place all night long at the school, including a Mardi Gras March, Hula Hoop Laps and s'mores at 4 a.m. The Relay for Life event concluded at 7 a.m. with a Team Spirit March followed by closing ceremonies.

The first-time event for Voorheesville exceeded the original \$38,000 goal by over twice that amount. Voorheesville Central School District board member Rich Brackett was credited with bringing the Relay for Life to the community.

In 2004 alone, 3 million volunteers raised over \$1 billion in Relay for Life events on behalf of the American Cancer Society.



Rebecca Reohr and Aniela Wilcenski

the Hope Builders that raised over \$1,300.

Jennifer Lysenko, the high school student co-chair, said she has been working on the event since last fall organizing, raising money and generating enthusiasm within the community.

"Once the word got out there this really caught fire," she said. "This is the product of it. Voorheesville is just such an

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Going back to the past to get to the future

By KATHERINE MCCARTHY

Sometimes the sun shines so brightly even the interiors of a place glow.

They can seem so bright that you have to look away to clear the tears from your eyes or swallow hard to get rid of the lump in your throat. On a sunny spring day, the interior of Elsmere Elementary School looked a little brighter than the last time I was there and a funny kind of lump did form in my throat as I walked down the hall to the classroom that had been Cormac's during his first two years of elementary school. It's been two years since he left Elsmere Elementary School, officially ending our family's affiliation with our children's first go at formal education.

In some ways, it was my school as much as it was my children's. Lucky enough to be a mostly at-home mother while they were little, I was able to volunteer a lot of time there. I got to know the teachers, the other parents, the principal, the staff, Judy the custodian and the women who work at keeping order during lunch. Since I never got homework and was never bullied, I think I liked it even better than my boys did. School, a friend pointed out, is a lot easier as a parent than it ever was as a student.

I eased my way out of Elsmere by staying on as a volunteer with the great one-on-one reading program, Jump Start, in the first year that Cormac was in middle school. This year, I went cold turkey and hadn't been back except to buy plants at this spring's plant sale.

In early May, I spent sometime in Robin Reed's first and second grade class. Robin is a great gift to the children she teaches as well as the entire district. She does this thing that I forget to do far too often in my life as a parent: she catches the kids doing something good and lets them know how much she appreciates it.

In turn, the kids worship her and work to the high standards she expects of them. Just as kids want to be around her, Robin has

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an easy way with grown-ups. When she invited me to come to visit her class as a writer, I was deeply touched. When I was in eighth grade, I wanted to be a writer, but other dreams took me down a few different roads and it wasn't until I stopped working for money to stay home with my tiny children that the urge to put pen to paper — only by now it was fingers to keyboard — resurfaced. When the dream took hold again, it took a long time to get enough into print that I could feel not totally uncomfortable telling strangers

I'm a writer when they ask what I do. To have other people acknowledge it is flattering beyond all belief. It's a part of my identity that goes with being called "Mrs. McCarthy." When people say that, I turn around to look for my mother-in-law; when people describe me as a writer, I turn around to see who they might possibly be talking about.

So it was with more than a little humility that I toted a bag full of writing supplies in to Mrs. Reed's class and I found myself blushing when a room full of trusting faces looked at me to see what they would learn about writing. When the kids transition from activity to activity, they all sing and I had to swallow hard and look upward to get the moisture out of my eyes as I thought about all the times I'd watched my own blond boy put his crayons away as he sang about three green and speckled frogs.

There were familiar faces in the classroom; Mary Grace's sister had been a classmate of Cormac's and looked enough like her that for a second I thought I'd time-traveled. Mimi and Chandler are familiar faces from church; Hannah's mother went to high school with Chris; and most of the boys looked like kids who had come to our house for playdates



Robin Reed's grade one and two combined classes enjoyed hearing Katherine McCarthy's views on writing.

many years ago. With the spring sunshine peering in the windows, it felt cozy and warm to be in that classroom.

The kids' enthusiasm was inspiring. It felt like a long time since my now-hulking sons had been the size of these kids and I remember expecting so very much out of them when they had only just finished their first handful of years.

When we settled down to work, I saw why I had expected so much of my kids: their teachers taught them to aim high. My greatest fear in going into Robin's classroom had been how on earth I'd keep the kids interested. No worries: they were polite, attentive and inquisitive.

We talked a lot about detail and how being specific makes a story more concrete. We talked about shades of blue and how things make you feel. They told me about honey-dappled sunshine, dogs chasing pet birds and time spent with beloved uncles, fathers and brothers.

I went back this past week to

listen to the things they'd written. Everything felt lively and immediate. They had written with energy and accuracy, describing chocolate-and-marshmallow-colored dogs, interest in World War II; feisty Fidos; playing ball with brothers; fishing with Dads; and how much they loved the people they'd written about.

It's often said that if you want to gain something, give something away. Spending a little time with those special people opened my eyes and ears a little wider. On one of the sunny, cool days that have been the hallmark of this spring, I waited at a stoplight near a triangle in the road filled with a patch of yellow tulips. As I looked, I noticed that they looked like translucent cups of sunshine. That detail might have gotten past me if I hadn't just been talking about that with the kids.

It was a good metaphor for that class of children. Their faces are open and clear and at a moment's notice, they're apt to offer a smile or a laugh as warming as a ray of

sunshine. When I left Elsmere that day, the fifth-grade parents were waiting for their children to return from Nature' Classroom, a four-day expedition they spend at a facility with a strong emphasis on — you got it — nature. I remembered how much my boys loved going there, and how happy I was when they returned home again.

My throat tightened again as I looked at the parents chatting in the sunshine as they waited for their own cups of light to return home.

As I crossed the road to head home, I caught sight of Christopher walking home. He was far ahead of me, too lost in the world of the new iPod his aunt sent him for his 15th birthday to hear me call his name.

With his long legs, I didn't have a chance of catching up to him. When we go someplace together, his long stride puts him out ahead of us. I guess that's what we're all trying to teach our children — to lead the way into the world.



WEEKLY WEATHER

Chief Meteorologist Mike Bono

Albany Almanac

Record high/low/year

AVERAGE HIGH 74° AVERAGE LOW 50°

Day	High/Year	Low/Year
Wednesday, May 25	94°/1981	30°/1956
Thursday, May 26	94°/1914	38°/1972
Friday, May 27	94°/1914	30°/1969
Saturday, May 28	91°/1911	33°/1994
Sunday, May 29	93°/1931	34°/1956
Monday, May 30	92°/1987	33°/1967
Tuesday, May 31	92°/1937	34°/1961

SEASONAL PRECIPITATION

12.66 inches as of Friday, May 20th
1.08 inches below average

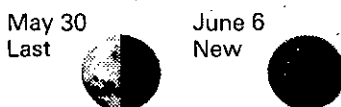
This week in weather

What a difference a week makes!
On May 18th and 19th of 1981, Albany had record low temperatures of 29° degrees. By the 25th, the temperature reached a record high of 94° degrees.

Sun & Moon

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
Wednesday	5:24am	8:21pm
Thursday	5:23am	8:22pm
Friday	5:23am	8:22pm
Saturday	5:22am	8:23pm
Sunday	5:21am	8:24pm
Monday	5:21am	8:25pm
Tuesday	5:20am	8:26pm

Moon Phases

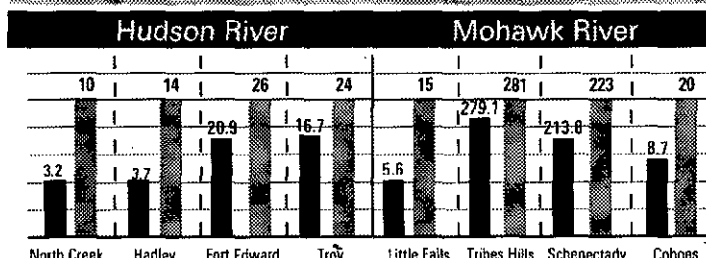


Planets	When	Where
Jupiter	Evening	Bright, SSW
Saturn	Evening	West
Mars	Dawn	Low, SE
Venus	Dusk	Very Low, W

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Rivers & Recreation

River Levels

Levels as of
May 20, 2005

Factoid

Mt. St. Helens in Washington blew its top 25 years ago. Volcanic ash traveled around the world and several days after the May 18th eruption, ash dusted car tops in New York and New England.

Tides at Albany

Day	High	Low
Wednesday	6:50am, 7:07pm	12:58am, 1:47pm
Thursday	7:37am, 7:57pm	1:46am, 2:37pm
Friday	8:27am, 8:52pm	2:38am, 3:28pm
Saturday	9:21am, 9:51pm	3:34am, 4:21pm
Sunday	10:18am, 10:54pm	4:33am, 5:15pm
Monday	11:19am, 11:57pm	5:34am, 6:10pm
Tuesday	-----, 12:21pm	6:37am, 7:05pm

Board seeks demolition plan for new CVS site

Proposed area at Delaware and Elsmere avenues

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

Developers for CVS were in front of the planning board last Tuesday looking for a negative declaration under the state Environmental Quality Review Act to get the project underway.

But before a new 15,000-square-foot building can be constructed on the proposed site at Delaware and Elsmere avenues — across from the current CVS — three freestanding buildings have to be razed. That has prompted the planning board to ask for a detailed demolition plan before issuing any sort of declaration on the project.

"We have to consider the demolition piece as part of the project and its effects on SEQR," planning board chairman Parker Mathusa said. "Not all projects are neg(ative) dec(laration)s. We're just trying to see where this project lies within the parameters of SEQR."

Briefly discussed were preliminary plans for when demolition and construction could take place. David Carroll, counsel for the project, asked for demolition and construction hours of 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday, noting the goal of getting as much work done in the summer months while school is out.

Teens face charges in three towns

Two arrests of teenagers by Bethlehem Police mirror additional similar charges the boys also face in the nearby towns of Ravena and Coeymans.

Jason A. Smith, 17, of 15 Magnolia Terrace in Ravena and Matthew T. Bennett, 18, of 183 Winnie Ave., also in Ravena, face felony charges as a result of their May 19 arrests.

Police believe the boys are responsible for a number of break-ins and attempted break-ins between April 22 and 30 that targeted area businesses.

Smith and Bennett have both been charged with burglary, attempted burglary and criminal mischief, all felonies, and misdemeanor charges of criminal mischief and petty larceny.

Police believe the boys burglarized or attempted to burglarize Van Allen Farms on Route 9W in Glenmont, the Jericho Drive-in on Jericho Road in Glenmont and The Corner Market, on Route 9W in Selkirk.

Smith and Bennett were arraigned on the charges in the town of Bethlehem court and released on current bail posted for the similar charges in Ravena and Coeymans.

Smith and Bennett are due back in Bethlehem Town Court on June 21.

"We'd like to get as much done as quickly as possible, to move beyond just an eyesore with fences, and, quite frankly, to play catch-up for our project," Carroll said.

The residential nature of the surrounding area of the proposed CVS could throw a wrench into those plans, or at least further scrutiny, with planning board members, including the board's counsel Keith Silliman expressing some hesitation at signing off on that request.

Before any demolition would take place, any restricted materials like asbestos would be confined and taken off-site, according to Bob LaCourse, a principal with engineering, planning and applied sciences firm VHB Inc.

The project would turn three properties into one on a tax map, as CVS is proposing to take over the leases or buy outright the properties on which the now-defunct Boston Market, Elsmere

Arms Apartments and Advocates for Human Potential stand.

Devin Dal Pos of Laker Development Group, representing CVS, is working on legal documents to finalize those agreements, according to David Carroll, project counsel for CVS.

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since November, under way because of financial concerns and constraints.

At that meeting, the owner of the Boston Market parcel, Ken Brownell, said he's had other offers for the property as is and would be forced to take those offers up if there were not a vote on the project soon. Brownell called the situation a financial burden.

The planning board requested more materials to look over at its June 7 meeting, including full elevation plans of the CVS

exterior, and the demolition and erosion control plans. At the May 3 meeting, Dal Pos told the board that the building's elevation had been lowered for financial reasons, meaning all sides of the building could be treated with the same material.

With plans nearing completion and an official vote on the project probable in the next few weeks, planning board members sounded off on the project so far.

Board members and developers have had differences on whether the store should be located close to the sidewalk for a more urban look or be set back to allow plenty of parking in front of the building. The pharmacy drive-through and entrance designs for truck deliveries have affected those plans.

"I personally don't believe in

urban design in suburban communities," said board member Howard Engel. "I've liked the site plan from the beginning."

Also in front of the board Tuesday were representatives for Price Chopper, which is planning a 48-foot addition to its Slingerlands store located on New Scotland Avenue.

The addition would mean shoppers would walk into and out of one of two enclosed side entrances instead of straight into the store.

This addition, according to Price Chopper representatives, means that a number of deed restricted areas would result, as a means of wetland disturbance mitigation.

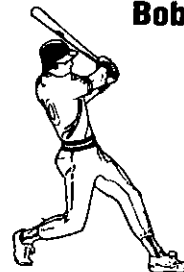
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Matters of Opinion

Fuming over gas

Despite the soaring cost of gasoline, and the overabundance of gas-guzzlers on the road, Americans are expected to take to the roads in record numbers for the Memorial Day long holiday weekend coming up.

This generation of drivers seems immune to the idea of cost-cutting measures — like car pooling to work or driving vehicles that get more bang for the buck at the gas station. Based on the number of teens on the road, apparently many families pay to keep at least two vehicles up and running.

In Delmar, bus No. 18 chugs back and forth to Albany, and it's rare to see even one passenger throughout the day. Many suburban towns don't even have access to modestly priced CDTA transportation. Since most suburban dwellers seem to prefer to drive to work, in spite of having to pay for parking in nearby cities, we could go down in history as the society that valued convenience above all, no matter what the cost.

This attitude isn't lost on the next generation, who seem to take driving privileges for granted on the roads of suburban towns and no doubt will do even more driving when school lets out.

Add to that the fact that the state reaps the benefit of even more of our money through taxes in fuel oil sales. That's a real good example of adding insult to injury.

Gas prices this week are down a bit (roughly 5 cents), but it's probably safe to say that with the coming holiday, prices will soar again in the nicer warmer weather. The situation is volatile at best, with prices changing between the time you go to work and the time you return home.

The idea of conserving gas or any type of energy, seems to be a thing of the past, and that's too bad. Greed appears to be the prime mover behind the expectation that we should have complete access to resources and disregard the notion of attempting to save our resources.

What we forget is that our current resources are not renewable, but rather exhaustible.

We suspect future generations will pay dearly for our mistakes.

These are problems that our leaders at all levels of government should be trying to address now before it's too late.

At very least, we can begin a dialogue to become more aware of the energy crunch.

Editorial

State should enact No-Fault divorce

By STEPHEN C. PRUDENTE

The writer is a senior partner in the law firm of Maynard, O'Connor, Smith & Catalinotto, P.C., LLP. He has been an attorney engaged in the private practice of law in New York state since February 1977, and since 1988, has concentrated his practice in the area of Matrimonial and Family Law.

No-fault divorce

New York state should adopt a unilateral no-fault ground for divorce so that a marriage can be dissolved upon a showing of irreconcilable differences and without the need to prove marital misconduct as a basis for the divorce.

In 1969, Ronald Reagan, then governor of California, signed into law the Nation's first No-Fault Divorce statute. Within 10 years, most states had approved some form of no-fault divorce legislation.

To date, New York has been alone among the states in refusing to adopt a grounds for divorce that would permit a marriage to be dissolved without proof of fault when only one party wanted out. Without such a provision, New York's current divorce law is arguably the strictest in the nation.

It is time for New York to join its sister states in permitting more accessible divorce.

A spouse seeking a divorce in New York must prove either cruel and inhuman treatment; abandonment for at least one year; adultery; or imprisonment for at least three years. These are the fault grounds for divorce.

There are two "separation" grounds for divorce, one of which requires a finding of "fault" to obtain a "Decree of Separation" and the other requiring a "Separation Agreement." Even when a separation ground is established, one party must then sue for divorce based on a showing that the terms of the decree or agreement were carried out for a full one year or more.

Under pressure from several

Point of View

strong lobby groups, the state Legislature has to this date refused to adopt No-Fault legislation. Some groups, for religious or philosophical reasons, argue that a no-fault divorce law will further undermine the institution of marriage.

Research does not support this position. The rates of divorce cannot be tracked to any particular state's "no-fault" statute. Marriages break down for many reasons, and many are through no fault of either spouse. Every newly married couple's ideal to have a healthy, lengthy, and supportive marriage is an ideal not always realized. Giving recognition to this fact does not damage the institution of marriage. As long as couples believe themselves to be in love and ready to commit themselves to the ideal of marriage, the institution of marriage is in safe hands.

I often tell clients who are not the proponent in a divorce that although they may be able to defeat their spouse's cause of action, they will never be able to force their spouse to continue in a marital relationship as marriage is intended. No legislature or court can instill love and commitment in an unwilling spouse. Keeping one bound in a legal relationship which has both social and economic repercussions is unfair and potentially damaging to all family members. Keeping spouses bound does not repair a relationship that is not working.

Bad marriages create an environment which is unhealthy for both spouses and which can become unsafe for the female spouse in particular.

A study conducted by the Stanford Business School finds that domestic violence, suicides among women, and spousal homicides of females decline immediately after a state implements unilateral divorce. Suicide among women declined 6 percent within the first five years and 20 percent within the first 20 years post adoption. The study found that during the period 1969-1983, domestic violence decreased in states permitting No-Fault divorce and increased in states which did not permit No-Fault divorce. Women victims of spousal violence declined by 1.7 percent from 12.8 percent in states adopting No-Fault in the same period that spousal violence against women increased 2.5 percent in states without No-Fault divorce.

The percentage of husbands abused by their wives increased in the states without No-Fault, yet remained the same in No-Fault divorce states. During the same period of time in those states allowing No-Fault, there was a decline in wives murdered by their spouses, but no change in husbands murdered by their spouses.

No-Fault laws provide a safety valve for those trapped in an

unhealthy or unsafe marriage.

Following a divorce, the income of women generally goes down and the income of men generally increases. This unfortunate truth has led several advocacy groups for women to question whether eliminating fault from the divorce statute would be in a married woman's best interest.

They argue that if a husband wants out of a marriage, his wife may be able to use the absence of a valid fault basis as leverage to negotiate a more favorable financial settlement.

Experienced matrimonial practitioners will tell you that this rarely occurs. The fact that women are generally in a less favorable financial position after a divorce is not a function of a No-Fault statute so much as a failure on the part of the judiciary to equitably distribute marital income and assets, to enforce court-ordered support, and to award legal fees to the financially disadvantaged spouse.

The fact that there are more judges who are men than judges who are women deciding these cases may also be a cause for this disparity.

Unilateral divorce will benefit a financially disadvantaged spouse. In more marriages than not, the wife is the primary custodial parent and the husband earns the higher income. New York is surrounded by states which all offer a unilateral divorce. When a man cannot prove a fault ground, he is more free to relocate his residence to any of the states contiguous to New York in order to obtain a divorce.

The wife is not so free to relocate. Her relocation would involve relocating the residence of the children. Convincing a court to allow the relocation of the children is difficult.

In addition, the expense of the relocation is an expense she may not be able to afford. This spouse is presented with the cruel and untenable choice of relinquishing primary custodial care of the children in order to relocate to a no-fault state. This inequity cannot be what the authors of the current statute had envisioned.

Elimination of the unnecessary costs generated by fault contests is yet another reason for the adoption of "no fault" language to New York's divorce statute. Though the number of fault trials as a percentage of overall divorces is small, the actual number is not insignificant. These fault trials consume court resources, judges' time, and needlessly drive up the costs of litigation to the spouses. No one is served by such a system.

