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# Job well done

Town cuts ribbon on long-planned  
streetscape enhancement project

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**BETHLEHEM** — Local officials cut the ribbon on the long-planned Delaware Avenue Hamlet Streetscape Enhancement project on Friday, Dec. 15. "We are very thankful to all the business owners," said Supervisor John Clarkson, noting that some inconvenience inevitably comes with any construction project. "They have had to put up with quite a bit. Our goal from the start was to have this project start and end within a single construction season... it wasn't perfectly on time, which is why we're out here in this seasonably brisk December weather. But they got it done within a year."

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## ■ TOWN GOVERNMENT

# Outgoing elected officials say farewell

Clarkson, Sasso and Wagoner took a moment at their final Town Board meeting to say goodbye, and thank you

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**BETHLEHEM** — Outgoing town board members — Supervisor John Clarkson, Julie Sasso and Giles Wagoner — took time at their final meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 13, to say a few words.

“I have enjoyed immensely my service as town supervisor,” said Clarkson. “It’s been six years, three terms, 138 board meetings, I think, if I counted correctly.

“I enjoy it still,” he said. “But all things pass and I’m happy moving on the next challenge, whatever it may be.”

“I want to thank the town staff,” said Sasso. “I have really enjoyed working with you; I’ve been impressed with your dedication and the hard work that you give to the community. I also want to thank the various members of the boards and citizen committees that we have in our town. The level of expertise and commitment that they bring to our town — by and large, for



Town Supervisor John Clarkson, left, along with Board members Julie Sasso and Giles Wagoner, opted not to run for reelection.

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free — is really impressive and it really makes our community a better place. And, finally, I want to thank the incoming town board.”

She also thanked the incoming town board members for their willingness to serve and wished them luck in the coming year.

“I’ve really enjoyed the last year here, serving the community on the board,” said Wagoner. “It’s been a really enjoyable experience and it’s been just a pleasure working with the rest of my board members and the rest of the town staff.”

Wagoner commended the

years that Clarkson and Sasso served on the board, saying that the town is better off for their service. “I wish you a lot of luck in your next endeavors, wherever they may take you.”

Supervisor-elect David VanLuven thanked Sasso and Wagoner for the time they spent on the board together, saying, “Your insights and perspectives have been invaluable and you will be greatly missed. It was an honor to get to sit at the table with you.

“And, John,” he said, “while we don’t always agree on everything, your courage as supervisor, your integrity, and your absolute

commitment to the wellbeing of the town and the town employees is truly something to be treasured. The town will be better off tomorrow because of you, and in 10, 20, 30 years.”

Board member Joyce Becker noted that she has worked with Clarkson and Sasso “on both sides of this table cloth.” She commended their vision, action and integrity. “I thank you,” she said.

Of Wagoner, she said, “Giles has created his own Giles style. He is a man of maybe just a few words, but he says a lot with just a few words and I thank you.”

Town Attorney Jim Potter also weighed in. “John, Julie, Giles: I’ve seen you handle, from my perspective, an awful lot of difficult problems and issues in your tenure on the board and throughout that time you’ve handled it with hard work, dedication, integrity, but most of all with good judgment. The town certainly appreciates your service and we’ll all miss your presence here.”

## Open Space, Complete Street plans approved

The Town Board unanimously approved two long-discussed municipal action plans during its last 2017 meeting:

- An open space plan outlining a conservation criteria plan to help the town identify land within its boundaries that are desirable for preservation as open space, and the tools that are available in the event that a preservation opportunity arises, and

- A plan to reconfigure Delaware Avenue between the Normans Kill Bridge and Elsmere Avenue as a “complete street,” following a lengthy study, which will reduce lanes and add approximately a minute of travel time to those commuting through the corridor, but will provide easier access for other modes of transportation.



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## ■ POLICE, FIRE AND EMERGENCY CALLS

# Unattended bag prompts evacuation of RCS High School

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**RAVENA** — Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk High School was evacuated briefly on the morning of Tuesday, Dec. 12, after an unattended bag was deemed suspect.

Students were relocated to the middle school while State Police, the Coeymans Police Department and the Albany County Sheriff's Department investigated the bag and determined there was no threat.

The district issued a press release commending how students, faculty and staff responded to the situation.

"We are proud of how our students and staff responded today," said Superintendent Brian Bailey, in a post on the district's website, which characterized the occurrence as a successful test of the school's security protocols. "Their due diligence in adhering to our safety procedures was key to an efficient and safe response. We also want to thank the Albany County Sheriffs, State Police and Coeymans Police for their quick response and for assisting us in this matter."

Parents on the scene, however, voiced suspicion and concern that they were not alerted, and that the brief post was all the information made available by the district.

Danielle Pennick learned of the incident after her ninth-grade daughter contacted her by cell phone. From there, Pennick began making phone calls to find out what was happening. She said school officials told her that her daughter wasn't allowed to leave the premises and that authorities could not disclose exactly why.

Pennick said she felt she had been lied to, and didn't understand why a student's book bag became the focus

of a suspected threat.

"What tipped you off?" she asked. "That's what I want to know."

"There was an unattended bag that was in the hallway," Bailey told *Spotlight News*. As a precaution, he said, students were initially told to remain in their locked classroom with their teachers as administrators and first responders assessed the situation, a response he referred to as "Shelter in Place," a common emergency response in New York state.

The situation began at around 7:45 a.m. Due to the fact that the district was waiting on various agencies to show up and assist with the investigation, said Bailey, the students were relocated to the middle school, which is located on the same campus, at a little after 9 a.m.

"It was just the location," Bailey said when asked what appeared suspicious about a book bag in a high school. "It was sitting in an area of the building where someone would not have ordinarily set a bag down."

"Everybody's so conscientious now in thinking about our student's safety," he said. "It's a heightened level of observation."

As far as notifying parents in situations such as this, Bailey said that while the school has a School News Notifier messaging system and posts information on the district website, he acknowledged that there was a delay informing parents about this incident.

"We wanted to get information to parents sooner," he said, but explained there were concerns about jeopardizing a potential investigation. "We wanted to ensure that the response was appropriate and waited for the lead investigator to help us with that."

Bailey also noted that parents who



The exterior of Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Senior High School is shown.

Michael Hallisey/Spotlight Newspapers

might "rush to the school en masse" could end up putting themselves and others in danger. He explained that emergency protocols depend on knowledge of where each student is, and said that it would be problematic if parents pulled them out of school suddenly or without informing the school.

Bailey elaborated briefly on emergency plans that the district has in place, noting even parents are rarely given the full scope of the plans for reasons of security. "That's sensible," he said. "You'll find that in any district."

While he said that safety plans are filed with the state every year, they are redacted for the public. "You don't want someone with ill intent to know all of the particulars of our response."

In a letter to parents sent out later that day, Bailey wrote, "The delay in communication on our part caused some unnecessary concern and, in the future, we will share information more quickly, even if initially incomplete, with updates as needed. Our goal is to keep you informed when we have activated an emergency response plan; ensuring the safety of all children."

High school students were back in their classrooms by 10:30 a.m.

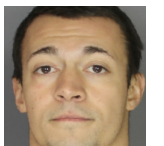


Both state and local law enforcement officials surround this white Lexus sedan stopped on the Delmar Bypass on Tues., Dec. 12.

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## Delmar teen found with loaded illegal handgun

**DELMAR** — Deputies from the Albany County Sheriff's Department pulled over a vehicle on Route 32 between Elsmere and Murray avenues on Tuesday, Dec. 12, and arrested one person on weapon charges and another on a drug charge.



CARP

According to Sheriff Craig Apple, when deputies pulled over a white Lexus on Route 32, they noticed a strong odor of marijuana coming from the vehicle.

The passenger in the car, 19-year-old Alexander S. Carp, of Delmar, was also found to be in possession of a loaded, defaced 9mm Smith and Wesson handgun.

The driver, 20-year-old Desmen Ferrell, allegedly had marijuana in his possession.

Bethlehem Police Commander Adam Hornick said deputies who made the initial stop requested assistance with a "priority response" and all available cars from Bethlehem Police Department and the State Police were at the scene at shortly after 3 p.m.

