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Santa comes to town

A large crowd gathered at the Four Corners in Delmar Friday, Nov. 30, to view the Bethlehem Holiday parade.

See photos on Pages 10 & 11.



Go'White' or go 'Plaid'

It's the holiday season and with the celebration comes cold weather, family get-togethers, presents and now, nights out to take in a show. Two theaters in the Capital District are preparing for opening night with their family-friendly holiday shows.

See story on Page 32.



Girls basketball

A role reversal took place when the Bethlehem and Colonie girls basketball teams met at the Bethlehem Tip-off Tournament last Friday.

Instead of Bethlehem chasing Colonie, it was Colonie chasing Bethlehem down the court. See story on Page 44.





A tearful farewell to accident victims

Families remember teens at funerals held on consecutive days

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

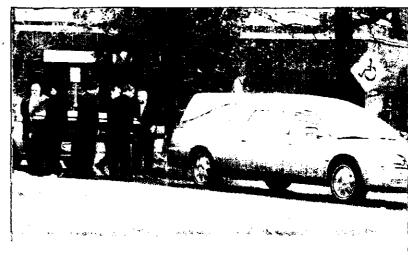
Family, friends and the entire Bethlehem school community are bearing the heavy burden of losing two bright young teens on Friday, Nov. 23, when Alexander Gould, 17, and Jackie McHugh, 16, were killed in a one-car auto accident on Meads Lane.

Two funerals on two successive days for both victims were held last week at St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Delmar, with hundreds of community members in attendance.

"The measure of life is not the number of years but the quality of the relationships," said the Rev. David Berberian of St. Thomas Church, presiding over the McHugh's service, on Tuesday, Nov. 27.

McHugh was driving a 1992 Acura along Meads Lane in Glenmont shortly after 9 p.m. on Nov. 23 when her vehicle struck a tree after leaving the road. Both McHugh and Gould were in the

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Pallbearers carry the casket of Jacqueline McHugh after funeral services Monday, Nov. 26. Jim Cuozzo/Spotlight

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Beware of work-at-home opportunities that sound too good to be true

> By GRAHAM S. PARKER parkerg@spotlightnews.com

From: Top Ten Home Jobs. Subject: Graham, Top Ten Work at Home Jobs.

> The sender of the message apparently scoured the Internet for the best work-from-home opportunities beginning in 2002 and compiled them into a top 10 list. However, there was only one on the list the sender's company, offering people the chance to make money at home by filling out surveys.

How much you make depends on how many you fill out.

The client testimonials will leave you drooling with anticipation for the feast of paychecks sure to come your way if, like John White of Des Moines, you put at least two hours a day aside to fill them out.

> When contacted, a representative from work-at-home one company

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search is on

Survey reveals what people are looking for in school superintendent

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

The next superintendent of Bethlehem schools should be someone who exhibits a great deal of integrity, is accessible and can inspire and motivate faculty, students and staff.

Those are the preliminary results of a survey of 600 parents, staff, students and other members of the community who took the time to fill out a questionnaire identifying the qualities and traits of the superintendent who will replace Leslie Loomis when he retires from the district in June after 21 years of service.

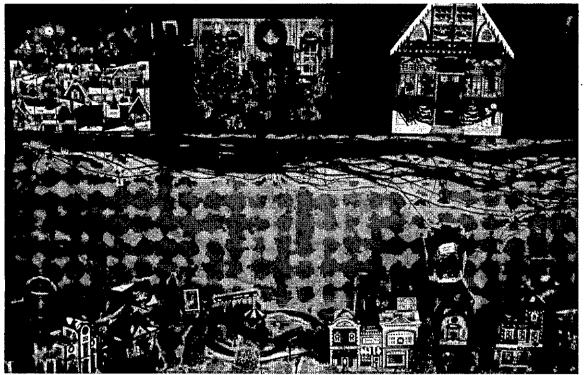
The superintendent search, now in its fifth week, will take place over the next four months, beginning with advertising for the position and interviewing candidates, and ending with the recommendation of a final choice.

This is in fact even more important than the redistricting process," said James Lytle, Bethlehem school board president to a group of 30 people who came out on a cold night Thursday, Nov. 29, at Bethlehem High School to share their thoughts with Wil-

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Winter Wonderland



Tea Laden in the Delaware Plaza Shopping Center gears up for the holidays with new decorative displays in their windows.

Jim Cuozzo/Spotlight

Police Blotter

Schenectady man charged with forging prescriptions

Bethlehem police have arrested a Schenectady man for stealing narcotics and forging prescriptions at the Glenmont Price Chopper.

Marcus J. Lonky, 46, is charged with felony criminal possession of a forged instrument, second degree, and forgery, second degree.

Lonky is believed to have filled numerous prescriptions

without having an actual prescription. He was charged following a joint investigation with the Bethlehem police and the Federal Bureau of Narcotics.

Lonky turned himself in following an arrest warrant signed by Town Justice Paul Dwyer. He was arraigned and released on \$10,000 bail.

Albany man charged with exposing himself

Bethlehem police have charged an Albany man with five counts of public lewdness following a five-month investigation.

David R. Gardner, 32, of 55 Park Ave., was charged with exposing himself in a lewd manner. The alleged incidents began in June at the CVS store on Delaware Avenue in Delmar with several

more incidents in October at the Delmar Delaware Avenue Hess Mart and in Glenmont outside the Bethlehem Town Center.

Gardner was arraigned in Bethlehem Town Court and will reappear on Jan. 15. The case was closed by his arrest.

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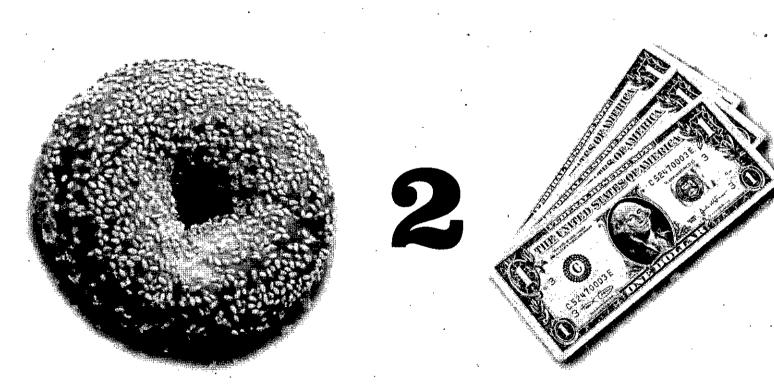
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December 6, 2007 3:00 p.m.
Capital District Transportation Committee
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Panel makes final boundary recommendations

would change schools under both scenarios

BY JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

Two recommended redistricting scenarios are now under review by the Bethlehem school board to accommodate the move of 400 students to Eagle Elementary next fall.

Every member of the school board was present at the final redistricting committee meeting, Tuesday, Nov. 27, that revealed scenarios 1A and 5 as the endorsed boundary proposals.

"We are in the final lap of this process," school board president James Lytle said.

Lytle thanked the 24-member committee, which is made up of principals and parents

Approximately 400 students from each of the district's elementary schools, along with the work of the consultant, Doug Hamlin of VersaTrans, for their professionalism.

> "I am very happy we chose to make this as public and as open a process as possible,' Lytle said.

> Nearly 45 parents from several different neighborhoods attended the meeting, with many pressing for adjustments before a final map is approved.

Don Segal urged the boardto consider a change along New Scotland Road that would allow families to take their children to Slingerlands School instead of Clarksville.

"My neighborhood is in the Slingerlands school system," said Segal.

· Janet Joseph made a final pitch for Caldwell Road to be switched back to Slingerlands School.

"Clarksville is 7 miles away and not our neighborhood school," said Joseph.

Superintendent Les Loomis told the board that scenarios 1A and 5 should not be altered if they reduce Clarksville's enrollment any further.

"It would not be my recommendation to the board to move any more students away from Clarksville," said Loomis.

Loomis said that average classroom population at Clarksville is 20.9 students this year and is expected to be 20.3 students per class next year if either of the two boundary maps is approved.

The committee also said there is a possibility of allowing next year's fifth-grade class to stay in their current home school for their final elementary year. Loomis said it would be a

costly transportation move for the district if approved by the board.

'Grandfathering all fifth graders would cost the district another \$174,000," said Loomis. "I recommend we not do any grandfathering."

The total number of students changing schools in scenario 1A is 433, and in scenario 5 that number is 395 students.

Hamlin said only two neighborhood units change between the two final scenarios. Loomis said a principal for the new Eagle School will be hired by the end of January and all staff for Eagle needs to be in place by the spring. A formal grand opening is scheduled for the school, and a PTA also needs to be formed. Spring welcoming events at all schools will be held.

Hamlin of VersaTrans bscd.k12.ny.us.

reminded the public that every e-mail and every suggestion is still under consideration before a final decision is made on Dec.

"It does not mean the process is over by any means," Hamlin

VersaTrans presented the school board with a two-page summary of recommendations regarding scenarios 1A and 5. Four question areas are still up for debate, including two neighborhood planning units assigned to Slingerlands and one assigned to Hamagrael.

The school board will begin final deliberations on redistricting at the Wednesday, Dec. 5, meeting to be held at the Adams Street headquarters at 7 p.m.

The maps are available on the district Web site at www.

The Golub family celebrates the 75th anniversary of Price Chopper Supermarkets during Founder's Dav festivities at the Ben and Bill's New York Deli in the Slingerlands Price Chopper store. Pictured from left (back row) Jerel Golub, Christopher Golub, (middle row) Mona Golub, Ira Ganz, David Golub, Jane Golub and Neil Golub, (front row) Max Golub.

Supermarket has reason to celebrate

Price Chopper turns 75 with a major expansion on horizon

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

Seventy-five is a good milestone to celebrate, especially when you're a locally owned company with sales topping \$3 billion and more than 24,000 employees.

Price Chopper's 75th anniversary events ran from September through November, with a Founder's Day celebration held Saturday, Nov. 17, at the Slingerlands store where the new Ben and Bill's New York Deli is featured. At the event, members of

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the Golub family shared memories as customers sampled sandwiches and listened to the music of Skip Parson's Clarinet Marmalade

Price Chopper was founded by Russian immigrant Lewis Golub under the Golub Wholesale name before becoming the Public Service Market in Green Island in 1932 with Ben and Bill Golub at the helm. The Golub brothers opened several more stores, eventually moving the headquarters to Schenectady and changing the name to Central Market, followed by another name change - Price Chopper - in 1973.

"It's one of the very few Americanmanaged family food supermarkets in the industry," said Mona Golub, vice-president of public relations and consumer service.

Neil and Lewis Golub now oversee the family-owned grocery chain, which has 116 stores in six states, with Jerry, David, Jane, and Mona Golub all working under the family management structure.

"We are still hands on and very passionate about the business. Mona Golub said.

"I support the company and am

proud to be a part of it," said Angelo Graziane, a 41-year employee who worked his way up the ranks from a night clerk at the old Curry Road, Schenectady, store to regional vicepresident, before retiring last year.

"My brother got me involved in Price Chopper, and he has been with them 51 years," Graziane said.

Graziane is referred to as Mr. Price Chopper in his neighborhood and said he believes it's a company where "hard-working people get

"Every associate in that store is part of the company, and they contribute," Graziane said.

Price Chopper has donated to more than 10,000 charities and philanthropic organizations over the years, from First Night to Red Cross disaster relief.

The company is also looking toward the future with a major expansion planned that will include several new stores and the construction of a six-story. 240,000-square-foot-corporate office in downtown Schenectady.

"The future is bright for this company," said Golub. "We are healthy, and we are growing."

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Two cell towers continue skyward

New Scotland ZBA OKs extensions

By GREG HITCHCOCK hitchcockg@spotlightnews.com

The New Scotland Zoning Board of Appeals decided to grant two applications regarding cell towers in the town Tuesday,

The first request came from Michael Cusack on behalf of Cellco Partnership, or Verizon

for an appeal the building inspector's decision regarding a tower

Wireless,

special-use permit application.

The ZBA voted 4-to-1 in favor of Cusack, which will allow an existing 95-foot tower to be extended 15 feet to a total height of 110 feet. The tower is situated on a parcel owned by the village of Voorheesville on Woods Hill Road.

The other application was decided 3-to-2 in favor of the New Scotland Cemetery Association to erect a 150-foot tower located on New Scotland South Road.

ZBA Chairman William Hennessy Jr. said that cell towers will be an issue in all

towns due to the nature of their construction and aesthetics. They have a visual impact," he said. "Different citizens have concerns with them where they live and visit."

Zoning Board Member Robert Parmenter said he understands that certain town residents are concerned about heights on structures such as cell towers.

"(New Scotland) is a beautiful town, and people

"They have a visual impact. Different citizens have concerns with them where they live and visit."

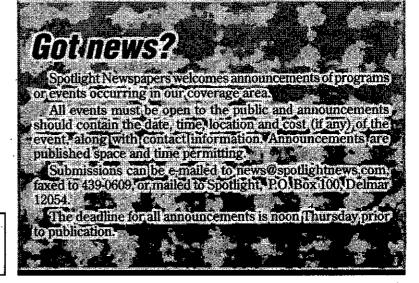
William Hennessy Jr.

are often concerned about any proposed changes," Parmenter

Hennessy said each cell tower application considered faces concerns about being in 'lay down' zones, which means if a tower fell, it would cross personal property lines.

Hennessy said tower height issues are something the town is expected to keep an eye on as New Scotland looks into using wind turbines to produce energy. .

"They do not fit into our zoning laws, but we are looking into such things," he said.



Musical Hanukkah will knock your socks off

By ROBIN SHRAGER SUITOR news@spotlightnews.com

This holiday season, gather the family round and find out where everyone stands on socks.

Here's my position: Socks are wonderful. Socks keep your feet warm. Some socks keep your legs warm right up to your of socks. Getting new socks knees. Others' socks stop at the is not the same as, say,

fabrics, sizes and colors. Some be fun. socks are so thick and fuzzy they can be worn as slippers. gifts, I told the other mom. She Other socks are so thin they can be worn with delicate dress fun part for the kids.

you can never have enough. The heels wear thin, the toe section develops holes, and occasionally the dryer eats half a pair. That's right; socks don't last forever.

Socks are sold at department daughter, now 11, certainly stores, shoe stores, and even the supermarket. I saw socks for sale at a bookstore recently. I wouldn't be surprised if you could find socks at a gas station.

Socks are not only practical, but they can also be fun. In short, socks make great gifts. At least they do in my house.

A few years ago I discovered that some people don't think as highly of socks as I do.

"I'm so glad you are giving Rachel real gifts this year and not just socks like last year," an acquaintance once said to me. It was near the December holiday season and I was with a group of moms waiting to pick up children from an extracurricular activity. The parents were discussing what was on their kids' wish lists and what they were buying them. I don't remember what gift items I had been talking about on the viola. that night, but this other mom had apparently remembered a conversation we'd had from the

new socks is the greatest gift more skilled each year,



daughter sheds tears of joy when she unwraps a package . getting a pony, a laptop or Socks come in a variety of a cell phone, but it can still

> The holiday is not all about said, "Yeah, but the gifts are the

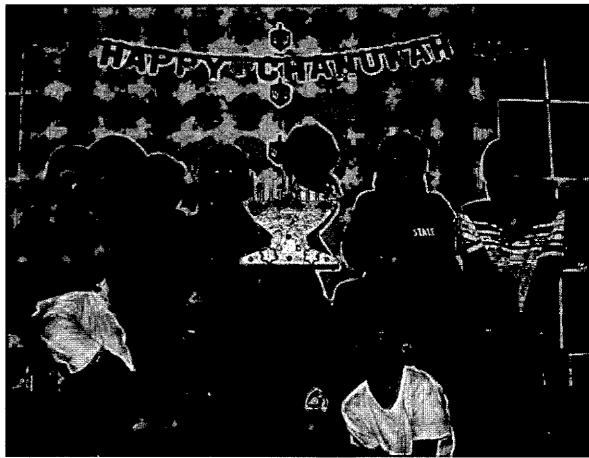
I dropped the subject even Everyone needs socks and though I greatly resented her comment about socks as a gift. As if somehow I was spoiling this woman's holiday by not buying my child gifts of a certain standard.

In our house, we celebrate Luckily, it's easy to find socks. Hanukkah. And while my enjoys getting presents, she also looks forward to other parts of the holiday.

A fairly new tradition in our family has been to invite friends over for a musical Hanukkah celebration. Any guest who plays a musical instrument is encouraged to bring it along. We've had people arrive with violas, violins, cellos and guitars. Piano players can "borrow" the one we are lucky enough to

Each musician gets the opportunity to play at least one song. It doesn't have to be a Hanukkah song. It can be any tune the person is comfortable playing. At our first musical celebration several beginner cellists performed "Ode to Joy," after which an adult treated us to a lovely rendition of Hatikvah

The sound of live music is joyous. Even missed notes and wrong notes sound wonderful, because it's the effort that I'm not saying that getting counts. The children become ever. I'm not saying that my and they take pride in their



Last year's Hanukkah gathering at the Suitors included, back row: Ilana Carp with Maia Weinstein on lap, Rachel LeFrock, Madeline LeFrock, Rachel Suitor, Julie Scharf and Ben Weinstein. Front row: Rani Schoenhaus, Seth Schoenhaus, Eden Weinstein, Alex Carp, Brianna Scharf.

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accomplishments. Last year freedom. More than 2,100 years even a toddler improvised a melody on the piano.

I love the music, but my favorite part of the evening is when we light the Hanukkah candles. Each family brings at least one menorah (candelabra); some bring one for each child in the family. Then, as a group we sing the prayers, and the children (with a parent's help, if required) light the candles.

While we listen to the music, we watch the flickering Hanukkah candles burn down. The glow from the "menorah table" is beautiful and adds warmth to the room. I feel blessed that I am able to celebrate the holiday surrounded by good friends.

Hanukkah, which began Tuesday, Dec. 4; evening, commemorates the Jews' victorious fight for religious

ago, Antiochus Epiphanes, the Greek king of Syria, declared that all people must worship Greek gods. Jewish rituals were outlawed and the Jews' holy temple was seized and

The Jews eventually won the long battle against the Syrian army. While preparing to rededicate their reclaimed temple. the Jews found one flask of holy oil, enough to light the lamps for just one day. A miracle occurred and the oil burned for eight days, enough time to obtain a new supply of oil.

In addition to lighting candles, other Hanukkah rituals include playing dreidle, eating chocolate gelt, and frying potato latkes. The holiday lasts for eight nights, providing the opportunity to have multiple celebrations with various friends and family.