The Family Law Section of the New York State Bar Association is supporting proposed legislation now before the state Legislature to amend New York's divorce laws to permit a unilateral No-Fault ground for divorce.

If you have an opinion on this issue, I urge you to contact your Assembly person and state senator.

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Your Opinion Matters

Dog owner regrets loss of walking trail

Editor, The Spotlight:

The Bethlehem YMCA is a wonderful addition to the Bethlehem community.

I am, however, so saddened to see that the nature trail behind the YMCA is no longer available to people who want to walk their dogs. I understand the decision, as the YMCA wants to use the woods for its summer programs. It is, however, a tremendous disappointment for those of us who loved to walk with our dogs in the "little bit of heaven" behind the BIG arena, which preceded the Y. As far as I know, there is no place like it in the Bethlehem community where dogs are welcome.

The BIG Arena management was so generous to invite Bethlehem residents and their dogs to enjoy the nature trail during its tenure at the facility, and I took advantage of that opportunity for several years after a friend told me about it.

It is so beautiful and peaceful there, particularly when we see the shocking sprawl and traffic congestion that is taking place nearly everywhere you look in the Bethlehem community, especially in Glenmont.

Five Rivers and the Bethlehem town parks are wonderful, but dogs are not permitted. The dog park is a welcome addition to our town, and despite initial opposition, it has an exemplary,

nearly unblemished record.

Nothing, however, compares to the serenity of a walk in the woods.

Wouldn't it be wonderful if the Bethlehem community could maintain a wooded trail area, such as the one behind the YMCA, where townspeople could walk their dogs and get away, albeit briefly, from the frenzied development going on all around us?

I didn't hear anything about nature trails like that in the "public forum" I attended on the future of Bethlehem. In fact, I suggested, that as part of "open space preservation," nature trails where Bethlehem families could walk their dogs should be included in the grand scheme of things. I suspect that suggestion never made it into any formal planning document.

Are there any public nature trails in or around the Bethlehem areas where people are still welcome to walk with their dogs? I somehow doubt it, but if so, would someone please let me know at 439-1505 or kharmon@nycap.rr.com?

Or maybe that is something my fellow dog lovers and I should approach town hall about as open space continues to disappear all around us?

Karen Harmon
Glenmont

Resident lauds town plan

Editor, The Spotlight:

I am writing to applaud the town for its hard work in developing the final Draft Comprehensive Plan presented to the town board.

As a town resident, I am in agreement with almost 90 percent of surveyed town residents in feeling that the town needs to regulate development wisely so that it results in a town with a distinctive character and identity that supports appropriate design standards. I am increasingly concerned about the rate of development in the town and feel that the 5-acre lot zoning proposed in the riverfront rural areas of the town addresses this

problem. I also back the plan's feature to support the conservation subdivision model for rural areas.

Elements of the plan that would link hamlet centers and recreational facilities with enhanced pedestrian connections make good sense and help make the vision of united Bethlehem community more of a reality. Moreover, the protection of the town's natural resources is a community and regional issue that impacts all forms of life. I urge town residents to stand by this plan in its whole with pride and hope for the future.

Mary Baker
Delmar

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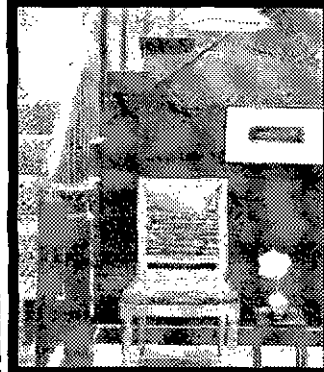
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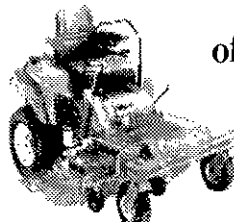
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Matters of Opinion

BC candidate says thanks for support

Editor, The Spotlight:

I am writing to thank my supporters in the school board election.

More than 100 people nominated me for the school board; 80 households gave my signs a place on their sod; and 1,000 leaflets were given out to Bethlehem community members!

A special thanks to my friends, neighbors and members of the Committee for the Education of Unique Minds — without you no one would have heard my voice.

Whether we have special needs or typical children, we have to ensure that the Bethlehem school board hears our voices as we demand decisions be made in an open and democratic way.

We need a push for parental

involvement before, not after decisions are made by 90 Adams Place. We need the implementation of an anti-bullying campaign in our schools and a rigorous overhaul of the curriculum.

As founder of the Committee for the Education of Unique Minds, I would say that we need a change for the mind set of our school board and administration from one which refers to and thinks about special needs children as a tax burden to one which sees all our children as an asset to our community.

So friends, as one of my favorite sayings go, "Don't mourn, organize."

Susan Radosh
Delmar

Board member-elect appreciates voter support

Editor, The Spotlight:

I would like to thank the voters for electing me to the Bethlehem Central School District board of education. I appreciate this opportunity to serve the community and will do so to the best of my ability.

Congratulations to the other winners. I look forward to working with the members of the board, district staff and the community. Participation by each of the six candidates in the election process provided valuable insights and increased constructive public debate.

I am grateful to the many people who provided me various forms of support during the campaign. I owe special thanks to my family for its support.

Again, I thank the voters and am eager to start work.

Jim Dering
Glenmont

Storey thanks voters for re-election

Editor, The Spotlight:

I would like to thank the voters in the Bethlehem Central School District for re-electing me to a seat on the board of education. It has been an honor to serve for the past six years and I look forward to another three years. Doing what is best for all of our students and their academic programs will remain my top priority.

A special thank you is extended to my friends in the community who posted my campaign signs in their yards and to my family for their support of this

time intensive volunteer position. I would like to recognize the service Jon Bartow has given as a board member over the past three years. The value our community places on education was shown by having six candidates run for the three available board seats. Thank you to Paul Black, Susan Radosh and Bonnie Turner for running. I am happy to continue serving with Warren Stoker and welcome Jim Dering to the board.

Robin M. Storey
Delmar

BC winner is appreciative

I wish to thank everyone who participated in the school vote last week.

I would especially like to thank all those who voted to have me serve another three-year term.

It is humbling and an honor. I shall seek to represent all in the Bethlehem Central District with all my energy.

Warren Stoker
Delmar

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Job Corps students get kudos for volunteer effort at park

Editor, The Spotlight:

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the area for the spring and summer seasons and saved our crew countless hours of work.

We appreciate their spirit of volunteerism and commitment to this community.

Nan Lanahan
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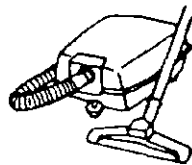
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Your Opinion Matters

Jogger should walk dogs, not drag them on leashes

Editor, The Spotlight:

Recently while standing in the vestibule of St. Thomas Church in Delmar, I noticed an idiot (and I reiterate idiot) jogging along quite rapidly, with two leashed dogs.

The smaller dog was having a very difficult time keeping up. He or she had very short legs and the curb (albeit very low) was almost insurmountable.

Any vet will confirm that dogs run and play at their own pace. My proclivity was to suggest

that just normal walking would preclude the very obvious struggle of the little dog. However, my intervention would probably elicit a hostile reply, along with an admonition to mind my own business.

Please remember that for a dog, jogging is aberrant.

Have a heart. Take them for a walk or leave them at home.

Anthony Spadaro
Delmar

RCS superintendent says thanks

Editor, The Spotlight:

I would like to thank the RCS community for the passage of the 2005-'06 school year budget.

The statement that this community values the education of our children bodes well for the future of the community, the district and most important, our children.

For that, I would like to thank everyone who voted.

I would also like to assure residents that the message has

been heard, and we will continue to dedicate all of our efforts to ensure the best possible educational opportunities for the youth of our district.

Once again, thank you for supporting the budget.

Vicki A. Wright
RCS school superintendent

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V'ville voters accept budget

By JAMES CUOZZO

A large turnout of voters in the Voorheesville Central School District approved the 2005-2006 school budget by a vote of 722 to 523. The \$19,325,855 spending plan will increase the tax levy 6.6 percent.

David Gibson and Kevin Kroencke defeated Michael Snyder and Michael Bates to each win a five-year seat on the board of education. They will replace outgoing members Robert Baron and John Cole. Gibson led the voting with 557 votes. Kroencke garnered the second open seat with 483 votes. Michael Snyder came in third place with 464 votes. Write-in candidate Michael Bates who entered the race just last week received 273 votes.

All three propositions on the district ballot passed as well. Proposition No. 2, allowing the district to establish a capital reserve fund, passed by a vote of 677 to 545.

Voters approved the Voorheesville Public Library's \$821,500 budget 731-491.

This year's heavy turnout combined with a write-in candidate for the school board created a delay in the voting results, which were not announced until close to two hours after the 9:30 p.m. poll closing. Board of education president Baron said he was pleased with both the results and the voter turnout.

"It was a good budget," Baron said. "The increase was smaller than most school districts in our area. I'm very pleased that it passed and it passed easily."

When Baron leaves the board at the end of June, he will have served 10 years.

"I will miss it from the viewpoint that I worked with some great people," he said. "They work well together, but my kids are out of school and it's time for other people to be involved. The school district has two new excellent representatives and I think they will do well."

Retiring Superintendent Alan McCartney said the approval by the voters of a school district budget for the next fiscal year

would ensure a smooth transition for incoming Superintendent Linda Langevin.

"I think Linda is going to come in to a super district, a good school board and a strong budget and she's going to do a hell of a job," McCartney said. Kroencke said this was his fourth attempt at winning a seat on the board, he said. "I'm very gratified that the community felt me worthy enough to select me. I've been running for a number of years and education is something important to me. This community is what it is because of the educational system. I want to help that."

Gibson, who received the most votes in this year's election, said being a school board member is a very important responsibility.

"I'm looking forward to being able to help and I intend to provide a careful review of everything that comes in front of the board," he said. "It's a little daunting to think of the amount of work it's going to take to do this right for the next five years but I'm looking forward to the challenge."

Kiwanis to host antiques appraisal fair

The Kiwanis Club of Delmar will be hosting an antique fair on Saturday, June 4, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Bethlehem town hall at 445 Delaware Ave. in Delmar.

The antique fair will have a number of local antique dealers and appraisers who have expertise in many areas giving their best appraisal of items brought to the fair. A list of dealers

and appraisers will be available at the door. The cost to have items appraised will be \$10 for one item or \$25 for three items. Coffee and doughnuts will also be available.

All proceeds from the fair will go to the administration of Kiwanis projects for youth, including Builder's Club, Key Club, Circle K, pediatric trauma, Little League, walk to cure diabetes and many others.

Alliance to make repairs to low income households

The Albany County Rural Housing Alliance will partner with a national faith-based volunteer organization, World Changers, to provide free home repairs to low-income households and municipal or community projects in Albany County.

ACRHA and World Changers expect to complete approximately 24 projects, up from six projects completed last year and yet to be identified, throughout Albany County.

Repairs include roofing, windows, siding, painting and

landscaping. The work is scheduled to take place and be completed during the week of July 25, and ACRHA is still accepting project suggestions, along with continuing solicitation of community volunteers and additional community service agencies willing to assist with managing 300-plus World Changers scheduled to be housed at the Voorheesville High School and to collaborate with the two organizations to manage the 24

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To Life announces programs

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On Tuesday, June 7, the annual Gary Schwartz Health and the Law Forum will be held. This year's topic is Medicaid and

Medicare Under Fire. Tricia Asaro and Louis Pierro will present to listeners at the Crowne Plaza Hotel on Lodge Street in Albany. Check-in is at 8 a.m., with the program scheduled to run from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

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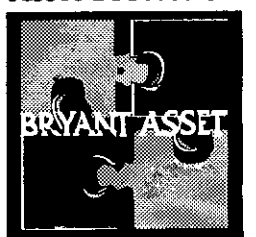
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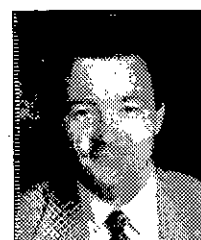
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During the summer months of June, July and August, AAA Hudson Valley expects more than 17,000 local motorists will call to request a tow, fuel, assistance with a flat tire or lockout or a battery boost or replacement.

During the heat of summer, AAA Hudson Valley typically manages more than 2,600 requests for battery services alone. This significant number represents roughly 15 percent of AAA's total summer call volume.

"In the past, when a member's vehicle left them stranded due to battery failure, AAA would send a tow truck to their rescue," said Tammy Melo, AAA Hudson Valley's public relations manager. "Now, members can choose to

have AAA Hudson Valley replace their vehicle's battery at the scene of disablement or a simple battery boost can be provided to get them on their way."

Summer travelers looking to beat the heat are encouraged to pay extra close attention to their car's batteries. Before embarking on a summer family road trip, AAA Hudson Valley suggests that motorists properly inspect their vehicles and have any required routine services performed by an automotive repair professional.

Visit www.aaa.com to obtain a list of AAA Approved Auto Repair facilities in the area.

Here are a few helpful tips to help prolong the life of your battery:

- The lifespan of the average vehicle battery is 3 to 5 years. Once your battery gets into this age range, have it tested prior to any long journey.

- Have the charging system tested at the same time as your battery. Under or overcharging



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- Remember to turn off the headlights and other electrical power draws when you shut down your engine. Completely

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- Always replace a bad battery with a new one that has a cold cranking amperage (CCA) rating equal to, or higher than, that of

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- Make sure your battery's terminals are kept clean and free of corrosion, and ensure that the battery cables are unfrayed and in good condition.

Church to sponsor chicken barbecues

A drive through chicken barbecue will take place at Jerusalem Reformed Church on May 26 and June 9 from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m.

The menu includes a half of a barbecued chicken, a baked potato with butter, handmade

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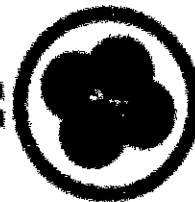


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Army lieutenant receives special training scenario

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Charles P. Collins is a 1st lieutenant with the Army National Guard in Georgia and is a member of the 684th Engineer Battalion with units based in

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Collins is an operations officer with 12 years of military experience. He is a 1988 graduate of Clayton A. Bouton High School.

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The first week-long session will run from July 11 to 15 and

week two will run from July 18 to 22.

Tuition for each week is \$90 for the first child and \$81 for the second child. Families can register children for one or both weeks.

For information, call Michele Pollard at 439-5854 or Susan Nesbitt Perez at 439-3930. The fax number is 475-0458.

Event to benefit Epilepsy Foundation

The Epilepsy Foundation of Northeastern New York's 14th Annual Bowl for Epilepsy will be held Monday, June 6, at Sunset Recreation at 1160 Central Ave. in Albany.

Pre-registration is required. Bowlers are asked to collect pledges prior to the event. Refreshments will be served at 5:15 p.m. and bowling will begin

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To pre-register, to request a pledge form or to acquire information, call 456-7501. Calls to be reserve a lane must be made by June 1.

Roast beef dinner will benefit church

A roast beef dinner will be held at the Ravena Grange, Route 143 in Coeymans Hollow, Saturday, May 28. Proceeds will benefit Trinity United Methodist Church.

Dinner will be served family style from 4:30 to 7 p.m. Take outs are available. Cost is \$9 for adults. Children under 12 are \$4.50. For information, call 756-2629.

Walk to help cancer research

On Sunday, June 26, at 9:30 a.m., there will be a 2.6-mile "In My Community" walk in Delmar for the Lustgarten Foundation for Pancreatic Cancer Research.

Participants will meet at the large pavilion in Elm Avenue Town Park and proceed to the fitness trail where the walk begins.

For information or to register as a walker or to be a sponsor, call 475-1200 or visit www.piper tech.net.

Day off for RCS

Classes at Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk schools will not be in session May 27 as a result of the district not using all of its allotted snow days this year.

The day off will mean a four-day weekend for students and faculty.

Yard, book sale set

The village of Ravena will hold its 16th annual village-wide yard sale and library book sale on Saturday, June 4, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m., rain or shine.

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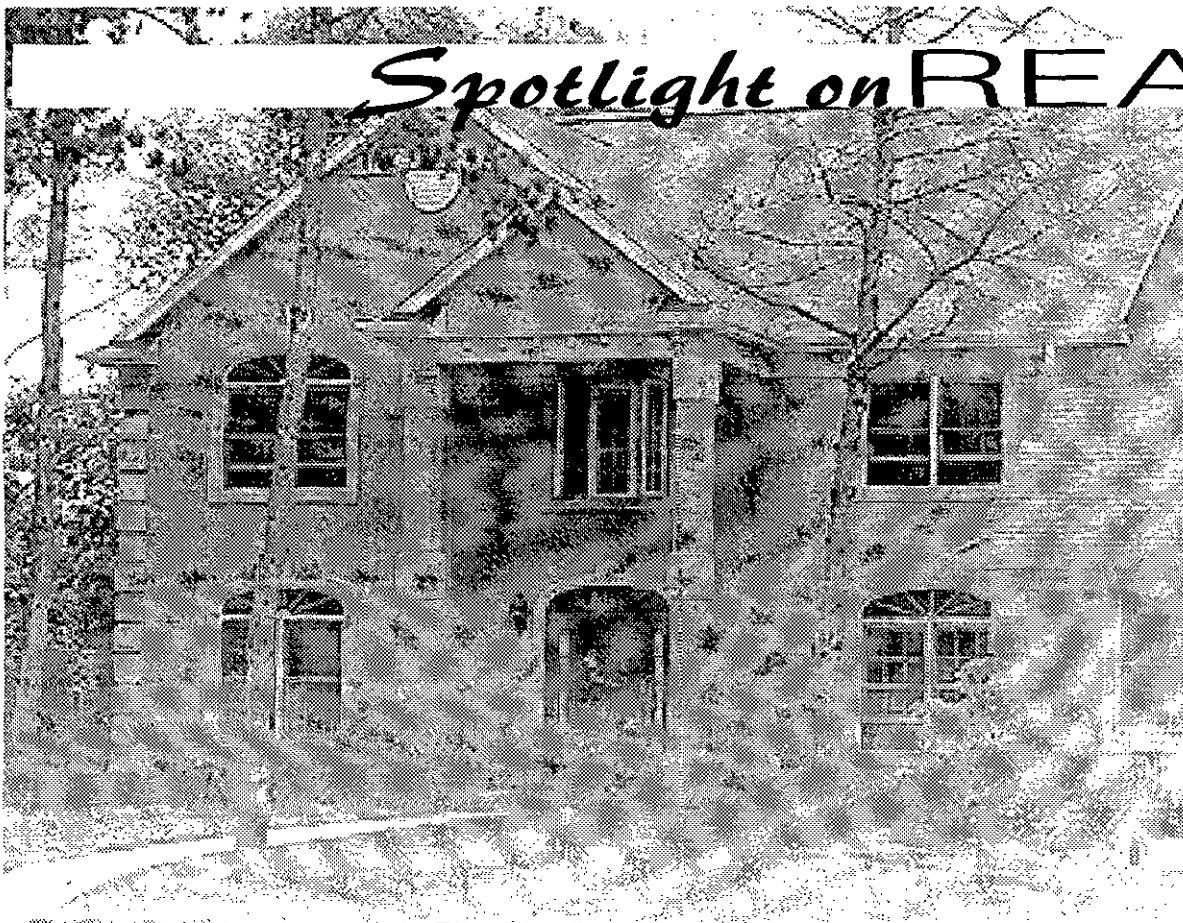
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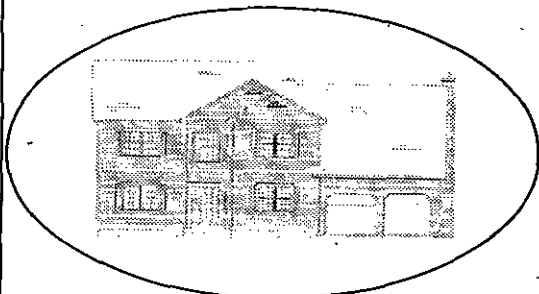
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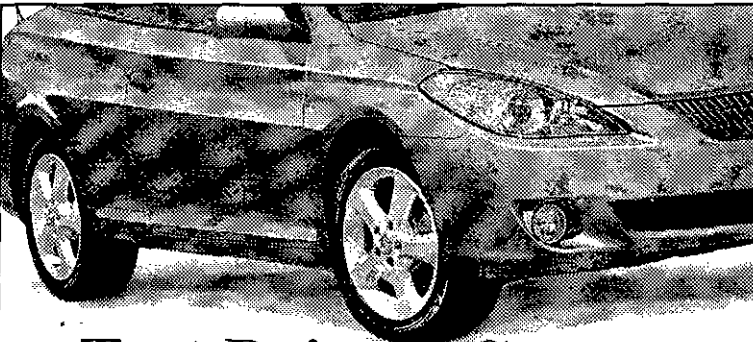
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S. Colonie girls enjoy special exercise, mind event

By GRAHAM S. PARKER

South Colonie school district's young women are getting back in touch with their physical being and learning new ways of non-verbal communication.