Carp was charged with two felonies of criminal possession of a weapon. He was arraigned in Bethlehem Town Court and remanded to the Albany County jail.

Ferrell was issued an appearance ticket.

## Teenager arrested for fake ID

**SLINGERLANDS** — New York State Police investigators in Latham arrested a Slingerlands man for the class D felony of criminal possession of a forged instrument in the second degree on Thursday, Dec. 9.



POPA

Calin Popa, 18, was reportedly stopped for speeding on I-90 and, subsequent to the traffic stop, was found to be in possession of a forged Delaware Driver's License.

Popa was processed without incident at the state police station in Latham and was arraigned on the charge in Albany City Court on December 12.

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## TOWN NEWS

# Making sense of dollars in 2017 town election

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**BETHLEHEM** — Candidates for town office in 2017 were required to disclose monies raised or spent in service of their campaign at specified intervals during the year leading up to the election, with a last report due 27 days after the general election.

In Bethlehem, according to records kept by the New York State Board of Elections, campaign dollars were spent for lawn signs, literature, postage, fundraising events, advertising, Facebook boosts and, in one case, legal counsel. Individual donations were nearly all between \$25 and \$200, with family, corporations and other election committees sometimes contributing larger amounts. The largest influxes of money tended to come in the form of loans, often from the candidate to his or her own election committee.

The disparity in dollars spent was considerable.

According to filings, John “Tiger” Anastasi, who won the Highway Superintendent seat, spent the most on his campaign — \$17,482.97. His campaign also not only received the most donations — \$17,930.70, but also received the most donations from corporate donors: \$2,180 from 13 different donors, the largest of which was \$500 from Harrison

& Burrowes Bridge Constructors in Glenmont.

The Anastasi campaign spent money on lawn signs, advertising and fundraisers, including more than \$600 on Facebook ads and more than \$3,000 for a fundraiser at the Normanside Country Club.

Comparatively, outgoing Town Board member Giles Wagoner, who entered the race for Highway Superintendent late, spent \$3,682.54 on his campaign and received \$1,125 in donations. The majority of his campaign expenditures seem to have been on a multi-media marketing firm.

Dan Morin, the other unsuccessful Highway candidate, did not file anything with the state Board of Elections. State law does not require disclosure of amounts under \$1,000, and Morin said that he spent a total of \$910 on lawn signs and flyers and “footwork.”

Andy Kirby, who retained his seat as Town Justice, spent \$16,110.19 and received \$14,369 in donations. His primary expenditures were on advertising, primarily in Spotlight News, payments to Staples (presumably for production of promotional materials), and more than \$2,000 on fundraisers at Normanside Country Club and Roux.

Kirby’s competition, Colin Dwyer, appears to have spent only \$3,983.83 of the \$7,885 he raised, \$1,500 of which

was on fundraisers at Twisted Vine and Normanside Country Club, however his committee appears not to have submitted any reports for the periods immediately before and after the general election.

Both town justice candidates received donations from local law firms.

Dan Coffey, who lost the race for Town Board after abdicating his positions on the Zoning Board of Appeals and as an officer for the Bethlehem Democratic Committee, spent \$13,185.64, after raising \$9,108.50, including \$500 from the Capital Women Political Action Committee.

One of Coffey’s biggest campaign expenditures was to the Working Families Party, which was the only party line the Democrat ran on. He paid the party more than \$3,500 for literature that it supplied and mailed. Other big expenses were lawn signs and mailers. He also spent more than \$1,500 to retain the legal services of James Long when Democratic opponents brought a lawsuit against Coffey and Wagoner.

Maureen Cunningham, who won the most votes in the four-way competition for the two seats on the Town Board, spent \$9,055.98 on her campaign and received \$10,976 in donations, including a \$5 donation from her husband for the purpose of opening up a campaign bank account. Cunningham, who also received donations from Senator Neil Breslin and Assemblywoman Pat Fahy, spent on advertising, mailers and a communications consulting firm.

Jim Foster, who won the other Town Board seat, reportedly spent \$4,608.71, after raising \$4,663.44, including \$250 from the Independence Party. He spent primarily on printing, mailing and lawn signs.

George Harder, the fourth candidate in that race, raised \$5,438.31, the majority of which seems to have been at a fall fundraiser, but spent only \$1,478.81, mostly on a fundraiser and mailing costs.

Supervisor-elect David VanLuven made more use of Facebook than any other town candidate. He raised \$13,742, without any corporate donors, and spent \$11,435.39, including: \$1,600 for a fundraiser at Twisted Vine; more than \$1,000 paid to



Town Supervisor-elect David VanLuven, left, and opponent Gary Fish celebrate the end of a long election season at Twisted Vine on Tuesday, Nov. 7, after the general election.

Ali Hibbs / Spotlight news

the Bethlehem Democratic Committee; thousands to a multi-media marketing firm; and money for coffee from Perfect Blend for his campaign volunteers — in addition to multiple payments to Facebook for ads and boosted posts.

VanLuven’s opponent, Gary Fish, reportedly received \$4,506.17 in contributions and spent \$3,279.18 on his campaign, primarily on lawn signs and fundraising events, however his campaign hasn’t filed anything for the period following the general election.

As a point of comparison, Paula Mahan, who won the race to retain her seat as supervisor in the Town of Colonie, spent nearly \$70,000 on her campaign.

In the race for county legislator, Democrat Victoria Plotsky of Clarksville won her campaign after spending \$9,948.38 and receiving \$11,539 in donations, including \$2,000 from the Capital Women PAC, \$250 from Albany County Executive Dan McCoy’s election committee, and \$1,050 from committees for Breslin, Fahy, Assemblyman Phil Steck, Albany County Sheriff Craig Apple and four other county elected officials.

Her opponent, Tim Stanton, appears to not have filed any campaign finance reports with the state.

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■ COMMUNITY

# Look, listen for God in the ordinary

Local author publishes religious devotional encouraging people to find the Lord in their daily lives

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**BETHLEHEM** — Local author Robert LaCosta believes that people can learn to see and hear God. As someone who works in an industry helping people to actually hear, he sees his other vocation as doing the same work in the spiritual realm. A prolific writer of spiritual allegory, inspirational storytelling and songs, he recently published his latest book, a daily devotional meant to remind people to look for those opportunities to encounter God on a daily basis — even on a busy schedule.

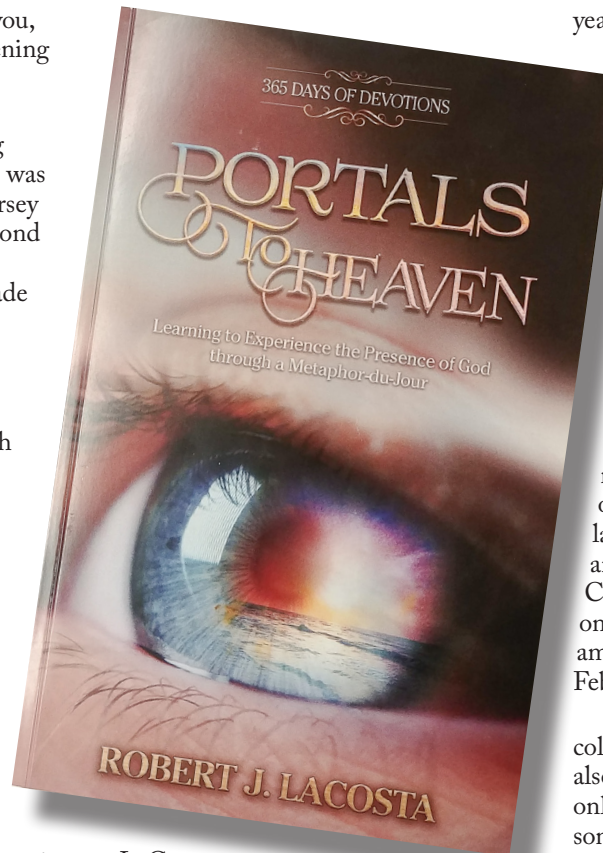
LaCosta, noting that devotionals have become popular for the very reason that the average schedule simply doesn't allow for spending an hour or two with one's chosen scripture every day, said that he believes his is unique in that it is not inspired by scripture, but by his own experiences. A member of Bethlehem Community Church in Delmar, LaCosta was raised a Roman Catholic. He says he's always able to find a Bible passage that exemplifies the experiences he shares in his book, *Portals to Heaven*.