We don't exchange presents with our guests. But we do give one another the gifts of friendship, community, and music.

And, of course, our celebration includes dinner. We share a meal, to which we've all contributed a dish. The adults gather in the living room for food and conversation. The kids eat at the kitchen table and then head to the basement to play. We all come together to light candles and hear the music.

It's really so simple: friends, food, candles and music.

During this holiday season, focus on what brings you joy, count your blessings, and help those less fortunate. If you feel the urge to be stressed and grumpy, stuff a sock in it.

Chief Meteorologist Mike Bono



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Thursday, December 6	68°/2001	5°/1901
Friday, December 7	65°/1998	7°/1901
Saturday, December 8	58°/1927	3°/1902
Sunday, December 9	62°/1966	11°/1902
Monday, December 10	64°/1966	4°/1902
Tuesday, December 11	61°/1952	8°/1988

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40.48 inches as of Thursday, November 29th 4.74 inches above average

This week in weather.

December 11-12, 1992 A great Noreaster pounded New York and New England with record high tides, winds of over 90 mph along coast and more than 30" of snow in the Berkshires, the Catskills and in Berne in Albany County. 32" at Worcester, MA was an all-time record.

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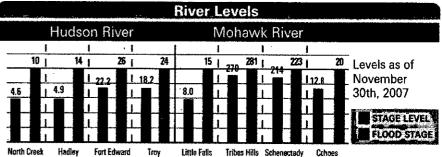
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Although the Winter Solstice, December 21st, is the shortest day of the year, the earliest sunset is December 9th and the latest sunrise is January 2nd. This is because the earth's orbit traces an ellipse.



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Scene Spotlight

Students stage Shakespeare's classic comedy

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In the almost empty auditorium of Bethlehem Central High School, Eric Mortenson killed himself five times, five different ways, in rapid succession.

Mortensen stepped off the edge of the stage and a couple of fellow actors laughed from above. He pantomimed impalement to guffaws from a few cohorts sitting in the first

From farther back, director Jim Yeara shouted, "Cool! Cool, cool, cool, cool, cool, "Cool"

It was rehearsal for Theater Withouta Net's upcoming production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream," and Mortensen was playing Bottom. The story pokes fun at the troubles of romance with a comic lovers' square. Magical mishaps, fairies and dreams round out a play of fancy from the Bard.

In learning about Shakespeare and England of that time, Molly Gordon, who plays Hermia, came to appreciate that audiences were less savvy than they are today. Successful playwrights like Shakespeare had to appeal to the lowest common denominator.

That's a far cry from the revered status Shakespeare's works now hold in the English-speaking world, worthy of scholarly study and performed time and time again.

Shakespeare used explicit and descriptive language, said Gordon, because in his time, people would "go to hear a play."

language, which is one reason it's a school subject. Acting out Shakespeare's plays makes it an even richer experience, said Yeara, a drama teacher at BCHS.

"They have to wrestle with the words - and make the words their own," Yeara said. "They know when they connect with the audience. That's golden."

Acting is more than words, of course, especially in modern times when people "go to see a play." And yet, the student actors said the first step is to own the words.

Freshman Laura Smith said she typed her lines out and underlined key words with their definitions to

Becky White, performing in her third Shakespeare production, said it gets a little easier each time.

"Once you understand what the words mean," said Mortensen, "it's easier to put your heart in it."

In the process, students gain tangible results. Yeara said he often hears students use quotes in casual conversation. On the academic side, he said, "Every year students will use plays they were in to write their Regents essays or their college applications."

Yeara directs students to bring their own truth to the characters. During rehearsal, he asked Smith what she does when someone makes fun of her, as happens to her character, Starveling.

"I defend myself," answered Smith.

"Meekly or strongly?" asked

Bethlehem Central High School's Theatre Without a Net presents "A Midsummer Night's Dream" Dec. 7 to 9 and 14 to 16 at the high school. Above, Zach McCarthy as Quince, David Ernst as Thisby, Eric Mortensen as Pyramus, Michelle Kennedy as Lion, Laura Smith as Moonshine and Becky White as Wall.

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"Strongly," said Smith, and she played the scene again.

Theater involves a wide spectrum of students, said Yeara, from special education to National Merit scholars.

"It cuts across cliques," he said

The students concur, emphasizing that theater is not exclusive in any way. Not only do the actors disdain the stereotype of "drama geeks wearing black berets," they talked about how freeing it was to act on stage-free from social expectations and the usual status quo.

The play is funny, said the teenage actors, who want to do all they can to enhance the experience for their audience. Shakespeare wrote very few stage directions, which gives actors a lot of freedom to choose action and movement.

Yeara helped with exhortations: "Let the emotion come out."

"Enjoy the alliteration."

"Make each thing physical."

With that, Mortensen died a final death.

Bethlehem Central High School's Theatre Without a Net presents "A Midsummer Night's Dream" Friday to Sunday, Dec. 7 to 9, and Friday to Sunday, Dec. 14 to 16, with performances Friday and Saturday evenings at 7 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday afternoons at 2 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Tickets are \$10, \$6 for students, and are available at the door. Reserve tickets at www. theatrewithoutanet.org.





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Matters of Opinion Spotlight

Does New York HAVA clue?

There's a date New Yorkers should be paying attention to, and it's not Hanukkah, Christmas or New Year. It's Dec. 20, the day that federal courts will decide whether to grant the Empire State its third waiver on complying with a law dated 2002, or whether to make sure we join every other state in the union in complying with the Help America Vote Act.

Our noncompliance speaks volumes to the outside world about the state of our state. It wasn't until 2005 that the state Legislature

Editorial

passed a law enabling the changes mandated by 2002 HAVA. Those of us used to Albany's ways weren't too surprised by this, but what is the rest of the country to make of the sclerotic nature of our government? Worse, what are any of us to think when, two years after that and nearly a year after the January 2006 deadline for compliance, all we can say is "we're still working on it"? Apparently our state set such high standards, compliance is impossible.

Not that there's anything wrong with high standards. But come on, there has to be something acceptable in at least one of the other 49 states that we could use.

How does this affect efforts to improve the Upstate economy? We're still waiting for AMD – and other nanotech businesses – to decide whether to come to a highly taxed, chilly climate. Are they now wondering whether New York takes the hallmark of the democratic process – voting – seriously?

If you think HAVA is boring, remember the hanging chads and butterfly ballots of the 2000 presidential election, and the recent error in Colonie's voting machines that wouldn't let voters stray from the party line.

We were reminded of Soviet-era party line voting this past weekend, when Russians allowed Putin to tighten his grip on his nation. In Venezuela, voters defeated Hugo Chavez's efforts to create even more of a socialist state.

On Feb. 5, New Yorkers will be casting their first votes for the next president, as primaries are scheduled in the state. What will a federal court have to say on Dec. 20? Will we still be able to hold that election? Will our results be challenged as the presidential race continues? If we must comply with HAVA by then, what will the cost to taxpayers be?

Is this really how we want the state of Empire to be?

Hanukkah's themes universal

By DAN ORNSTEIN news@spotlightnews.com

The author is a rabbi at Congregation Ohav Sholom in Albany and a writer.

I am often asked many questions about what members of the Jewish faith do during the winter holidays. This is only natural, since the celebration of Christmas is of such great importance in our predominantly non-Jewish culture. Generally, the two things which I am asked about the most are why Jews do not celebrate Christmas and what the meaning of Hanukkah is.

In this article, I will focus on the latter question. What is Hanukkah and what is its meaning? The Talmud — the great Jewish literary work of religious law, custom, and belief, which was created more than 1,500 years ago — asks precisely this question in one of its tractates. It answers this question with the famous tale of the miraculous way in which a small cruse of pure olive oil burned for eight days on the menorah (the candelabrum) in the ancient Temple of the Jewish people in the city of Jerusalem. The cruse had only enough oil for one day; however, through God's intervention, it kept burning long enough for the Temple priests to produce more olive oil for long-term use in the Temple sanctuary. For complex political and religious reasons, the Talmud fails to mention the chain of events leading up to that great miracle.

After the death of Alexander the Great in 323 B.C., his empire was divided among his generals roughly into two kingdoms: the Ptolemaic Dynasty, which ruled from Egypt, and the Seleucid Dynasty, which ruled from Syria. The two dynasties were often at war with each other over control of what is now Israel, which is

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where one of the most significant Jewish communities lived at that time. It was in the land of Israel that the Jewish people had enjoyed – with some tragic interruptions - nearly 900 years of settlement, many of those years as an autonomous or sovereign community. Jews fared rather well under both kingdoms, though they were constantly under the pressure of assimilation into the Hellenistic (Greek) culture, which had been brought into the different countries conquered by Alexander. Historians generally agree that the upper classes and the wealthier priestly families within Jewish society were great supporters of assimilation, whereas the lower classes, many of whom lived in rural areas, clung tenaciously to Jewish tradition, faith and practice. (The polemics of both sides of this conflict from that time notwithstanding, there is no reason to assume that there were not Jews who tried to balance commitment to Judaism with participation in Hellenistic culture in their own lives.)

Some years after the Seleucids took control of the land of Israel in 200 B.C., the Seleucid king Antiochus IV rose to power. Legend has it that he referred to himself as "Epiphanes," or "God Manifest," believing himself to be a god. The locals, however, referred to him as "Epimanes," the madman. Due to political and military insecurity, Antiochus decided that the religious nonconformity of the Jews presented a threat to his stability in the region. He feared that their refusal to worship and practice in the same manner as the surrounding pagan cultures would breed disloyalty, and ultimately, open rebellion. He embarked upon a campaign of persecution against the Jewish community, demanding that Jews cease practicing their faith or be killed. All practices, including Jewish study, worship, observance of the Sabbath, circumcision, the dietary laws and the Jewish holidays, were forbidden on pain of death. More often than not, Antiochus was assisted in his efforts by the assimilationists mentioned

It took the bravery and religious faith of a local priest, Mattathias, and his five sons to rally the Jews of Jerusalem and its environs in a battle for freedom against the decrees of Antiochus. Between 167 and 165 B.C., Mattathias' son, Judah, led his people in guerilla warfare against the Seleucid armies. However, it should be noted that their battle was as much a civil war against their fellow Jews who were assimilationists as it was a war against the occupying Syrian-Greek forces. Given their poor training, poverty, and lack of resources, the Maccabees (as they were known then), stood almost no chance of defeating the vastly powerful army of Antiochus. However, they ran his army out of Jerusalem and the holy Temple and restored religious freedom to the Jewish community. It was in the process of the purification and rededication of the holy Temple that the miracle of the oil occurred. As Dr. Ron Wolfson in his book on Hanukkah puts it, "Oil's well that ends well!"

That is the story of Hanukkah - both its legends and its historical facts — in a nutshell, but what about its meaning for us today? Hanukkah is a great holiday because it is so particularly Jewish, yet its themes can speak to all people. We Jews believe that the Maccabees were triumphant not merely through any accident of history but because of their faith in God, which gave them the strength to fight their oppressors. It is this faith that has strengthened the Jewish people for thousands of years despite adversity and persecution.

The universal message of this holiday is that we can find the faith, hope and perseverance to deal with any trial or tribulation in our lives. This is especially so when the source of our faith is God. Hanukkah also serves as a model to all people for our struggle against oppression, especially religious oppression and racism. Jews have used this model for many years to find strength when we have been persecuted for being Jews. It is certainly a model that fits well with the American emphasis on political freedoms and inalienable civil rights for all people. As certain political and religious forces in America seek to erode those freedoms and rights for the rest of us out of narrow and bigoted self interest, we would do well to recognize that Antiochus rears his ugly head in many subtle and nefarious forms in every generation.

Finally, Hanukkah teaches us an important lesson about identity: It is imperative that we be ourselves, and learn to celebrate our uniqueness. One of the hazards of life in an open. secular society is the way in which members of our many cultures give up their specific identities in order to integrate more easily into the larger American culture. Fitting in is certainly a good thing, but it should never come at the expense of the unique religious and cultural heritages which we inherit. (This is especially the case during the winter holidays, when our materialistic "Hallmark Card" society unthinkingly attempts to identify Hanukkah and Christmas as merely two nice, interchangeable celebrations. This is unfair to Judaism and to Christianity, two great and distinctive religions.) These heritages are what give our lives value and meaning, and they enrich American society immeasurably. To lose them would be a tragedy.

My best wishes to all of our readers for a happy holiday season

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Editor, The Spotlight:

In the sprit of Christmas, I would like to get our sign back that I put up at the Four Corners announcing the Bethlehem Lions Christmas Tree Sale.

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not inexpensive.

If it was taken down to put up the Christmas tree, I would have relocated it.

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Residents hear road improvement plans Cookbook

County to update Normanskill and Johnston roads with pedestrianfriendly additions

By GREG HITCHCOCK hitchcockg@spotlightnews.com

The Westmere Elementary School gymnasium was packed Thursday, Nov. 29, with residents of New Scotland and Guilderland as JeffPangburnofCreighton Manning Engineering explained Albany County's proposed rehabilitation project on Normanskill and Johnston roads.

The project will rehabilitate 7.68 miles of Johnston Road in the towns of Guilderland and New Scotland from state Route 155 to U.S. Route 20.

The project includes reconstructing the pavement, installing new curbs and sidewalks, and improving drainage and bicycle and pedestrian facilities.

Construction is tentatively scheduled to begin in spring and be completed by the end of 2008. The estimated total cost of the project is \$10.3 million, which will

Residents listen to Jeff Pangburn of Creighton Manning Engineering, LLP at Westmere Elementary School Thursday about Albany County's road rehabilitation project.

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be financed through a county bond issue, according to Albany County's Department of Public Works Web site.

Pangburn said the project will not be touching homes, and

He said trees might have to be taken down along the Oxford Heights Apartments area, but the area will be replanted with smaller trees and there will be a three-way intersection on Veeder Road to slow down traffic.

Since the first public meeting on the topic last summer, the county has analyzed the feedback and comments and made certain changes to the project, including relocating the sidewalk between Garnett Lane and Western Avenue to the east side, flattened the horizontal curve at Glen Hollow Road to meet minimum standards, designed a new vertical alignment to provide adequate stopping sight distance, identified potential rightof-way impacts and reached out to the property owners and addressed existing drainage issues.

Barbara Scher of Normanskill Road asked the county to allow a water main to be installed in conjunction with the project in order to provide water to families residing on Normanskill and Wormer roads in the town of New Scotland.

Pangburn said the county is working with the towns of Guilderland and New Scotland, but it was difficult as engineers to influence the decision.

"This is more relevant to the towns' regulatory and political conditions. Should the towns want to incorporate it in, it must be driven by the town supervisors," he said.

Claire Nolan of McKownville said she is an avid bicycle rider and welcomes the fact the county is constructing pedestrian paths and bicycle shoulders.

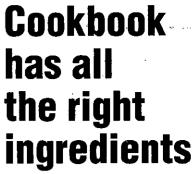
"People will start listening to their hearts and ride bikes more," she said.

Joe Satalino of Johnston Road said he has no confidence that the engineers will do a good job at reconstructing the road, and when something goes wrong the county will not act. "We just want to be left alone," Satalino said.

New Scotland Supervisor-elect Thomas Dolin lauded the highway improvement project.

"New Scotland in general is a popular biking center with nearby Thacher Park and Route 85," Dolin said. "This is a nice improvement for the community and for those outside the community who love to go biking."

Dolin said he wants to have discussions with Albany County to allow the project to be split into two parts so the town can have time to form a water district to provide a water main to New Scotland residents. He said the process could take as long as six months.



Local Girl Scout compiles recipes to earn her Silver Award

By JACKIE SHER news@spotlightnews.com

Girl Scout Amberly Vincent, 14, of Bethlehem, earned her Silver Award by assembling 72 cookbooks, which were distributed at the First Church Food Pantry in Albany on Thanksgiving Day.

To come up with the 30 simple and nutritious recipes, Vincent browsed numerous Web sites and cookbooks, some of which she found on her own and others that were given to her by the leader of the food pantry.

"A few of them I made ... but not all," said Vincent of the recipes she compiled.

The Girl Scout Silver Award is given to girls, usually in grades six to nine, who demonstrate a commitment to improving their lives and the lives of others. A Girl Scout is required to complete a certain number of hours on the project to earn the award.

"We needed 40 hours minimum for our project," said Vincent. "I put in about 42 all together."

Vincent said she learned of the Albany Food Pantry through Delmar Presbyterian Church, which she attends. The church regularly sends volunteers to the food pantry.

The idea for the cookbooks was developed by Barbara Morgan, who is the leader of the First Church Food Pantry. Morgan had always thought about making a recipe book to hand out at the pantry.

Vincent visited the food pantry a couple of times to collaborate with Morgan on what types of recipes and ingredients to include.

Recipes in Vincent's cookbook include a number for Thanksgiving dishes, as well as everyday meals and snacks. The book also includes ideas for reusing leftovers.

"[She] did a tremendous amount of work, and she did most of it completely on her own," said Morgan. "The cookbooks were received well."

Vincent has been a Girl Scout for nine years. Before applying for the Silver Award, Girl Scouts must fulfill requirements in leadershipbuilding, living skills, career exploration and a commitment to self-improvement.

In addition to her work compiling recipes, Vincent has been busy with other extracurricular activities, including working on her school's yearbook and as a member of the track team.

"I give the girls a lot of credit for sticking with the Girl Scouts. This is huge, between sports and academics ... to stay committed to Girl Scouts, that's admirable," said Laurie Nickford, troupe leader.

For more information about the Girl Scouts, visit www.gsneny. org.

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County questions cost of HAVA

As compliance deadline nears again, election officials say plan lacks common sense

By GRAHAM S. PARKER parkerg@spotlightnews.com

As a December compliance deadline nears, Albany County elections officials have come up their own version of what the HAVA — Help America Vote Act - acronym stands for, but they aren't sharing what it is.

Lately, and especially after each election, officials from the county down to municipal officers are using the phrases "joke, poorly thought out and waste of money,' when they speak of the 2002 federal legislation, which was meant to streamline the election process and prevent the confusion that surrounded the ballots in some states during the 2000 presidential

Other than federal and state mandates, the only thing county election officials have seen as a result of the legislation is one new machine and thousands in extra costs each election.

Federal courts are expected on Thursday, Dec. 20, to either extend the state its third waiver on compliance deadlines or crack the whip, said Albany County **Board of Elections Democratic** Commissioner Mathew Clyne.