What began as a PTA concern about the nutritional and physical habits and well being of their children fostered the establishment of two interpretive physical exercise programs offered after school. The success of the program was a pleasant surprise.

Named "Girls Night Out," Sand Creek Middle School 7th and 8th grade girls had the opportunity to experience Yoga, Nia (a form of movement and dance) as well as kickboxing, followed by a healthful snack provided by the PTA moms in early January.

"It started with some PTA moms concerned about fitness issues and unhealthy eating habits of their children," said Spanish teacher and Yoga

instructor Lynne Ogren.

Now Ogren and Spanish and French teacher Joelle Lydon, who instructs Nia lessons and interpretive dancing, are planning their second event in addition to the last of 10 after school programs that spawned from the success of GNO.

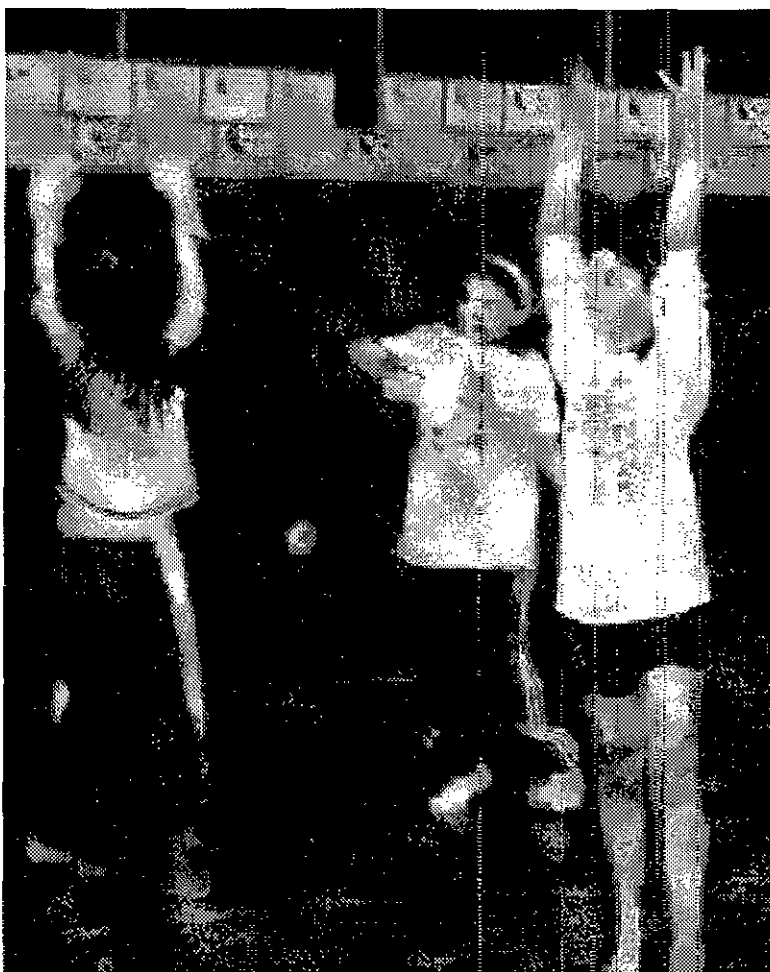
Together the two have a number of years experience in the two extracurricular arts.

The experience to the girls has been rewarding.

"They are able to extend what they learn about themselves to life," said Lydon. "To see the amount of growth that has occurred in the girls as compared to when they first got started...it's been wonderful to witness that growth."

The confidence that the program has given the girls is tremendous, said Ogren.

The first Girls Night Out had a turnout of 63 girls. The two instructors handed out



Sand Creek Middle School girls enjoy a Girls Night Out at the school.

more self-aware through movement, play and games. The self-image that develops from the exercises is extremely important to girls at this age, said Ogren.

It's flexibility, strength and expression, said Lydon. The girls are developing a strong self-image and recognition of their physical being; the stress releasing exercises and healthy diets are vital life long attributes, she added.

"They are beginning to move to their own drummer...moving a certain way because that is the way their bodies tell them to move," said Lydon.

So much of life today is rules, the program empowers the girls with a sense of ease or "a flow" complimented with structure and the playfulness of Yoga, she said.

The programs have given the girls options they were unaware of, opportunities that have been overlooked thus far. By tapping into the physical, said Lydon, the girls are beginning to take care of their own needs and explore opportunities with confidence.

"Both Lynne and I want to take this into schools," said Lydon.

Until the end of the school year, the two have their hands full but are talking about extending the program into the summer.

Although the focus is to continue the program in Sand Creek, ideas to extend the service to other schools is not out of the question, she said.

program's success has brought more girls, volunteers and even equipment to the cause.

Sand Creek Principle Mike Norelli purchased 30 Yoga mats for the program.

Ogren and Lydon have been assisting the girls in becoming

evaluations to attendants to gage the success of the program, they came back extremely positive, and so have the girls.

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away, Matthew Hauser, Jakob Hergert, Eric Herman, Sean Hill, Kathleen Hoff, Emma Homsey, Michael Hynes, Stephen Ingraham, Mike Izdebski, Leonard Kaiser, Hanna Kalmer, Brian Kane, Ani Kasparian, Annie Kehoe, Taylor Kennedy, Kimberlyn Kenney, Tyler Kessler, Shadma Khan, Adriana King, Jenna Klein, Peter Kolodziej, Connie Kung, Kyle Landrigan, Rebecca Lang, Rebecca Languish, Amanda Lewis, Sam Lewis, Max Libby, Rebecca Liebschutz, Margarita Lois, Caitlin Looney, Lydia Loy-Santelli, Amy Luke, Kristina Maksuti, Marjana Maksuti, Jonathan Malsan, Brittany Martel, Mark Masters, Renee Matthews, Austin Mayron, Dianna Mazzone, Sean McGinn, Michael McLeer, Jake Metchick, Maxwell Mirabile, Anna Miroff, Patrick Miron, Connie Mistler-Ferguson, Morgan Moak, Cara Mooney, Sarah Morse, Julia Mosley, Nicholas Motyl, Emily Nalbene, Jacob Naviasky, Stephanie Newell, Elise Neyerlin, Alison Nickford, Cody Nolan, Rachel Nolke, Eirinn Norrie, Conor Oberlander, Erin Organisciak, Jaclyn Oskam, Megan Perry, Sydney Peterson, Kade Pettie, Haley Powers, Nicholas Preller, Emma Python, Charlotte Radley, Mitchell Ramos, Amanda Reynolds, Jonathan Reynolds, Katharine Rice, Hannah Rody-Wright, Cara Rosenberg, Rachel Rutnik, Vienna Sa, Erin Schrimp, Kaitlyn Scoons, Erica Seamon, Eric

Segerstrom, Ian Seymour, Kevin Sheridan, Joshua Shuman, Matthew Simeone, Herschel Singer, Jack Singer, Alyssa Smith, Brenna Smith, Chandler Smith, Joshua Smith, Laura Smith, Jordan Sperber, Brian Spina, Rebant Srivastava, Justin Stander, Amanda Sternklar, Brandon Stewart, Charlotte Storch, Alexandra Sutherland, Brendan Taillon, Tori Teal, Nicholas Thomas, Daniel Thompson, Jessie Tobin, Elizabeth Tobison, Kelly Van Deusen, Ethan Van Raalte, Alexandria VanWie, Heather Varcasia, Hannah Walsh, Jason Wan, Anna Watson, Matt Watson, Delaney Weber, Matthew Weber, Adrienne White, Shelby Wiggand, Elaine Wilcox, Caitlin Willey, Colin Wilson, Ali Woller, Leigh Yakubowski, Ryan Yates.

Grade Six Merit Roll

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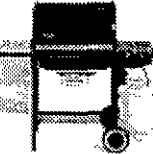
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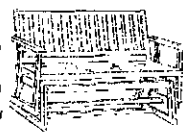
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Grade Seven Honor Roll

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Bilik, Stephanie Bub, Cam Caesar, Kylie Caesar, Casey Capuano, Taylor Capuano, Packy Carroll, Andrew Chambers, Matthew Clarkson, Stephanie Clement, Peter Collins, Joseph Comisso, Brittany Connelly, Megan Crucci, Melanie Darling, Katherine Day, Lindsey DeBerry, Lindsay Decker, Hannah Derbyshire, Joey Drew, Connor Duffy, David Ernst, Megan Fealey, Ryan Ference, Jordan Ferrin, Brianna Finkle, Lincoln Frasca, Grace Gallagher, Chelsea Gieryic, Olivia Gordon, Noah Gottlieb, Patrick Govoni, Anna Gray, Laura Gray, Jackie Green, Sarah Greenberg, Alexa Grossman, Peixuan Guo, Alisa Hand, Anne Hargrave, Michaelyn Hartmann, Kiersten Hautau, Rachel Heath, Joshua Helm, Katie Henchy, Spencer Herrmann, Kaylee Herzog, Lenore Hesse, Siobhan Hogan, Nicole Howland, Leah Hughes, Alex Iselin, Apryl Jacobs, Noor Jariri, Mike Jiang, Kenny John, Christopher Jones, Tara Keir, Killala Kite, Andrew Kitzrow, Emily Knauer, Julia Korkosz, Daniel Krzykowski, Zach Kundel, Julie Landrigan, Brittany Lawson, Daniel Lee,

Margaret Levine, Becky Lewis, Thomas Liebert, Yufan Lin, Victoria Lopez, Katie Luft, Daniel Maddock, Stephanie Manzi, Michael Marinello, Alyssa Marion, Kaitlyn Martin, Mary Martin, Jared Mayron, Courtney McCall, Shannon McCartan, Claire McDonald, Chris McGinn, Zachary McMahon Christina Moloney, Francesca Moloney, Caitlyn Moss, Lisa Mueller Vijay Murthy, Kimberly Newell, Colleen O'Connor, Alan O'Donnell, Erin O'Donnell, Emily Parente, Maressa Patti, Luke Peleggi, Kris Pierce, Martin Pohl, Lily Powell, Michelle Primomo, Michael Promutico, Jenny Raffaele, Kaitlyn Raffaele, Deanna Rappaccio, Eva Reichler, Sam Reider, Dorothy Reinhardt, Emily Riccio, Margaret Riedy, Jim Roberts, Kerstin Robinson, Mike Rondinaro, David Rosen, Gabrielle Rosenblum, Sarah Rubin, Stephen Russe, Chloe Rychcik, Meredith Sampson, Colin Santoro, Gretchen Schwab, Meghan Seely, Philip Sell, Lilly Sellati, Courtney Setford, Katie Sheridan, Rebecca Shumway, Stephanie Sica, Gloria Singleton, Ericka Slingerland, Alyssa Smith, Arianna Sokaris, Julia Soleau, Joseph Spath, Kelly Spencer, Corey Steiner, Sam Stern, Danielle Stram, Lauren Stricos, Ian Taggart, Robby Tateo, Allison Teevan, Olivia Tessitore,

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Gallagher, Sarah Gettman, Chris Giliberto, Bree Glaski, Wyatt Gorman, Tori Grant, CJ Hagen, Aileen Hall, Kristen Hanley, Laura annigan, Jordan Harrington, Tristan Hazelton, Adam Heinmiller, Liz Helmer, Daniel Hogan, Hilton Hosannah, Brendan Jacques, Devon Johnson, Mary-Francis Johnson, Patrick Joyce, Matthew Karamanlis, Gregory Katz, Michael Kerins, Amina Khalid, Ben Kindlon, Jenna Kleinhans, Tracey Koch, Max Kornstein, Shane Kosakowski, Tyler Kriss, Gillian Lacey, Meg Ladouceur, John Lanchantin, Emily Larkin, Robert LaSure, Matthew Latorre, Kendra Laurens, Nicholas Lavada, Abby Lawler, Dane Lazarus, Lauren Leavitt, Sean Lenahan, Matthew Lowry, Kaarlo Luntta, Abby Lyons, Jeffrey Malone, Garrett Manning, Johnathan Martin, Luke Martin, Erica McCaffrey, Joseph McCaffrey, Cormac McCarthy, Kenneth McDermith, Zachary McDowell, John Mellet, Connor Menneto, Kelsey Merritt, Samantha Mitchell, Chris Moehring, Jack Mooney, John Morrill, Jeffrey Morton, Dylan Moss, Michael Mulhall, Joe O'Flaherty, Connor O'Hern, Joshua Palmer, Bethany Parker, Kristen Parsons, Bailey Patnode, Allie Phelan, Drew Philipchik, Claire Potak, Jolie Rahal, Paige Reilly, Cody Richless, Bridget Rooney, Dan Rosenthal, Andrew Ryther, Michael Saintcross, Rachel Schaming, Katie Schmidt, Monroe Serras, Martin Sharlow, Susanah Sheehan, Andrew Sigadel, Catherine Simeone, Brandon Smith, Danielle Smith, Emma St. Jacques, Courtney Sullivan, Ryan Sullivan, Sydney Taylor, Dylan Thompson, Gavin Tougher, Sierra Travis, Kaitlyn Vandenburg, Krystal Verhagen,

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Clyne, Lindsay Cce, Isabelle Defino, Daniel Donato, Megan Dority, Bari Jean Dorman, Andrey Doubianski, Sam Finnegan, Sean Fischer, Michael Fish, Sydney Fluster, Cassie Ford, Daniel Gally, Rebecca Gardiner, Grace Gerry, Benjamin Gollop, David Goode-mote, Ethan Greenberg, Ben Greenman, Noah Greenstein, Amy Halvorsen, Samantha Hanks, Jeffrey Henrikson, Rebecca Himmelfarb, Kristin Hoeg, Fatima Hussain, Megan Hutch-ins, Daniel Ibanez-Granados, Carrie Jackson, Lindsay Jackson, Zohair Jakhra, Boqian Jia, Olivia Junco, Alexander Keefer, Mariah Kennedy, Sean Kennelly, Cody Kessler, Raeann Kitchen, Alex Klein, Peter Kleinke, Allysa

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Bethlehem High graduates need help from juniors

Parents of Bethlehem Central High School seniors are planning Graduation Celebration 2005, a drug and alcohol free all-night party for graduating seniors. The group is looking toward junior class parents for support they can give to make the event, which includes dancing, entertainment, raffles, games, food and prizes, worthwhile.

This year's event will be held

Friday, June 24 from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m. at the high school.

Volunteer committee parents will be making calls this month asking for assistance in making the event safe and enjoyable for the seniors.

Traditionally, junior parents provide support during the event or registration, games, food service and security.

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The volunteer committee will have information regarding specific jobs and shifts.

Also, there will be a meeting for interested junior parents at the high school cafeteria on June 6 at 7 p.m.

Parents who need information can call Maureen Cagino at 475-519, Tracey Stanton at 475-1045 and Anita Stein at 439-8451.

American Legion Post releases Memorial Day parade route

The American Legion Nathaniel Blanchard Post is organizing this year's Bethlehem Memorial Day Parade, scheduled for Monday, May 30.

The parade route is the same as in the past. Stepping off at 11

m., residents can travel to any of these roads to watch the parade as it follows this path: Starting at the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post on W. Poplar Drive, Elsmere Avenue to the Bethlehem Cemetery, west on Kenwood

venue, Adams Place to Adams street, to Delaware Avenue to Bethlehem Veterans Memorial park. At the park, there will be a bag raising, wreath laying ceremony, prayer service, taps and playing of the national anthem.

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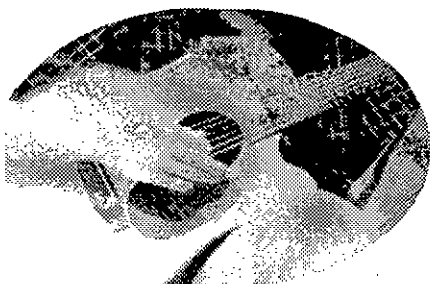
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Bethlehem Y kicks off capital campaign

Two Bethlehem brothers will co-chair the Bethlehem Area YMCA Capital Campaign, which will kick off Thursday, May 26 at 10:30 a.m.

A morning ceremony will represent the beginning of an effort to raise \$2 million in capital. Two significant lead gifts and their donors will also be announced at the ceremony.

Frank and Donald Slingerland, brothers and lifelong residents of the town, will do their best to exceed the capital campaign goal, said Capital District YMCA President John Flynn.

The Bethlehem Area Y has

been open since September at its location on 900 Delaware Ave. since taking over the defunct BIG Arena last summer. The facility is still undergoing renovations, with Y officials saying when construction is done, the Bethlehem Y will represent the largest, most comprehensive and modern multi-functional recreational and wellness center in the Y's 10-branch structure.

The health and fitness area has been open since November, along with the ice rink, which is closed for the summer.

The Y is also planning a full

summer camp session for kids in the summer, like it does at all of its branches.

The Slingerland family has been supporters of the Capital District YMCA organization. Parents Donald and Fredericka provided more than 50 years of financial support and guidance. Fredericka was responsible for the creation of the endowment program. The brothers are both involved with the YMCA, with Frank serving as chairman of the Y's Board of Trustees and Donald sitting on the Bethlehem Y Board of Directors.

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These magazines are located in our "consumer carrel" just behind the information desk.

One of our most recent acquisitions is *Consumer Reports Money Adviser*. Regular monthly features include money tips and an "ask the advisor" column.

Special reports visit such concerns as property taxes, investments, mortgage matters and job layoffs.

You can also access past and current issues of *Consumer Reports* online via our Web site, www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org. You'll find it within the EBSCOhost database; click on the title list for MasterFILE Premier.

Another new consumer magazine this year is *Better Buys for Business*. Designed for a technology-savvy small-business entrepreneur, this monthly publication is a guide to document imaging equipment such as printers, copiers, fax machines and scanners.

Besides product profiles, it includes Editor's Choice awards, specs and prices and industry briefings.

Better Buys for Business is located alongside *Consumer Reports* in the aforementioned consumer carrel.

In the same place you'll also find the current *National Automobile Dealers Association* (N.A.D.A.) car appraisal guide, with updates every three months.



Online consumer resources include *ReferenceUSA*, a comprehensive business and residential directory plus information on over 11 million U.S. businesses. *Business and Company Resource Center* offers company profiles, brand information, rankings, investment reports, company histories, chronologies and periodicals.

All of the library's online resources are accessible from

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Investment program set

The world of investment also poses a plethora of choices for consumers.