"Portals to heaven are these little daily metaphor-du-jours, or that's what I call them," said LaCosta. "And they're ways of

beginning to interpret what's before you, right before you in the now, as an opening to heaven — a portal or a gateway to heaven."

It can be anything, he said, sharing several examples. In one instance, he was at a public swimming pool in New Jersey and could see the Atlantic Ocean beyond a wall bearing all the necessary pool maintenance apparatus. He said it made him think about all the labor humans put into maintaining things that are often pale copies of their naturally made, self-sustaining originals. Every morning, LaCosta is fortunate enough to see the sun rise over the Hudson River from his home and says that, in itself, is its own daily affirmation for him.

"What I thought the Lord was showing me was, very simply, that there are metaphors in virtually everything I'm seeing," he said. "From watching squirrels and birds fighting over the bird feeder while I'm sitting on my back porch, and we have plenty of seeds, we'll fill it back up, but they're fighting over it. And that reminded me of war and mankind's insecurity that God's not going to take care of them."



LaCosta has been writing a blog about the portals he sees for about three

years, and says that putting them into a print version spanning a year — portals written by LaCosta on Monday through Wednesday for 53 weeks, and do-it-yourself portal exercises on the weekends — was surprisingly difficult.

"I didn't start doing it to write a book," he said. "I had to turn a 400- to 600-word blog into a 250-word portal, and the constraints are much more severe with print." To edit more than 360 portals, he said, "was crazy."

It all came together, however, and his book went on the market on the morning of Black Friday. "That, in and of itself, was kind of a portal," he said laughing. "It went through so many edits and had some problems and by the time CreateSpace released it, it literally hit on the morning of Black Friday. It was amazing. I've been editing that book since February."

LaCosta, who has been a regular columnist for the Senior Spotlight, has also published three novels and has an online devotional site, called Awaken (at sonrisen.com), where he publishes longer *Portals to Heaven* posts alongside other

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## From page 1 ... Job well done

Clarkson commended town planning staff and the engineering and construction companies that worked to complete the project so quickly, even while running into a series of unexpected delays after digging up several unexpected objects during construction.

"I believe the construction term is substantial completion," he said, acknowledging that there are several elements yet to be completed. New road signs and flashing pedestrian beacons are expected to be installed by next week, while decorative brick-style crosswalks will have to wait until next spring, as they require warmer weather. Replacement overhead streetlights are also expected to be installed in the spring, working with National Grid. Finally, a giant mural will be installed when delivered by the manufacturer in the next couple of weeks.

The mural, which will be mounted on the abutments on either side of the Delaware Bridge, between Hudson Avenue and Oakwood Place, will stand seven feet tall and 33 feet long on each side, according to Planning Director Rob Leslie. It highlights each of the neighborhoods and hamlets throughout the town, depicting images of daily life in Bethlehem.

The streetscape project also installed pads for three transit shelters, located at Main Square, St. Thomas and the Delmar Reformed Church. "The actual installation of the shelters will be done by CDTA," said Deputy Commissioner of Public Works Paul Penman. "We are coordinating with them and expect them to be completed over the winter."

The full streetscape project involved the implementation of multi-modal and streetscape enhancements along

Delaware Avenue, from Elsmere Avenue to Adams Street, as well as portions of Kenwood Avenue and Adams Street. These enhancements consisted of new sidewalks, crosswalks, curbing, on-street parking, street trees and decorative lighting fixtures. The total project cost \$3.1 million, with \$1.9 million provided by the town and the other \$1.2 million through a grant from the New York State Department of Transportation.

"This effort goes back at least a decade, probably more," said Clarkson. "There were two citizens groups that were involved. One was the Delaware Avenue Enhancement Committee that produced the first study on this and that was followed up by the work of the Delaware Avenue Improvement Group, which is a public/private group still very much in existence, which the town co-chairs with the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce."

He noted several new businesses that have opened along that corridor in recent years, and a few that are set to, such as the Bliss Smoothie Bar that will be located right next to the Albany County Helderberg-Hudson Rail Trail. Clarkson credited the multi-modal nature of the improvements and walkability for at least some of that new development.

State Senator Neil Breslin, who lives not far from Delaware Avenue in Delmar, was on hand to commend Clarkson and town staff. "This is fantastic," he said. "These are the kind of events that I love to be at, because it's a win-win-win for our downtown. And all of us who live here know that it's the finest community in the Capital District."

"To everybody involved in this," he said, "congratulations. Job really well done. I thank each of the restaurants and bars for being patient, because you're going to be rewarded. We're going to have people walking these streets and shopping and," he chuckled, "pleasing the Chamber of Commerce."



Standing next to a miniature representation, Supervisor John Clarkson smiles as Planning Director Rob Leslie describes the mural that will be installed under the Delaware Avenue bridge.

Photo by Ali Hibbs / Spotlight News

"This, this, this is how you build community," said Assemblywoman Pat Fahy. "These types of public investments are what leverage the growth of businesses, but it's not just the businesses. It really is that sense of community, aside from the safety aspect of it with the schools so close by. People want walkable communities."

Breslin and Fahy both commended Clarkson for seeing the project through, noting that talk doesn't always lead to action.

"I know that that work will absolutely continue under David VanLuven," said Fahy of the town's supervisor-elect.

"We know this has been a challenge for some of the businesses here," said Jennifer

Kilcoyne, president of the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce, "but there have been much-needed improvements." She noted that on-street parking and easier vehicular access to businesses made the project beneficial to drivers as well as pedestrians, cyclists and those who use public transportation.

Landscaping and other finishing touches have been completed, according to Penman, and may be touched up in the spring.

The project added 118 new trees to the Delaware Avenue corridor, said Clarkson. "And that doesn't include the 60 street trees through our regular program," he said. "So, all told, there are 178 new trees, which is something we're very proud of."

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## ENVIRONMENT

# Billions of gallons of toxic sewage enter state's waters each year

Environmental Advocates of NY issues disturbing update to its Tapped Out report from 2016

By ALI HIBBS

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ALBANY — Environmental Advocates of New York has released an addendum to a report published last year analyzing sewage pollution in state water bodies used for drinking and recreational activities, caused primarily by poor wastewater infrastructure leading to sewage system overflows.

At the time the analysis, Tapped Out, was released, information gathered by the New York state Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) revealed that there had been 2,696 reported sewage overflows between May 2013 and June 2015. More recent data from DEC shows that there were an additional 7,991 spills reported between June 2015 and July 2017 — bringing the total volume of spilled sewage to nearly four billion gallons.

While the increase in reported spills is significant, 273 percent since data collection began in May 2013, EANY said the DEC database still indicates significant underreporting and, in many cases, a complete lack of reporting.

"The total volume, in combination with the fact that one-third of reports have no reported volume," states the addendum report, "reveals that only a fraction of true discharges corresponding volumes statewide have been reported." It has been estimated by the environmental watchdog Hudson Riverkeeper that New York City's combined sewer system discharges approximately 28 billion gallons of sewage into local waterways each year — equal to 12 times the volume reported statewide over four years.

Gov. Andrew Cuomo signed the Sewage Pollution Right to Know Act in 2012, which requires that discharges of untreated or partially treated sewage are to be reported publicly owned treatment plants and sewer systems within two hours of discovery to DEC and within four hours of discovery to the public and adjoining municipalities.

"If any untreated sewage were to be discharged into the Hudson River from our facility, our staff is required to notify the NYS DEC," said Bethlehem's Commissioner of Public Works George Kansas, explaining that staff at the town's wastewater treatment plant monitors all flows into and out of the plant. In Bethlehem, he said, the storm water sewer system is separate from the town's sewage collection system,

which makes toxic discharges far less likely when there are heavy rains. Many neighboring municipalities have combined systems, which are more prone to discharge.