If the latter happens, the county will have to move quickly to supply additional handicap-accessible voting machines, come up with the money and space to store replacement electronic voting machines and work out all the kinks since taking over elections in all county municipalities last year.

"Albany is kind of like in a Twilight Zone. As far as Upstate counties, we are one of the largest. These timelines (to come into compliance by 2008) are completely unreal," said Clyne.

For towns, it has only overcomplicated a process that, for the most part, has run smoothly in New York. It also has resulted in hundreds of thousands of dollars looming in municipal budgets in county charge backs soon to take affect. However, the county has eased the burden on its municipalities with a plan to move away from per capita and assessed value charge-back formulas to a simpler cost-of-doingelections formula, which could result in huge savings for some

towns. Colonie will see a \$140,000 reduction in expenses paid to the county as Albany looks to recoup the costs for running the 2006

"We are finalizing the numbers that will be sent to the municipalities in the next few days. The numbers we are finalizing are based on actual costs. This is a bill for the 2006 elections," said John Rodat, commissioner of management and budget for Albany County.

November's general election has exposed some cracks in the current infrastructure. Colonie's official election results are tied up in the courts pending a challenge by GOP candidates due to wrongly formatted lever machines. The machines only allowed voters to vote along party lines, closing out any possibility of voting outside party affiliation on a combination of the three Republican and Democrat contenders for town board.

Numbers were also skewed between Colonie and unofficial county numbers. In the uncontested Colonie Town Justice race, Colonie's numbers showed Peter G. Crummey received 12,889; the county transposed the votes at 21,188.

Commissioners fixed the problem Thursday, Nov. 30.

As the county waits for the state to approve the voting machines that will be used throughout New York, the election commissioners and Colonie Town Clerk Elizabeth Del Torto are asking why the old machines should even be replaced.

The biggest problem with voting has always been human error, said John Graziano, county Republican commissioner. And no electronic machine mandated by HAVA will remove that.

"It ran fine all those years," Del Torto said.

This year's blunder in Colonie was an oversight, and by the time it had been noticed the morning of Election Day, polls had already been open four hours, she said. It was human error.

"I think the old machines work just fine. This election was not the fault of the machine. It did what it was told to do," said Del Torto.

She admitted that the prospects of a digitized machine that could cut in half the typical 15-hour work day that is Election Day sounded nice. But at what cost?

The old machines don't need specialists, both technical and electrical, not to mention climate control storage. If the old machines break, they are fixed instantly, she said. That won't be the case with the new electronic machine, working on a Windows platform that will need technical support with every glitch.

So why the change? Accessibility for handicapped voters, an area that needed to be addressed, said the commissioners, but that is an area that has been addressed through years with a simpler and cheaper solution: absentee ballots.

The initial intent of HAVA was to get every state on the same page when it comes to the logistics of voting. Recently the focus has switched to handicap accessibility, said Graziano. That brought up more questions of whether or not to buy a specialized machine for polling stations or buy voting machines with the capacity to serve the general public at large, including the handicapped.

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accessible machine that uses a ballot marking device to cast votes. The one machine was set up for September primaries and November's general elections at the county Board of Election's North Russell Road offices. Ballots and expenses to operate the machine ran about \$21,000, said Graziano. No one used the machine in September; one or two voted on it in November, he said.

There is no consideration for money here. Common sense has not seemed to prevail in this process," Graziano said.

Even if the original intent was to solely provide better access for disabled voters, current steps have not served that intent. For one, traditionally, disabled voters prefer to vote from home, Graziano said. Also, the new accessible machines aren't the end-all cure the machine manufacturers and lobbyists would have people believe, he said.

The bigger problem for me is the charge back the county is placing on the town. I have budgeted \$80,000 a year for 10 years, and have never spent that," said Del Torto.

IN BRIEF

H.I.L.L. presents a free lecture

H.I.L.L: presents a free lecture Thursday, Dec. 13, from 10 a.m. to noon at the Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

The talk titled, "Blurring the Color Line: Immigration and the Prospects for Racial Change," will be given by Richard Alba, distinguished professor of sociology and public policy at the University at Albany.

Lutheran Church to perform live nativity

The youth of Bethlehem Lutheran Church will be reenacting the birth of Jesus Christ live on Sunday, Dec. 16, at 6:15 p.m. on the grounds of Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar.

There will be live animals.

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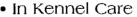


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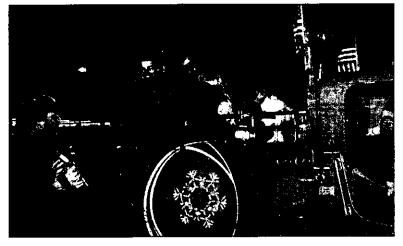
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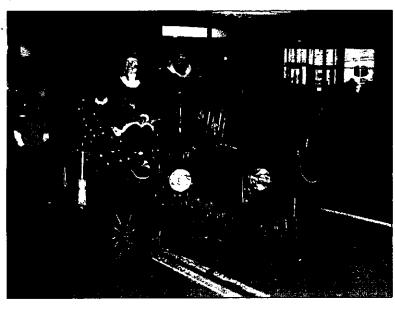
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Kicking off the season

Santa, above, was the most popular man at the Four Corners on Friday at the Four Corners Holiday Open House in Delmar.

Far left, Alicia Futia and John Zboray motor through the parade.

Near left, Nancy, Lily, Abby and Joe Giebelhaus wait to see Santa at the Four Corners.

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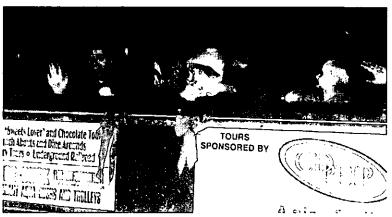
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Above, town workers prepare the Delmar Four Corners holiday tree for the Nov. 30 and Dec. 1 weekend holiday event.

Left, trolley passengers in Friday evening's parade include, from left, Jack Kempf, Riley and Ryan Donovan and Lily Watson.



Santa arrived by fire truck to light the Four Corners tree and greet the many children waiting his arrival. Above, Lauren Brennan and her brother Andrew (back to the camera) meet up with The Big Guy.

Photos by Katherine McCarthy



IN BRIEF

Family Dance to be held at Delmar Reformed Church

A family dance will be held at the Delmar Reformed Church on Sunday, Dec. 9, at 4 p.m. at the Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

The caller will be Paul Rosenberg with live string band music by Tame Rutabaga.

There will be participatory contra, square and international folk dancing, singing and party games. All dances taught.

No experience or partner needed. Donation of \$1 to \$5 is requested.

For information, call 482-9255 or 292-0133, or visit www. danceflurry.org.

June's Cafe to serve Christmas dinner

June's Cafe is celebrating the holiday with a special candlelight Christmas Dinner Friday, Dec. 7, from 5 to 8 p.m.

The will be a choice of three entrees and Jeremy and Isabel will perform duets on violins.

Reservations are suggested; call 768-2570.

June's is located at 2082 Delaware Turnpike in Clarksville.

Ancient Order of Hibernians to hold boutique, garage sale

Ancient Order of Hibernians, 375 Ontario St., Albany, is hosting a boutique and garage sale on Saturday, Dec. 8, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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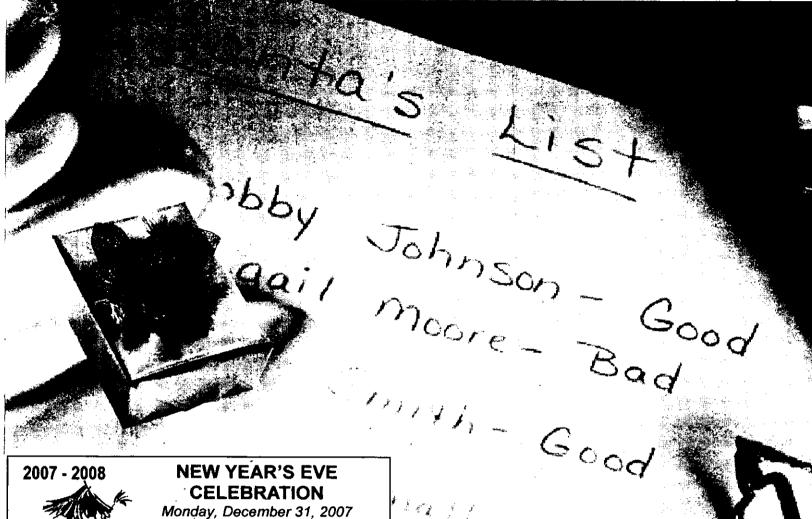
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Home Depot joins with Jewish group to hold menorah-making workshop

By GRAHAM S. PARKER parkerg@spotlightnews.com

Chabad of Colonie is giving Jewish youth this Hanukkah a hands-on learning experience into the history and symbolism of the menorah.

The organization partnered with Home Depot on Washington Avenue Extension in Albany to host a Sunday, Dec. 2, workshop.

"It's a great idea and a beautiful concept. Kids love creating things. This is hands-on education," said Rabbi Yaakov Weiss, Chabad of

Colonie director.

Home Depot staff guided children in making a wooden menorah to use this holiday, which began this year at sundown Tuesday, Dec. 4, and lasts until Wednesday, Dec 12.

Home Depot craftsmen and Ron Glasser, owner of Creation, a custom craft company in south Troy, designed the menorah.

Glasser was on hand to help children assemble the menorahs. The heavy lifting, use of tools and cutting was done in house by Home Depot craftsmen. Children were left to nail and glue the pieces together, said Glasser.

The menorah being built at the workshop was a classical design with a center post and vertical

struts with wooden cups on top to hold the candles. There were enough supplies for 50 children to build menorahs. The assembly didn't take more than two hours, Glasser said.

In the end, the children were left with fully functional pine menorahs, said Weiss.

The idea was to give children a look back into the craftsmanship of the menorah and share with them the history and significance of the piece, said Weiss.

"It's the triumph of light over evil and darkness," he said.

Both Home Depot and Chabad of Albany have workshops that allow children to work with wood or other materials, Weiss said.

As part of the Hanukkah celebration, Weiss shows children how to make olive oil, the traditional fuel used in Jewish temples. Weiss, with help from the children, uses an olive press to extract the fruits' oils. Historically, it took eight days to press, formulate and consecrate the oil.

The eight candles of the menorah symbolize the eight days that one day's worth of oil burned while the Jews prepared more holy oil to rededicate their temple following their defeat of the Syrian army more than 2,100 years ago. Hanukkah commemorates that fight for religious freedom.

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Former supervisor joins consulting group

Former Bethlehem Supervisor Kenneth J. Ringler has joined the corporate strategy team of HB Solutions LLC, a consulting affiliate of the Harris Beach PLLC law firm, as team leader and senior business advisor in the Albany and New York City

Ringler is also the former executive director of the Port Authority of New York and New Iersev and former commissioner of the state Office of General Services.

Ringler will consult with clients on a wide range of state and local government issues, and establishing best practices for conducting business with government.



ing includes compliance with procurement contracts and related issues.

He was appointed executive director of the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey in October 2004 and was responsible for a budget of more than \$5 billion and oversaw approximately 7,000 employees at the agency. He also served as president to the Port Authority's subsidiaries.

The Port Authority's facilities include the World Trade Center, John F. Kennedy International, Newark Liberty International, LaGuardia and Teterboro airports, Stewart Airport, AirTrain JFK, AirTrain Newark, the George Washington Bridge, the Lincoln and Holland tunnels, three bridges in Staten Island, the Port of New York and New Jersey and the Port Authority Trans-Hudson rapid transit rail system.

As commissioner of OGS, Ringler was responsible for the management of an office that delivers diverse support services to all state agencies, including leasing, design and construction, information technology, procurement services, inter-agency mail services and more. OGS provides architectural, engineering and construction management services involving approximately 10,000 state buildings at more than 850 locations statewide; building management, energy saving operations and maintenance services to 50 major office complexes and buildings statewide; and oversees the procurement of more than \$2 billion worth of supplies, materials and equipment annually as well as service and technology contracts for all state agencies, participating local governments, and others authorized by law.

From May 1999 through March 2001, Ringler was executive deputy commissioner at the state Department of Motor Vehicles. He was first deputy Secretary of State and served as the chairman of the Emergency Financial Control Board for the City of Yonkers.

He was Bethlehem's supervisor from 1990 to 1993. and was chairman of the town's planning board from 1988 to 1989. He was the longtime owner of Del Lanes in Delmar.

He currently serves on the boards of the Albany Symphony Orchestra and Woodlandhill Montessori School. He is a graduate of Siena College and is married to Marty DeLaney, president of the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce.

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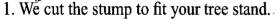
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Holiday concert



The Friendship Singers will host their holiday concert on Monday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the Delmar Reformed Church on Delaware Avenue at the Four Corners. Above, Joan Graber, Muriel Welch, Linda Hohn and Stephanie Bollam prepare for the concert. The 25th anniversary concert will include holiday classics, and is free of charge.

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IN BRIEF

Garden club to host holiday party and ladies night

The Men's Garden Club of Albany, voluntarily serving the Capital District for almost 70 years, will hold its annual holiday party on Thursday, Dec. 13, with dinner beginning at 7 p.m. at the Best Western Sovereign Hotel, 1228 Western Ave. in Albany.

The guest speaker will be Pamela Hardcastle from Garden and Floral Design. Her topic will be "Christmas Decorations Made Easy."

This is also ladies night. All women are welcome and they do not need to be a wife of a garden club member nor a relative.

In addition, members of the Men's Garden Club will be presenting awards for various accomplishments and there will be the installation of officers

The cutoff date to make reservations is Thursday, Dec.

6. If you have any questions or wish to make a reservation, call Albert Miller at 459-2412.

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Around the County

Locals court specialty grocer for Capital District

Despite enthusiastic campaign, Trader Joe's says it has no imminent plans for area

By GRAHAM S. PARKER parkerg@spotlightnews.com

Trader Joe's, a specialty grocer based in California, has made it a company policy to not succumb to public cries urging centers. it to open shop nearby.

Why? Because it happens frequently. The letter-writing campaigns and e-mails asking the store to open shop, have gone as far as a Hawaiian-shirtthemed town council meeting in North Sacramento several years ago. It was all part of a communitywide plot to bring the store to newly developed retail

It happens nationwide and the Capital District is no different.

Don't hold your breath for Albany Mayor Jerry Jennings to sport a Hawaiian shirt anytime soon, or the newly elected Democratic majority in Colonie to do the same this coming January. But a similar movement started months ago and has

done nothing but gather steam and Trader Joe enthusiasts.

"From what I understand, they are interested in this area. It's a progressive company and we are a progressive community," said Bruce Roter of Albany.

The College of Saint Rose associate professor of music and Trader Joe's booster started a "We Want Trader

Joe's in the Capital Region" campaign in late summer.

Since leaving Portland, Ore., a decade ago, Roter has had a 10-year itch for the company's goods - an itch that is only occasionally scratched when visiting relatives and friends bring Trader Joe's products to his downtown Albany home. The nearest store is in Hartsdale, a 139mile, two-hour-and-22 minute. drive from Roter's home due south. The Hartsdale store is one of a dozen downstate Trader Joe's that straddle Long Island Sound.

Roter wants one bad, and so do the 1,400 other members that have signed on to his campaign to bring the store to the Capital District. Where, it doesn't matter — Albany, Colonie, Clifton Park or Saratoga Springs. Roter said he, his wife and their three girls would gladly drive more than a half-hour to shop at Trader Joe's.

He has started several letterwriting campaigns and went so far as to donate \$1,500 in food and money to the Regional Food Bank of Northeastern New York. For each donation made, the group asked that the food bank send acknowledgement to the president of Trader Joe's East Coast corporate headquarters.

". "Unfortunately, wooing doesn't go into our decisionmaking as far as a new location," said Alison Mochizuki, director of national publicity for the southern California company.

She said the company does not divulge its real estate matters and what's behind location decisions.

"We don't have a location for the next two years planned up there in upstate New York," said Mochizuki, adding only that "up there" was "not Brooklyn."

Roter said he is almost certain the store is nosing around the area. Especially as new residential and development that falls in line with the company's demographic continues to spring up, he said.

Members of "We Want Trader Joe's in the Capital Region" are from all walks and trades, he said. Some are in real estate: others are just eager to see one move into the area. All of them have their own ideas as to where such a store should go. Roter said he's heard rumors that one site in particular has recently pinged on the radar: the now vacant Barnes & Noble building on Wolf Road in Colonie.

The bookstore moved into the newly renovated Colonie Center Mall, next to recent additions P.F. Chang's China Bistro and Cheesecake Factory, another Californiabased company, and the L.L. Bean outlet.

To learn more about "We Want Trader Joe's in the Capital Region" and the grocer, visit www.wwtj.org.

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"Gate of Angels" by Penelope Fitzgerald will be discussed at the library's DayBooks meeting on Monday, Dec. 17, at 1:30 p.m. It's 1912 in England. A Cambridge University scientist and a hospital nurse wind up in the same hospital room after a bicycle accident. The hospital assumes they are married; they are not. What follows is a delightful, insightful tale by an author who began her

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writing career at the age of 60. Copies of the books are available at the information desk. New members are welcome at both groups. Books under discussion are sometimes available in largeprint or recorded format; call 439-9314 for information.

'Big Read' sneak peak

Last spring we joined libraries, museums, schools and other institutions in Albany and Rensselaer counties for The Big Read — a National Endowment for the Arts initiative designed to promote shared literary reading among residents, community groups and civic organizations. The month-long event was cosponsored by The New York State Writers Institute and the Upper Hudson

Library System. Special events, book discussions, concerts and art exhibits featured "Their Eyes Were Watching God" by Zora Neale Hurston.

We're pleased to inform you that UHLS has received a second grant from the NEA to host another Big Read this spring. This year's selection is Edith Wharton's "Age of Innocence." Stay tuned for more information.

Latest library publications

The library's latest annual report, "Working Together," is now available at the information desk and online at www. bethlehempubliclibrary.org. The publication has been recast in an accessible brochure format.

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IN BRIEF

Area businesses to participate in Buv Local Day

Two neighborhood businesses are celebrating all things local on Saturday, Dec. 8, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Java Jazz Cafe, 318 Delaware Wednesday, Dec. 19, 10:30 Ave. in Main Square, Delmar, will give customers a complimentary cup of organic, locally roasted coffee with the purchase of a muffin or pastry.

> Also, Peaceful Inspirations, 384 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, will offer 15 percent off all Swarovski crystal.

> All customers will also receive entry forms to enter a raffle to win one of four gift baskets filled with local contributions from Capital District Local First Business Members. The value of each basket is approximately

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High School holiday concert set

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All are invited to attend the free event.