Come to *Introduction to Investment Resources* on Tuesday, June 7, at 2:30 p.m. for a guided tour of our online investment helps. Learn about investment databases purchased by the library as well as selected Internet sites.

This lecture presentation will conclude with a tour of print resources in the library's

reference area.

Call 439-9314 to register.

Wireless access available

Patrons now have wireless access to the Internet within the library proper. Hard-wire connections remain available as well.

Our wireless signal is excellent to very good in most parts of the library. Wireless access will be extended to our meeting rooms in the near future.

A thank you and a welcome

Thank you to Bethlehem Central School District residents

for passing the 2005-2006 library budget by a vote of 2,454 to 1,628.

We also welcome our newly elected trustees. Following their appointments last year to fill vacated seats, Aaron Baldwin and Michael Zalob return as elected members. They are joined by our newest trustee, Penelope Koburger.

Baldwin and Koburger will serve five-year terms; Zalob will serve the remaining two years of an unexpired term.

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Ravena Library programs benefit from budget vote

The Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Community Library's 2005-2006 budget received voter approval on May 17. The positive vote will allow the library to continue its Romp & Read full strength, and to replace aging computer equipment.

We appreciate your votes of confidence.

In addition to the budget vote, Bruce Fernald and Suzanne Porter both were re-elected to the board of trustees for five-year terms.

Book sale nears

The library's book sale will be

held Saturday, June 4, the same day as Village Yard Sale day, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The book sale will have adult fiction and mysteries, all kinds of nonfiction and many children's books.

For the first time, there will be music CDs for sale. Proceeds from the CDs will be set aside for music-related library activities (per federal stipulations for the class-action settlement that gave them to us).

Donations of all kinds of books in good condition are welcome. However, no encyclopedias or

textbooks, please.

Summer schedules

The library's 2005 newsletter contains the summer activities schedule. It lists locations and times for library youth activities from July 5 through Aug. 11.

If you have not received a newsletter, please contact us. We will send you a schedule and correct our mailing list.

Youth programs will include Traveling Library, Preschool Stories and Crafts, Romp & Read, library Story Times, Chess Club for Kids and Young Writers Workshop.

Young Writers Workshop is the only activity that requires pre-registration. The workshop is for children in the middle grades, age 9 and above. We much prefer attendance for five of the six weeks of the weekly sessions.

Call 756-2053 to register for either Tuesday or Thursday afternoons.

Holiday observed

The library will be closed Saturday, May 28, and Monday, May 30. Until July, Saturday hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Judith Felsten

Vendors needed for festival

The Ravena Friendship Festival will return in August, after a six-year absence.

In preparation of the Aug. 27 daylong event, a newly formed committee is looking for interested craft vendors.

The day is aimed at fostering community involvement and family fun. Some of the old favorites will return, but new additions are expected, too.

The festival, held in Mosher Park, will offer food, music, entertainment and fireworks.

Anyone who is interested in joining the Friendship Festival Committee, or who is looking for an application to be a vendor, should contact Nancy at the village offices at 756-8933 during regular business hours.

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Five Rivers Center will be abuzz with program on honeybees

An indoor/outdoor program on honeybees will be offered Saturday, May 28, at 2 p.m. at the state Department of Environmental Conservation's Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar.

Honeybees intersect with our lives in so many ways; agriculture, cooking, sports, cosmetics and medicine to name a few. The honey, wax and other products bees make, and the pollination they provide, have a huge impact on our lives.

This program will start indoors with a talk about the life of the honeybee, followed by a walk to the hive on the center's grounds, with activities along the way. Participants may take a taste of honey, if they wish.

After the walk, participants will return to the Interpretive Building to try their hand at making candles from beeswax.

Join us to learn more about the fascinating life of the honeybee and its connection with us.

This program is free.

For information, call Five Rivers Center at 475-0291.

Reptile Day planned

Two programs on snake identification and turtle tracking will be held Saturday, June 4, at the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation's Five Rivers Environmental Education Center.

From 10 a.m. to noon, a discussion on the natural history of snakes commonly found in the

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Capital District area will take place. Some live native snake species will be available for participants to view up close and personal.

The three venomous natives found in New York State also will be on display, but will be viewed through glass-fronted, locked boxes.

Participants can learn to identify each and learn the natural history of these animals.

From 1 to 3 p.m., a demonstration of methods used to tag and track turtles will be presented.

A live trap will be set up to catch some of the turtles found at Five Rivers and participants will be allowed to examine them up close. Some live turtles not indigenous to our area also will be available for visitors to see.

This program is free.

For information, contact Five Rivers at 475-0291.

Follow the bouncing balls

Dollars for Scholars will hold its seventh annual ping-pong ball race on Saturday, May 28, at 1 p.m.

For the first time, we will be out of the creek and on dry land. We plan to release 1000 balls from the top of Center Street (by the

Stewarts) and (hopefully) catch them all at the bottom.

The first 30 or so will win prizes donated by local businesses.

Each ball is individually numbered and tickets with corresponding numbers are being sold in advance.

If anyone would like to purchase tickets, they can call 765-3314, extension 205.

Annual gala set

The second annual Gala and Auction, run by the Voorheesville Community and School Foundation, will be held Saturday, June 4, at Albany Country Club.

This year, the foundation is honoring Dr. Alan McCartney on his retirement. For information, contact Peggy McKenna at 765-3452.

Thacher plans walks

Weekly walks in the woods are scheduled every Thursday morning in June, July and August at Thacher Park. The walks will begin at 9:30 a.m. and last until approximately 11 a.m.

Each week, a different trail will be explored. The lengths of the walks will vary but the average walk will be between 1.5 and 2.5 miles and all walks are easy to moderate.

The first walk of the summer will begin Thursday, June 1, at 9:30 a.m. at the Paint Mine Picnic Area.

In the event of inclement weather, the walks will be rescheduled for the next day, from 9:30 to 11 a.m.

For information, call the park office at 872-1237.

Art exposition continues

Voorheesville High School is presenting Students Visions, a senior art exposition on through May 31 at Professor Java's, a coffee sanctuary on 217 Wolf Road in Colonie.

There is an artists' reception from 5 to 6:30 p.m.

The event is free and open to the public.

Refreshments will be served.

For information, call Marie Triller at 765-3314, extension 350.

Basket making class

A basket making class will be held at Thacher Park June 1 at 9 a.m. to noon. The class will meet at the Paint Mine Picnic shelter at 9 a.m.

Experienced basket-weaver Pat Lightbody will instruct participants in designing and creating a Strawberry Basket in celebration of June's full moon — the Strawberry Moon.

Fresh strawberries will be available for snacking. Participants may also wish to bring a picnic lunch.

The fee for the workshop, including materials, is \$12.

Space for the workshop is limited so advance registration is necessary. For information or to register, call 873-1237

Frog watch program

An evening walk in search of amphibians will be held Friday,

May 27, at 7:30 p.m. at the Five Rivers Center in Delmar.

The program is free.

Participants should bring flashlights, dress for the outdoors and wear footwear that won't be a problem if it gets wet.

For information, call 475-0291.

Team selling caps

The Voorheesville Blackbirds Baseball Team is selling Baseball Caps. The hats are black with an embroidered "V" and sell for \$15 each.

For information or to order, call Linda Pasquali at 765-4990 or Jay Lansburg.

Tae Kwon Do students honored

Eight students from Bethlehem Tae Kwon Do competed in a national AAU Tae Kwon Do tournament May 7 at Hudson Valley Community College.

Each participant received a medal.

They are: Josh Steiner (gold, silver); Atom Sigsby (gold, silver); Jessica Kaplowitz (gold, bronze); Jessica Cooper (silver, silver); Jessica Gruss (silver, bronze); Reilly Cooper (silver, bronze); Mike Riveraddo (bronze, bronze); and Wally Peterson (silver, bronze).

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Henry Winkler (remember The Fonz of TV's Happy Days fame?) has a series out called

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"Goosebumps", the tales in which R.L. Stine was able to spook a lot of kids, have been reissued. The books are back with their gross covers and weird plots. (In other words, boys will love them!)

The final new series from Scholastic is nonfiction. All the titles begin with "You Wouldn't Want to ..." and take you to different time periods. Do you think life as a Roman gladiator was romantic and exciting? Think again! This series brings humor to social studies. "You Wouldn't Want To..." revels in the gory, dark, horrific side of life in the

past. They are also packed with facts. Make sure the kids see this on the paperback series aisle.

News and notes

• On Thursday, May 26, the Thursday Night Poets will meet in the director's office at 7 p.m.

• A yoga presentation with Mira Lechowicz meets in the community room on Thursday, May 26, at 7 p.m.

• The library will be closed May 28, 29 and 30 for the Memorial Day holiday and reopen at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, May 31.

Barbara Vink

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This is a DMV certified class. Upon completion, participants will receive a certificate to take a road test.

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Volunteer tutors needed to curb illiteracy

Nearly 20 percent of the adult population in Albany and Schenectady Counties are reading at or below a fifth-grade reading level.

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Obituaries

Miriam Boice

Miriam A. Mim Boice, 81, of Autumn Drive in N. Bethlehem, died Wednesday, May 11, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Mrs. Boice was a graduate of the former Milne School and Bryant College.

She was employed by Connecticut Mutual Insurance Co. until her retirement in 1985.

She was a charter resident of Beverwyck where she was active in the library and ecumenical church services. Services were from Westminster Presbyterian Church in Albany.

Burial was in Albany Rural Cemetery in Menands.

Contributions may be made to Westminster Presbyterian Church or the Beverwyck Elder Fund.

Virginia Wisenburn

Virginia Marie Wisenburn, 85, of Feura Bush, died Thursday, May 12, at Hospice Inn at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Mrs. Wisenburn was born in Chautauqua.

For over 30 years, she was employed by the Postal Service in Feura Bush. Prior to that, she

worked as a secretary for the Stanton Insurance Co. But she is best remembered working side by side on the family farm with her husband of 65 years.

She was a member of Onesquethaw Reformed Church.

Survivors include her husband, Howard E. Wisenburn; a daughter, Nancy Wisenburn of Feura Bush; three grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Services were from Applebee Funeral Home in Delmar and Onesquethaw Reformed Church.

Burial was in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery in S. Bethlehem.

Contributions may be made to Onesquethaw Reformed Church, 11 Groesbeck Road, Feura Bush 12067 c/o Sandy Swann, Financial

Secretary or Community Hospice of Albany, 445 New Karner Road, Colonie 12205.

Thomas Dare

Thomas H. Dare, 90, died Saturday, May 14, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Mr. Dare was a resident of Delmar for over 50 years. He was born in Southington, Conn.

He was an Army veteran of World War II.

He was a letter carrier for the Postal Service in Delmar for 32 years, retiring in 1974. He then worked for the town of Bethlehem Parks Department for seven years.

He was a member of American Legion Blanchard Post 1044 and Bethlehem VFW Post 3185, both in Delmar. Mr. Dare delivered Meals on Wheels for the Bethlehem Senior Services for many years.

He was husband of the late Josephine Marsella Dare.

Survivors include four sons, Daniel T. Dare of Feura Bush, John J. Dare of Selkirk, Gerald M. Dare of Delmar and Thomas McDade of Jonesboro, Ga.; a

daughter, Chloe Dare Chandler of Pinehurst, Texas; and seven grandchildren.

Services were from Applebee Funeral Home and St. Thomas the Apostle Church, both in Delmar.

Burial was in Our Lady Help of Christians Cemetery in Glenmont.

Contributions may be made to Bethlehem Senior Services, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar 12054.

Edwin Roeder

Edwin Joseph Roeder, 91, of Delmar, died Saturday May 14, at Eddy Heritage House Nursing Center in Troy.

Mr. Roeder was born in Albany. He was a graduate of Christian Brothers Academy and the University of Missouri School of Journalism.

He retired from the state Commerce Department, Bureau of Business Publicity in 1980.

Mr. Roeder was an avid contract bridge player and member and master player of the American Contract Bridge Association.

He was husband of the late Dorothy Rapp Roeder.

Survivors include two daughters, Joanne T. Hihn of Voorheesville and Marilyn D. Corrigan of Delmar and Northville; and five grandchildren.

Services were from Applebee Funeral Home and Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, both in Delmar.

Burial was in Our Lady Help of Christians Cemetery in Glenmont.

Contributions may be made to the Delmar Ambulance Squad, 145 Adams Place, Delmar 12054 or Community Hospice of Rensselaer, 295 Valley View Blvd., Rensselaer 12144.

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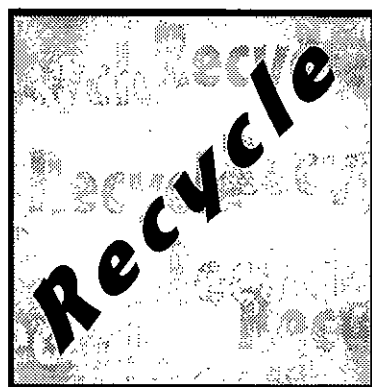
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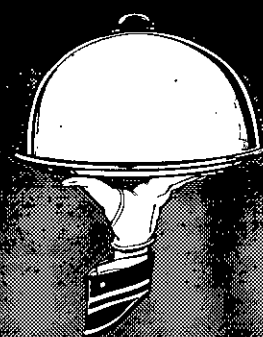
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Obituaries

Norma Grippo

Norma Grippo, 79, of Chaucer Place in Slingerlands, died Friday, May 13, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Survivors include her husband, Joseph C. Grippo; two daughters, Christine Hughes of Rockville Centre and Lisa Gardner of Slingerlands; and four grandchildren.

Services were from DeMarco-Stone Funeral Home in Guilderland and Memory's Garden Briarwood Mausoleum Chapel.

Contributions may be made to Community Hospice of Albany, 445 New Karner Road, Albany 12205.

Sally Kraft

Sally Pinto Kraft, 82, of Delmar died Monday, May 16, at Good Samaritan Lutheran Home.

Mrs. Kraft was born in Italy. She was raised and educated in West Virginia.

She taught English in the Bethlehem Central School District for more than 30 years. After her retirement, she worked at Albany Medical Center Hospital Library and Archives.

She was a member of the Retired Teachers Association and a communicant of St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Delmar.

Survivors include her husband, William Kraft.

Services were from Daniel Keenan Funeral Home in Albany.

Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Glenmont.

Contributions may be made to Community Hospice of Albany, 445 New Karner Road, Colonie 12205 or St. Thomas the Apostle Church, 35 Adams Place, Delmar 12054.

Leora Gazel

Leora K. Gazel, 77, of Delmar died Saturday, May 14, at Childs

Nursing Home in Albany.

She was the widow of Edward A. Gazel.

Survivors include a son, Edward F. Gazel of Hague; a daughter, Sharon Oskam of Glenmont; and three grandchildren.

Services were from Delmar Reformed Church.

William Johnson Jr.

William M. Johnson Jr. of Slingerlands died Tuesday, May 17, at Albany Stratton Veterans Administration Medical Center Hospital.

He was known to many who attended the Farmers Market at the Empire Plaza in Albany and also at the Harriman Campus.

Survivors include a son, Kenneth W. Johnson of Maine; and a brother, Richard Johnson.

Dorothy Krouse

Dorothy C. Kleinke Krouse, 77, of Delmar died Wednesday, May 18, at Good Samaritan Lutheran Home.

Mrs. Krouse was born in Albany. She was a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School.

She was a homemaker.

Mrs. Krouse was a member of St. Matthew Lutheran Church in Albany.

Survivors include her husband, Carl W. Krouse; a daughter, Kate Burgess of Selkirk; a son, Robert Krouse of St. Petersburg, Fla.; two sisters, Helen Springer of Voorheesville and Ethel Whiteman of Glenmont; two brothers, Peter Kleinke and Paul Kleinke, both of Glenmont; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were from Norman E. Dascher Funeral Home in Albany and St. Matthew Lutheran Church. Burial was in Memory's Garden in Colonie.

Contributions may be made to the Bethlehem Volunteer

Ambulance Service, 1121 Route 9W, Selkirk 12158 or the Albany Therapeutic Riding Center, 182 Martin Road, Voorheesville 12186.

Luis Acevedo

Luis Acevedo, 70, of Guilderland died Thursday, May 12, at Albany Medical Center Hospital.

Born in Arecibo, Puerto Rico, he lived in Miami, Fla., before moving to Guilderland.

He was employed as a chef at a number of restaurants and country clubs in Florida.

Survivors include his wife, Melinda Acevedo of Guilderland; a son, Luis Acevedo of Guilderland; four daughters, Nancy Gonzalez, Yolanda Zwick and Angela Acevedo, all of Miami, Fla., and Joanne Peebles of Rockville, Md.; three sisters, Juana Acevedo, Monserrate Acevedo and Auria Acevedo, all of Arecibo, Puerto Rico; a brother, Juan Acevedo of Miami, Fla.; 20 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Arrangements were from Hans Funeral Home in Albany. Burial was in Puerto Rico.

Contributions may be made to the National Kidney Foundation, 99 Troy Road, East Greenbush 12061.

Joseph Shahren

Joseph A. Shahren, 85, of

Altamont died Saturday, May 14.

His parents were immigrants to the United States who settled in Cohoes.

Mr. Shahren graduated from RPI and attended Albany Medical College. He also lived in Albany and Loudonville before moving to Knox and the Altamont area.

He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Dr. Shahren practiced family and pulmonary medicine.

He was husband of the late Frances Sackett.

Survivors include three sons, Steven Shane Shahren, James Shahren and Jerome Shahren; two daughters, Sandra Dwyer and Holly Tompkins; 12 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were from New Comer-Cannon Funeral Home in Colonie.

Burial was in Memory's Garden in Colonie.

Contributions may be made to the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library, 40 Presidential Drive, Simi Valley, Calif. 93065 or the National Parkinson Foundation, 1501 N.W. 9th Ave., Miami, Fla. 33126.

Eva Eckardt

Eva Barbara Babette Eckardt, 95, formerly of Guilderland, died Thursday, May 5, at the home of her daughter in Delray Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Eckardt was born in

Dankensfeld, Bavaria, Germany.

In 1929, she emigrated to the United States and lived in Brooklyn until 1950. She later lived in Highland Lake, Sullivan County before moving to Guilderland and Delray Beach.

She worked for Kolmar Laboratories in Port Jervis.

She was widow of Albert Eckardt.

Survivors include two daughters, Marie Bosch of Delray Beach and Olga Winsor of Altamont; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Interment of her cremains will take place at a later date at Eldred Cemetery in Eldred.

Edward Hoffman

Edward T. Hoffman, 92, of Guilderland died Monday, May 9, at St. Peter's Hospice Inn in Albany.

Mr. Hoffman was born in College Point.

He was husband of the late Carrie Myrdal Hoffman.

Survivors include two sons, Steven Hoffman of Guilderland and Roger Hoffman of Brick, N.J.; two grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were from First Church in Albany.

Contributions may be made to First Church in Albany, 110 N. Pearl St., Albany 12207 or Community Hospice of Albany County, 445 New Karner Road, Colonie 12205.