"The Act was meant as a proactive means of disclosing sewage overflow information to potentially impacted people," wrote EANY's Elizabeth Moran, "and drew the spotlight on the root cause: a wastewater infrastructure in dire need of investment." Moran said the "failing system" is discharging an estimated tens of billions of gallons of raw sewage into local water bodies every year.

Reported overflows, while often incomplete, cite a number of causes, the most common of which are heavy rains and melting snow, which can overwhelm aging combined systems. Other causes include: equipment failure; blockage of pipes; proximate construction projects; human error; and "toxic die-off of biomass."

A 2004 report by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) estimated that there are as many as 5,000 cases of illness at state-recognized beaches each year that can be attributed to recreational exposure to the waterborne pathogens, parasites and other disease causing organisms found in untreated sewage. EPA also acknowledged those numbers are likely conservative.

EANY said a lack of adequate regulations for implementation was one cause of the severe underreporting during the early years of the Act, and noted that reporting increased by 153 percent the year that final regulations were adopted in November 2016. Those regulations require immediate reporting, no exceptions, from all publicly owned wastewater treatment facilities and publicly owned sewer systems.

"The implementation of the law has revealed important consequences of our failure to invest adequately in wastewater infrastructure, and environmental law and enforcement," wrote Moran. "The Sewage Pollution Right to Know database illustrates the consequences of a lack of investment: New York's wastewater infrastructure is in crisis."

In 2014, State Comptroller Thomas DiNapoli released a report in which he identified an \$800 million annual funding gap for wastewater infrastructure needs alone, funding for which EANY is advocating. In addition to bringing WIIA (New York's Water Infrastructure Improvement Act) funding to \$800 million annually, EANY is also

advocating for increased staffing at DEC to enforce the Sewage Pollution Right to Know Act as well as financial support for municipalities to improve their monitoring and reporting practices.

Gov. Andrew Cuomo announced this month \$623 million in regional economic development grants, including \$85 million for 110 projects here in the Capital District. More than \$10.2 million has been allotted for wastewater treatment and discharge mitigation systems, including:

- \$5 million to the City of Albany to build two "Floatables Control Facilities" to collect floatable debris and materials associated with several combined sewer outfalls;
- \$487,000 for two projects in the City of Cohoes that would reduce stress on the city's combined sewer system;
- \$30,000 each to the City of Watervliet and the villages of Menands and Hoosick Falls to conduct studies related to improving wastewater systems;
- \$1 million to the Village of Corinth to replace an existing main and make sewer improvements to support the new River Street Pump Station and Wastewater Treatment Plant;
- \$2.5 million to the Village of Lake George to upgrade its wastewater treatment facility; and
- \$977,000 to Washington County Sewer District Two to relocate a combined sanitary/storm sewer main from private property to a public right of way, separate sanitary and storm sewers and install new sewer lines.

In 2017, Albany County also received more than \$10 million in WIIA funding to upgrade wastewater treatment systems.

"Every time there are heavy rains, New York's most precious resource, its waterways, get hit with sewage overflows," said Moran. "Our new analysis shows that New Yorkers are starting to get a clearer picture of the state of their water thanks to much improved sewage overflow reporting. Unfortunately, that picture shows billions of gallons of raw sewage plague our waterways. Until we see a sustained, annual investment of at least \$800 million to fix our pipes, rampant sewage overflows that threaten public health and quality of life will only continue."



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## ■ HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS

# Bethlehem girls drop one to Colonie

**COLONIE** — The Lady Raiders basketball team held off The Lady Eagles for a Suburban Council win on Tuesday, Dec. 12.

It was a back and forth game, and Bethlehem was within one point with just under three minutes to play. However, Colonie went on to win the game 53-48 following an 8-4 run.

Colonie was led by junior standout Aliyah Wright with 15 points, Alivia Paeglow with a dozen and Erin Fouracre with 11.

Bethlehem had two players in double figures: Julianna Okoniewski with 16 to lead all scorers and Molly Kirby with 13.

Rounding out the scoring for Colonie (3-0) were Kyara Triblet with seven, Sareena Dicerbo and Ahnalese Pearson with three each and Earlashia Ricketts with two.

For Bethlehem (1-2) Maggie Kirby had nine points, Tessa Hughes had six and Caroline Wise and Ava LaClair had two each.

Photos by Jim Franco/Spotlight News



# The Bison beat The Dutch



**COLONIE** — The Blue Bison won a Suburban Council, Gray Division matchup against Guilderland on Friday, Dec. 15, by a score of 61-48.

After jumping out to an 11-4 lead after the first quarter, Shaker held the lead throughout the game. Guilderland (1-3) hung around though and made a run in the fourth quarter, cutting the lead to five with 5:32 to play.

Shaker (3-1) went on a 10-5 run over the next four minutes to put the game out of reach.

Jake Cook led Shaker with 22 points, including eight in the fourth quarter, while Devon Mahoney scored 21 points, including hitting five for six from the free throw line.

Sloan Seymour chipped in nine points, Ray Burt had four while JeanPierre Anthony and Zack Snyder had two points each.

Grant Mengel had 16 for Guilderland, Brendan Hoffman and Daniel Albright had eight each while Ryan Teaney had seven and Matthew Bender chipped in six points.

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

Name: 10 AIRLINE HOLDINGS, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, December 7, 2017. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 8 Stoneridge Drive, Loudonville, NY 12211. D-171355

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

10208 SCAGGSVILLE RD ALJ LLC  
Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on October 26, 2017.

Office location: County of Albany, State of 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, 50 Chapel Street, Albany, NY 12208  
For any lawful purpose. D-168691

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

10208 SCAGGSVILLE RD RSG, LLC  
Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on October 26, 2017.

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For any lawful purpose. D-168690

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

1104 LEXINGTON AVENUE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 203 Aldershot Lane, Manhasset, NY 11030. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170842

**RESOLUTION AND PUBLIC NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem in the County of Albany, State of New York has on the 13th day of December 2017, duly adopted, subject to a permissive referendum, a resolution as follows:

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem has determined that it is necessary to fund the 114 Adams Street Addition and Renovation Project.

WHEREAS, it is estimated that the costs of said work will not exceed \$900,000; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of these needs, funds for such purpose are in the Sewer Fund Capital Reserve Fund;

and,  
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that it is in the public interest to complete the 114 Adams Street Addition and Renovation Project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Board authorizes the expenditure of the reserve moneys to fund this project up to a maximum amount of \$900,000 and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Comptroller is authorized to expend from the Sewer Fund Capital Reserve Fund the funds necessary up to \$900,000 in said reserve fund; and

This resolution shall be subject to a permissive referendum, as permitted by law.

The motion to adopt the resolution was made by Councilwoman Sasso, was seconded by Councilman VanLuvan and duly adopted by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisor Clarkson, Councilwoman Becker, Councilwoman Sasso, Councilman VanLuvan, Councilman Wagoner  
NOES: none  
ABSENT: none  
DATED: December 13, 2017  
C-171940

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

124 GRANDVIEW LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 21 New Lane, Staten Island, NY 10305. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170301

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

135 OCEANA 2E LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Irina Pashinsky, 155 Oceana Drive E, #5G, Brooklyn, NY 11235. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171382

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

143 E. 63RD STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/17/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 143 East 63rd Street, New York, NY 10065. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170195

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

16 LENOX LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/29/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the

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LLC, 118 Sanford Street, Brooklyn, NY 11205. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. EB-170519

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

173 HEIGHTS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 347 Pleasant Avenue, Suite 1A, New York, NY 10035. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171483

**1930 CENTRAL AVENUE, LLC**

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company

Arts. of Org. of 1930 Central Avenue, LLC ("LLC") filed with Dept. of State of NY on 12/6/17. Office location: Albany County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: 1932 Central Ave., Albany, NY 12205, principal business address. LLC does not have a specific date of dissolution. Purpose: All legal purposes. Filer: Lavelle & Finn, LLP, 29 British American Bl., Latham, NY 12110. D-171910