Board of education meeting planned

The next meeting for the Voorheesville board of education will be held on Monday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the Voorheesville High School in the cafeteria.

All are invited.

Friends of Music meeting set for Dec. 11

The next meeting for the Voorheesville Friends of Music will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 11, in Room 159 at the Voorheesville High School.

Superintendent's **Conference Day**

There will be a Superintendent's Conference Day at the Voorheesville Central School District on NEWS NOTES Voorheesville Betsy Glath 765-4415



Tuesday, Dec. 11. Students will be dismissed at 12:45 p.m.

Sheriff's office once again sponsoring Hilltowns **Christmas program**

The Albany County Sheriff's Department is sponsoring the 17th annual Hilltowns Christmas Program by collecting toys, food and cash donations.

All items are redistributed back into the community.

Anyone wishing to donate nonperishable food items or new, unwrapped toys may do so at the Albany County Sheriff's Department in Voorheesville.

All donations should be received by Dec. 21.

Those wishing to make monetary donation can mail a check to the Albany County Sheriff's Department at 390 New Salem Road, Voorheesville 12186. All checks should be made payable to the Hilltowns Christmas Program.

For information, call Kathaleen Taylor at 655-7811.

Friends of Music present concert

The Voorheesville Friends of Music presents The Dartmouth Chords, a male a capella group from Dartmouth College on Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 7 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center of the Voorheesville High School.

The cost is \$5 per person and \$12 per family. Voorheesville 2006 graduate Billy Corbett will be featured at this event.

Library to support **Mitten Tree**

The Voorheesville Public Library is supporting the Mitten Tree for St. Catherine's Center for Children, a home for children that are abused, neglected, homeless and/or mentally ill as a result of early childhood traumas.

Every year, the library supports their work by filling the holiday tree with mittens, gloves, hats and scarves for

the children there.

Donations will go to children at St. Catherine's on Friday, Dec. 14.

For information, call the library at 765-2791.

Holiday Community Choir to hold practice sessions

All interested singers are invited to join in the 18th annual Voorheesville Community Christmas Festival and practices will begin at the Methodist Church on Thursday evenings, Dec. 6 and 13, at 7:30.

The festival will be held on Thursday, Dec. 16, at 7 p.m. at the Methodist Church in Voorheesville.

All are invited to attend.

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Town of New Scotland meeting planned

The next meeting for the town of New Scotland will be on Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 7 p.m. at the New Scotland Town Hall on New Scotland Road, in Slingerlands.

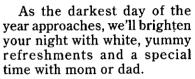
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Public skeptical of housing project

Residents cite traffic woes as top concerns

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

A proposed senior housing project on Van Dyke Road just past Bethlehem High School and Eagle Elementary School, which is under construction, received sharp criticism from residents in the surrounding neighborhoods at a public hearing held Wednesday, Nov. 28, with Bethlehem Town Board members in attendance.

Mark Dempf, representing developers for Van Dyke Spinney, said the proposal calls for 229 "cottage style" rental apartments for people 55 and older, ranging from 800 to 1,200 square feet in size, with rents from \$1.15 to \$1.25 per square foot,

"We have been working on this for six years to identify a project for the needs of seniors," said Dempf.

The project rests on 92 acres of land formerly known as the Leonard Farm, with 32 of those acres to be used for development. The site, located near Vadney Road, will also need water and sewer line extensions to accommodate the use of 60,000 gallons of water daily and 34,000 gallons of sewer use each day. The "Spinney," as it's being called, will also offer an 8,000square-foot clubhouse with a swimming pool for residents, and garages or carports would be available on all units.

Developers are requesting a change in the current town zoning on the land to make the site a planned development district.

surrounding the project, including a dangerous road with a blind curve, inadequate clear zones for lack of right of way, limited sight distance, and ac- and health hazard for insecttive farmland that surrounds the borne illness," Lyman said.

a "gated community."

"We need to look at a development that integrates itself and not segregates it," said Davis.

Bill Greer, another nearby landowner, said Van Dyke Road is the scene of numerous accidents because the road is narrow and many trucks use it when they miss the Route 32 Delmar Bypass.

"You cannot put a development this size and not put a road in," said Greer.

Meads Lane resident Stuart

Bruce Davis, a Van Dyke Road Lyman questioned the amount resident, cited a list of concerns of stormwater runoff related to construction, including nine standing water ponds that will be 4 to 6 feet deep on site.

They are a potential safety

Richard Hart of Elsmere Davis called the development called the development a good project but "not affordable."

Glenmont resident John Keenan was more blunt with his assessment of the project's rent prices, which could cost \$920 to \$1,400 a month.

'Seniors might as well stay in their homes," said Keenan.

Dempf said the first units are tentatively scheduled to be available for showing in 2008.

The town board held off on making any decisions on the request to amend the code for the project. Instead, written comments will continue to be accepted by the town until the public hearing resumes on Dec. 12.



People wait outside the Applebee Funeral Home in Delmar on Tuesday, Nov. 27 to attend the wake for Alexander Gould, 17, of Delmar, who was killed in a one-car accident Friday, Nov. 23, on Meads Lane in Glenmont. Jim Cuozzo/Spotlight

Katie.

Search

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liam Silky and Lucy Martin, the district's search consultants, regarding the qualities and attributes the next superintendent should have.

Those in attendance agreed it would be difficult to fill the position Loomis has held since 1986.

"A superintendent that has spent 21 years in a school district is very rare to find now," said Silky, who outlined the goals of the school board from December through April of next year.

Silky believes anywhere from 25 to 35 candidates will apply for the superintendent's post once advertisements go out. The application process will close on Jan. 18, and the interviews will begin shortly after.

"On Jan. 30, we will meet with constituent groups to help them organize for the interview process," Silky said.

Up to 10 applicants will be presented to the school board,

with Feb. 11 through Feb. 13 as tentative interview dates.

The first round of interviews are just with the school board," said Silky, who expects the number of candidates to be whittled down to three or four by the time the second round of interviews begin in March. Silky said the essence of the search and interview process is about finding the right match.

"(It's about) getting the right person for what your community needs at this time," said Silky.

The position will be offered to the final candidate March 18, with April 1 the target date for completed negotiations.

"That gives three months time left over before they come on board July 1," said Silky.

Keeping the applicants out of the media is considered important, according to the consul-

Someone who has a strong commitment to academic excellence and can help develop student character are a few of the requests made by community members who spoke at the public forum. Associate pastor of Délmar Reformed Church, Dirk Gieser, said the new superintendent should be someone who can "help foster and encourage a student's spiritual aspect.'

Other preliminary results of the superintendent search survey revealed the community would like someone who comes in with strong recommendations and who will make a lasting, long-term impact in the district.

The characteristic considered least important in the superintendent search survey was selecting a candidate from within the district. Holding a doctorate degree was also not considered as important, according to survey respondents. Lytle said one of the surveys e-mailed back to the district did have a very important consideration for the next superintendent.

'One teacher said it is important for the superintendent to know when it's a snow day," he

Farewell

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front seat and both were wearing seat belts when the accident occurred. A third passenger, Brian Woods, who was in the back seat, survived the crash and is still listed in serious condition at Albany Medical Center.

"She was really beautiful inside and out," said Anne Cole, one of McHugh's close friends who spoke at her service. "Jackie was truly an amazing person. She has always been there for me when I needed to talk to her no matter how late at night."

"She was not only my best friend; she was my hero," Cole

McHugh's effervescence and warm personality is what family members recalled most.

Jackie's father, Bernard McHugh, said everyone enjoyed having Jackie around, not just her friends but all family members as well. She especially liked her job working with seniors at Delmar Place. Jackie would go in on her days off just to be with the staff and residents. She could often be seen playing checkers with one of the 98-year-old residents.

Gould's three sisters and brother all spoke eloquently through tears about their brother at the Wednesday, Nov. 28, service, presided over by the Rev. James Daley, former pastor of St. Thomas the Apostle Church. Both McHugh and Gould were baptized at St. Thomas.

"I will miss seeing you in the living room doorway with a smile on your face," said Aimee Gould. "You were such an amazing person. I wish I had the time to tell you that again and again."

Twin sisters Katie and Alicia Gould said Alex would sometimes stay up all night talking to them.

"There was nothing we

tion to their brother. We are five as one, and we'll

would forever share a connec-

couldn't tell each other," said

a talent for art. His brother Jacob

called him his "best friend."

for anybody," said Jacob.

Alex Gould was creative, with

You would do most anything

The four siblings said they

be seeing you in our dreams,' proclaimed Aimee. McHugh and Gould were

very close and "inseparable," according to many of their friends.

Several questions linger regarding the accident. Bethlehem police initially stated that speed might have been a contributing factor in why McHugh's car went off the road on Meads Lane. Autopsies were performed and toxicology results are not yet available. Other questions have arisen as to why McHugh was driving after 9 p.m. with a restricted junior driver's license. On the night of the accident, McHugh had left Delmar Place, where she worked part-time in the dining area, at about 7 p.m. She and her friends were heading back to Gould's house after purchasing a headlight at the time of the accident.

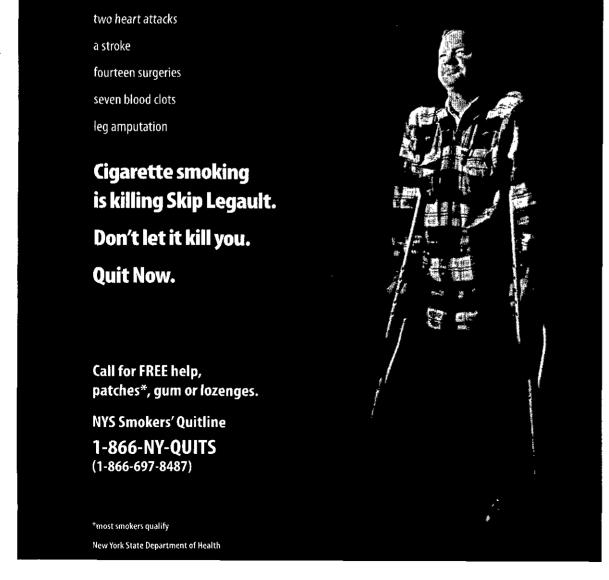
Bethlehem High School principal Chuck Abba said grief counseling for students was made available all last week.

"We're doing the best we can to try to get through these days," said Abba, who said the entire student body and faculty staff has been "hit hard" by the death of McHugh and Gould."

"They were so very young." said Abba. "You feel so bad for their family and friends."

That feeling was echoed in Jacob Becker's final thoughts to his brother at the Gould service on Wednesday.

Take good care of Jackie and try and stay out of trouble," said Jacob.



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Safety class for snowmobilers slated in Selkirk

The Town of Bethlehem Police Department will offer an eighthour snowmobile safety class on Saturday, Dec. 15, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Selkirk Fire Department Station No. 1, 126 Maple Ave., Selkirk.

The class is open to anyone 10 years old and older. Successful completion of the class will meet requirements for certification by the state Department of Parks and Recreation in snowmobile safety.

Attendees should bring a bagged lunch. Light refreshments will be served during the class.

Classes are limited to the first 25 reservations. To reserve a spot, call 439-9973, ext. 366. Leave a message with your name and phone number.

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Fall out

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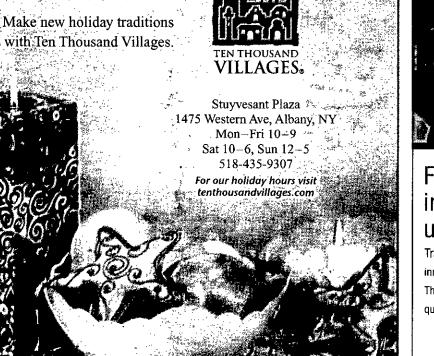
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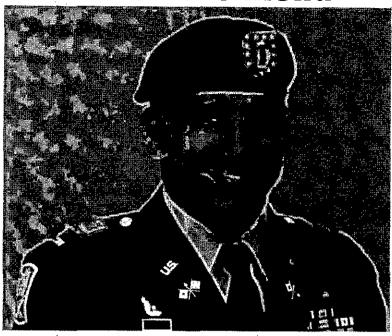
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Vaccination station gets test

Drive-through flu shots given in emergency response exercise

By GRAHAM S. PARKER parkerg@spotlightnews.com

First it was food, then prescriptions, nowthere are drive-through influenza vaccinations.

More than 200 Colonie employees signed up to take part in the exercise, which mimicked emergency response to a biological attack or viral outbreak. The idea; Have people drive through firehouses or car washes where nurses are at the ready with vaccines to inoculate the masses.

"Basically, the primary thing we are doing is vaccinating people for influenza. Secondly, we are testing a drive-through method for administering vaccinations or medications," said Maribeth Miller, assistant commissioner for public health at Albany County Department of Health.

The drill, which took place Wednesday, Nov. 28, was funded through a Department "When I first heard it — drive-through flu shots — it sounded a little weird. It's the first time the town has done something like this."

Mary Brizzell

of Homeland Security's Cities Readiness Initiative grant.

One by one, Colonie employees and their families made their way through the Midway Fire Department's garage with their arms hanging out car windows. County nurses administered shots, and immediately the next car pulled up. There were 700 shots to be administered. By 2:30 p.m., a half hour after the drive-through opened, 80 shots had already been given.

"When I first heard it – drivethrough flu shots – it sounded a little weird. It's the first time the town has done something like this," said Colonie Supervisor Mary Brizzell. Albany County Department of Health partnered with the town's emergency medical response team to host the first drivethrough clinic.

The drill is to test how effective partnership between county, municipal agencies and emergency services are at dealing with outbreaks or attacks. Millions of dollars have been funneled to fire fighters and emergency medical services to combat biological or natural outbreaks if or when they happen, said Miller.

In recent years, health departments have been charged by federal agencies to begin developing methods to reach as much of the population as possible in times of biological attacks or pandemic outbreaks within 48 hours of initial exposure. The drive-through method was the county's answer, said Miller.

In the plan, a number of locations and buildings can be used for the system. Fairgrounds, car washes and firehouses can be instantly transformed into triage and stations for administering vaccines and anti-viral agents.

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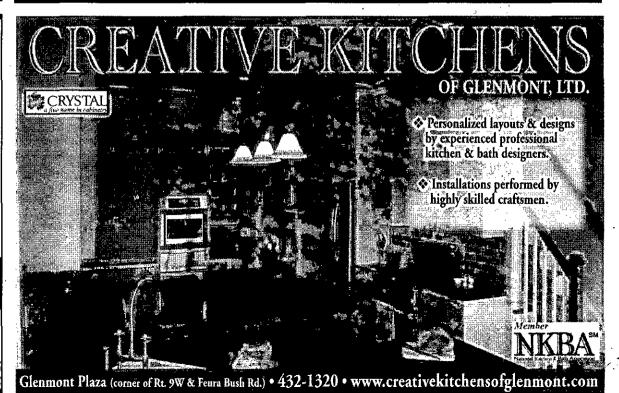


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After the seven-day period, a client account would be created and, "for a one-time fee of \$39.95," anyone could gain access to hundreds of online surveys waiting to be filled out, she

Empty promises

The golden rule to avoiding scams has always been, if it sounds to good to be true, then

Online solicitations to work from home pop up with increased fervor as many people look to supplement incomes, spend more time at home or avoid the costs of doing business, such as gasoline.

Many have been identified as scams, or at least have poor clientele relations cited by the Better Business Bureau. Others actively try to debunk competitors and offer lower rates or minimal investment to get to work. They are no longer banished to the nether regions of late-night-toearly morning television. They hammer e-mail inboxes at least dozens of times a day. That is, if you failed to catch the ones stapled to telephone poles on your way to work or the occasional ad in your local newspaper.

"In my experience I've yet to see any legitimate work-fromhome business that advertised. One percent may be legitimate, but I can't think of any that are," said Les Henderson, who wrote "Crimes of Persuasion: Schemes, Scams, Frauds.'

The 50-year-old Canadian started investigating scams eight years ago. He retired from training salesmen, but not before an epiphany: Scammers are nothing more than salesmen with no conscience.

Since taking on the multibillion dollar scam businesses, which was estimated at \$45 billion in the United States alone in 1996, he has been dragged into court by international, Canadian and U.S. agencies looking to defend their schemes against his investigations. He said the industry's profits are probably close to \$60 billion annually in the U.S. by now. It has grown unchecked for the most part.

"The scammers are winning, and they are winning big," he

said.

Only a few countries, including South Africa, have gone after work-from-home scams and attempted to stop them, he said.

"Attempted," he emphasized. Surveys from home may not be a scam in the conventional sense, said Henderson. Sure, you will be given access to hundreds of surveys to fill out, but for how much? How many hours would you have to work, or surveys would you have to fill out, before breaking even and recouping your \$42 investment?

how con artists steal your savings and inheritance through telemarketing fraud, investment schemes and just getting the information out does little to stop the problem.

The fact is the scammers, if caught, are dragged into civil

der the same they had before. They just promise to be good, he said.

When newspapers, news agencies or Henderson seek to expose the scams, they are met with lawsuits ranging from defamation, conspiracy, invasion of privacy and trade secret theft.

The ball is in the consumers' court is how Canadian and U.S. lawmakers look at it, he said. Follow the "if it looks to good to be true" rule, he said.

Research the bottom line

"You want to get all the information up front and get references. Don't send money; don't do it for the start-up kits," said Deborah Strum Rausch, with the state Consumer Protection Board. "In general, we suggest caution with a lot of these types

The federal Better Business Bureau is littered with reports of work-from-home business

Some of the classic schemes, such as in-home production or stuffing of mailers, have been put under, according to the bureau's Web site. Sturm Rausch reported the same successes at the state level. However, other work-from-home companies listed on the federal site include several complaints that have been dealt with and others that remain outstanding, according

to the site.

Home Survey Workers, listed as Unparalleled Marketing LLC on the BBB Web site, has an unsatisfactory record for failure to respond to such consumer complaints.

The company is an online site that registers people for a onetime fee. The site boasts that as much as \$423 per day can be earned from home taking surveys. Survey payouts range from \$5 to \$75. Clients would have to fill out 84 surveys per day at \$5 a piece to hit the \$423 Henderson's book explains per day mark, or five surveys at

"In my experience I've yet to see any legitimate work-from-home business consumer scams. But that advertised. One percent may be legitimate, but I can't think of any that are."

Les Henderson

court. They pay their fines and \$75. The company does not give go about their business either an average client take but does under a new name or often un- offer a 100 percent money back guarantee if by following the instructions 100 percent you don't see a return. The refund is also good if you aren't satisfied.