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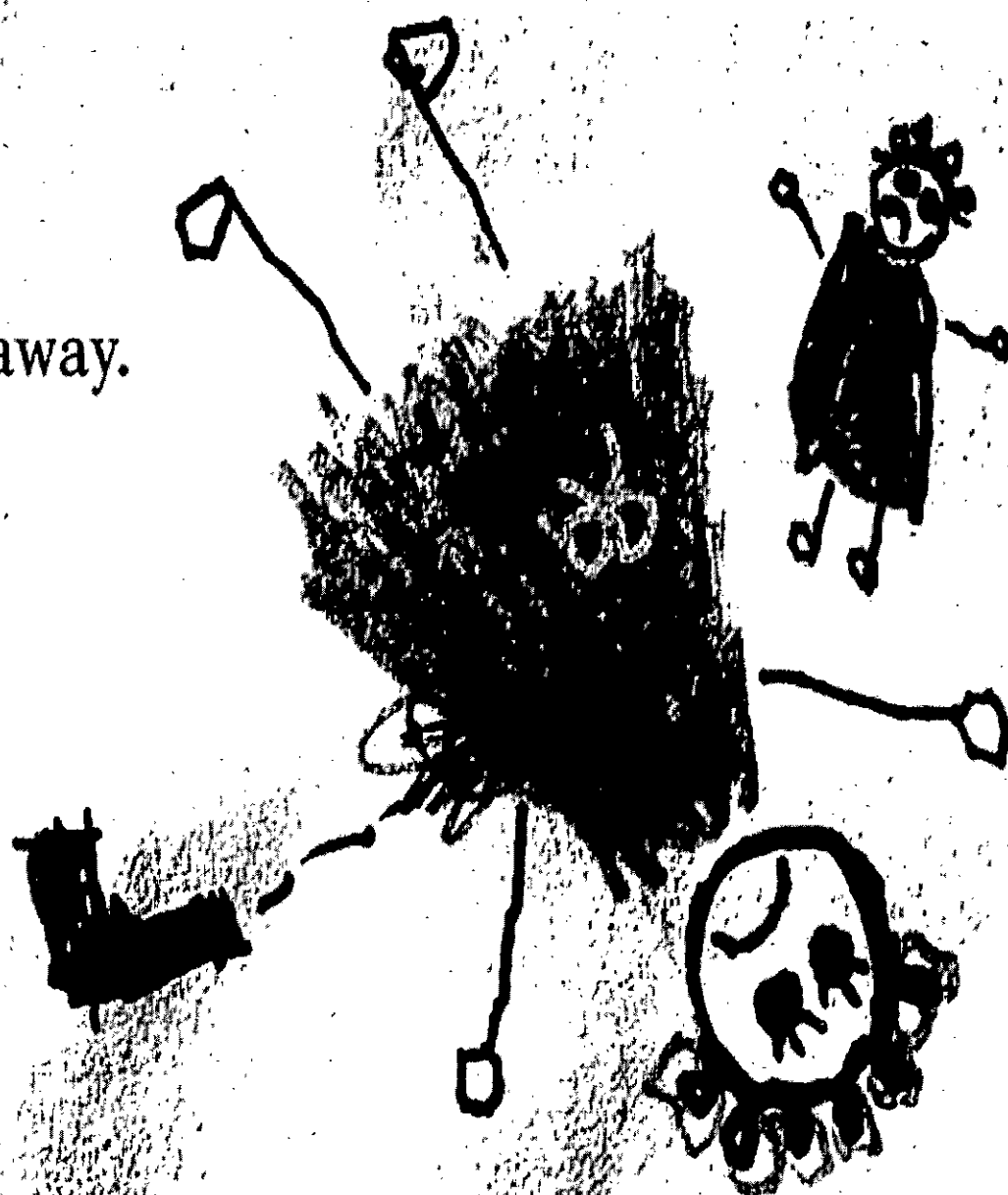
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Arena team is on a quest

By ROB JONAS

An Albany Conquest arena football game is high scoring and fun to watch, but it's only part of the larger entertainment experience children and adults can enjoy.

From the pre-game block parties to halftime entertainment and special guests, the 4-year-old arena football team prides itself in giving fans of all ages something to put smiles on their faces — even if the Conquest don't win the game.

"The important thing when you're putting on an event is you have the opportunity, whether young or old, to enjoy the event," said Conquest Director of Communications Jonathan Scherzer. "The thing we try to do is bring in entertaining acts that not only appeal to kids but parents, too."

A Conquest home game starts well before the opening kickoff with a block party in front of the Pepsi Arena. For two hours, a portion of South Pearl Street is blocked off from traffic to allow for a variety of activities including live music, a rock climbing wall, a football toss area, a game to test how hard you can shoot a hockey puck, an inflatable Bounce House and plenty of food and beverage vendors. Members of the Conquest's dance team, the Treasures, and the Molson Booty Squad promotional team also move through the block party to meet with the fans and give away prizes.

When the block party ends, the festivities move into the arena with a pre-game player introduction that includes fireworks. Once the smoke clears and the lights are turned on, the excitement of an Arena football game takes over. With its shorter, narrower field

(Arena football is played on a 50-yard field, whereas a traditional football game takes place on a 100-yard field), rebound nets lined up at each end zone and padded dashboards lining each sideline, the games are high scoring and full of hard hits not seen in the National Football League. Just keep an eye out for any wayward passes; footballs fly into the stands far more frequently than at an NFL game.

At halftime, team mascot "Kid Quest" comes out to help with the festivities, which include fan contests and a performance by the Treasures. Special guests also



occasionally add to the halftime show. At the Conquest's next home game (June 4 against Bossier-Shreveport), the Frisbee Dogs will take the field to demonstrate their skills. Other halftime performances have included such local groups as KJ Gymnastics, the Shenendehowa High School cheerleaders, and Bethlehem Pop Warner.

Conquest home games are also a good place to hold a child's birthday party. For \$15 per person (minimum of 12 people), fans receive lower level reserved seats and food and beverage service including a pre-game meal of either hot dogs or pizza and soda. Each child at the party receives a cupcake, and "Kid Quest" makes an appearance to give the birthday boy or girl a special present from the team. The child also receives a special recognition over the public address system and on the Jumbotron scoreboard during the game.



There aren't many opportunities left to catch the Conquest in Albany this season. The team has four regular season games left including the June 4 matchup with Bossier-Shreveport (see schedule below). Tickets range from \$9 for an end zone seat to \$45 for a Dream Seat. Lower level sideline seats are \$18.

For information, call 487-2244 or visit the team's Web site at www.albanyconquest.com.

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Zydeco band from Capital District, June 8, 11:30 a.m., Ten Eyck Plaza, Albany, free. Information, 465-2143.

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Irish band with Capital District favorites the McKrells opening, part of Alive at Five series at Albany's Riverfront Park, June 9, free. Information, 434-2032.

AIMEE MANN

Singer/songwriter, June 8, 7:30 p.m. at

The Egg, \$26. Information, 473-1845.

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Polish music, June 14, 6:30 p.m., Cook Park, Colonie, free. Information, 869-7562.

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Capital District modern rock band, June 15, 11:30 a.m., Ten Eyck Plaza, Albany, free. Information, 465-2143.

"EDDIE ANGEL'S GUITAR PARTY"

Featuring the Neaderthals and Rocky Velvet, part of Alive at Five series at Albany's Riverfront Park, June 16, free. Information, 434-2032.

THE COLONIE BRASS CHOIR

Town pops band, June 16, 7 p.m., Cook Park, Colonie, free. Information, 869-7562.

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Singer/songwriter backed by the North Mississippi All Stars, June 23, 7:30 p.m. at The Egg, \$29.50. Information, 473-1845.

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KEVIN JAMES

Star of "King of Queens," June 16, 7:30 p.m. at the Palace Theatre, Albany, \$38 to \$58. Information, 465-3334.

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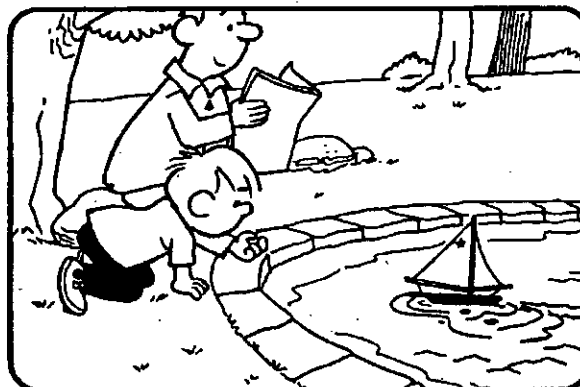
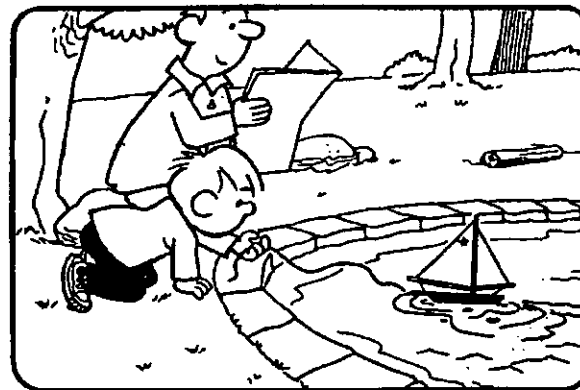
MAGIC MAZE — BOOTH

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YCIPWMVTNSALNHQ
PNATS (PROJECTION)
LKMMOIIOHFTESNC
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

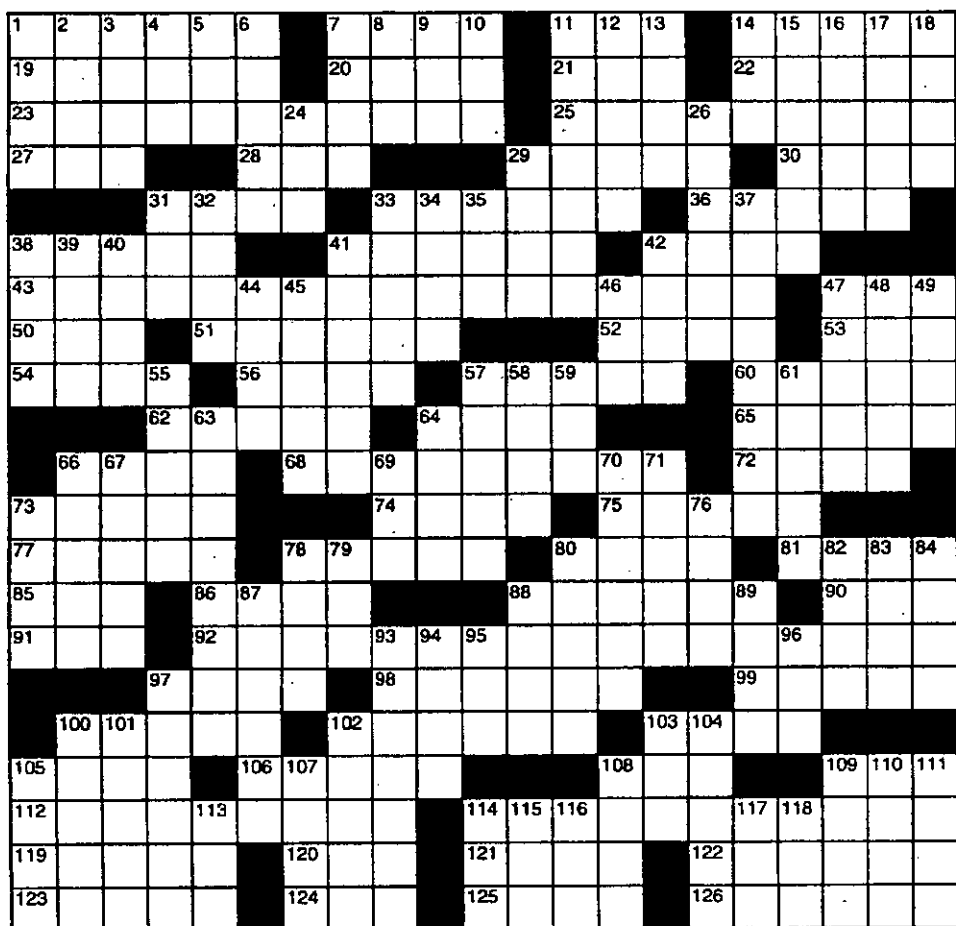
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HOCUS-FOCUS BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.
Differences: 1. Sneaker is different. 2. Sleeve is shorter. 3. Paper is smaller. 4. String is missing. 5. Sail is different. 6. Log is missing.

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ACROSS

- 1 '84 Daryl Hannah film
- 7 Belfry sound
- 11 Poetic monogram
- 14 Little rascal
- 19 Bunch of ballplayers
- 20 Fairy-tale fiend
- 21 Spring mo.
- 22 Forbidden
- 23 Start of a remark by 114 Across
- 25 Teddy-bear president
- 27 Tut's relative
- 28 Ganesh or Hanuman
- 29 That's the spirit
- 30 Building wings
- 31 Level
- 33 Actress Welch
- 36 With 51 Across, "Wuthering Heights" author
- 38 Face lift?
- 41 Anchored
- 42 Hot spot?
- 43 Part 2 of remark
- 47 Aries animal
- 50 Important numero
- 51 See 36 Across

- 52 "— look at me!"
- 53 Distinctive period
- 54 Irving character
- 56 Hotels
- 57 Prepare the Parmesan
- 60 Toil
- 62 Dwelling
- 64 Trim a photo
- 65 Rotund
- 66 Vittle
- 68 He's got plans for you
- 72 Skilled
- 73 Pick-me-up
- 74 Sheet of stamps
- 75 Big name in kids' music
- 77 TV's "Starsky and —"
- 78 Get on
- 80 Cougar
- 81 Viscount's superior
- 85 Put into service
- 86 Partially open
- 88 "Summer —" ('72 hit)
- 90 Mauna —
- 91 Augsburg article
- 92 End of remark
- 97 Wise guy?
- 98 Bother

- 99 Like Hawaiian shirts
- 100 Wails
- 102 Vicar's assistant
- 103 Bend
- 105 Saucy
- 106 It gets squirreled away
- 108 Beastly place?
- 109 Jacket info
- 112 Gardener's friend
- 114 Speaker of remark
- 119 "— Gay"
- 120 Khan opener?
- 121 Kind of roast
- 122 He's left holding the bag
- 123 Enticed
- 124 Pewter base
- 125 Cunning
- 126 Layers

DOWN

- 1 Blind part
- 2 Body-builder's pride
- 3 Need
- 4 Give it — (try)
- 5 Big —, CA
- 6 Reduce a risk
- 7 Little lake

- 8 "The — and I" ('47 film)
- 9 Word with folk or fine
- 10 Tenor
- 11 Durham denizen
- 12 Bobbin
- 13 Cupid, in Cornish
- 14 Sault — Marie, MI
- 15 Collapse
- 16 Ring — (seem familiar)
- 17 Aquarium fish
- 18 Saucepans
- 24 Charged atom
- 26 Witty Wright
- 29 Spiritual guide
- 31 Lilly of pharmaceuticals
- 32 Do or die?
- 33 Takes a break
- 34 Exercise aftermath
- 35 Status —
- 37 Diner fare
- 38 Self-important
- 39 Blabby bird
- 40 Borodin's "Prince —"
- 41 Sermon subject
- 42 Woodwind instrument

- 44 The Furies, e.g.
- 45 Toyota competitor
- 46 Banned pesticide
- 47 Delft a
- 48 Dictator
- 49 Faced the day
- 49 Stallion's sweetheart
- 55 Lose control
- 57 Pulverize
- 58 Learning method
- 59 Mimic
- 61 Activist Hoffman
- 63 15th president
- 64 Burn a bit
- 66 Animal that roared?
- 67 Log
- 69 Pocket protector?
- 70 Altar vessels
- 71 He keeps lions in line
- 73 Heavy blow
- 76 Disconcert
- 78 Bete noire
- 79 Nev. neighbor
- 80 Novel language?
- 82 Baseball family name
- 83 Crucifix
- 84 Tramp's tootsie

- 87 Pieceful pursuit?
- 88 Gravy vessel
- 89 Finish the lawn
- 93 "The Avengers" actress
- 94 Knitter's need
- 95 Monk's title
- 96 Wicked stuff?
- 97 Pay up
- 100 Reeves of "The Matrix"
- 101 Mistake
- 102 It's walked at Windsor
- 103 Watch pocket
- 104 Crochet units
- 105 Flind
- 107 Winter wear
- 108 Off-the-wall
- 109 — carotene
- 110 "Players" actor
- 111 Gumbo veggie
- 113 Possessed
- 114 North Pole worker
- 115 Milne creature
- 116 Cowboy Tom
- 117 Bon — (witticism)
- 118 "I'm freezing!"

The Spotlight CALENDAR

Wed. May 25

BETHLEHEM

DELMAR ROTARY

Normanside Country Club, 7:30 a.m. Information, 767-2930.

MOTHERS OF PRESCHOOLERS (MOPS)

Christian fellowship group for mothers of preschool children, at the Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., nursery care provided, 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m., information, call Jennifer at 439-9929 or e-mail, info@drchurch.org.

SOLID ROCK CHURCH

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

CHENREZIG PRACTICE AND MEDITATION

Meditation on the Bodhisattva of Compassion, at the KTC Buddhist Center, Doane Stuart School, Route 9W, Albany, 7 p.m., information, 374-1792.

TOWN BOARD

Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 5:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955.

BETHLEHEM TOASTMASTERS

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

BINGO

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

BOY SCOUT TROOP 58

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

TESTIMONY MEETING

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-2512.

NEW SCOTLAND

FAITH TEMPLE

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

PRAYER MEETING

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

NEW SCOTLAND SENIORS

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

AA MEETING

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

Thurs. May 26

BETHLEHEM

BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS

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

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

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

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, 7 p.m., Route 9W, Selkirk. Information, 767-2243.

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN

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 439-5400.

Fri. May 27

BETHLEHEM

VISUAL SUPPORT GROUP

Strategies to cope with visual impairment, led by Dr. Edwin Pasnel. Refreshments. Room 101, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, 1-2 p.m. 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.

CHABAD CENTER

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

NEW SCOTLAND

PIONEER CLUBS

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

YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS

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

Sat. May 28

BETHLEHEM

AA MEETING

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

Sun. May 29

BETHLEHEM

WORSHIP INFORMATION

Bethlehem Community Church, 201 Elm Ave., 439-3135.
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 Elsmere Ave., 439-4407.
Delmar Presbyterian Church, 585 Delaware Ave., 439-9252.
Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., 439-9929.
Family of God Nazarene Church, Krumkill Road at Blessing Road, North Bethlehem, 453-9953.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 439-2512.
First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, Route 9W, Selkirk, 767-2243.
First United Methodist Church of Delmar, 428 Kenwood Ave., 439-9976.
Glenmont Community Church, 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont, 436-7710.
Gospel Fellowship, 10 Rockefeller Road, Delmar, 482-2132.
King's Chapel, 434 Route 9W, Glenmont, 426-9955.
KTC Buddhist Center, Doane Stuart School, Route 9W, Albany, 10 a.m. meditation, 11 a.m. tea, 11:30 a.m. study course, 374-1792.
Mount Moriah Ministries, Route 9W, Glenmont, 426-4510.
Slingerlands Community UMC, 1499 New Scotland Road, 439-1766.
Solid Rock Church, 1 Kenwood Ave., Glenmont, 439-4314.
South Bethlehem United Methodist Church, 65 Willowbrook Ave., 767-9953.
St. Michael's Shrine, Beacon Road at Route 9W, Glenmont, 462-2016.

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Poplar Drive and Elsmere Avenue, Delmar, 439-3265;
St. Thomas The Apostle Church, 35 Adams Place, Delmar, 439-4951.
Unity of Faith Christian Fellowship, 436 Krumkill Road, North Bethlehem, 438-7740.

NEW SCOTLAND

WORSHIP INFORMATION

All Nation's Baptist Church, 2558 Western Ave., Guilderland, 475-9086, ESL and Bible classes, 9 a.m.; Worship Services, 10 a.m.
Clarksville Community Church, Route 443, 768-2916.
Family Worship Center, 92 Lower Copeland Hill Road, Feura Bush, 768-2021.
Faith Temple, New Salem, 765-2870.
First United Methodist Church, 68 Maple Ave., Voorheesville, 765-2895.
Jerusalem Reformed Church, Route 32, Feura Bush, 439-0548.
Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155, Voorheesville, 765-3390.
Onesquethaw Reformed Church, Tarrytown Road, Feura Bush, 768-2133.
New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Route 85, 439-6454.
St. Matthew's Church, Mountain View Road, Voorheesville, 765-2805.
Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware Turnpike, 439-5001.
United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New Salem, 765-4410.