**1932 CENTRAL AVENUE, LLC**

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company

Arts. of Org. of 1932 Central Avenue, LLC ("LLC") filed with Dept. of State of NY on 12/6/17. Office location: Albany County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: 1932 Central Ave., Albany, NY 12205, principal business address. LLC does not have a specific date of dissolution. Purpose: All legal purposes. Filer: Lavelle & Finn, LLP, 29 British American Bl., Latham, NY 12110. D-171918

**1934 CENTRAL AVENUE, LLC**

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company

Arts. of Org. of 1934 Central Avenue, LLC ("LLC") filed with Dept. of State of NY on 12/6/17. Office location: Albany County. Sec. of State designated agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served and shall mail process to: 1932 Central Ave., Albany, NY 12205, principal business address. LLC does not have a specific date of dissolution. Purpose: All legal purposes. Filer: Lavelle & Finn, LLP, 29 British American Bl., Latham, NY 12110. D-171922

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

2 CAARJ, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the

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LLC, 531 Wild Avenue, 2nd Floor, Staten Island, NY 10314. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171944

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

Name: 2011CentralAvenueAlbany, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, November 16, 2017. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 2011-CentralAvenueAlbany, LLC, 920 Poeyfarre Street, PH15, New Orleans, Louisiana 70130. D-169577

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

22-19 42 STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Iakovos Soumbasakis, 23-12 36th Street, Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170783

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

226 MGB LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Trop Spindler LLP, 19-02 Whitestone Expressway, Suite 103, Whitestone, NY 11357. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171374

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

229 WEST 71st STREET, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/28/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 111 Broadway, Suite 901, New York, NY 10006. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170472

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

301 VIEW REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 1860 Gleason Avenue, Bronx, NY 10472. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171530

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

3156 EAST TREMONT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/17/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC,

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3156 East Tremont Avenue, Bronx, NY 10461. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170582

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

360 NYA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 57 Dumbarton Drive, Huntington, NY 11743. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171533

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

360 NYA MANAGER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 57 Dumbarton Drive, Huntington, NY 11743. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171534

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

3720 MEMBER, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Edward B. Safran, Esq., 88 Pine Street, 7th Floor, Wall Street Plaza, New York, NY 10005. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171545

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

3720 OWNER, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Edward B. Safran, Esq., 88 Pine Street, 7th Floor, Wall Street Plaza, New York, NY 10005. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171546

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

375 STERLING PLACE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/11/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Schwartz Levine PLLC, 7 Penn Plaza, Suite 210, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171683

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

4708 PARK AVENUE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of

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process to the LLC, 21 New Lane, Staten Island, NY 10305. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170337

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

52 GARFIELD NY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/07/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 138 Union Street, Suite 1B, Brooklyn, NY 11231. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171386

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

529 W 113TH STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/11/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 19 Vandeventer Avenue, Princeton, NJ 08542. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171704

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

6203 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/11/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 2719 E. 66th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11234. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171954

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

629 EAST 28TH STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/28/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 2126 Flatbush Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11234. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170500

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

817 CLASSON AVENUE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 138 Union Street, Suite 1B, Brooklyn, NY 11231. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170790

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

908 19th STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/04/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 2615 West 15th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11214. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170976

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

966 WOODYCREST MEMBER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY

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on 11/22/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o SKF Development LLC, 38 West 21st Street, 8th Floor, New York, NY 10010. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170419

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

AAR LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/16/11. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 3061 Brighton 5th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11235. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170338

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

ABINGTON DALLAS MIDTOWN LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/29/2017. Office loc: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Todd Soloway, ESQ. C/O Pryor Cashman LLP, 7 Times Square, NY, NY 10036. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose. D-171518

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC**

Articles of Organization for Al Lam Builders, LLC was filed with the New York Secretary of State on April 3, 2014. The office of the company is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as Agent upon whom process may be served and a copy of process shall be mailed by the Secretary of State to Allan Lam, 8 Landor Lane, RD #1, Cohoes, NY 12047. Purpose: any-lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under New York State Law. The latest date upon which the company is required to be dissolved is 1/1/2089. D-171152

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

AVID READER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/04/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Alicia Devins, 55 Monroe Boulevard, Apartment 6D, Long Beach, NY 11561. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170947

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

BATTERSEA ADVISORY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/28/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 11 East 29th Street, Apt. 18C, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170426

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**Notice of Formation** of Foreign qualification BBEW LLC Articles of Org. filed with NY Secretary of State (NY) on 7/26/2017, Albany Co. NY is designated as agent upon whom process may be served, NY shall mail service of process (SOP) to Registered Agents, Inc. at 90 State St. Albany NY. Registered Agents, Inc. is designated as agent for SOP at 90 State St Albany NY, purpose is any lawful purpose. D-170539

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Beacon Colonial I LLC (the "LLC") filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on 10/18/17. LLC office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process served to LLC, c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State Street, Albany, New York 12207-2543. Purpose: any lawful activity. D-169055

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

BRACKLEY PROPERTIES 223 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/05/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 29 West 36th Street, Suite 1100, New York, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171141

**Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC)**

Name: Brendan J. Cox Criminal Justice Consulting LLC. Articles of Organization filed with New York Secretary of State (SSNY) on 11/8/17. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall be mailed a copy of process C/O Brendan Cox 30 Santanoni Dr., Cohoes, NY 12047. Term: Indefinite Purpose: Any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized. D-168770

**Notice of Formation of C&C ALBANY REALTY LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on October 19, 2017. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 450 E. Bogert Trail, Palm Springs, CA 92264. Purpose: any lawful activity. D-169277****NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

C.R. AND ASSOCIATES REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/17/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Christina Rieck-



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ehoff, 15 Pelican Road, Hauppauge, NY 11788. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170183

**CAINE ENTERPRISE LLC**  
Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 11/9/2017. Office in Albany Co. SSNY design. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 207-20 104 Ave., Queens Village, NY 11429. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-169101

**CAPITAL DISTRICT FAMILY PROPERTIES LLC.**

Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/31/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Joseph W Lennon, 447 Ontario Street, Albany, NY 12208. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170002

**Notice of Formation of Caribbean Interests LLC.**

Arts of Org. filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on December 1, 2017. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Dawn Homes Mgmt, 20 Corporate Woods Blvd, Albany, NY 12211. Purpose: any lawful activity. D-171511

**CHANGES SALON, LLC NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on November 8, 2017. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail a copy of any process to the LLC to Changes Salon, LLC, 510 Old Loudon Road, Cohoes, NY 12047. No registered agent. Purpose: for all legal purposes. D-168869

**Notice of Formation of Cinque Chiropractic PLLC, a domestic PLLC.** Articles of Organization filed with the SSNY on 10/16/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 252 Union St., Apt1, Schenectady, NY 12305. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-168331

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

**CITY ESCAPES REALTY LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 44-12 43rd Avenue, Sunnyside, NY 11104. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170775

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**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
CLAYTON COURT, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 347 Pleasant Avenue, Suite 1A, New York, NY 10035. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171398

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Colonial I Associates Limited Partnership (the "LP") filed Certificate of Limited Partnership with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on 10/19/17. LP office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LP upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process served to LP, c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State Street, Albany, New York 12207-2543. Name and address of each general partner available from SSNY. The latest date upon which the LP is to dissolve is 12/31/2077. Purpose: any lawful activity. D-169072

**Notice of formation of COZY LIVING LLC.** Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on November 17, 2017. Office location, County of Albany. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 15 Glenwood Dr., Apt 6, Glenmont, NY 12077. Purpose: Any lawful act. D-171839

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

**CP FRESH 62 LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/17/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o S.T. Management Group Inc., 315 Madison Avenue, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171174

**Notice of Formation of CROWN OF ROSES LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11.28.17. Office location, County of Albany. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Crown of Roses LLC, 122 Old Stage Rd., East Berne, NY 12059. Purpose: any lawful act. C-170180

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

**D'Orcs Condo HoldCo, LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/17/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o

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Friedman LLP, 327 Central Avenue, Linwood, NJ 08221. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170186