On Unparalleled Marketing's Web site, the No. 1 frequently asked question is, "Is this a scam?" The answer - "absolutely not" - is followed by an explanation that the company would be unable to do what it does if it were in the business of scamming people:

Henderson said that there are "legitimate" businesses online and that the survey business

industry may not be considered a scam. But it is misleading, he said.

Sturm Rausch recommends reading the fine print.

"All these companies' first line of business is to prove to you that they work," said Henderson. The BBB does state that Unparalleled Marketing LLC has resolved most of the complaints against it, but the file on the company was opened in September 2007.

A request to speak with management at Home Survey Workers was not returned. Unparal-

leled Marketing LLC was listed under the same number.

In the fine print, the company cites its rights under the securities litigation reform act of 1995 to give "forward looking statements," to portray company expectations or forecast as part of its sales pitch.

In doing so, its disclaimer reads, "there is no guarantee that you will earn any money using these techniques and ideas in these materials."

"Results may vary," Henderson chuckled.

Henderson has attempted to drag many Internet companies' practices into the light, he said. He has been met with lawsuits and threats from home and abroad.

Like Sturm Rausch's warning to read the fine print, Henderson also recommends to follow the money to the company's origins.

For one, many companies he

has run into are out of Florida, he said. It's a questionable company mecca.

Home Survey Workers has a post office box address in Winnebago, Il. But the LLC Unparalleled Marketing was formed 2006 in Miami, according to Manta.com, an online business search engine. Unparalleled Marketing LLC is listed as having two employees and has estimated annual sales of \$150,000. Its manger is listed as Jeremiah Patton, proprietor of another work-from-home site.

According to that company site, it has appeared in major news publications, such as the New York Times, USA Today and Forbes. At the bottom of the home page, the site also features the emblems of the BBB, Better Internet Bureau and Internet corporate watchdog, iCop.

www.2ndincome4u.com.

The BBB icon is for its Reliability Program and has no link to the Better Business Bureau. The BBB did not show either Unparalleled Marketing LLC, Home Survey Workers or 2ndincome4u.com as registered in the program.

ICop, Internet Council of Online Professionals, issued an October 2007 Internet Marketing Trade Journal accusing Patton of illegally using the council's seal. Patton and his company are not iCop members, the journal alleged.

In the journal, nine other sites were listed as illegally using the council's seal, much like an accreditation. All of them were work-from-home Web sites.



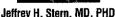
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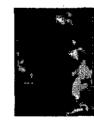


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RCS library announces holiday hours

RCS Community Library will have special hours during the Christmas and New Year's holidays:

- •Saturday, Dec. 22, open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
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- •Tuesday, Dec. 25, closed (Christmas Day)
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•Tuesday, January 1, closed (New Year's Day)

Home delivery service

RCS Community Library offers a free home delivery service to residents of the RCS school/library district who are housebound due to illness, age, or disability. Residents may have library materials such as books, videos, music CDs and audio books delivered to their home on a bi-weekly basis.

To sign up for the service, call the library at 756-2053. We will need your name, address and directions to your house. A friendly staff member will talk to you about what you like to read and watch. You can request specific titles, or you can allow the staff to select them for you. Don't have a library card? Don't worry, we can easily get you one. Take advantage of this great service ... and let the library come to you.

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Openings are still available for the following reading

- •Thursday Dec. 6, 7 p.m.
- •Thursday Dec. 20, 6 p.m.

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What's new at the library

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The Cheetah Girls, "TCG" "High School Musical 2" soundtrack

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-IN BRIEF ----

Girl Scouts to hold

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The Girl Scouts Service Unit

of Voorheesville will hold its

annual Holiday Craft Sale on

Saturday, Dec. 8, from 10 a.m.

to 3 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 9,

from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. This year,

the Girl Scouts will be hosted by

Olsen's Nursery on Route 85 in

New Scotland, where the girls

will present their hand-made

crafts inside the Olsen's store

Throughout the day,

many of the Girl Scouts from

Voorheesville's 14 troops will be

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AARP Tax-Aide seeks

AARP Tax-Aide, the nation's

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counseling and preparation service, is seeking volunteers in New York to assist in tax preparation and to become leadership coordinators. Each year from Feb. 1 through April 15, AARP Tax-Aide volunteers prepare federal, state and local tax returns for low- and middleincome taxpayers, with special attention to those ages 60 and older.

Volunteers of all ages and backgrounds are welcome. Tax counselors receive free tax training and become IRS certified by passing the IRS exam.

Last year, 1,600 AARP Tax-Aide volunteers helped more than 71,000 taxpayers at over 500 sites across New York. For information on becoming a local AARP Tax-Aide volunteer call 888-687-2277 or visit www.aarp. org/taxaide.

Young Actors Guild's plans comedy*

The Young Actors Guild at RPI will present "15 Reasons not to be in a Play!" a comedy for kids by kids, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 7 and 8, at the RPI Playhouse on 15th Street. The students of the Young Actors Guild Back Stage Program perform this funny play explaining why you should never be in a show. Tickets are available at the Playhouse box office, which opens at 7 p.m. the evening of the show.

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Children helping children

Xavier Salvador, a sixth-grader from Loudonville at The Albany Academies, recently hosted a party for his classmates, asking for donations to The Children's Hospital at Albany Medical Center. He collected \$300 and nine Nintendo Gamecube games — a specific request from the hospital's Child Life department — for the Children's Hospital. Here, Xavier gives the donations to Child Life Specialist Amy Provencher from The Children's Hospital.

Submitted photo



for Safe Routes funds The state Department of Schools have until April 1 to Transportation Commissioner Astrid C. Glynn recently announced that applications for funding for the \$31.6 million Safe Routes to School (SRTS)

Schools can apply

program are available. The new initiative provides federal funding to support transportation infrastructure improvements and public education campaigns across the state that promote walking and bicycling to school.

"Providing safe, healthy transportation alternatives for our children not only protects them from short-term harm, but makes a long-term investment in promoting active lifestyles and decreasing air pollution from congestion," Glynn said.

Informational brochures for the Safe Routes to School program were sent to more than 5,600 schools in more than 700 districts explaining the initiative and advising schools where to obtain applications. submit applications, with funding allocations announced in the summer of 2008.

Eligible projects must be located within 2 miles of a primary or middle school, be located on municipal right-ofway, benefit the public interest and address at least one of the five SRTS categories. Categories are engineering (infrastructure) efforts, as well as education, enforcement, encouragement and evaluation of program impact (non-infrastructure) efforts.

The intent of Safe Routes to School is to enable and encourage children to walk or bicycle to school; help children adopt a more healthy and active lifestyle; and facilitate the planning, development and implementation of transportation projects that will improve safety while reducing traffic, fuel consumption and air pollution in the vicinity of

Empire State College plans info sessions

Empire State College will hold a public information session about its graduate programs on Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 5 p.m. at the college's Northeast Center location, 21 British American Blvd., Latham. Call 800-847-3000 to reserve a space at the information session.

College representatives will be available to answer questions about Empire State College's two master of arts degrees in policy studies as well as its master of arts in liberal studies, master of arts in teaching and master of business administration (M.B.A) degree.

Students enrolled in the master of arts programs for policy (labor and policy studies, social policy) and liberal studies attend several weekend residencies. Between residencies, they maintain contact with faculty and other students through online courses and email.

Students accepted in the competency-based M.B.A. program attend several executive-style residencies, while participating in online courses. The program offers managers with at least three years of experience the opportunity to earn credit for graduate-level learning acquired on the job.

Students enrolled in the master of arts in teaching program take a combination of online courses and scheduled face-to-face meetings. The M.A.T. is designed for adults who seek a career teaching middle or high school in a highneed urban school district. The program offers students a "fast track to the classroom," while allowing teacher-candidates to retain their current employment for a year. After the first year, students are eligible for provisional certification as entrylevel teachers, while completing their studies part time.

For information, call 800-847-3000 or visit the Center for Graduate Programs Web site at www.esc.edu/grad.

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Somayeh "Nasim" Yousefi, left, and Jafar Edrisi of Iran are bicycling across the world to spread their message of world peace and environmentalism. Yousefi said if people have knowledge of different cultures they can find the facts and achieve world peace. The couple sold their personal vehicle to partially fund their world journey along with donations from supporters. On Tuesday, they stopped outside the Delmar Reformed Church, right.

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Community United Methodist Church

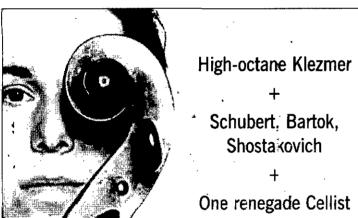
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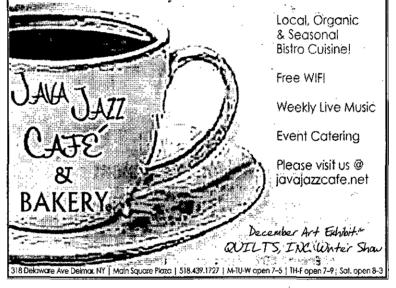
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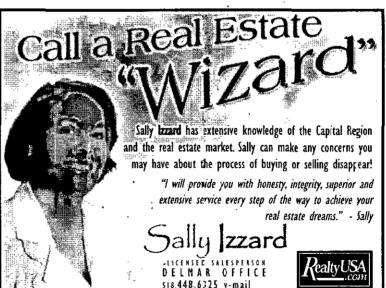
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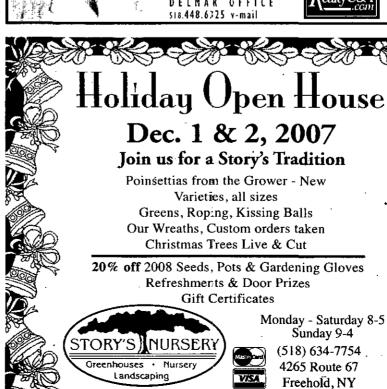




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IN BRIEF

UAlbany business school plans session

The School of Business at the University at Albany will host an information session for its full-time, evening and weekend MBA, MS Accounting, MS Taxation and MS Tax Practice on Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 5:30 p.m.

The event will be held in Room 220 on the second floor of the Business Administration building on the uptown campus, 1400 Washington Ave., Albany. Refreshments will be served.

The event is free and open to anyone considering pursuing a graduate degree in business. Faculty and students will be on hand to answer questions and there will be a brief presentation.

For directions, call 442-4961.

Volunteers needed for WinterFestival

The City of Albany is seeking volunteers for Albany's WinterFestival on Saturday, Dec. 29, in downtown Albany.

The City of Albany Office of Special Events and Volunteer Services plans, produces and promotes an array of free events including fairs, festivalsand concerts. These events promote art, entertainment and cultural interest for all ages.

Here are the available Winterfestival volunteer shifts:

- •Director: Help meet and greet the public and answer questions.
- Producer: Specialists involved with event logistics.
- •Actor: Put on a smock and serve up Ben & Jerry's ice cream to the public.
- •Agent: The "Last Run" 5K and "Jingle Jog" are events that require feet on the streets to register runners.

For information and shift times contact Beth Hickox, volunteer coordinator, at 434-5411 or log on to www.albanyevents.org and download the application.

Christmas program to collect donations

The Hilltown Christmas Program is a nonprofit, charitable organization that is a joint effort between the members of the Albany County Sheriff's Department and the Hilltown Community Resource Center. It provides assistance to families in the Towns of New Scotland, Berne, Knox, Westerlo, and Rensselaerville.

During the Christmas season, volunteers collect toys, food, and cash donations for the sole purpose of redistribution back into the community. The cash donations are utilized for purchasing of new clothes and toys for identified families in need and converted into gift certificates for groceries (no tobacco or alcohol). Those interested in making monetary donations, make checks payable to the ACSD Hilltown Christmas Fund and forward to: Albany County Sheriff's Hilltown Christmas, 390 New Salem Road, Vooreesville.

For information, call 655-7811 or e-mail ktaylor@albanycounty.

Obituaries Spotlight

Harold Marden,

Harold Marden, 82, M.D., of Delmar, died Wednesday,

Born in Albany, he attended Albany Academy for Boys and Dartmouth College, and graduated from Cornell Medical School in 1947 at the age of 22. He held residencies at Mount Auburn Hospital in Cambridge, Mass., in pathology, Albany Medical College Hospital in urology, and the Francis Delafield Hospital in urology.

He was trained in the diagnosis and treatment of cancer at Johns Hopkins University Hospital and the department of health, education and welfare, public health services. He was associate professor of surgery at Albany Medical College.

He was elected member of the American Board of Urology, 1961, member of the American Urological Association, and fellow of the American College of Surgeons. He was named honorary member of the medical staff of St. Peter's Hospital in Albany. He served in the U.S. Army Medical Corps, attaining the rank of captain and served in Germany at the end of World War II:

He opened a private

urological practice in Albany in 1957 where he continued until his retirement in 1991. Upon retirement, he pursued his many interests, hiking and canoeing with his wife, building ship models, carving birds and fish, playing tennis and golf, solving crossword puzzles, reading, and spending time with his wife and family at their camp on Lake Champlain.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Miller Marden, a brother, William (Joan) Marden of Keesville, and Panama City, Fla.; two daughters, Susan (Bill) Hazelton of Loudonville; Barbara (Mike) Satow of Chappaqua; a son, Charles Marden of Binghamton; and six grandchildren.

Services were from the Meyers Funeral Home in Delmar. Contributions may be made to a charity of one's

James H. Haack

James H. Haack, 79, of Glenmont, died Thursday, Nov. 29.

Born in Albany, he served with the 160th Army Infantry during the Korean War and was a sheet metal worker with Local #83 of the Sheet Metal Worker's Union until his retirement. He was a member of the Sheehy Palmer Post. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, traveling, a good Yankee game and spending time with his family.

Survivors include his five children, Candice (Sue), Robert (Mary), James II, Carol Haack and Karen (Mark) Junco; his four grandchildren; a brother, Patrick Haack; a sister, Mildred (Louis) Mackey; and his dear companion, Eleanore Popowski.

Services were from the Daniel Keenan Funeral Home, Albany. Burial was in St. Agnes Cemetery, Menands. Contributions may be made to the General Post Fund 1337 (ICU Ward) in care of Stratton VA Medical Center, 113 Holland Ave., Albany

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**i Submissions can be e-mailed to news@spotlightnews.com, faxed to 439-0609, or mailed to Spotlight, P.O. Box 100, Delmar

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Spotlight Newspapers also welcomes longer opinion pieces for the Point of View section.

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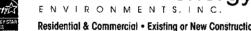
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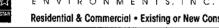
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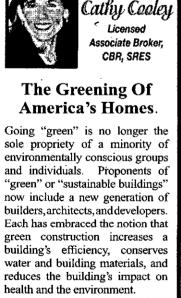








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Obituaries Spotlight

Paul D. Rukwid

Paul D. Rukwid, 75, of Elsmere, died Sunday, Nov. 25, at home.

Born in Albany, he was a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School. He was an Army veteran of the Korean War having served as a corporal in the military police. He worked for the New York Telephone Company (Lucent) as installer/repairman for more than 30 years, retiring in 1986.

He was a life member of the Elsmere Fire Department and member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church. He was an avid sports enthusiast and in particular a fan of the Green Bay Packers and NASCAR.

Survivors include his wife, Constance (Curnin) Rukwid; five children, Paul D. (Toni) Rukwid Jr. of Albany, Scott T. Rukwid of Elkton, Va., Heidi (Michael) Rukwid Monti of Colonie, Mark C. Rukwid of Elsmere and Glenn M. Rukwid of Vashon Island, Wash.; and three grandchildren.

Services were held at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Delmar. Arrangements were by the Norman E. Dascher Funeral Home, Albany. Burial was in St. Matthew Lutheran Cemetery, Glenmont. Contributions may be made to Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar 12054 or Community Hospice of Albany County, 445 New Karner Road, Albany 12205.

Raymond Whiting

Raymond Whiting, 69, of Glenmont, died Monday, Nov. 26,

at Albany Memorial Hospital.

Born in Stephentown in 1938, he served in the Naval Reserve for two years. He worked for the office of the state Comptroller for more than 37 years, retiring in 1995. He was an avid hunter and traveler, a baseball fan, loved music and antiques, and especially loved his family.

Survivors include his wife, Anna (Frisbee) Whiting; two daughters, Tracy (Michael) Bickel of Niskayuna Raeann (David) Burns of Ravena; son, Pernell Whiting of Glenmont; brother, Bradley (Roberta) Whiting of Glenmont; and four grandchildren.

Services were from the Applebee Funeral Home, Delmar. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Delmar. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Glenmont. Contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 440 New Karner Road, Albany 12205.

M. Maureen Lenseth

M. Maureen Lenseth, 71, of Slingerlands, died Sunday, Nov. 25, at home after a long struggle with lung cancer.

Born in 1936, she graduated from Drury High School in North Adams and Becker Junior College in Worcester, Mass. She worked at Ackroyd Metal Fabricators, Inc. of Albany where she spent the last 17 years as a bookkeeper.

She was a member of Normanside Country Club and a communicant of St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Delmar.

She enjoyed golf, reading and crossword puzzles.

Survivors include her husband, Richard; a daughter, Sheila (William) Werren of Fallston, Md; a son, Matthew Hackett of Voorheesville; a brother, Jack Dempsey of North Adams, Mass., and a sister, Carolyn Dempsey of Dalton, Mass; three grandchildren, six step-children; 20 step-grandchildren; and nine step great-grandchildren.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at 9:30 am Saturday, Dec. 15, at St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Delmar. There will be no calling hours. Contributions may be made to Community Hospice of Albany, 445 New Karner Road, Albany 12205

Byron T. Hipple

Byron T. Hipple, 94, of Slingerlands died Monday, Nov. 26, at the Eddy Ford Nursing Home in Cohoes.

Born in West Chester, Pa., he attended the public schools of West Chester and graduated from Haverford College and the Maxwell School of Syracuse University. After serving an internship with the New York State Governor's Commission on Unemployment Relief he joined its staff.

After serving as a county director of the Pennsylvania Department of Public Assistance, he was employed by the Social Security Board's Bureau of Public Assistance. He subsequently moved to

the Bureau of Research and Statistics where he co-authored "Analyzing the Use of Staff Time in Public Assistance Agencies" (Gordon and Hipple; Government Printing Office 1941)

In 1943, he joined the state Deptartment of Social Welfare where he served 20 years principally as first deputy commissioner and briefly as acting commissioner. He was appointed professor of public administration at the inception of the Graduate School of Public Affairs, State University of New York at Albany. He wrote various monographs including "Fiscal Policy and the Public Social Services" (Albany, 1965). He also filled special assignments to various state agencies including the budget division and legislative commissions such as the Temporary State Commission to Revise the Social Services Law.