Mon. May 30

BETHLEHEM

PEACE VIGIL

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

DELMAR KIWANIS

Tool's Family Restaurant, Delaware Avenue, 6:15 p.m. Information, 439-2437 or 439-6952.

CLASS IN JEWISH MYSTICISM

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

INDOOR PISTOL SHOOTING

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

EXPLORER POST 157

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

DELMAR COMM. ORCHESTRA

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

AA MEETING

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

NEW SCOTLAND

QUARTET REHEARSAL

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

Tues. May 31

BETHLEHEM

TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY

Weekly meeting at Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Information, 465-8732.

FARMERS MARKET

Market and Chicken Barbeque, 2:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. rain or shine, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave.

PRAYER MEETING

At Gospel Fellowship, 7 p.m., 10 Rockefeller Rd., Delmar, beneath Normans Kill bridge, Information 482-2132.

TREASURE COVE THRIFT SHOP

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

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

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

CHURCH LUNCH

Sponsored by the South Bethlehem United Methodist Church, Willowbrook Avenue, weekly on Tuesdays, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Information, 767-9953.

BINGO

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

NEW SCOTLAND

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

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

NIMBLEFINGERS/QUILTERS

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

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OPPORTUNITIES UNLIMITED

Board meetings first Wednesday of each month, open to public. Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 4 p.m.

BETHLEHEM BUSINESS WOMEN

Normanside Country Club, Salisbury Road, Elsmere, 6 p.m.; dinner 6:30 p.m., program and meeting to follow dinner. Information, 439-7237.

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

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BETHLEHEM LIONS CLUB

Normanside Country Club, Delmar, 7 p.m. Information, 439-4857.

BETHLEHEM ELKS LODGE 2233

1016 River Road (Route 144), Cedar Hill, 7 p.m. Information, 767-2886.

TESTIMONY MEETING

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-2512.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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

BINGO

Blanchard American Legion Post, 16

Poplar Drive, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9819.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 58

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

BC SCHOOL BOARD

district office, 90 Adams Place, 8 p.m. Information, 439-7098.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

Onesquethaw Chapter, Masonic Temple, 421 Kenwood Ave., 8 p.m. Information, 439-2181.

NEW SCOTLAND

V'VILLE ZONING BOARD

Village Hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave., 7 p.m. Information, 765-2692.

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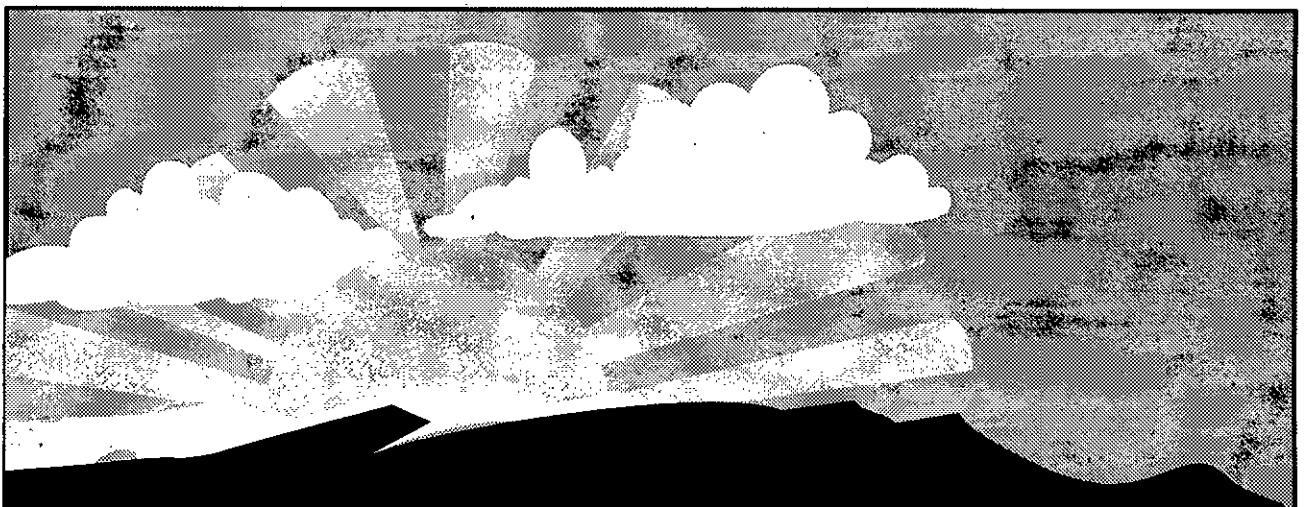
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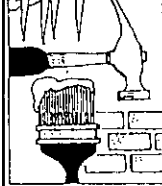
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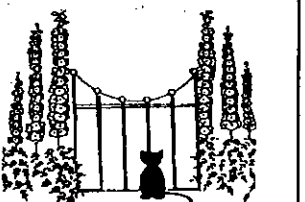
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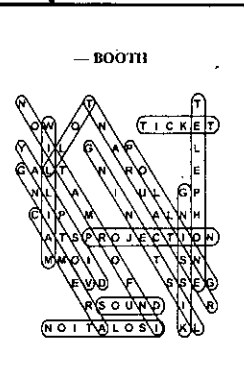
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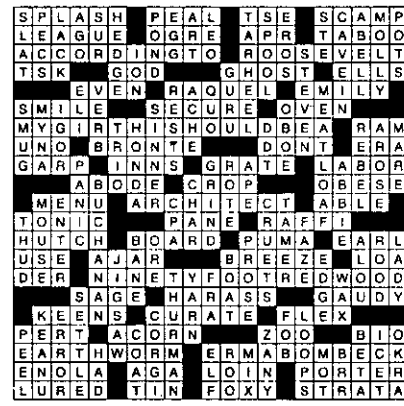
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CORLEAR JBRE, LLC
1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is: Corlear JBRE, LLC.
2. The Articles of Organization creating the limited liability company were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on April 29, 2005 and became effective on said date.
3. The principal office of the limited liability company is in Albany County.
4. The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served and the post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail any copy of process against it is: Corlear JBRE, LLC, 306 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York 12054.
5. The limited liability company is formed for the purpose of engaging in any business purposes permitted by law.
LCD-11618
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

ALBANY FOAM & SUPPLY, INC.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION: FORMATION OF A NEW YORK LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Pursuant to New York Limited Liability Company Law Section 206 (c)
FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is Porky's Busline, LLC
SECOND: The date of filing of the articles of organization with the Department of State was March 24, 2005.
THIRD: The county in New York in which the office of the company is located is Albany County.
FOURTH: The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the company upon whom process may be served, and the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the company served upon him or her to Michael J. Giaccone 1355 Broadway Albany, NY 12204
FIFTH: The latest date upon which the company is required to be dissolved is August 31, 2049.
SIXTH: The business purpose of the company is to engage in any and all business activities permitted under the laws of the State of New York.
LCD- 11495
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP ("LP")
The name of the LP is Windsor Vermont of Albany, L.P. The Certificate of Limited Partnership was filed with the New York State Secretary of State on April 6, 2005. The purpose of the LP is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LP is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LP upon whom process against the LP may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LP is 596 New Loudon Road, Latham, New York 12110.
LCD-11449
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

"ICC-International Company of Commerce LLC" was filed with the SSNY on 03/21/05. 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-11454
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Mt. Ida Apartments, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 3/23/05. Office location: Albany County.

LEGAL NOTICE

SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: Three E-Comm Square, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful purpose.
LCD-11459
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

G. Grieco Ventures, LLC
Notice of formation of the above Limited Liability Company ("LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY ("SSNY") on 4/4/05. Office location, Albany County, SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any such process served to: The LLC, 10 Airline Drive, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: any lawful business purpose.
LCD-11461
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

SEGEL, GOLDMAN, MAZZOTTA & SIEGEL, P.C. NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
The name of the LP is NM Family Partnership I, L.P. The Certificate of Limited Partnership was filed with the New York State Secretary of State on April 12, 2005. The purpose of the LP is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LP is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LP upon whom process against the LP may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LP is 255 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12205.
LCD- 11491
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

SEGEL, GOLDMAN, MAZZOTTA & SIEGEL, P.C. NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
The name of the LP is NM Family Partnership- Murray, L.P. The Certificate of Limited Partnership was filed with the New York State Secretary of State on April 12, 2005. The purpose of the LP is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LP is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LP upon whom process against the LP may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LP is 255 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12205.
LCD- 11492
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

SEGEL, GOLDMAN, MAZZOTTA & SIEGEL, P.C. NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
The name of the LP is NM Family Partnership- E. Julie, L.P. The Certificate of Limited Partnership was filed with the New York State Secretary of State on April 12, 2005. The purpose of the LP is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LP is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LP upon whom process against the LP may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LP is 255 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12205.
LCD- 11493
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

SEGEL, GOLDMAN, MAZZOTTA & SIEGEL, P.C. NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
The name of the LP is NM Family Partnership- Laurie, L.P. The Certificate of Limited

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Partnership was filed with the New York State Secretary of State on April 12, 2005. The purpose of the LP is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LP is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LP upon whom process against the LP may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LP is 255 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12205.
LCD- 11494
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF DOMESTIC LLC
MRP Woodlake Associates, L.L.C. notice of formation of a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC) Articles of Organization filed with the New York Secretary of State on April 12, 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 255 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12205.
LCD- 11496
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF DOMESTIC LLC
MRP Somerset Associates, L.L.C. notice of formation of a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC) Articles of Organization filed with the New York Secretary of State on April 12, 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 255 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12205.
LCD- 11497
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NEW TROY ASSOCIATES, LLC, Notice of formation of a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC). Articles of Organization filed with the NY Secretary of State on April 15, 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 255 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12205.
LCD- 11524
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)
The name of the LLC is BBL EDGEWOOD, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the NY Secretary of State on April 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 302 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12203.
LCD- 11534
(May 25, 2005)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)
The name of the LLC is 258 ONTARIO STREET, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the NY Secretary of State on March 29, 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 36 Marion Avenue, Albany New York 12203.
LCD-11553
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)
The name of the LLC is 260 ONTARIO STREET, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the NY Secretary of State on March 29, 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 36 Marion Avenue, Albany New York 12203.
LCD-11554
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)
The name of the LLC is 19 WESTERN AVENUE, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the NY Secretary of State on March 29, 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 36 Marion Avenue, Albany New York 12203.
LCD-11555
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)
The name of the LLC is 111 LANCASTER STREET, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the NY Secretary of State on March 29, 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 36 Marion Avenue, Albany New York 12203.
LCD-11556
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)
The name of the LLC is 53 PHILIP STREET, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the NY Secretary of State on March 29, 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 36 Marion Avenue, Albany New York 12203.
LCD-11557
(May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Formation of Wolf & Associates Attorneys At Law, PLLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 4/27/05 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 575 Madison Ave. 10th Fl, New York, NY 10022
LCD-11559
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Bensley & Associates LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 12/21/04 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 575 Madison Ave. 10th Fl, New York, NY 10022
LCD-11568
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY [LLC]

The name of the LLC is CHRIS VANDENBURG CONSTRUCTION, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the Secretary of State on March 23, 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 agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 23 Booth Street, Albany, New York 12205.
LCD-11590
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Parkside Development Group LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/22/05 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 246 Seigel Street, Brooklyn, NY 11206
LCD-11600
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of From Farm To Table Regional Market LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 4/25/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: Stephanie Pelham, 168 Wormer Rd., Voorheesville, NY 12186. Purpose: any lawful purpose.
LCD-11601
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)
The name of the LLC is CAP CITY ACQUISITIONS, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on May 5, 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 37 Marion Avenue, Albany, New York 12203.
LCD-11602
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Caton Development L.P. Arts. of

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Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/30/05 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of L.P. upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 246 Seigel Street, Brooklyn, NY 11206 Purpose of L.P.: to engage in any lawful act or activity.
LCD-11605
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Tristate Developers LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 5/11/05 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of L.P. upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 7 Arrowhead Lane, Suffern, NY 10901 Purpose of LLC: to engage in any lawful act or activity.
LCD-11614
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Risk Transfer Insurance Alliance, LLC, dba Risk Transfer Insurance Brokerage Alliance, LLC was filed with the SSNY on 5/11/05. 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: Thomas E. Sleeper, Risk Transfer Insurance Alliance, LLC dba Risk Transfer Insurance Brokerage Alliance, 175 Federal Street, Ste. 725, Boston, MA 02110-2202 Purpose: Any lawful purpose.
LCD-11617
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Albany Ambush LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 5/6/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: 43 Southern Blvd., Albany, NY 12209. Purpose: any lawful purpose.
LCD-11633
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Side Door Cafe, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 5/2/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: 1656 Western Ave., Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: any lawful purpose.
LCD-11634
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of NATIONAL MUSIC WORKSHOP, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/6/2005. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Connecticut (CT) on 12/9/1999. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Vail & Schneider, P.C., 275 Madison Ave., Ste. 1100, NY, NY 10016. Purpose: all lawful activities.
LD-11473
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Snelling Franchising, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/6/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 2/7/05. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Corporation Service Company, 80 State St.,

LEGAL NOTICE

Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Road, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19803. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-11447
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Coyote Temple Mall, L.P. Certificate filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/1/2005. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Coyote Temple Investors, L.P., 16475 Dallas Pkwy., Ste. 250, Addison, TX 75001. Registered agent upon whom process may be served: Capitol Services, Inc., 40 Colvin Ave., Ste. 200, Albany, NY 12206. Name/ address of each genl. ptr. available from SSNY. Term: until 12/31/2050. Purpose: own & operate real estate.
LD-11448
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of WEP Worldwide Entertainment Production LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/18/2005. 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-11451
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: METRO SPA & SALON LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/13/05. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2104. 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, 350 Watervliet Shaker Road, Watervliet, New York 12189. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.
LD-11464
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of PAGE TWO PRODUCTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/17/05. 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 Vail & Schneider, P.C., 275 Madison Ave., Ste. 1100, NY, NY 10016. Purpose: all lawful activities.
LD-11473
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Solomon Apartment Management, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/11/05. 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 Corporation Service Company, 80 State, Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-11474
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CHY Partners, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/11/05. 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 Corporation Service

LEGAL NOTICE

Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11475 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF C H A R L T O N CONTRACTING, LLC. 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is: C H A R L T O N CONTRACTING, LLC.

2. The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed with the Secretary of State on April 18, 2005.

3. The County within New York which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany.

4. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom the process against the Company may be served and the post office address within this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company served upon it is: 9 Cornell Road, Latham, NY 12110

5. The registered agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against the liability company can be served is: 9 Cornell Rd., Latham, NY 12110

6. The character of the business is to conduct any lawful business activity for profit that is not otherwise prohibited by the laws of the State of New York. LD-11512 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CONEY ASSOCIATES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/15/05. 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, 1839 58th St., Brooklyn, NY 11219. Purpose: all lawful activity. LD-11514 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION BLACK DIAMOND ORTHO, LLC

Pursuant to Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law:

First: The name of the limited liability company is Black Diamond Ortho, LLC

Second: The county within this state in which the principal office of the limited liability company is to be located in is Albany.

Third: The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The post office mailing address within this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served him or her is P.O. Box 553, Slingerlands, NY 12159.

Fourth: The effective date of these Articles of Organization is the filing date, April 1, 2005, a date which does not exceed the sixty days from the date of filing.

Fifth: The limited liability company is to be managed by one or more of its members.

In Witness Whereof, this certificate has been subscribed to this 1st day of April, 2005 by the undersigned who affirms that the statements made herein are true under penalties of perjury.

Filed by Robert E. Molloy, Esq.
200 Broadway, Suite 205
Troy, NY 12180
LD-11515
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Gulfstream Acquisition LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of

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State of NY (SSNY) on 4/15/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 3/8/05. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 18 Corporate Woods Blvd., 3rd Fl., Albany, NY 12211. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Suite 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: Any lawful activity. LD-11517 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CANTON OVERSEAS INTERNATIONAL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/21/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 46 State St., 3rd Fl., Albany, NY 12207. Attn: USA Corporate Services, Inc., registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: all lawful activity. LD-11527 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Formation of EUROPEAN PRODUCTION VENTURES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/21/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 46 State St., 3rd Fl., Albany, NY 12207. Attn: USA Corporate Services, Inc., registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: all lawful activity. LD-11528 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

ALBANY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, LLC

1. The name of the foreign limited liability company is ALBANY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, LLC.

2. The certificate of formation of Albany Community Development, LLC creating the limited liability company was filed in the Office of the Delaware Secretary of State on January 5, 2005.

3. The Application for Authority of the foreign limited liability company was filed in the Office of the New York Secretary of State on April 13, 2005, and became effective on said date.

4. The principal office of the foreign limited liability company within the State of New York is in Albany County.

5. The New York Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served and the post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail any copy of process against it is Albany Community Development, LLC c/o Charter One Community Development Corporation, Office of Counsel, 833 Broadway, Albany, New York 12207.

6. The address of the office required to be maintained in the jurisdiction of the foreign limited liability company's organization is 2711 Centerville Road, Suite 400, Wilmington, Delaware 19808. The name of its registered agent at such address is Corporation Service Company.

7. The name and address of the authorized officer in the jurisdiction of the foreign limited liability company's organization where a copy of its Certificate of Formation is filed is the Secretary of State, Division of Corporations, State of Delaware, P.O. Box 898, Dover, Delaware 19903

8. The limited liability company is formed for the purpose of engaging in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized and any other business purposes

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permitted by law. Dated: April 18, 2005
NOLAN & HELLER, LLP
Attorneys for Albany Community Development, LLC
39 North Pearl Street
Albany, New York 12207
LD-11529
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF ABSOLUTE CONSTRUCTION ENTERPRISES, L.L.C. UNDER SECTION 203 OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY LAW.

The undersigned, being a natural person of at least 18 years of age and acting as the organizer of the limited liability company hereby formed, hereby certifies:

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is: Absolute Construction Enterprises L.L.C.

2. The purpose of the Limited Liability Companies may be organized under the law. The company is not formed to engage in any act or activity requiring the consent or approval of any state official, department, board or agency.

3. The county within this state in which the office of the Limited Liability Company is to be located is: Albany

4. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the Limited Liability Company upon process against it may be served. The post office address within this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail copy of any process against the Limited Liability Company served upon him or her in c/o the company: 5926 Veeder Rd., Slingerlands, N.Y. 12159

5. The Limited Liability Company shall have the power to indemnify to the full extent permitted by the New York Limited Liability Company Law, as amended from time to time, all person whom it is permitted to indemnify pursuant thereto.

6. The company is to be managed by one or more managers.

In witness whereof, I have subscribed this certificate and do hereby affirm the foregoing as true under penalties of perjury, this 4th day of April, 2005.

Patricia Mohr-Voss,
Organizer.