**Notice of Formation of DAA Express Trucking, LLC, a Domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC).** Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on November 3, 2017. Office location: County of Albany. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 90 State St, Suite 700, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful purpose. D-169427

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
DANKAT FABRICS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 477 Madison Avenue, Suite 707, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171941

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
DIAMOND GIRL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 12 Park Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10302. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171370

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)**  
The name of the LLC is DISORDA INTEG LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on 11/30/2017. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 107 Lawson Lake Road, Feura Bush, NY 12067. D-170417

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
DONALD T. SABATINO LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Donald T. Sabatino, 323-325 Avenue U, Brooklyn, NY 11223. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171526

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
DRAGONFLY TOMPKINS, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 11/21/17. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware

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on 11/15/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 47 Thames Street, #304, Brooklyn, NY 11237. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171138

**Notice of Formation of EAST MEREDITH DNY, LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 12.01.17. Office location, County of Albany. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Couch White, LLP, 540 Broadway, PO Box 22222, Albany, NY 12201-2222. Purpose: any lawful act. D-171831

**Notice of Formation of Ellerbe Unlimited, LLC, a Domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC).** Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York 04/20/2017. Office location: County Albany. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 90 State Street, Suite 700, Office 40, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful purpose. D-168746

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
EM EQUITY ACQUISITIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/04/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 9728 3rd Avenue, Suite 133, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170958

**EQ ARCHITECTURE PLLC.**

Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 466 East 17th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11226. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Architecture. D-171372

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
ESP MARLBOROUGH LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Andrew J. Epstein, c/o Easy Street Properties, 154 Grand Street, New York, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171378

**FIRE UP, LLC Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company**  
Articles of Organization filed with the Depart-

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ment of State of New York on March 8, 2017. Office location, Albany County. Secretary of State of New York State is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Secretary of State may mail a copy of any process to FIRED UP, LLC, 1760 Central Avenue, Albany, NY 12205. No reported agent. Latest date of dissolution of LLC: None. Purpose: All legal purposes. D-168805

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
FORDHAM LIVING, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 14 Bond Street, Suite 117, Great Neck, NY 11021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171399

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
FOUR SPOONS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/20/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 130 Malcolm X Boulevard, #1104, New York, NY 10026. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170199

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**  
GG2 HOLDING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/11/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Schwartz Levine PLLC, 7 Penn Plaza, Suite 210, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171682

**Notice of Formation of GMES SOLAR LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on December 8, 2017. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to McNamee Lochner P.C., 677 Broadway, Suite 500, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. D-171728

**Notice of Formation of Gorlich Partners LLC, a Domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC).** Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/05/2017. Office location: County of Albany. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 2728 Thomson Avenue, apt 130, Long Island City, NY 11101. Purpose: any lawful purpose. D-170198

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**  
Name: Gramar Partners, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/17/2017. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 11 Long Shadow Drive, Latham, New York 12110. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity for which a limited liability company may be formed under section 201 of the Limited Liability Company Law. D-170158

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**GREENYOND LLC, a Foreign Limited Liability Company (LLC).** Application for Authority filed with Delaware Secretary of State on: APRIL 6, 2017. It was also registered with: NYS Department of State. Office location: County of Albany. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: New York Registered Agents LLC @ 90 State Street Suite 700 Office 40, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful purpose. D-168979

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF Limited Liability Company (LLC)**

1. The name of the LLC is: GrowRoom Technologies, LLC  
2. The date of the filing of the Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State of the State of New York (SSNY) is: 11/14/2017  
3. The office within New York State the LLC is located in is Albany County.  
4. The SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address to which the SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him or her is: GrowRoom Technologies, LLC P.O. Box 218 Feura Bush, New York 12067

5. The specific date upon which the LLC is to dissolve is: NONE  
6. The purpose of the business of the LLC is: Any lawful business of purpose. D-169128

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

**HAI YAN LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/05/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 131-05 40th Road, 8S, Flushing, NY 11354. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171143

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

**HANIFIN AVE LLC**  
Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New

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York (SSNY) on 12/11/2017. Office location: County of Albany, State of 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, 14 Corporate Woods Blvd., Albany, New York 12211. For any lawful purpose. D-171515

**Notice of formation of Hurlic Skin LLC.**

Articles of Org. filed with the NY Secretary of State (NS) on 9/29/2017, office location: Albany County, NS is designated as agent upon whom process may be served, NS shall mail service of process (SOP) to Registered Agents Inc. at 90 State Street STE 700 Office 40 Albany NY 12207 purpose is any lawful purpose. D-170063

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

**IFB HOSPITALITY, LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 158 West 25th Street, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171529

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

**IMAGINE PARIS, LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/29/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 41 Union Square West, Suite 1528, New York, NY 10003. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170518

**NOTICE OF FORMATION of Immaculate Consulting LLC.** Art. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/15/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 153-50 89th Ave #633, Jamaica N.Y. 11432. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-169544

**INDEPENDENT INTELLIGENCE, LLC.**

Foreign registration filed with the SSNY on 10/16/2017. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copies of process to the LLC, 90 State St., Suite 700, Office 40, Albany, NY 12207, or principal address, 9034 San Leandro Dr., Dallas, TX 75218. D-170625

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

**JAF ASSOCIATES, LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY

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shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Daniels Norelli Scully & Cecere, P.C., 272 Duffy Avenue, Hicksville, NY 11801. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170293

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)**

The name of the LLC is JAIDEEP LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on October 12, 2017. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 222 Sand Creek Road, Albany, New York 12205. D-169249

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

**JJSS JAMAICA LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/05/2017. Office loc: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 312 Spring Street, NY, NY 10013. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose. C-171906

**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

**JOSHUA TREE COMMUNITY ARTS, LLC.** Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/30/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 99 Scott Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11237. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170671

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

The name of the LLC is JVG HOLDING COMPANY LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on 11/9/2017. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 595 New Loudon Rd, #307, Latham, NY 12110. D-168755

**Notice of formation of Domestic Limited Liability Company of KA Woolworth Building, LLC.**

Articles of Org. filed with NY Secretary of State (NS) on 11/08/2017, office location: Albany County, NS is designated as agent upon whom process may be served,



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NS shall mail service of process (SOP) to KA Woolworth Building, LLC @ 9 Ponderosa Dr, Clifton Park, NY 12065. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. D-170137

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

KuKuBird LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/17/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 169 Irving Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11237. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171496

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

LANBERN INVESTMENTS LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/17. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 09/11/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 30 Bates Road, Harrison, NY 10528. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170288

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

Name: LDFT VI LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, October 23, 2017. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 302 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12203. D-170047

## NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION IN NEW YORK BY A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Name: Lia Group Services LLC. Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY(SOS) on 11/10/17. Office location: Albany County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to c/o Lia Auto Group, 1258 Central Avenue, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. D-168974

**Notice of Formation of LMH Enterprises, LLC.** Articles of Organization filed with SSNY on 11/15/2017. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 16 Douglas Rd., Delmar NY 12054. Purpose: any lawful activity. D-170132

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

LOVE & FRIENDSHIP SACC, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/11/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of

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process to the LLC, 712 Third Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11232. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171689

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

M2M PROPERTIES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/04/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Mohammad Khan, 146-06 Hawthorne Avenue, Flushing, NY 11355. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170968

## Notice of Formation

of Maestro Snow and Lawn Services LLC, a Domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/02/2017. Office location: County of Albany. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 17 Harold Ave Latham NY, 12110. Purpose: any lawful purpose. D-169006

**Notice of Formation of Magnolia Chiropractic PLLC, a domestic PLLC.** Articles of Organization filed with the SSNY on 11/03/17. Office location: Albany County. Registered Agents Inc. designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 90 State St STE 700 Office 40, Albany NY 12207. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170850

## Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC)

Name: MARTA'S DIAMOND ESTHETICS, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on October 27, 2017. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY Designated as Agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: The LLC, 34 Broadway, Latham, New York 12110. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-168501

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MATURITY MARK SERVICES COMPANY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/07/17. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2067. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o John Migliacio, 55 Springdale Avenue, White Plains, NY 10604. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171492

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

METRO 35 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/17/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be

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served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o S.T. Management Group Inc., 315 Madison Avenue, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171177

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MJG & BG LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/05/17. Office: Albany County. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2099. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Lawrence P. Giardina, Esq., 8212 Third Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171148

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MILO MILLS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/28/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 477 Madison Avenue, Suite 707, New York, NY 10022. ATTN: Edward Falk. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171942

## NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION IN NEW YORK BY A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Name: MNM Realty Albany Associates LLC. Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY(SOS) on 11/21/17. Office location: Albany County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to 210 East 47th St #1C, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. D-169817

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MOCHITA, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Serpico, Serpico & Siddiqui P.C., 16 Court Street, Suite 2000, Brooklyn, NY 11241. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170295

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MOTT LIVING, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 14 Bond Street, Suite 117, Great Neck, NY 11021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171400

## BETHLEHEM CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of the Bethlehem Central School District hereby invites the submission of sealed bids in accordance with Section

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103 of the General Municipal Law for the following.

## MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Specifications and bid forms will be available December 6, 2017 at the Bethlehem Central High School, 700 Delaware Avenue, Supervisors' Office - Room C111, Delmar, NY 12054.

Sealed Bids will be received until 11:00 a.m., prevailing time, on Wednesday December 27, 2017, at Bethlehem Central High School, Attn: Dave Norman, Music Supervisor, 700 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054, at which time all bids will be publicly opened.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Any bids submitted will be binding from July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2018.

Board of Education  
BRITTANY L. BARRETT  
District Clerk  
D-171036

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

ORIENTAL UNICORN LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/07/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 354 Broome Street, 4E, New York, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171505

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

The name of the LLC is Out Of The Park Softball Training Center LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on 12/4/2017. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 104 Sand Pine Lane, Albany, NY 12203. D-170758

## NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY.

Name: PraPri Consulting LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/29/16. 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, 53 Preston Dr, Cohoes, NY 12047. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. D-170620

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RABIN-HARRIS HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on

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11/28/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 229 Chrystie Street, Apartment 615, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170461

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

The name of the LLC is RAMBOBUYS, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on 12/13/2017. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 595 New Loudon Rd, #307, Latham, NY 12110. D-171752

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

RAYLEE ENTERPRISE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/20/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Band, Rosenbaum & Martin, P.C., Certified Public Accountants, 440 Mamaroneck Avenue, Suite 508, Harrison, NY 10528. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170200

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SB EQUITY GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 347 Pleasant Avenue, Suite 1A, New York, NY 10035. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-170777

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SCG 2261, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 347 Pleasant Avenue, Suite 1A, New York, NY 10035. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171402

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SCG 2267, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 347 Pleasant Av-

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enue, Suite 1A, New York, NY 10035. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171407

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SCG 2273, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 347 Pleasant Avenue, Suite 1A, New York, NY 10035. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171415

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SCG 232, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Fordham Living LLC, 14 Bond Street, Suite 117, Great Neck, NY 11021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171417

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SCG 2605, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Fordham Living LLC, 14 Bond Street, Suite 117, Great Neck, NY 11021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171422

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SCG 2650, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Fordham Living LLC, 14 Bond Street, Suite 117, Great Neck, NY 11021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171423

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SCG 2654, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/17. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Fordham Living LLC, 14 Bond Street, Suite 117, Great Neck, NY 11021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171424

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SOX PLUS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/04/17. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2070. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 418 Quentin Road, Brooklyn, NY 11223. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-171040

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## Notice of qualification of Summit Technical Solutions, LLC.

Application for Authority, filed with the NY Secretary of State (NS) on 9/1/2011, Formed in NV. Office Location: Albany County. NS is designated as agent upon whom process may be served. NS shall mail service of process (SOP) to NW Registered Agent LLC @ 90 State Street Suite 700 Office 40, Albany, NY 12207, NW Registered Agent LLC is designated as agent for SOP at 90 State Street Suite 700 Office 40, Albany, NY 12207, purpose is any lawful purpose. D-168313

## NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

TANKBOY LLC Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/11/2017. Office lo-



■ **COMMUNITY**

**Twilight Qi Gong at BPL**

**DELMAR** – The Bethlehem Public Library will host a Qi Gong class on Wednesday, Dec. 20, from 7 to 7:50 p.m.

Qi Gong is the perfect way to de-stress. The gentle movements and breathing exercises are a great way to create calm amid the hustle of the holiday season. Wear loose and comfy clothes and shoes.

This event is free. All abilities are welcome. For more information, call (518) 439-9314, or visit [www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org](http://www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org).

The Bethlehem Public Library is located at 451 Delaware Ave. in Delmar.

**Go Fish! In New York State**

**ALBANY** – The New York State Museum will host the program “Go Fish!” on Saturday, Dec. 23, from 1 to 4 p.m.

Fran Martino, an environmental educator, and her dog, Loki, will teach kids about fish in New York State. They will be taught which fish can be eaten, and what has to be thrown back by playing the “Go Fish Game,” which uses laminated photos of fish, identification keys, and maps.

This event is free. For more information, call (518) 474-0575, or visit [www.nysm.nysed.gov](http://www.nysm.nysed.gov).

The New York State Museum is located at 222 Madison Ave. in Albany.



**Holiday Giving**

**DELMAR** — Albany County Executive Dan McCoy stops over at Bethlehem Central High School on Monday, Dec. 16, where students organized its Holiday Caring and Sharing program. The program was established to help families in need with donated holiday food items and gift cards.

Photo courtesy of Albany County Executive's office

**Discover the Pine Bush**

**ALBANY** – The Albany Pine Bush will host a Discovery Day on Saturday, Dec. 23, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

This event will take participants on a journey into the Pine Bush. Experts will

guide a 0.9 mile hike over sand dunes where attendees will learn about the Pine Bush's natural history, seasonal surprises, and transformations.

This event is free, but registration is required. To register, call (518) 456-0655, or visit [www.AlbanyPineBush.org](http://www.AlbanyPineBush.org) and click on “Events Calendar.”

The Albany Pine Bush is

located at 195 New Karner Rd. in Albany.

**Family Fun: Wild About Winter**

**DELMAR** – Five Rivers Environmental Education Center will host a Family Fun program on Saturday, Dec. 23, at 10 a.m.

This fun program will include a winter-themed nature craft and games.

This program is free. Adults must accompany children. For more information, call (518) 475-0291, or visit [www.dec.ny.gov](http://www.dec.ny.gov).

Five Rivers is located at 56 Game Farm Rd. in Delmar.

**Looking and Lunching : Realism and Devotion**

**WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass.** – The Clark Art Institute will host a discussion about Piero's Virgin and Child Enthroned with Four Angels on Thursday, Dec. 21, from 12 to 1 p.m.

The discussion will be led by Sam Edgerton, who is an Amos Lawrence Professor of Art emeritus at Williams College and a preeminent scholar on Piero Della Francesca. The talk will focus on the representation of earthly and divine space, as well as Piero's manipulation of linear perspective.

This event is free with gallery admission. Come early to pre-order and purchase a meal, or bring a brown-bag lunch. For more information, call (413) 458-2303, or visit [www.clarkart.edu](http://www.clarkart.edu).

The Clark Art Institute is located at 225 South St.

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## FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

# Toxic sewage stinks up investment

Through the course of the 20th century, our cities and communities grew exponentially without consideration for the environment, let alone the riverfront property we are now making strides to reclaim for recreation and living space.

Each city within the Capital District is reclaiming riverside property in an effort to beautify each cityscape with a mix of parks, music venues and desirable housing. There is the fight to fill the void left behind by the demolition of Troy's City Hall, a hole that provides a view from Monument Square. There is also Rivers Casino and Resort that replaced a half century old abandoned rail yard with a multi-million dollar recreational center. And, Albany, which now regrets the construction of the spaghetti network

of highways that severs its ties to its Riverfront, continuously attempts to expand upon Jennings Landing to return Albanians back to the river.

In Bethlehem alone, an effort to revitalize the 10-mile stretch of waterfront along the Hudson River has been an active plan since the town last adopted a comprehensive plan more than a decade ago.