He was a trustee of the Edwin Gould Foundation for Children, New York City. In later years he and his wife divided their time between Albany and Sharon Springs, where he served a term on the village board of trustees.

He was the widower of Margaret McKee Claybaugh of Franklin, Pa. He leaves no immediate survivors. There will be no funeral services. Arrangements are under the direction of the Applebee Funeral Home, 403 Kenwood Avenue, Delmar.

Carl A. Johnson

Carl A. Johnson, 57, of Delmar, died Tuesday, Nov. 27

Born in Auburn, he grew up in East Schodack and Ithaca. He attended Cornell University where he was an active member of Pi Kappa Phi fraternity and graduated in 1972 with a bachelor's degree in civil engineering. He received his MBA in 1976 from the University at Albany. He worked for the state Department of Public Service and served as liaison for federal matters to the Public Service Commission, especially with regard to telecommunications policy, the FCC and Congress.

He was an avid sports fan, closely following the New York Yankees, football's Giants, hockey's New York Rangers and the Cornell hockey team. He also enjoyed playing golf.

Survivors include his mother, Shirley Johnson of Delmar, siblings, William R. (Sarah) Johnson of Charlottesville, Va.; David C. Johnson of Mariaville; Linnea M. (Frank Messina) Johnson of Logan, Utah; and Elizabeth A. (John) Flanagan of Holbrook, Mass.

Services were held at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Delmar.

There were no calling hours. Contributions may be made to the United Way of the Greater Capital Region, P.O. Box 13865, Albany 12212.



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Milestones Spotlight



Valerie Henderson and Timothy Rice

Henderson, Rice to wed

Valerie Henderson, daughter of William and Florence Henderson of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Timothy Rice, son of Stephen and Nancy Rice of Delmar, are engaged to

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Shady Side Academy and St. Michael's College.

She is a first grade teacher at

Fox Chapel Country Day School in Pittsburgh.

The future groom is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and the University at Albany.

He is a client executive for Burson-Marsteller in Pittsburgh.

The couple plans an August

800-447-7436, ask for ext. 043



Loren Thomas and Nicole Marie Winegard

Radzyminski, Winegard wed

Nicole Marie Radzyminski, daughter of Richard and Mary Radzyminski of Loudonville, and Loren Thomas Winegard, son of the late Richard Winegard and Mary Winegard of West Winfield, were married June 30.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Andrew Koterba at the Blessed Virgin Mary of Czestochowa Church in Latham. A reception followed at Mallozzi's in Rotterdam.

The maid of honor was Emily Mesick. Bridesmaids were Amanda Shooks, Genevieve Fallon, Bethany Ambrosio, Clare Rowley, Maria Bonificio and Cindy Davis.

The best man was J.J. Hoke. Groomsmen were Michael Radzyminski, Robert Huntington: Chris Marciano; Tom Palmer; Jim Garretson and Neil Case.

The bride is a graduate of Shaker High School, Hartwick College and Syracuse University, where she received a master's degree in education. She is a vocal music teacher for the Madison Central School District in Madison.

The groom is a graduate of Mount Markham High School and Hartwick College. He is a history teacher at Mount Markham High School in West Winfield.

Following a honeymoon to Riviera Maya, Mexico, the couple resides in Whitesboro.





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Entertainment Spotlight

By MIKE CLEMENTE news@spotlightnews.com

t's the holiday season and with the celebration comes cold weather, family get-togethers, presents and now, nights out to take in a show. Two theaters in the Capital District are preparing for opening night with their family-friendly holiday show.

Cohoes Music Hall is putting on a production of "White Christmas." This play, based on the classic movie, is a first for this area.

"This was newly released and it's a Capital Region premiere. It's never been done here before," said Jim Charles, artistic director at Cohoes Music Hall. The show opened on Nov. 30 and runs until Sunday, Dec. 16, with shows on Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday matinees at 3 p.m. A special matinee showing is set for Saturday, Dec. 15, also at 3 p.m.

The show begins long before opening night though. Actors must be chosen, dates set and rehearsals begun. The process for this show began back in the summer months.

"Most of the people in this

production were cast at the end of August, beginning of September. We started rehearsing the week before Thanksgiving, Charles said.

The hard work of the cast makes the two-and-ahalf week rehearsal time



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WHITE CHRISTMAS

november 30 - december 16

Tuesday to Sunday every week for about eight hours a day. They start at 2 in the afternoon

and won't leave here until 10 or so at night," Charles said. The Cohoes Music Hall

is putting on a show that already is a classic; the movie that it is based from is a holiday favorite of many.

But what about the shows that are less well-known, but still have that holiday magic?

Capital Repertory Theater has that covered with "Plaid

Tidings." This production is a holiday sequel to "Forever Plaid," which took the stage at Cap Rep in 1999. The director of "Plaid Tidings," Dale Sandish explained the story.

"Forever Plaid" is a show that appeared off-Broadway of four guys that form a harmony group in high school, on their way to their first big gig when they are killed in a car crash. God gives them their wish to come back and do their show," Sandish said. "'Plaid Tidings' picks up where that left off, with another mission for the boys in plaid, though they don't know what it is.'

He offered tidbits about the story.

"We're connected to a famous female crooner," he said, but wouldn't say who. Not only does Sandish direct, he's also one of those "boys in plaid" that star in the show.

"I play 'Sparky' in the show. He's kind of the cut-up or class clown type of the group," he said.

Though he did admit-it is not an easy task.

"It's a bit precarious

sometimes," he said. "I'try to astral project myself into the audience to see what we're doing on stage:"

Originally scheduled to run from Wednesday, Dec. 5 to Sunday, Dec. 23, large amounts of ticket sales have led the theater to extend the show to Dec.

30, with no fear that the holiday being over will slow the spirit.

The extension is already in place and it is selling quite

well," said Alison McLean, director of marketing and communications for the Capital Repertory Theater.

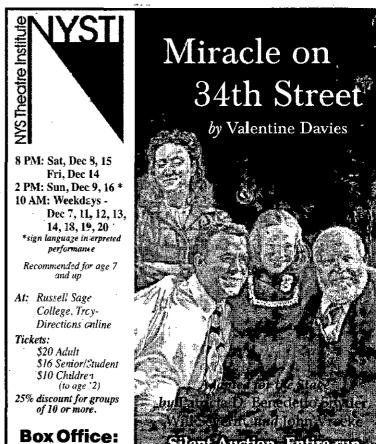
"People are looking for things to do with their children after the holiday is over, between Christmas and New Year, and taking them to a show is a great way to spend time together."

Cohoes Music Hall is located at 58 Remsen St. in Cohoes. For information or to purchase tickets, call 237-5858, or visit www. cohoesmusichall.com. Capital Repertory Theater is at 111 N. Pearl St. in Albany. For information, call 445-7469 cr visit www.capitalrep.

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ANNIE

Classic Broadway musical, presented by Schenectady Light Opera Company, 826 State St., Schenectady, through Dec .16, \$20 adults, \$10 children under 13. Information, (877) 350-7378.

IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE

Regional premiere of stage adaptation of Frank Capra's classic movie, presented by Curtain Call Theatre, 210 Old Loudon Road, Latham, through Dec. 29, \$20. Information, 877-7529.

MIRACLE ON 34TH STREET

Classic Christmas story, presented by New York State Theater Institute, Schacht Fine Arts Center, Russell Sage College, Troy, through Dec. 20, \$20 adults, \$16 senior citizens and students, \$10 children 12 and under. Information, 274-3256

NELLY BLY - FIRST WOMAN REPORTER

Presented by Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Ave., Albany, through Dec. 16, \$12 adults, \$10 kids. Information, 438-

PLAID TIDINGS

Special holiday edition of "Forever Plaid." presented by Capital Repertory Theatre, 111 North Pearl St., Albany, through Dec. 23. Information, 445-7469.

Music

GEORGE WINSTON

New age jazz pianist, Dec. 5, 8 p.m, Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, corner of State Street and Second Avenue, Troy, \$27-\$30. Information, 273-0038

BUCKY COVINGTON

Former "American Idol" contestant, with guest Jason Michael Carroll, Dec. 5, 8 p.m., Northern 'Lights," North Country Commons, corner of routes 146 and 146A. Clifton Park, \$16 advance, \$19 door, Information, 371-0012.

TRANS-SIBERIAN ORCHESTRA

Prog-rock orchestra performing holiday classics, Dec. 5 and 6, 7:30 p.m., TU Center, South Pearl Street, Albany, \$40-\$50. Information, (800) 303-8368.

MICHELLE SHOCKED

Female singer-songwriter, Dec. 6, 8 p.m., WAMC Performing Arts Studio, Central Avenue, Albany, \$30. Information, 465-5233, ext. 4.

SUZANNE VEGA

New York City-based singer-songwriter, Dec. 7, 8 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$28. Information, 473-1845.

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Winter celebration, Dec. 8, 3 p.m., St John's Lutheran Church, Altamont, \$17. Information, 765-2815.

GRADA

Performing Celtic Christmas songs, Dec. 10, 7:30 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$18-\$20. Information, 473-

HOT TUNA

Veteran San Francisco rockers, Dec. 11, 7:30 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$28. Information, 473-1845.

EILEEN IVERS AND IMMIGRANT SOUL

Irish musician performs holiday songs, Dec. 15, 8 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza; Albany, \$24. Information, 473-

Comedy

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Presenting "Hannukah Harry and the Gimel of Delight," a holiday-themed improvised comedy, music and poetry show, Dec. 22 7 p.m., Zu Zu's Wonderful Life Inc., 299-301 Hamilton St., Albany, advance tickets \$8 adults, \$4 students/seniors, door tickets \$10 adults, \$6 adults/seniors. Information, 439-7698.

Visual Arts

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"Look Alikes: The Amazing World of Joan Steiner," through Dec. 31; plus permanent collections on the 9/11 recovery effort, New York state history and geography, Empire State Plaza, Madison Avenue. Information, 474-5877

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"Indian Ladder, A Lyric Journey: Photographs by John Yang," and "The Helderberg Escarpment: A History of Tourism and Science," through Dec. 30; "Fuli Steam Ahead: Robert Fulton and the Age of Steamboats," through Dec. 31; plus exhibits on Hudson River School painting, American sculpture and the history of Albany, 125 Washington Ave. Information, 463-4478.

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NEW YORK STATE MILITARY MUSEUM

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the Pines, Saratoga Springs. Information, 587-1935, ext. 20.

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"West African Masquerade," photographs by Phyllis Galembo, through Dec. 29; "Atmospherics/Weather Works," through Dec. 30; "Stripes," through Dec. 30, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information, 580-8080

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"Natura Morta: Still-Life Painting and the Medici Collections," through Jan. 13, 161 North Warren St., Glens Falts. Information, 792-1761

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The Manton Collection," through Dec. 21; "Facing the Lens: 19th-Century Portrait Photogrpahs," through Jan. 13; "Consuming Passion: Fragonard's Allegories of Love," through Jan. 21, 225 South St.

Williamstown, Mass. Information, (413)

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Wednesday, Nov. 28

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DELMAR ROTARY

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

PLAYGROUP MEETING

First United Methodist Church playgroups will meet from 10:30 to noon in the nursery. Playgroup provides opportunity for child caretakers and pre-nursery school age children to socialize in a relaxed atmosphere. Information, call 439-9976, ext. 228.

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.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

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

BETHLEHEM LIONS CLUB

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

ALTHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

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

SOLID ROCK CHURCH

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

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 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, 7 p.m. Information, 439-7098.

BETHLEHEM ELKS LODGE 2233

1016 River Road (Route 144), Cedar Hill, 8 p.m. Information, 767-2886

HEALING 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. Informa-

PRAYER MEETING

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

VOORHEESVILLE FREE LIBRARY

Family evening story time at the Voorheesville Library at 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 29

BETHLEHEM

BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS

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

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

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12:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955.

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

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7 p.m., 85 Elm Ave. Information, 439-

AA MEETINGS

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

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.

OF BETHLEHEM

7 p.m., Route 9W, Selkirk. Information, 767-2243.

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

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Friday, Nov. 30

DELMAR

Delmar Four Corners Holiday open house, parade and tree lighting beginning at 6 p.m

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

ist Church, 1499 New Scotland Road, Slingerlands offers a contemporary worship service, "A Gathering" every Thursday from 6:30 until 7 p.m. Children are most

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Saturday, Dec. 1

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BETHLEHEM

AA MEETING

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 7:30 p.m.

GLENMONT

Story Hour at Tea and Tattered Pages Used Books, 329 Glenmont Road, Glenmont, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, Dec. 2

BETHLEHEM

WORSHIP INFORMATION

Bethlehem Community Church, 201 Eim 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

Road at Blessing Road, North Bethlehem,

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 439-2512.

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428 Kenwood Ave., 439-9976.

Lane, Glenmont, 436-7710. Gospel Fellowship, 10 Rockefeller Road,

King's Chapel, 434 Route 9W, Glenmont,

KTC Buddhist Center, Doane Stuart School, Route 9W, Albany,10 a.m. meditation, 11 a.m. tea, 11:30 a.m. study course,

Mount Moriah Ministries, Route 9W, Glenmont, 426-4510.

Scotland Road, 439-1766.

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

439-3265: St. Thomas The Apostle Church, 35 Adams Place, Delmar, 439-4951.

Unity of Faith Christian Fellowship, 436 Krumkill Road, North Bethlehem

NEW SCOTLAND

Family Worship Center, 92 Lower Copeland Hill Road, Feura Bush, 768-2021. Faith Temple, New Salem, 765-2870

Road, Feura Bush, 768-2133. New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Route 85, 439-6454.

Voorheesville, 765-2805. Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware Turnpike, 439-5001.

United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New Salem, 765-4410.DAY -

Monday, Dec. 3

BETHLEHEM

PEACE VIGIL

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

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

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

6:15 p.m. Information, call Chris at 439-3026 or Gary at 439-9629

428 Kenwood Ave. Meets 10:30 a.m. to noon in the nursery. The playgroup provides opportunities for child care takers and prenursery school age children to socialize in a relaxed atmosphere. Information, call 439-9976 ext. 228

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.

ELMWOOD PARK FIRE DISTRICT

Board of fire commissioners meeting, North Bethlehem firehouse, 589 Russell Road, 7:30 p.m.

DELMAR COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

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

REANCHARD LEGION POST Meeting, 16 Poplar Drive, 8 p.m. Informa-

tion, 439-9819. **ROYAL ARCH MASONS**

Temple Chapter No. 5: Masonic Temple 421 Kenwood Ave.

AA MEETING Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave.,

8:30 p.m

NEW SCOTLAND

QUARTET REHEARSAL

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

Tuesday, Dec. 4

DELMAR

WEIGHT WATCHER **DELMAR MEETINGS**

The local chapter of Weight Watchers meets today at 12:15 p.m. at St. Stephen's Church, Delmar.

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PRAYER MEETING At Gospel Fellowship, 7 p.m., 10 Rockefeller

Rd., Delmar, beneath Normans Kill bridge, Information 482-2132. **PLANNING BOARD**

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

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7:30 p.m.

A.W. BECKER PTA Becker Elementary School, Route 9W, 7:30 p.m. Information, 767-2511.

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New Scotland Town Hall, Route 85, 7 p.m. Information, 765-3356.

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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.

SOLID ROCK CHURCH evening prayer and Bible study, 1 Kenwood

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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.

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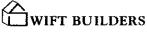
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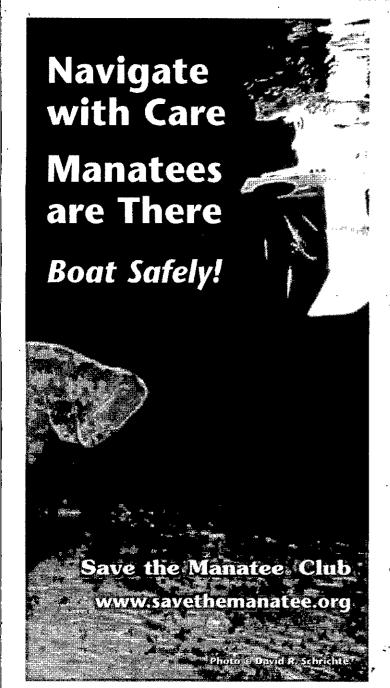
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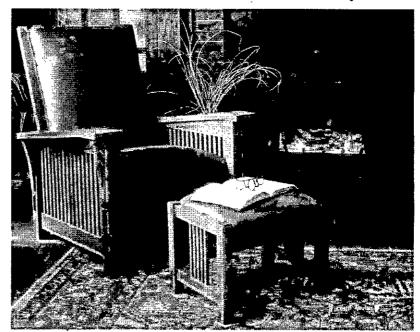
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Notice of Formation of FOREBRIDGE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/15/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17448

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Notice of Formation of HERTS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/15/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor. Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17449

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Notice of Formation of SUN-SIDE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/15/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17450 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of BIRD-WOOD LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17451

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Notice of Formation of KIN-NERDON LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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Notice of Formation of LE-VENDALE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Cor-

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same address. Purpose: all lawful activities LD-17453 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of MIN-FORD LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom pross against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. al the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17454

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Notice of Formation of CHESHUNT LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17455

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Notice of Formation of LOW-ERDONLLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany Coun-SNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful LD-17456

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Notice of Formation of VAR-SITY LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom pross against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Cary Street Partners LLC, App. for Auth. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 10/12/07. Of-fice location: Albany County. LLC org. in VA 3/26/02. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to c/o Nat. Reg. Agents, 875 Ave of the Americas Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. VA office addr.: 1210 E. Cary St., Ste. 300, Richmond, VA 23219. Art. of Org. on file: VA State Corp. Commission, 1300 E. Main St., Richmond. VA 23219. Purpose: any lawful activities LD-17459

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of The Hedges Family Limited Partnership, Cert. of LP filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 10/4/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to c/o Mar-ian Schwager, 60 Salisbury Rd., Delmar, NY 12054. Name/addr. of each gen. ptr. avail. at SSNY. Purpose: any lawful activities. Latest date: 12/31/2106. I D-17460

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LISON FUNDING LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/18/07. Office loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The reg-istered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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Notice of Formation of GB DESIGN LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/10/07: Office location: Albany County. SSNY des ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities LD-17462

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 10253 REALTY, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/10/07. 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, 181 Main Street, Baby-Ion, New York 11702 Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17463

(December 5, 2007)

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TOKYO JUMBO LLC Notice of Formation of TO-KYO JUMBO LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/01/2007. 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, 1881 Central Avenue, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17464 (December 5, 2007)

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1893 CENTRAL LLC Notice of Formation of 1893 CENTRAL LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/01/2007. 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, 1881 Central Avenue, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: any lawful LD-17465

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Notice of Formation of WAY-SIDE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17466

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Notice of Formation of WOR-GAN LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207.