LD-11533
(May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Furniture and Fine Art Investors LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/26/2005. 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, c/o Blumberg Excelsior Corporate Services, Inc., 62 White Street, New York, NY 10013. Registered agent upon whom process may be served to: Blumberg Excelsior Corporate Services, Inc., 52 South Pearl St., 2nd Fl., Albany, NY 10013. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-11536 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of A P P L E G A T E MANAGEMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/20/2005. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, c/o NKA Blumberg Excelsior Corporate Services, Inc., 62 White Street, New York, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful activities. LD-11537 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Formation of EAST COAST INVESTERS IN ART LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with

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Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/19/2005. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, c/o NKA Blumberg Excelsior Corporate Services, Inc., 62 White Street, New York, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful activities. LD-11538 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Dundalk Acquisitions, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/15/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in New Jersey (NJ) on 6/3/2003. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. NJ address of LLC: 200 Sheffield St., Ste. 101, Mountainside, NJ 07092. Arts. of Org. filed with NJ Secy. of State, 225 West State St., Trenton, NJ 08608. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11539 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of Regency Associates, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/15/05. Fictitious name in NY State: Hudson Regency. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in New Jersey (NJ) on 11/24/1998. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. NJ address of LLC: 200 Sheffield St., Ste. 101, Mountainside, NJ 07092. Arts. of Org. filed with NJ Secy. of State, 225 West State St., Trenton, NJ 08608. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11540 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of Bucks Crossing, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/15/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in New Jersey (NJ) on 8/9/1999. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. NJ address of LLC: 200 Sheffield St., Ste. 101, Mountainside, NJ 07092. Arts. of Org. filed with NJ Secy. of State, 225 West State St., Trenton, NJ 08608. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11541 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of Royco Construction Management, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/25/2005. NYS fictitious name: Royco Construction. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in New Jersey (NJ) on 10/29/1999. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. NJ address of LLC: 200 Sheffield St., Suite 101, Mountainside, NJ 07092. Arts. of Org. filed with NJ Secy. of State, Div. of Revenue, 225 West State St., Trenton, NJ 08608. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11545 (May 25, 2005)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 1200 WESTERN REALTY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 01/05/05. 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, 1200 Western Avenue, Albany, New York. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-11552 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Formation of 197 FRANKLIN REALTY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/29/05. 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, 592 Fifth Ave., 9th Fl., NY, NY 10036. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-11567 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of Petro-Chemical Transport, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/15/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 01/05/05. 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, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 4895 Dressler Rd., Canton, OH 44718. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Div. of Corps., Federal & Duke of York Sts., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11581 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of TCB Homes, LLC, a NYS Ltd. Liability Co. (LLC). Formation filed with SSNY on 4/15/05. Off. Loc: Montgomery Co. SSNY designated as agt of LLC, upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The Vinciguerra Law Firm, 10 Utica Ave., Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: all lawful purposes. LD-11584 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Formation of KRD BDC HANSON, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/27/05. 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 Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11585 (May 25, 2005)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: KMC REALTY OPPORTUNITIES, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/03/05. 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, 355 State Street, Albany, New York 12210. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-11586 (May 25, 2005)

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On May 5, 2005, Dada Bing, LLC, which is located at 416 Southern Boulevard in the City and County of Albany, State of New York, filed its Articles of Organization with

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the New York Department of State. The Secretary of State has been designated the agent of the company upon whom process may be served. The business purpose of the LLC is to engage in the operation of a cafe/restaurant, together with any and all other lawful business purposes. LD-11598 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of 455 CPW, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/10/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/6/05. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Road, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Townsend Bldg., Federal & Duke of York Sts., Dover, DE 19903. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11603 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of Chestnut Street Services, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/7/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Pennsylvania (PA) on 11/1/00. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Principal office of LLC: 5619 DTC Pkwy., Suite 800, Greenwood Village, CO 80111. Arts. of Org. filed with PA Dept. of State, 206 North Office Bldg., Harrisburg, PA 17120. Purpose: information and communications services. LD-11609 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Formation of HARBOR AND OCEAN TRANSPORTATION, LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 5/2/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 647 County Route 351, Medusa, New York 12120. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-11611 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Formation of HARBOR BARGE SERVICES, LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 5/2/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 647 County Route 351, Medusa, New York 12120. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-11612 (May 25, 2005)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 35 RAILROAD AVE., LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/12/05. 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, 7 Seneca Court, Slingerlands, New York 12159. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-11615

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(May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of RAM Communications Group, LLC Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/4/2005. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/31/1991. 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: 5565 Glenridge Connector, Suite 1725B, Atlanta, GA 30342. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11625 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of Advantage Tank Lines, LLC Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/13/05. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 1/5/05. 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, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 4895 Dressler Rd., NW, Canton, OH 44718. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11626 (May 25, 2005)

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TOWN OF BETHLEHEM BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 1, 2005, at 7:30 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of Joseph Rappazzo, for Variance under Article X, Highway Frontage & Access, Section 128-39, Residential Lot of Abut Accepted Highway or Street of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem for a 1-lot subdivision of a parcel, which will not meet the 28-foot road frontage access required for an existing residence at premises 126 Smultz Road, Glenmont, New York 12077.

Michael C. Hodom
Chairman
Board of Appeals

LD-11628
(May 25, 2005)

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TOWN OF BETHLEHEM BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 1, 2005, at 7:45 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of Ayoub & Sheryl Dounane for Variance under Article XVI, Front Yards, Section 128-68, Corner Lot Required Depths of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem for construction of a front porch addition, which will encroach into the Front Yard setback requirement at premises 1 Evelyn Drive, Delmar, New York.

Michael C. Hodom
Chairman
Board of Appeals

LD-11629
(May 25, 2005)

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Fire Commissioners of the

Sports

Suker has super day in quarterfinal victory

By ROB JONAS

Cyrella Suker had a historic day for the Voorheesville softball team.

The senior pitcher tossed a no-

hitter, broke her sister Larina's school and Colonial Council record for strikeouts and drove in four runs with a home run and a single to help the Blackbirds defeat Chatham 6-1 in last

Friday's Section II, Class B quarterfinal game at Clifton Common.

"This was one of my better games," Suker said. "I think it's one of the best days I'll ever have. Breaking the (strikeout) record and hitting one over the fence, I don't think I'll ever have another one like it."

"It makes my job a little easier,"

Voorheesville coach Matt Fiato said. "Not only is she an unbelievable pitcher, she's also a team player, an incredible person and a great hitter."

Suker passed her sister on the all-time strikeout list with the eighth of her 17 strikeouts against Chatham. Larina Suker held the school and league records since the late 1990s.

"I really had no idea it would happen until the end of last year and the beginning of this year, when I found out how far I had to go (to catch Larina)," Cyrella said.

"It's a lot of talent in one family," Fiato said.

Suker put Voorheesville in the lead with a two-run homer over the center field fence in the

bottom of the first inning — her first out-of-the-park blast in her four-year career. Two innings later, she drove in two more runs to put the game out of Chatham's reach.

"We wanted to score early," Fiato said. "I didn't think that's the way we'd do it (with Suker's home run) but it worked."

The quarterfinal win marked the first post-season victory for Voorheesville in several years and advanced the Blackbirds into Tuesday's semifinal against Broadalbin-Perth.

"We definitely wanted to get over the hump," Fiato said. "We've said that if we get one win, we might be able to make some noise in class B."

Bethlehem also advanced in Sectionals last Thursday. The Lady Eagles scored two runs in the top of the sixth inning and then fended off a late rally to edge Troy 4-3 in the class AA quarterfinals.

Bethlehem was scheduled to play two-time defending Section II champion Shenendehowa Tuesday in the class AA semifinals at Clifton Common.

Tri-Village Little League Standings

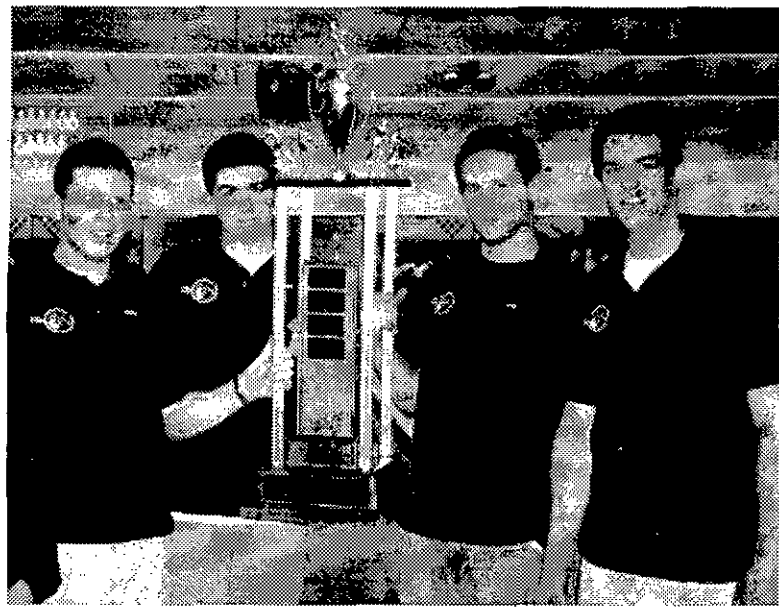
Majors

Team	W	L
Huck Finn's Warehouse	4	2
Hanifin Home Builders	4	2
Slingerlands Medicine	4	2
Amsure Associates	4	3
Horticulture Unlimited	4	3
Davies Office	4	3
Crawford Door & Window	3	4
Family Oil	2	5
Belizzi's Camps	2	5
Tri-Village Flash	2	4

Intermediate

Team	W	L
Belizzi's Camps	5	0
Bill's Braves	5	1
Citizens Bank	4	2
Nextgen Communications	4	2
Dinapoli Opticians	4	2
My Place & Company	4	2
Andriano's Pizzeria	3	3
Blue Sky Music Studios	3	3
Russell's Reds	3	3
Price Greenleaf	3	3
Jimco Painting	2	4
Skylands Services	2	4
The Vascular Group	2	4
Klersy Building Corp.	1	5
Lemery Greisler	1	5
Conti Appraisal	1	4

League champs



The Del Lanes senior boys travel team of Nick Zautner, Kevin Pittz, Joe DeVoe and Jason Berger brought the Proprietors Trophy to the Delmar bowling lanes after winning the Joey Schmidt Capital District Junior Pro-Scoring League title. After winning the east division, the Del Lanes team defeated west division champion Cohoes Bowling Arena 20-8. The quartet bowl in the Del Lanes Saturday morning junior classic league.

LEGAL NOTICE

Elmwood Park Fire District will accept sealed bids for janitorial services to clean real property owned by the Fire District at the North Bethlehem Fire Department located on 589 Russell Road, Albany, New York 12203 on a bi-weekly basis. All bids will be publicly opened and read at 6:30 p.m. on Monday June 6th, 2005 at the North Bethlehem Fire House located at 589 Russell Road, Albany, New York 12203. All bids shall be in a sealed envelope which shall bear on the face thereof the name and address of the bidder and the subject of the bid. Such bids should be submitted to Commissioner, Charles Bender at Elmwood Park Fire District, 589 Russell Road, Albany, New York 12203. All bids must include proof of liability insurance in the amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00). Copies of the specifications for the cleaning may be obtained by contacting the Fire District Secretary, Ann Wall at (518)869-3726. All bidders must be a professional janitorial company in order to submit the bids. LD-11631 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF J.L.M. Transport, LLC Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is: J.L.M. Transport, LLC SECOND: The county within this state in which the office of the limited liability company is to be located is: ALBANY THIRD: The Secretary of 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

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company served upon him or her is: J.L.M. Transport, LLC c/o Mary Sherman 67 Lincoln Ave. Albany, NY 12206 Filed by: John A. Masker 19 Elm St., PO Box 231 Nassau, NY 12123 LD-11632 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Aon Premium Finance, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/10/05. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/8/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: c/o CSC, 2711 Centerville Road, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Federal & Duke of York Sts., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11635 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of First States Investors 4422, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/16/05. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/12/05. 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: 1725 The Fairway, Jenkintown, PA 19046. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Div. of Corps., 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11636 (May 25, 2005)

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Notice of Qualification of First States Investors 4424, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/16/05. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/12/05. 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: 1725 The Fairway, Jenkintown, PA 19046. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Div. of Corps., 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11637 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of 386 Parkmand, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/27/05. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/26/05. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: Mandelbaum & Mandelbaum, 80 Main St., West Orange, NJ 07052. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 401, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-11638 (May 25, 2005)

LEGAL NOTICE

BETHLEHEM CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT It was moved by Mrs. Lenhardt and seconded by Mr. Stoker that the following resolution be approved: BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE BETHLEHEM CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, ALBANY

LEGAL NOTICE

COUNTY, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS: SECTION 1. Pursuant to Section 63.00 and Section 62.10 of the Local Finance Law, the President (or the Vice-President in the absence of the President, which provision shall apply wherever the President is empowered or required to perform any act set forth hereinafter) of the Board of Education is hereby authorized to sell at private sale, a statutory installment bond in the amount of \$882,631 to purchase school vehicles, or enter into a lease-purchase agreement at a cost not to exceed \$882,631 to acquire such school vehicles; provided the period for the estoppel notice has run. SECTION 2. The bond shall be signed by the President of the Board of Education and shall have the corporate seal of the school district affixed thereto and attested by the Clerk or the Assistant Clerk of the Board. SECTION 3. Such statutory installment bond or lease-purchase agreement shall be designated "School Bus Bond of 2004-2005" and shall be dated a date to be designated by the President of the Board of Education. It shall be payable in five (5) annual installments of \$176,526.20 commencing in the year 2006 and in each of the years 2007 to 2010 inclusive, and shall bear interest at a rate to be determined upon sale of the bond or commencement of the lease-purchase agreement. Said bond shall be issued in registered form to the purchaser with no privilege of conversion into coupon form. SECTION 4. The full faith and credit and taxing power of the District are hereby irrevocably pledged to the principal payment of the principal and interest on said bond or lease purchase payment as it becomes due and an amount sufficient, together with other funds available for such purposes, to pay the principal and

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interest on said bond or lease-purchase payment as the same becomes due, shall be included in each annual budget of the school district for each year in which any installment of said bond or the interest thereon or payment on the lease purchase agreement remains outstanding and unpaid. SECTION 5. The President of the Board of Education or the Vice-President shall deliver said bond to the purchaser thereof upon payment of the purchase price therefor without the necessity of further action being taken by said Board and the receipt shall be full acquittance to said purchaser. SECTION 6. The President or Vice-President of the Board of Education is hereby authorized to designate this bond or lease purchase agreement as a "qualified tax exempt obligation" pursuant to Section 265(b)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended. The District has not issued in excess of \$10,000,000.00 of its general obligations in the calendar year ending December, 2004 nor does it reasonably expect to do so during its fiscal year ending June, 2005. The District covenants that it will take any necessary action, do all things and not take any prohibited action to insure that the interest on the bond or lease purchase agreement will be exempt from Federal income taxation at all times. SECTION 7. The validity of the bond or lease-purchase agreement herein authorized may be contested only if: a) such obligation is authorized for an object or purpose for which the District is not authorized to expend money; b) the provisions of law which should be complied with at the date of publication of this resolution are not substantially complied with and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within

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twenty (20) days after the date of such publication; or c) such obligations are authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution. SECTION 8. This Resolution shall take effect immediately. The foregoing resolution published herewith has been adopted on the 7th day of July, 2004, and the validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the Bethlehem Central School District is not authorized to expend money, or if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with, and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced with twenty (20) days after the date of publication of this notice or such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution of the State of New York. Steven O'Shea, Clerk Board of Education Bethlehem Central School District LD-11639 (May 25, 2005)

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TOWN OF NEW SCOTLAND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Please take notice that a public hearing will be held by the Town Board of the Town of New Scotland on June 8, 2005 at 6:00 p.m. at New Scotland Town Hall, 2029 New Scotland, Road, Slingerlands, New York to consider the question of whether to approve an increase from \$480 to \$700 per person, per year, in contributions to the Length of Service Award Program for eligible members of the New Salem Volunteer Fire

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HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY SPORTS RESULTS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 16-22

Monday, May 16

BASEBALL

Voorheesville 4, Watervliet 3

Voorheesville highlights: Steve Cardinal double, 2 singles; Greg Delaney home run, 2 singles.

LaSalle 15, Ravena 4

Ravena highlight: Zach Smith double, 3 singles.

Suburban Council Tournament

Division I

Consolation game

Bethlehem 13, Mohonasen 2

Bethlehem highlight: Andrew Stanton triple, single.

SOFTBALL

Voorheesville 7, Schalmont 1

Voorheesville highlights: Alex Fish 2 singles; Amanda Dezalia 2 singles.

Suburban Council Tournament

Division I

Consolation game

Bethlehem 7, Mohonasen 0

Bethlehem highlights: Shana Flood 3-hitter, 7 strikeouts; Kate Dombrowski 2 singles.

TRACK AND FIELD

Ravena Invitational

Boys team scores: Lansingburgh 151, Ravena 109, LaSalle 88, Catskill 72, Mechanicville 72, Watervliet 18, Coxsackie-Athens 17, Voorheesville 16, Cohoes 7, CBA 4.

Girls team scores: Ravena 134.5, Lansingburgh 118, Coxsackie-Athens 90.5, Cohoes 55, Albany Academy 47, Mechanicville 33, Watervliet 32, Catskill 25, Voorheesville 20.

Tuesday, May 17

GIRLS LACROSSE

Section II playoffs

Class A

Bethlehem 21, Colonie 5

Bethlehem scoring: Kelly Hughes 8-1, Katie Rowan 4-5, Theresa Ladouceur 3-1, Libby LeRoy 2-1, Mackenzie Riegel 2-0, Tricia Primomo 1-1, Lauren Wendth 1-0, Emma Strachman 0-3.

Bethlehem saves: Emily Szelest 7, Rae Mahon 2.

SOFTBALL

Ravena 5, Cohoes 4

Ravena highlights: Julie Persico game-winning RBI single; Laura Persico 2 singles, 2 RBI.

Ravena 13, Cohoes 10

Ravena highlight: Holly Martin double, 3 singles, 2 RBI.

Wednesday, May 18

BOYS LACROSSE

Section II playoffs

Class A

CBA 13, Bethlehem 6

Bethlehem scoring: Matt Johnson 2-2, Andrew Kelleher 2-1, Ryan Eder 1-0, Nate Rauch 1-0, Joe Conroy 0-1, Dan Mulhall 0-1, Brian Sheevers 0-1.

Bethlehem saves: Kevin Gebhardt 5.

GIRLS TRACK

Section II, Class A meet

Team scores: Shen 95, Saratoga 90, Shaker 85, Colonie 79, Gunderland 55, Queensbury 53, Niskayuna 37.5, Bethlehem 35, Columbia 35, Albany 10.5, Amsterdam 8, Schenectady 4, Ballston Spa 2.

Thursday, May 19

GIRLS LACROSSE

Section II playoffs

Class A

Bethlehem 18, Shen 11

Bethlehem scoring: Halley Quillinan 5-2, Kelly Hughes 4-0, Katie Rowan 2-6, Theresa Ladouceur 2-2, Jen Aiken 1-1, Emma Strachman 1-1, Libby LeRoy 1-0, Tricia Primomo 1-0, Mackenzie Riegel 1-0.

Bethlehem saves: Emily Szelest 8.

BOYS TRACK

Section II championships

Class A

Team scores: Shen 112.5, Shaker 85, Queensbury 59, Schenectady 53, Saratoga 47, Gunderland 45, Colonie 39, Niskayuna 32, Bethlehem 30.5, Columbia 27, Troy 22, LaSalle 20, Ballston Spa 9, Albany 6, Amsterdam 2, CBA 0.

Class BB

Team scores: Burnt Hills 124, Lansingburgh 79, Mohonasen 62, Averill Park 54, Ichabod Crane 50, Scotia-Glenville 48, Ravena 45, Cobleskill 32, Gloversville 31, Glens Falls 21, South Glens Falls 15, Hudson Falls 12, Catholic Central 8, Canajoharie 8.

GIRLS TRACK

Section II championships

Class BB

Team scores: Burnt Hills 138.2, South Glens Falls 101.6, Scotia-Glenville 80, Mohonasen 47.6, Averill Park 46, Cobleskill 36, Lansingburgh 27, Glens Falls 26, Ravena 21, Hudson Falls 15, Ichabod Crane 14.5, Schalmont 12.6, Gloversville 12, Catholic Central 10.5, Canajoharie 1.

Friday, May 20

SOFTBALL

Section II playoffs

Class AA

Bethlehem 4, Troy 3

Bethlehem highlight: Sarah Spellman 2 doubles.

Class A

Ichabod Crane 5, Ravena 3

Ravena highlight: Laura Persico RBI single.

Class B

Voorheesville 6, Chatham 1

Voorheesville highlights: Cyrilla

Suker no-hitter, 17 strikeouts, home run, single, 4 RBI; Jenna Massaroni 2 singles, 2 runs scored.

BOYS TENNIS

Section II tournament

Class AA

Bethlehem 7, Niskayuna 2

Class A

Burnt Hills 7, Ravena 0

Class B

Lansingburgh 7, Voorheesville 0

Saturday, May 21

BASEBALL

Section II playoffs

Class AA

Bethlehem 8, Gunderland 2

Bethlehem highlights: Chris Olsen 3-hitter, 8 strikeouts; Andrew Stanton home run.

Class A

Ravena 8, Hudson Falls 2

Ravena highlights: Eric Stott 2-hitter, 8 strikeouts, RBI double; Tim Sugrue RBI triple.

Class B

Voorheesville 7, Chatham 6

Voorheesville highlights: Greg Delaney 2 singles, 2 runs scored; Steve Cardinal single, 2 RBI.

GIRLS LACROSSE

Section II finals

Class A

Bethlehem 14, Gunderland 9

Bethlehem scoring: Katie Rowan 4-3, Theresa Ladouceur 3-3, Kelly Hughes 3-0, Emma Strachman 2-1, Jen Aiken 1-1, Halley Quillinan 1-1, Cate Quinlan 0-1.

Bethlehem saves: Emily Szelest 8.

TRACK AND FIELD

Section II championships

Class CC

Boys team scores: Lake George 114, Maple Hill 69, Berne-Knox-Westerlo 63, Hoosic Valley 62, Mechanicville 56, Greenwich 55, Corinth 49, Voorheesville 37, Tamarac 32, Mayfield 30, Stillwater 10, Galway 6, Watervliet 5.

Girls team scores: Greenwich 113, Lake George 99, Berne-Knox-Westerlo 73, Mayfield 63, Maple Hill 53.5, Galway 53, Hoosic Valley 43, Watervliet 28, Corinth 27, Voorheesville 19, Stillwater 10, Mechanicville 4, Tamarac 1.5, Greenville 1.

Suburban Council

Championships

Boys team scores: Colonie 75, Niskayuna 68, Shaker 67.5, Gunderland 60.3, Shen 56.8, Bethlehem 54, Ballston Spa 50.8, Columbia 42, Averill Park 37.3, Mohonasen 36, Saratoga 26, Burnt Hills 14.

Girls team scores: Saratoga 112, Shaker 104, Shen 75.5, Colonie 74, Gunderland 63, Columbia 50, Burnt Hills 32, Averill Park 23.5, Bethlehem 18, Niskayuna 18, Mohonasen 10, Ballston Spa 9.



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COMMUNITY SPORTS UPDATE

Tour du Parc scheduled for May 29

The Tour du Parc 5-kilometer cross country race is scheduled for Sunday, May 29, at 9 a.m. at Bethlehem Town Park.

The race is open to runners of all ages and abilities. There will also be a one-mile race for children 12 and under and fun runs of one-quarter and one-half mile.

The cost to enter the Tour du Parc is \$12 in advance and \$15 the day of the race, and proceeds benefit youth track and cross country programs in Bethlehem through the Bethlehem Central Cross Country/Track and Field Booster and the Bethlehem Youth Track and Field clubs.

For high school students and seniors, the entry fee is \$10 in advance and \$12 the day of the race. There is no entry fee for the children's races.

For information, contact Brian Gallagher at Gallagher_894@msn.com.

Dolphins offer summer program

The Delmar Dolphins swim club is offering its annual summer morning swim program weekdays beginning June 27 at the town park on Elm Avenue in Delmar.

The sessions run from 6:45 to 8:45 a.m. Mondays through Fridays. The program is aimed toward middle and high school students who want to participate in a vigorous morning exercise program.

The cost is \$160 per swimmer, with an additional \$30 fee for those not registered with USA Swimming.

For information, contact Wilma DeLucco at 439-6164.

Tri-Village hosts fund-raiser

Tri-Village Little League is holding a fund-raiser for the family of Cindy Shields Saturday, June 4.

Proceeds from concession stand sales and the 50/50 raffle will go to the Shields family in memory of Cindy, who passed away earlier this year after a bout with cancer.

In the event of bad weather, the fund-raiser takes place June 11.

Sports

The dynasty continues

Rowan, Ladouceur lead Bethlehem to seventh consecutive Section II girls lacrosse title

By ROB JONAS

The Bethlehem girls lacrosse team extended its Section II title streak to seven, but Guilderland made sure the Lady Eagles earned it.

The Lady Dutch rallied from a six-goal deficit in the second half to pull within two goals before Bethlehem pulled away for a 14-9 victory in last Saturday's Class A championship game at Colonie Central High School.

"Guilderland is a great team, and they never let down," said Bethlehem senior Katie Rowan, who led the Lady Eagles with four goals and three assists. "Whenever they scored, we had to answer."

"I'm absolutely thrilled to be moving on," first-year Bethlehem coach Dawn Austin said. "I think the girls are used to getting here."

The Lady Eagles (15-2) scored six of the first eight goals of the second half to build an 11-5 lead, but Guilderland (13-7) showed a level of grit and determination that belied its status as a first-time Sectional finalist. Single goals by Jen Mihok and Kelsey Schwan got the rally started, and two tallies from Kayla Best closed the gap to 11-9 with 7:17 left.

Emily Szelest and Emma Strachman turned the momentum back in Bethlehem's favor, though. Szelest made two key saves to prevent Guilderland from making it a one-goal game, and Strachman scored off a rebound with 4:50 left to give the Lady



Injured Bethlehem tri-captain Tess McGrath hands first-year coach Dawn Austin the championship trophy following last Saturday's Section II, Class A final against Guilderland.

Rob Jonas

Eagles a 12-9 advantage.

"That one hurt," Guilderland coach Gary Chatnik said of Strachman's goal, which she scored by grabbing her own rebound and putting it past a drawn-out Lauren Chatnik. "They did a great job of stretching our defense out, and we didn't have anyone in the middle to clean up (the rebound)."

"Just being my senior year, I

didn't want it to end," Strachman said. "I think the goal just capped it."

Theresa Ladouceur scored the last of her three goals with 3:52 left, and Bethlehem ran out most of the remaining time to seal the victory. Kelly Hughes added a goal with 10 seconds left to create the final margin of victory.

Szelest stopped eight shots to preserve the victory for the Lady

Eagles and remain undefeated in Sectional finals.

"She's a rock in the cage for me. I'm so happy to have her back next year," Austin said of her junior goaltender.

Bethlehem advanced to Tuesday's regional semifinal against the Section I champion. The winner plays in Friday's regional final against the Section IX champion.

Flying Eagles



Bethlehem senior Matt Shaffer, right, hands the baton to Adam Hill during the boys 3,200-meter relay at last Thursday's Section II, Class A meet at Guilderland High School. Shaffer, Hill and twin brothers Kevin and Conor Murphy set a school record in winning the class A title with a time of 7:54.8.

Rob Jonas

Local teams advance in baseball playoffs

By ROB JONAS

Bethlehem, Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk and Voorheesville all advanced to the semifinals of the Section II baseball playoffs.

Bethlehem scored all of its runs in the first four innings in an 8-2 quarterfinal victory over Guilderland last Saturday in the class AA playoffs, while Ravena pulled away for an 8-2 win against Hudson Falls in the class A quarterfinals. Voorheesville edged Chatham 7-6 in eight innings to advance in class B.

"The first one is always the big one," Bethlehem coach Rob Helm said. "Now, it's all good teams. Everybody's got a winning record."

Voorheesville was pushed to the limit in its class B quarterfinal against Chatham last Saturday. The Panthers scored a run in the top of the seventh inning to tie the game at 6, but the Blackbirds won the game in the bottom of the eighth on a bases-loaded walk.

"We had to perform today, and the kids did well," Voorheesville coach Hank Czerwinski said.

Steve Cardinal, Shayne Minick and Pete Lindner had RBI singles during a three-run second inning for Voorheesville which gave the Blackbirds a 3-1 lead. Chatham responded with three runs in the

top of the third and another in the sixth to take a 5-3 lead before the Blackbirds pulled ahead with another three-run rally in the bottom of the sixth.

Greg Delaney singled and scored twice for Voorheesville, which meets Spa Catholic in Wednesday's class B semifinal at the Boght Baseball Complex in Latham.

Bethlehem received a strong pitching performance from Chris Olsen in its victory over Guilderland. Olsen struck out five batters in the first two innings on his way to an eight-strikeout performance.

"He did a great job pitching, and we hit the ball," Helm said. "We only had eight hits, but we forced them to make plays."

Cameron Brown drove in two runs with a single, and Andrew Stanton fought off a strong wind to belt a solo home run to left field in the fourth inning for Bethlehem, which faces Shenendehowa in Wednesday's class AA semifinal at Joe Bruno Stadium in Troy.

Eric Stott pitched Ravena into Wednesday's class A semifinal against Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake with a two-hitter against Hudson Falls. Stott also collected two singles, and Tim Sugrue added an RBI triple for the Indians.

Mall

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Crossgates has been much in the news lately because of fights, all of which were between young men, but not all of the fights were between those under the age of 18.

At the mall Thursday afternoon, there was a mixed response, with some applauding the measure while others called it excessive. Walsh said that a survey showed 80 percent of merchants approved the move.

At the store Hot Topic, where posters of the movie Napoleon Dynamite and Jim Morrison are for sale beside black bustiers and T-shirts of heavy metal bands, assistant manager Crystal Wilson said she liked the policy.

Over the two years she's worked there, her store has attracted large groups of troubled teens under the age of 18, she said, but they are much more likely to try to shoplift than to buy.

"They come in to steal when they're not with their parents,"



Pyramid Companies CEO James Bovalino announces the parental escort policy

Mary Lannon

she said.

The policy will likely increase the number of paying customers in the mall, Wilson added.

"I think we're losing costumers in the mall in general because of

all the kids," she said.

But Adam Cooney, 19, who was hanging out at the mall, had an entirely different reaction.

"I think it's kind of stupid," he said. "I don't see how they're going to enforce it. It's just going to cause more problems."

He said he believed he would be hassled more because his height makes him look younger than he is. And he had another solution to the problem.

"They should keep more track of the kids doing the bad things," he said.

Cooney, a Shaker High School graduate, said that his life in high school would have been much

different had the policy been in place then. He and his friends regularly hung out at the mall a couple of hours before going to the movies. Most often, they'd play video games or eat.

Christina Adams, 23, and Katie Piccone, 20, workers at the mall, had different opinions on the policy.

"It's sad. . . If it's for the common good, it may have to be done," Adams said.

But Piccone said that the policy should be targeted at younger children.

"Maybe under 17," Piccone said. "It just seems a little excessive."

The New York Civil Liberties Union has also taken a stand on the measure.

The Walden Galleria policy in Buffalo has been denounced by the western New York Civil Liberties Union, according to its Web site. According to a press release on the matter, the western NYCLU believes that malls

should be designated public space as courts in California have ruled, rather than private space as courts in New York have ruled. Melanie Trimble, executive director of the Capital District NYCLU, did not take as strong a position.

"We're very well aware of the problems that the security force and the Guilderland police have been having in containing violent incidents at the mall. . . I think the mall is trying to do they best they can to abate the incidents," Trimble said.

Still, she said her organization would prefer a different solution.

"We would encourage the mall to look at other alternatives to reduce the problems they have with escalating violence at the mall rather than prohibiting teenagers gathering with their friends," she said.

But so long as the policy is not applied in a discriminatory manner, Trimble added, it's not the worst solution to a difficult problem.

Republicans

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the town still faces major issues.

"Four years ago, I ran on one simple theme: that the tax base was out of whack," Marcelle said. "Too many houses and not enough businesses, the taxes skyrocket and there is no relief in sight for the taxpayers. I'm happy to say some of these problems are being addressed."

He and Lenhardt worked to get this year's budget to reflect no increase in property tax, Marcelle said, and he continues to support economic development town, in hopes of making Bethlehem conjure images of a "business friendly town."

Bethlehem's status as one of

two finalists to house a dewatering facility as part of the Hudson River dredging project is also hot on Marcelle's mind.

"We have a billion dollar project (planned for the same site) that could be an asset to the town, a beautiful asset on our riverfront, and to allow PCBs to be incinerated in our town would be a disaster, proportions of which we don't understand yet," Marcelle said.

Frank Milano, in his fourth year as town judge, will be seeking re-election.

His position as town justice has been the "single thing" in his life that's taught him about people

and human nature.

Milano, who fellow party members called a "tenacious campaigner," summed up his philosophy of serving justice.

"I give people the benefit of the doubt until they prove me wrong," Milano said. "I let them take bite of the apple until they transgress. I'm willing to give second chances."

Milano said many of the people he sees in front of him have squandered second and third chances.

Particularly hard on drunk driving cases, Milano will never grant adjournments on driving while intoxicated arraignments. At those arraignments, people

charged with DWI have their privilege to drive suspended. An adjournment would mean those people would get an extra 30 days of driving privileges "on my watch," Milano said, "which is why I don't grant adjournments."

Kathy Newkirk will run for her eighth term as town clerk, with her fellow party members agreeing that the town clerk's office epitomizes friendly service.

"That's something I always pride myself on, that the town clerk's office is a service office," Newkirk said, noting compliments she gets from residents.

Last, but not least, Gregg

Sagendorph will close out the ticket's nominations, running for highway superintendent. Like Newkirk, Sagendorph will be running for his eighth term, but has served in the highway department for upwards of 30 years.

His fellow party members characterized Sagendorph as a hard worker who has helped make Bethlehem's network of roads consistently one of the best in the area, in both summer and winter.

Perez said there is no Republican candidate for town supervisor at this time because "we're focusing on our incumbents."

Democrats

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transportation issues on Route 9W.

"It's been an issue for many years, what to do with the Bypass, whether to go a northern or southern route," Egan said. "We faced losing \$7 million in federal aid, but we were able to make adjustments so that we didn't lose it. We're still not ready for it. There are still issues, but we were able to keep the money earmarked for the town of Bethlehem."

If all goes as planned, the town could have a new comprehensive plan by July. With that, Egan said she'd like to move forward with an open space preservation committee, one that will make recommendations or conduct administrative review regarding open space in town.

Such a committee proved to be one of the more controversial suggestions that popped up out of the comprehensive plan, but only because residents were concerned it would be another governmental body with a mandate, which Egan and the Bethlehem Planning Advisory

Committee assured residents was not the intention.

Egan noted, also, her desire to continue widening the tax base in town and balancing it out with commercial taxpayers.

"To alleviate the tax burden has been a foremost concern of mine," Egan said. "We've done some internal restructuring to help that. We've made really positive steps in that direction. We've got some new members of the Industrial Development Agency, who will bring some fresh insight to that area."

Another major concern for Egan is the town's status as a finalist for a dewatering facility as part of the Hudson River \$500 million dredging project.

Sam Messina, currently an IDA board member, said he will bring a no-holds-barred approach to his candidacy and service if elected.

Messina pointed to his steady participation in past town issues.

"Nothing appeals to me more than volunteering, to be able to contribute directly to the town. I figured I would take my past

investments and move it forward that way," said Messina, a former seven-year LUMAC committee member. The land use management plan that was worked on in the early- to mid-1990s but was never adopted, has served as a guideline for development in town and is the precursor to the current comprehensive plan. Messina also served in various positions on his church's board of trustees. Messina also serves on the DWI Impact Panel and volunteers as a Samaritan, working the suicide hotline.

Messina said economic development and taxes are also a big issue in town.

"Taxes in town are up, as they are everywhere. I'm a big believer in the fact that we need to control the tax base, try to reduce taxes before we raise taxes," Messina said.

Messina said he would be honest with voters and constituents, and that open government, especially between different municipal or school bodies, is important. Messina said the town also needs campaign

reform and said he supports term limits.

"Holding a political office is not meant to be a long-term career," Messina said.

Messina, now retired, had worked as director of administration and management of the state Department of State.

Kotary described himself as experienced in bipartisan politics, having

worked on the national and state governmental levels for both Republicans and Democrats.

"I decided to run for a couple of reasons, quite simple ones. I want to

preserve the community, enhance the quality of life," Kotary, a father of two with one on the way, said. "We are at a pivotal point in the history of the town and I want to keep Bethlehem headed in the right direction."

He noted, too, the double-edged sword associated with growth and the

difficulty in maintaining cost-effective, efficient services.

Kotary is no stranger to the campaign trail, having helped

work to get state Sen. Neil Breslin, D-Bethlehem and Albany County Executive Mike Breslin, D-Bethlehem, re-elected, as well as Democratic County Legislators Jack Cunningham, who represents parts of Delmar, and Herb Reilly. Kotary has also dedicated time to smart growth projects and economic development projects, including with the Albany-Colonie Regional Chamber of Commerce. He said those experiences will help him serve Bethlehem on the town board.

Kotary is also a member of the Capital Region Public Relations Society of America and volunteers time with the Parson's Children's Center.

Kotary, who moved to town in 2002, is wasting no time in getting involved.

"People say, 'why don't you wait?' The energy and enthusiasm are high, and right now is the time," Kotary said. "I don't want to wait until the issues have been decided."

Kotary is a senior account supervisor for public affairs at Eric Mower and Associates.

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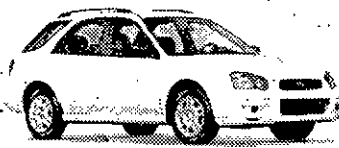
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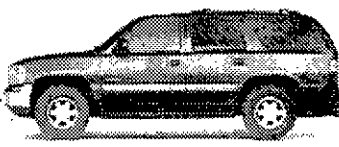
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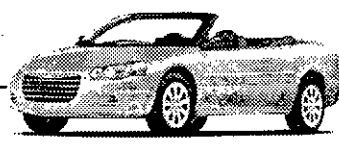


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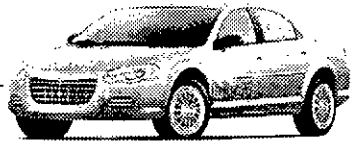
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all prices exclude tax, title & reg. *Financing available to credit qualified customers. ** If qualified. Offers end May 31st, 2005.



'05 CHRYSLER PT CRUISER
Silver, pl, pw, am/fm/cd, keyless entry, stk#5pt6
MSRP\$15,820
Marshall's Discount-\$200
Chrysler Rebate-\$1,000
Bonus Cash-\$1,000
Chrysler Finance*-\$1,000
\$12,620
all prices exclude tax, title & reg. *Financing available to credit qualified customers. ** If qualified. Offers end May 31st, 2005.

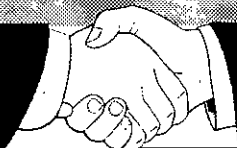


'05 CHRYSLER SEBRING
bright silver, loaded w/power, keyless entry & privacy glass, stk#5se3
MSRP\$20,695
Marshall's Discount-\$696
Chrysler Consumer Cash-\$2,000
Chrysler Bonus Bucks-\$1,000
Chrysler Finance*-\$1,000
\$15,999
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