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The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17467

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Notice of Formation of BIRK-DALE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17468

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Notice of Formation of REATHGATE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17469

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Notice of Formation of BRAMLEY LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities LD-17470

(December 5, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC

GARNER HOLDINGS, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary State on October 16 2007. Its office is located in Schenectady County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC c/o Richard D. Cirincione, PO Box 459, Albany, New York 12201-0459. The street address of the principal business location is 1001 Morgan Ave., Niskayuna, New York 12309. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act LD-17471

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Notice of Formation of RAL-STONE CAPITAL LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/18/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful LD-17473

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: LAYTON PARTNERS LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of

State of New York (SSNY) on 10/04/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may

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be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 341 West 47th Street, Suite 2F, New York, New York 10036. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17475 (December 5, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: ROT-R AND FRIENDS LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/03/07. 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, 1212 Avenue of the Americas 18th Floor, New York, New York 10036. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17476 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Bowery Development Group, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 06/21/07. Office ľocatión: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17478

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Notice of Formation of KMT SK TELECOM LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/03/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17479

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Notice of Formation of VSNL INTERNATIONAL LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/03/07. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17480 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Chestnut Exit 12, LLC articles of organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/22/07 Office located in Albany County at 22 Century Hill Dr. #201, Latham, NY. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom service may be made and SSNY shall mail a copy of such process to said office location. The character of the LLC is any lawful activity. (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of Plu-

tus NY, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/10/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: c/o Manager, Rissy Capital S.A., Akara Bldg, 24 De-Castro St., Wickhams Cay I Road Town, Tortola, British Virgin Islands, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 8/29/07. SSNY designated as agent of LL© 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

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address of LLC: CSC, 2711 Centerville Road, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: real estate. LD-17483 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of JOZECK LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/9/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: Midwood Management Corporation, 430 Park Avenue, Ste. 505, NY, NY 10022. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 9/19/02. 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, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Pur-pose: any lawful activity. LD-17484 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of ADTAR LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/9/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: Midwood Management Corporation, 430 Park Avenue, Ste. 505, NY, NY 10022. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/16/00. 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, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17485

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Notice of Qualification of JUNB LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/9/07. Office location: Albany County. rincipal business location: Midwood Management Corporation, 430 Park Avenue, Ste. 505, NY, NY 10022. 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: c/o Corporation Service Company (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: c/o CSC, 2711 Centerville Road, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808 Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17486

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Notice of Qualification of JOUP LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/9/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: Midwood Management Corporation, 430 Park Avenue, Ste. 505, NY, NY 10022. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 9/19/02. 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, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17487 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of DJRA Broadcasting, L.L.C. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on

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10/10/07. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Douglas R. Trumpler, Esq., 5522 Broadway, Lancaster, NY 14086, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purose: all lawful purposes. LD-17488

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Notice of Formation of A-Dreams, L.L.C. Arts, of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/10/07. Of-fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall máil process to: Douglas R. Trumpler, Esq., 5522 Broadway, Lancaster, NY 14086, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: all lawful purposes LD-17489 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of D & W 18 LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 08/16/07. Office ocation: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Alistate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. ID-17492

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Ch. B. & S. Management C, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on. 06/19/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity LD-17493 (December 5, 2007.).,

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: ASTO-RIA WAREHOUSE REALTY, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/15/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of

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process to the LLC, 105 Clay

Street, Brooklyn, New York 11222. Purpose: For

any lawful purpose,

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LD-17496

Notice of Formation of GDB CAPITAL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/16/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process gainst it may be served SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17497 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of L. VICTOR CAPITAL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/16/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whem process against the process. whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, c/o Corporation Service Com-pany, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17498 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of formation of Britton's Bay, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State New York (SSNY) on 08/02/2007

Office location: County of

Albany. Kyle J. Britton, 176 Sickle Rd, Berne, NY 12023 has been designated as the registered agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The designated agent shall mail a copy of process served to the LLC, 176 Sickle Hill Rd, Berne, NY 12023. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17499

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Notice of Formation of Od-yssia Unlimited LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 06/15/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Alistate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17507 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of formation of Roller Traders LLC. Articles of organization were filed with NY Secy. of State (SSNY) on 7/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 310 Quail St, Albany, NY 12208. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17509 (December 5, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: HEALTH ONE AGENCY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/11/07. Of-

fice 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, 72 Ohio Avenue, Long Beach, New York 11561. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LD-17510 (December 5, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION Notice of Formation of OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY NAME: FUNKY MUNKY STABLE, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/17/07. 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, c/o Richard Munk, 90 Gold Street, Unit 25F, New York, New York 10038, Purpose: For any lawful purpose. (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: STU-DIO NEWMAN LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secre-tary of State of New York (SŚNY) on 10/24/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been desig-

as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall

mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o John Newman, 210 East 23rd Street, New York, New York 10010. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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TROJAN, LLC.

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: GREEN

Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/12/07. 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, 31 East 31st Street, Unit 4C, New York, New York 10016. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17514

(December 5, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: GAG BROTHERS LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/11/07. 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, 149 West 27th Street, New York, New York 10001. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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(December 5, 2007)

Notice of Formation of Medical Healthcare Equipment, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secv. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/19/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 8 Turnberry Drive, Slingerlands, NY 12159. Purpose: any lawful LD-17516

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Rosemark Pictures, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/15/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 77 East 12th St., Apt. 13K, NY, NY 10003. Purpose: any lawful activi-LD-17517

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

BRAND INTERNATIONAL LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 6/05/06. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd loor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17518

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CAL-DICOT LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/28/02. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-ny, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful

LD-17519 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of JACK OPPORTUNITIES LLC. Arts of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/08/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail

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process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17520

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of WYVERN PARTNERS GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 6/29/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Coristered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. D-17521

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of ZELTEG LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/26/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of Pine Grove Construction, LLC. Arts. of org. filed with the Sec of State of NY (SSNY) pursu-ant to NY LLC law Section 206 on 8/28/2007. Office location, Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process served to: c/o the LLC, 40 Cramond Street, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: Any lawful activity. LD-17525

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of 29 Montrose LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 05/03/07. Office location: Albany County SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, IY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17526

LEGAL NOTICE

(December 5, 2007)

Notice of Formation of Madison Avenue Restaurant LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/24/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Alistate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany pose: any fawful activity. LD-17527

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of The New Upstate Group LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 08/01/07. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Dorothy Castille, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/19/07.

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Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17529 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Liability Company Act. LD-17542

LEGAL NOTICE

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, 381 Park Avenue

South, New York, New York 10016. Purpose: For any

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of New

York Assurance Agency, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 09/18/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent

of LLC upon whom process

against it may be served.

SSNY shall mail process to:

Allstate Corp. Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415 Al-bany, NY 12207. Purpose:

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Gel

Properties LLC. Arts Of Org.

filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/26/07. Of-

fice location: Albany County.

SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs. Corp.,

41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose:

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of St.

Giles Investment, LLC. Arts

Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 09/21/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon

whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: Alistate Corp.

Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity.

LD-17549

any lawful activity.

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any lawful activity. LD-17547

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lawful purpose. LD-17543

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Maka-lina LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/04/07. 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, 4 Park Ave., Ste. 16-G, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17530 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Sheshunoff Management Services, L.P. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/22/07. Office location: Albany County. LP formed in Texas (TX) on 1/22/92. SSNY designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail serveu. SSNY Shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State Street, Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. TX address/principal business location of LP: 2801 Via Fortuna, Ste. 600, Austin, TX 78748. Name/address of each genl. ptr. available from SSNY. Cert. of LP filed with TX Secy. of State, The James Earl Rudder Bldg., 109 Brazos, Austin, TX 78701. Purpose: any lawful activity. activity. LD-17538

LEGAL NOTICE

(December 5, 2007)

Name of LLC: SOUTH MOUNTAIN ROAD, LLC. Articles of Org. filed Dept. of State of NY on 8/15/07. Office location in NY: Albany County. Principal bus loc. 32 Forest Road, Delmar, NY 12054. Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Sec. of State shall mail a copy of process to: 32 Forest Road, Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: any lawful LD-17539

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of CONVOLUTION FILMS LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/22/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Deláware (DE) on 10/16/07. 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: CSC, 2711 Centerville Road, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE . Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901 pose: any lawful activity. LD-17540 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC BSJ Acquisition, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on October 24, 2007. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom pro-cess may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC, at LLC, 146 State Street, Albany, NY 12207. The street address of the principal business location is 146 State Street, Albany, NY. Its business is to engage in any lawful

activity for which limited

liability companies may be

all lawful activities. LD-17553 (December 5, 2007)

> NOTICE OF FORMATION **IVE HOLDING** LLC. Articles of Organization

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were filed with the Secretary organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/16/07. 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, c/o Per-NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 325 EAST 206 LLC. olizzi & Associates, LLP, 911 Avenue U, Brooklyn, New York 11223. Purpose: Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of For any lawful purpose. LD-17555 State of New York (SSNY) on 10/23/07. Office location: Albany County. (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: K.T.N. HOLDING LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/16/07. 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, c/o Pergolizzi & Associ-ates, LLP, 911 Avenue U, Brooklyn, New York 11223. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17556 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABIL-COMPANY, NAME: TIN MOON, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/15/07. 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, 235 East 22nd Street, Apartment 7I, New York, New York 10010. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17557 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CIS AGRICULTURE LLC. Arts of Org. was filed with SSNY. on 10/29/07. Office loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-ny, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17559

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Notice of Formation of DAB-LEY LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/29/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17552

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of VA-LANCE INTERNATIONAL LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/29/07. Office location: Albany County SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose:

LEGAL NOTICE

OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: JACK

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 4001 REALTY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/19/07. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2106. 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 Esq., 118-21 Queens Boulevard, Suite 403, Forest Hills, New York 11375. Purpose: For any lawful pur-LD-17564

LEGAL NOTICE

(December 5, 2007)

Notice of Formation of 490 Bunker Hill Road, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/30/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, c/o Pierro Law Group, LLC, 20 Corporate Woods Blvd., Albany, NY 12211. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-17565

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Notice of Formation of Bear Pond Farm, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/30/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, c/o Pierro Law Group, LLC, 20 Corporate Woods Blvd., Albany, NY 12211. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-17566 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LI-ABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name of LLC is KQ EAGLES POINT LLC. Articles of Organization of LLC were filed with NY Secretary of State, under Section 203 of Limited Liability Law of State of New ork, October 22, 2007. Purpose of LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office of LLC is located in Albany County. Secretary of State designated as agent upon whom process against LLC may be served. Address to which Secretary of State shall mail copy of process is 255 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12205. LD-17567

(December 5, 2007)

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Name: CORDO & COM-PANY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY on 8/16/07. Princ. Bus. Loc.: 90 State Street, Suite 1507, Albany, NY 12207. Office location: Albany County: SSNY designated as agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 90 State Street, Suite 1507, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: practice the profession of law. LD-17568 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Equastone Securities, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 9/4/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 8910 University Center Lane, Ste. 500, San Diego, CA 92122. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/12/07. 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, Loockerman & Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17569 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of LON-DONMARKETING LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 10/04/02. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The reg-istered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 1 D-17571 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: BGDGNU, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 09/20/07. Office (SSNY) on 09/20/07. 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

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the LLC, c/o John Shmerler, 1848 Reistertown Road, Baltimore, Maryland 21208 Purpose: For any lawful D-17574

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION LIMITED LIABILITY COM-

Name: Serenity Psychological Services, PLLC (LLC).
Articles of Organization filed with NY Dept. of State on November 9, 2007. Office location: Albany County. NY Secretary of State (SOS) is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to Whiteman Osterman & Hanna LLP, One Commerce Plaza, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: Practice of psychology and any lawful act or activity. LD-17581

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Martial Vivot, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/16/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Al-bany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17582 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of WHITESTREAM LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 11/07/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail rocess to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities LD-17584

LEGAL NOTICE

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Notice of Qualification of Praxair Distribution Mid-Atlantic, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/22/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 8/27/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd. Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17585 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: SR & JR EQUIPMENT, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with th York (SSNY) on 10/11/07. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2106. 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, 180 Old Loudon Road, Latham, New York 12110, Purpose: For any lawful purpose. (December 5, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: 2736 COLDEN LLC

Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/01/07. Office location: Albany County.

LEGAL NOTICE

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, 81 Cabrini Boulevard, Suite G1, New York, New York 10033. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17588 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMA-TION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: 43 KINGSTON LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/10/07. 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, 47 Brook Road, Valley Stream, New York

11581. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17589

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Designer Skin, L.L.C. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/1/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave of the Americas, Ste 501, NY, NY 10001. Purpose: any lawful LD-17592

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Shanghai SPV, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/2/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/31/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 375 Greenwich St., NY, NY 10013. Address to be maintained in DE: 160 Greentree Dr., Ste 101, Dover, DE 19904. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-17593

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Sempra Plastics LLC. Au thority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/7/07: Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/3/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 101 Ash St., HQ13, San Diego, CA 92101. Address to be maintained in DE: 160 Greentree Dr., Ste 101, Dover, DE 19904. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901 . Purpose: any lawful activities. (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of ES-CROWN LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/10/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 430 Park Ave., Ste. 505, NY, NY 10022, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 9/19/02. 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, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17595

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Notice of Qualification of AD 27 LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) ón 10/10/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 430 Park Ave., Ste. 505, NY, NY 10022. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 9/19/02. 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, Ste 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17596

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of US-GRAW LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/10/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 430 Park Ave., Ste. 505, NY, NY 10022. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/12/00. 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, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808 Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of ADAX LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/10/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location 430 Park Ave., Ste. 505, NY, NY 10022. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 9/19/02. 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, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808 Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17598 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: ELLEN BECKER DESIGN LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/23/07. Office location: Albany Coun-. 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, 110 Oak Drive, Roslyn, New York 11576. Purpose: For any (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of CASA 1766, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/2/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Florida (FL) on 10/19/07. 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. FL address/principal business location of LLC: 50 Central Avenue, #1108, Sarasota, FL 34236. Arts. of Org. filed with FL Dept. of State, 2662 Ex-ecutive Center Circle, Talla-hassee, FL 32301. Purpose: real estate investment. LD-17609 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of formation of LLC Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/3/2007. Office location: 56 Bruce Drive, Alplaus, NY. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Aphrodite's Elements,

56 Bruce Drive, Alplaus, NY 12008. For any lawful LD-17611

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF COVERSION OF PARTNERSHIP TO LIM-ITED LIABILITY COMPANY NAME: CMC HOLDINGS ASSOCIATES LLC Certificate of Conversion was filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on November

Office location: 90 State Street, Suite 1411, City of Albany, County of Albany, New York 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, 90 State Street, Suite 1411, Albany, New York 12207 For any lawful purpose. LD-17612

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZA-TION OF 423 FLATBUSH,

Under section 203 of the Limited Liability Law. FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is 423 FLATBUSH, LLC.

SECOND: The county within the state in which the office of the limited liability company is to be located

in Kings. THIRD: The laest dateon which the limited liability company is to dissolve is October 19, 2037. The office of the corporation is to be located in Kings County, State of New York. FOURTH: The Secretary of State of the State of New York is designated as agent

of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address within or without this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served upon him or her is: The Comapny

647 Flatbush Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11225 FIFTH: The effective date of the Articles of Organization shall be October 19, 2007. SIXTH: The limited liability company is to be managed by one or more members. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this certificate has been subscribed this 19th day of October 2007, by the undersigned who affirm that no statements made herein are true under the penalties of perjury.

John Gray, Organizer Roy Garcia, Organizer LD-17614

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Transworks LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/8/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 9/28/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave of the Americas, Ste 501, NY, NY 10001. Address to be maintained in DE: 160 Greentree Dr., Ste 101, Dover, DE 19904. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901 . Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-17624 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of GOLFSTONE SERVICES LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed

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with SSNY on 12/06/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17625

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of J S HOLSTEIN LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/13/06. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-ny, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful LD-17626

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SIS-TANE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/20/06. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-17627 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Hinterland, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/05/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17628

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of ZM4 Enterprises LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/22/2007. Office location, County of Albany, SSNY has been des ignated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process served to: The LLC, 7 Forsten Drive, Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: any lawful act. LD-17629 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION

OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: F AND N WEBSTER LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/31/07. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2106. 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, c/o Karen Rush, 348 Dean Street, Brooklyn, New York 11217. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17636 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMA-TION OF LIMITED LIABIL-ITY COMPANY. NAME: ME HOLDINGS NY 8, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/16/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

LEGAL NOTICE

SSNY shall mail a copyof process to the LLC, Madison Exchange, LLC, 1125 Ocean Avenue, Lakewood,

New Jersey 08701. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17637

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION

OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: EVO-LUTION FITNESS INTERNATIONAL, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/06/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been désignated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 1656 86th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11214. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-17638

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Kataman Metals LLC. Authority filed with NY Dept. of State on 10/24/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/26/07. NY Secy. of State designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: 1209 Orange St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: all lawful purposes. D-17645

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 251 South 3rd LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 05/03/2007 Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17647

(December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of PJS HOMES, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/13/2007. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. I D-17648

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of A2Z Boxes, L.L.C. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17649 (December 5; 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Bu Global Holdings, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/14/2007. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17650

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Notice of Formation of EL-BURG LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/14/2007. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17651

(December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Headwind Capital LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/13/2007. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17652 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of ASW STRATEGIC LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/16/2007. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17653

(December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of 100-01 Metropolitan Ave LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/09/2007. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17654 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of 69-19 Fresh Pond Road LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/09/2007. Office loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: All-state Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Amado Plumbing And Heating, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/19/2007. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any Pawful activity. lawful activity. LD-17656 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Mobile 50000 LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/08/2007. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17657

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Notice of Formation of Hen sworth Development LLC Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/26/2007. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17658

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Rex Capital, LLC. Authority filed Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/26/2007. LLC Formed in Delaware(DE) on 06/02/2006. Office local tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: C/O Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp. 41 State St. Ste 415 Albany, NY 11204. DE address of LLC: 1209 Orange St. Wilmington, DE 19801. Arts. Of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal Street, Dover DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful LD-17659

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Rex Capital Advisors, LLC Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/26/2007. LLC Formed in Delaware(DE) on 01/03/2007. Office local tion: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against may be served. ŠSNY shall mail process to: C/O Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp. 41 State St. Ste 415 Albany, NY 11204. DE address of LLC: 1209 Orange St. Wilmington DE 19801. Arts. Of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal Street, Dover DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17660 (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of 619 Halsey Street LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/05/2007. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17661

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of TCA PSC GP LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/8/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location 24601 Center Ridge Road Westlake, OH 44145. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/25/07. SSNY designated

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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. filed with DE Secy. of State, P.O. Box 898, Dover, DE 19903. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17665

(December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Qualification of TravelCenters of America LLC. Authority filed with of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/8/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 24601 Center Ridge Road, Westlake, OH 44145. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/10/06. 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, P.O. Box 898, Dover DE 19903. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17666

(December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Qualification of TheraSyn DM, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/7/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/15/07, SSNY des ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Corporation Service Company (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: CSC, 2711 Centerville Road, Ste 400, Wilmington, DE 19808 Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of JEMS USA, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/22/07. 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 St., Al-bany, NY 12207. Purpose: lawful activity.

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Winthorpe LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/29/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 191 N. Wacker Drive, Ste. 2300, Chicago, IL 60606.

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SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall máil process to: Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17669

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Notice of Qualification of Printcount, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of fice location: Albany County LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/25/05. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave of the Ameri-cas, Ste 501, NY, NY 10001. Address to be maintained in DE: 2711 Centerville Rd Ste 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901 . Purpose: any Purpose: any lawful activities. (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Qualification of NewBeauty Media Group, L.P. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/02/07. Office location: Albany County. LP formed in Florida (FL) on 1/17/04. SSNY designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The L.P., 3731 N.W. 8th Ave, Boca Raton, FL, 33431, also address to be maintained in FL. Name/address of genl. ptr. available from SSNY. Cert. of LP filed with FL Secy. of State, Division of Corpora tions, PO Box 6327, Tallahassee, FL 32314. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-17672

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: NUEVA ENTERTAINMENT, LLC Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New

York (SSNY) on 10/30/07. 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, 59 John Street, Suite 9B, New York, New York 10038. Purpose: For any lawful pur-

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY MPANY NAME: FORBES COVERAGE LLC. Articles of Organization were State of New York

(SSNY) on 10/25/07. Office

Ìocation: Albany County.

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SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 1736 East 27th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11229. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LD-17675 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of FA-TOU Business Services L.L.C., Arts, of Org. filed with of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/06/07. Office loca tion: 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 135 Van Rensselaer Blvd., Albany, NY 12204. LD-17676

(December 5, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY CO. (LLC)

Name of LLC: CKB Consulting, LLC. Art. of Org. filed NY Sec. of State 08/17/07. Off. loc. in Albany Co. Sec. of State designated as agent of LLC upon whom process Sec. of State shall mail copy of process is: 12 Riverwall Way, Cohoes, NY 12047; latest date LLC is to dissolve 12/31/2037; Purpose: Any lawful purpose permitted under LLCL. LD-17680

(December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Treadway Enterprises USA LLC Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/23/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207, Puroose: any lawful activity.

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Notice of Formation of 360 Real Estate Development LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/08/07. 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 Allstate Corp. Svcs Corp.,41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. (December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Llobet Medical Group PLLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/13/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC

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upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: Profession of medicine.

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Notice of Formation of Blueberry Realty, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/09/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17684

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Park JBG LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY SSNY) on 2/5/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served SSNY shall mail process to principal business location: Corporation Service Co. 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17688

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Equal Vision Publishing, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/29/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 136 Fuller Road, Albany, NY 12205. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall mail process to David J. Stein, Esq., 5 Great Jones St., NY, NY 10012. Purpose: any lawful activity LD-17689 (December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of Galaxy Net Solutions LLC. The Articles of Organization were filed with

the Secretary of the State of New York on 10/10/07. Office location:

Albany County. The Secretary of the State of New York has been designated as agent of the

LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The Secretary of the State of New

York shall mail process to: C/O National Registered Agents Inc, 875 Avenue of the Americas Suite 501, New York, NY 10001. The registered

agent is: National Registered Agents Inc, at the same address. The purposes of the business of the LLC are for any lawful business purpose or purposes.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC 65 Park Avenue Associates,

LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on November 16, 2007. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC, at LLC, 677 Broadway, Suite 500, Albany, NY 12207. The street address of the principal business location is 677 Broadway, Suite 500, Albany, NY 12207. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act. LD-17692

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of US-BOND Realty LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/19/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 3/15/1999. SSN designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNÝ shall mail process to principal business location: c/o Corporation Service Co. (CSC 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: c/o CSC, 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808: Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Townsend Bldg., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity LD-17693

(December 5, 2007)

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Notice of Qualification of METAFUND MANAGE-MENT, LLC. Authority filed Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/2/07. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Florida (FL) on 8/15/05. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail proess to the principal office of LLC: David W. Oberting, 16 Fenway Drive, Albany, NY 12211. Arts. of Org. filed with FL Secy. of State, 409 East Gaines St., Tallahassee, FL 32399. Purpose: any lawful activity LD-17694

(December 5, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of

Allende Resort LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/15/07. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/11/06. SNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process

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to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17695

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Notice of Qualification of Bald Mountain Allende, LLC Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/16/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Colorado (CO) on 11/23/05. SNY 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. CO address of LLC: 000 So. Mill St., Aspen, CO 81611. Arts. of Org. filed with CO Secy. of State, 1700 Broadway, Ste. 200, Denver, CO 80290. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-17696

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of SF Risk Management Group, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/19/07. Office location: Albany County, Principal business location: 1 State Farm Plaza, Bloomington, IL 61710. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/1/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co. SC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: c/o CSC, 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful LD-17697 (December 5, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY.

Articles of Organization of Drew Casa, LLC (the "LLC") were filed with the Secretary of State of New York SSNY") on October 18, effective upon the date of filing. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY may mail a copy of any process to the LLC c/o 421 Wel-lington Road, Delmar, New York 12054, the purpose for which the LLC is formed is to engage in the conduct of a company to acquire, develop, renovate, manage, finance, own and sell real state, and to carry on any other activities necessary to, in connection with, or incidental to the foregoing for which limited liability companies may be formed under the Limited Liability Law of the State of New York. December 5, 2007)

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BC gives irons tourney win

The Bethlehem boys basketball team gave new head coach A.G. Irons his first tournament championship, as the Eagles downed Niskayuna 60-47 in Saturday's Niskayuna Invitational

The Eagles (2-0) jumped out to a 21-9 lead in the first quarter and made 16 of their 24 foul shots to fend off the Silver Warriors

Joe Kane scored 17 points. Dan Lanchantin contributed 11 points and Kevin Wendth added 10 points for Bethlehem. Alex Olbrych's 17 points paced Niskayuna.

The Eagles advanced to the Niskayuna invitational finals with a 77-39 victory over Amsterdam last Friday. Kane led three Bethlehem players in double figures with 22 points. Wendth and John Drazan each added 16 points,

Bethlehem began its Suburban Council season Tuesday at Columbia.

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Conference game against St. Peter's - not one of Siena's big rivals.

Let's say that Siena concedes home court to UAlbany every other year to keep the rivalry going. The game still has to be played at the TU Center because it's the only place that can accommodate the massive crowds that have become expected when the two teams play (more than 13,000 showed up Saturday). So even if UAlbany is listed as the home team on the scoreboard and Siena's name is covered on

Siena's colors. It can't be helped.

Let's also say that UAlbany gets to sell the majority of the TU Center's seats. That may help the Great Danes draw more supporters to the arena, but it won't help sell out the place. Siena fans still outnumber UAlbany fans in this region, and you can bet those Siena fans will find a way to buy up any leftover UAlbany tickets. End result: there will still be more Siena fans than UAlbany fans in the building. So much for home court advantage.

What UAlbany needs to do is get over the fact that it's still playing second fiddle to Siena in the hearts of Capital District sports

the court, the court will still bear fans and just play the game. People want to see the rivalry continue because the games are getting more interesting. In the last three years, there have been two overtime games and one that was decided by four points. While Siena won in all three cases, UAlbany has proven that it's capable of competing with the Saints. With a little more time and some shrewd recruiting, the Great Danes might even start beating the Saints more frequently than once every four years.

> But we won't know unless Brown and the Great Danes continue this rivalry. Hopefully, they'll get past needing a home court advantage to do so.

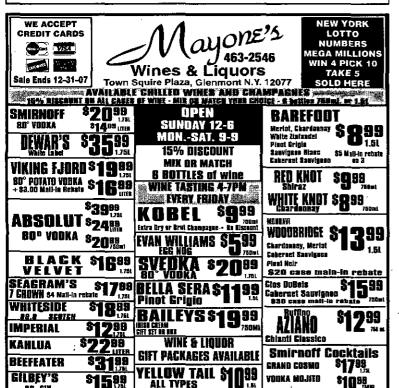
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were very patient in looking for shots," said Nealon.

"At times our press worked, and at times it didn't. At times our zone worked, and at times it didn't," said Fiore, who made her varsity coaching debut. "We have to become more consistent defensively."

As the gap continued to widen, Colonie's offense took more chances. The Lady Raiders took the first open shot they had at the

basket, but most of those fell short, which led to plenty of defensive rebounds for Bethlehem.

"They ran some nice (offensive) they switched to zone, and we sets, and they got some open looks. They just didn't fall for them," said Nealon.

> "We're not going to make all of our shots, and we have to do a better job of crashing the boards,' said Fiore.

> McCullough finished with 24 points, while Kristina Maksuti and Paula Gadomski combined for 19 points off the bench for Bethlehem. Kay Deso scored 10 points to lead Colonie.

Bethlehem capped its tourna-

ment with a 51-50 overtime victory over Big 10 power Catholic Central Saturday. The Lady Eagles rallied from a 24-18 halftime deficit to tie the game at 45 at the end of regulation before pulling out the

Meg Olsen led Bethlehem with 17 points, while Kiersten Swete contributed 12 points and Maksuti added 10 points off the bench. Alison McGrath's 19 points paced Catholic Central

The Lady Eagles opened their Suburban Council schedule Tuesday when they faced Columbia in Delmar. They host Niskayuna Friday.

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High school results for Nov. 26 to Dec. 2

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Bethlehem leader: Mike Williams 244 game, 702 series

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R-C-S-leader: Jen Downes 189 game, 540 series

Bethlehem 16.5, Averill Park 15.5

Bethlehem leader: Melissa Smith 179 game, 482 series

HOCKEY

Bethlehem 7, Saratoga 2

Bethlehem scoring: Matt Bub 2-0, Stephen Russo 1-2, Ray Marshall 1-1, Kyle Barach 1-1, Tony Weeks 1-1, Packy Carroll 1-0, Pat McGrath 0-1, Harrison Lane 0-1, Tom Dolfi 0-1 Bethlehem saves: Alex Cooper 29

Thursday, Nov. 29 Boys bowling

Mechanicville 17, R-C-S 15

R-C-S leader: Dillon Davies 244 game, 665 series

Friday, Nov. 30 BOYS BASKETBALL Niskayuna Invitational Bethlehem 77, Amsterdam 39

Bethlehem leaders: Joe Kane 22 points, Kevin Wendth 16 points. John Drazan 16 points

GIRLS BASKETBALL Schalmont 50, R-C-S 35

R-C-S leader: Alivia Richter 13 points

Bethlehem Tip-off Tournament

Bethlehem 75, Colonie 45

Bethlehem leaders: Alex McCullough 24 points, Kristina Maksuti 10 points

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Bethlehem's Alex McCullough drives past Colonie's Kari Kipper during Friday's Bethlehem Tip-off Tournament game. Rob Jonas/Spotlight



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Saturday, Dec. 1 BOYS BASKETBALL Niskayuna Invitational Championship game Bethlehem 60, Niskayuna 47 Bethlehem leaders: Joe Kane 17 points, Dan Lanchantin 11 points,

GIRLS BASKETBALL Bethlehem Tip-off Tournament Bethlehem 51. Catholic Central 50

Kevin Wendth 10 points

Bethlehem leaders: Meg Olsen 17 points, Kiersten Swete 12 points

HOCKEY Bethlehem 3. South Glens Falls 0

Bethlehem scoring: Tom Dolfi 1-2, Mancilla (275)

Mat Bub 1-1, Harrison Lane 1-1, Paul Hospodar 0-1, Chris Reidel

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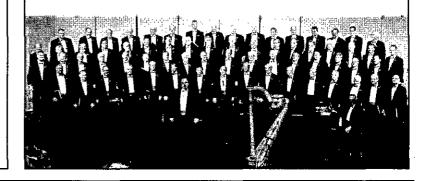
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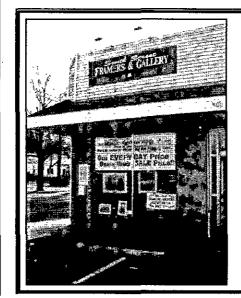
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Sports Spotlight

Varsity schedule

Wednesday, Dec. 5 BOYS BASKETBALL

Scotia-Glenville at R-C-S, 7:30 p.m.

Boys bowling

Lansingburgh at Voorheesville, 4 p.m.

Waterford at R-C-S, 4 p.m.

GIRLS BOWLING

Averill Park at Bethlehem, 4 p.m.

BOYS SWIMMING

Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk at Taconic Hills, 4:15 p.m.

WRESTLING

Saratoga at Bethlehem, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 6 Boys bowling

Bethlehem at Guilderland, 4 p.m.

WRESTLING

R-C-S at Voorheesville, 6 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 7 BOYS BASKETBALL

Albany Academy at Voorheesville, 7:30 p.m.

Bethlehem at Niskayuna, 7:30 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Niskayuna at Bethlehem, 7:30 p.m.

HOCKEY

Bethlehem at Mohonasen/ Schalmont, 8 p.m.

Boys swimming

Schenectady at Bethlehem, 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 8 BOYS BASKETBALL

R-C-S at Schalmont, 1 p.m.

INDOOR TRACK

Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk at Union College, 8:30 a.m.

Monday, Dec. 10 **Boys Bowling**

R-C-S at Schalmont, 4 p.m. Voorheesville at Cohoes, 4 p.m.

GIRLS BOWLING R-C-S at Schalmont, 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 11 BOYS BASKETBALL

R-C-S at Albany Academy, 7:30 p.m.

Shen at Bethlehem, 7:30 p.m. Voorheesville at Lansingburgh, 7:30 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Bethlehem at Shen, 7:30 p.m. Holy Names at R-C-S, 7:30 p.m. Lansingburgh at Voorheesville, 7:30 p.m.

Boys bowling

Bethlehem at Mohonasen, 4 p.m.

GIRLS BOWLING

Bethlehem at Mohonasen, 4 p.m.

GYMNASTICS

Shaker at Bethlehem, 6 p.m.

Boys swimming

Shaker at Bethlehem, 4:30 p.m.



Bethlehem's Paula Gadomski takes on two Colonie defenders as she attempts a layup during Friday's opening round game at the Bethlehem Tip-off Tournament.

Lady Eagles impressive in debut

McCullough scores 24 points to lead BC past Colonie

By ROB JONAS jonasr@spotlightnews.com

A role reversal took place Nealon. when the Bethlehem and Colonie Bethlehem Tip-off Tournament last Friday.

Bethlehem down the court.

The Lady Eagles used an

aggressive full-court press and pushed the tempo on offense on their way to a 75-45 victory over the Garnet Raiders.

'We kind of changed our philosophy and decided to push the ball up the court this year," said Bethlehem coach Mark

girls basketball teams met at the the team that forced turnovers and made it difficult for opponents to catch their breath. But on Instead of Bethlehem chasing this night, the Lady Raiders Colonie, it was Colonie chasing found themselves turning the ball the Lady Eagles a 17-12 lead. over and struggling to stay with Bethelehem.

who started three players with limited varsity experience and two newcomers. "It took us a while 41-23 at halftime." to get going. Fortunately, we get to play Bethlehem at least once more if not two more times.'

Bethlehem (2-0) got things For years, Colonie had been going late in the first quarter. Forward Sarah Thompson converted a pair of Colonie turnovers into layups at the other end to spark a late run that gave increase their lead to 55-31.

Bethlehem broke the game open in the second quarter at the

"We were nervous," said free throw line. The Lady Eagles Colonie coach Heather Fiore, made 12 of their 19 foul shots, and center Alex McCullough added three baskets to make the score

> Colonie (0-1) tried to close the gap in the third quarter. Abandoning their full-court press. the Garnet Raiders attempted to slow Bethlehem down with a zone defense. It worked for a little while, but the Lady Eagles ended the quarter with a 12-2 run to

> > "When we broke their press,

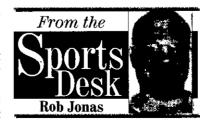
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Siena will always have home court in rivalry

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University at Albany men's basketball coach Will Brown said in the week leading up to his team's annual game against Siena that if the crosstown rivalry is to be renewed next year, then something has to be done to give his Great Danes a home court advantage.

Bad news, coach Brown. Your Danes aren't going to have a home Arena is expanded to seat 10,000 people so you can play the Saints on your campus. And anyway, you need to keep the rivalry going. It's one of the few times a year you're



from the local media.

The truth is that as much as court advantage unless SEFCU UAlbany has done to increase its in the Capital District since 2001,

UAlbany has a better record than decade, but it's nowhere near Siena the past four years to go along with consecutive NCAA as successful as UAlbany. Tournament appearances. It's based on the number of people who follow each program.

For all of their success, the Great Danes still have trouble filling their own 4,500-seat oncampus arena. Other than the last two "Big Purple Growls" and the 2006 America East Tournament visibility and viability as a premier championship game (all sellmen's college basketball program outs), they have often played in front of half-full stands. It's still it is still considered to be No. 2 better than the small crowds behind Siena. That's not based on that showed up while they were guaranteed to get major attention what happens on the court, where struggling in the first half of this

what it should be for a program

Meanwhile, Siena has needed to play all of its home games at the Times Union Center because its following has grown too large to use its Alumni Recreation Center. While it's true that the end zone seats have to be blocked off to create a more intimate setting, it's not for a lack of interest. As long as the Saints are winning. more than 5,000 people will show up on average, even if it's a midseason Metro Atlantic Athletic

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