Millions of dollars and several businesses are investing into the idea of returning back to the Hudson River. One only has to look at the joint application between Albany and Rensselaer, attempting to lure Amazon to bring its headquarters here with a campus along both sides of the Hudson.

The river has long been the joke of local residents as a continuous cesspool for the industries and communities that

dumped waste into it. Though it seems the awakening of a now environmentally conscious community sees the need to take care of the Hudson, there is still a lot of work ahead before we can say the job is done.

Toxic discharge through aging sewage systems in the cities upstream from our town needs to be addressed. Heavy rains, snow melt and other factors are amplifying the inadequacies of their infrastructures and leading to already harmful situations the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency estimates cause as many as 5,000 illnesses at state beaches.

Our town needs to knock on our neighbors' doors to the North and hold them accountable for these events, as well as informing us of when these events take place. Even better, hasten efforts to fix the problem entirely.

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## LIBRARIES AND SENIORS

# December is for Readers

We're challenging ourselves to wrap up 2017 with at least 1000 books checked out in the month of December. Read your way into the New Year and help out the cause! Each time you check out a book, initial a New Year's Eve post-it note and add it to the wall.

If you're looking to up your reading game in 2018, stay tuned for details of our Reading Challenge.

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yet started kindergarten can participate in our 1000 Books Before Kindergarten—even newborns. Kids will receive books and incentives on their 1,000 book journey, and will be added to our library's 1,000 books wall of fame when they reach their goal. Register at the Library.

### Holiday Closings

The Library will be closed Saturday, Dec. 23 to Monday, Dec. 25 for the Christmas holiday and Monday, Dec. 31 to Tuesday, Jan. 1 for the New Year. Visit us between the holidays – and, of course, ebook downloads are always available!

### Simple Pleasures: A Writing Group

In this casual gathering, writers will have the opportunity to share their

work and receive peer feedback. Prompts for on-site writing will be offered. Whatever stage you are at as a writer or with a particular project, a trove of simple pleasures—including suggested reading, publishing opportunities, and performance venues—awaits you. Beginning on Tuesday, Jan. 9, 10:30 a.m. to noon.

### MLK Celebration At The Library

On Monday, January

15th, celebrate the life of Martin Luther King at the Library:

Family Book Discussion at 10:30 a.m.

I Am Malala by Malala Yousafzai with Patrick McCormick.

Read and discuss as a family Malala Yousafzai's extraordinary journey as a 12 year old girl that stood up for education and dared to make a difference. The book is at a middle grades reading level. Copies available at the Library.

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Celebration of MLK at 2 p.m.

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■ LIBRARIES AND SENIORS

# Spend break at BPL

Everyone loves a break from the school and homework routine, but by Day 3, restlessness can settle in, and many families will be looking for new ways to be entertained and engaged. Look no further than the library!

## Movies and Puppets

On Tuesday, Dec. 26, at 10 a.m., drop by for a screening of "Cars 3." Watch as Lightning McQueen sets out to prove to a new generation that he's still the best race car in the world (G, 102 minutes, Disney). Later in the day, we'll be holding a Breakout Room program for grades 6-12. Use your puzzle-solving skills to open the locked box before time is up - just like an "escape room." The fun starts at 3 p.m. Sign up online or call (518) 439-9314.



The Puppet People will be at the library Wednesday, Dec. 27, for "Puppet Pandemonium." A cast of 16 puppets will perform two zany variety shows featuring a nursery rhyme spoof, a western melodrama and more. Shows will be at 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. Doors open 15 minutes prior to each performance. Space is limited.

## Everlasting Snowman

Make an Everlasting Snowman on Thursday, Dec. 28, at 10 a.m. out of Play-Doh. Also on Thursday, get creative with stop motion. Work in teams to create one-of-a-kind video shorts using

Legos and iPads. Sign up online or call. The program takes place 2-4 p.m. and is for ages 9 and up.

## Captain Underpants

On Thursday, Dec. 28, at 6:30 p.m. watch "Captain Underpants: The First Epic Movie," where pranksters George and Harold hypnotize their principal into thinking he's a superhero named Captain Underpants (PG, 89 minutes, 20th Century Fox).

## Giant Word Winder

On Friday, Dec. 29, play Giant Word Winder, a larger-than-life cross between Scrabble and Tic Tac Toe, from 2-3 p.m. Whether you've seen the latest Star Wars movie or not, all ages are invited to join us Friday, Dec. 29,



The library will be closed Sunday and Monday, Dec. 24 and 25.

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from 10-11:15 a.m. for Star Wars trivia. May the Force be with you!

For more information about any of these programs, go to [www.bethlehempublib.org](http://www.bethlehempublib.org).

## First Night at BPL

The library will be hosting a number of family-friendly activities from 7-10 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 31, as part of the townwide Bethlehem First Night 2018 celebration.

Warm up in the Community Room with some high-energy tunes from Andy the Music Man, who will perform two sets beginning shortly after the doors open.

Later on, the talented kids from Broadway Bound Performing Arts Academy will showcase their singing and dancing. Face-painting will take place throughout the evening in the Storyhour Room, and make-and-take crafts will be set up in the hallway. You'll even be

able to try out the library's brand-new Oculus Rift virtual reality headset in the Board Room and see what it's like to immerse yourself in a digital world.

## Holiday Hours

We'll be closed Sunday through Monday, Dec. 24-25, for the Christmas holiday, and Monday, Jan. 1, for New Year's Day.

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— Kristen Roberts

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**Portals to Heaven**

*(Excerpt about Handel's Messiah, from the 3rd week in December)*

*"... Handel declared that he 'saw heaven opened and the great God himself' while writing the famous chorus. Evidently, Handel learned heaven's lesson. For how else could he have written the timeless masterpiece in just 24 days?"*

*"The best art is created when an artist puts himself in a position to borrow from heaven and lend it to earth."*

*Isaiah 6:1b, 2, 3, 8 (NKJV)*

contributions from guest writers. His portals are also featured on the app MobileGod, which will also personalize scripture verses (based on a survey) and send the user two each day.

"Even people who are retired seem to be busy," he said. "So devotionals are a way of connecting with God, usually in the morning."

"Bob's is a rare combination of good biblical theology and practicality," said Pastor Frank Wray of Bethlehem Community Church. "It's unusual in that way. Usually devotionals are highly theological or just a lot of practicality without any biblical content. Bob really gets down to the essence of Christian theology, which is that Jesus is really the only one who can solve the problem of the human heart. He tends to highlight the eternal over the temporal."

Wray says he's already purchased multiple copies of the book to give out as Christmas gifts.



Local author Robert LaCosta

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Anyone else interested in purchasing the book to give as a Christmas gift, or simply to keep at home, can go on Amazon.com, Sonrisen.com or robertlacosta.com; or look for copies at the Living Parable Christian Store in Latham. LaCosta also hopes to have copies available this week at I Love Books in Delmar and The Book House at Stuyvesant Plaza. Additionally, books can be ordered through No Reputation Communications at 1-(844)-343-3277.

**FEDERAL GOVERNMENT**

**ENY releases congressional environmental scorecard**

**NEWYORK** — Environment New York (ENY) released its federal scorecard, which evaluates how the New York 115th congressional delegation voted on clean air, clean water and other issues of environmental protection, on Dec. 7.

"The country is terribly polarized these days on all sorts of issues, including the need to protect our environment. It shouldn't be this way and it didn't used to be," said ENY Director Heather Leibowitz. "Unfortunately, the New York delegation is no exception."

According to Leibowitz, members of the U.S. Senate voted to support the environment 48 percent of the time on bills regarding things like incentivizing sustainable energy, confirmation of federal appointees, wildlife refuges, mining of national forests, methane emissions and more. In the U.S. House of Representatives, members voted with environmental advocates only 45 percent of the time. "The two senators from New York averaged 100 percent," Leibowitz said of Senators Chuck Schumer and Kirsten Gillibrand, "and our house members averaged 73 percent. So, New York is well above the national average." (Absences were counted against a member's score.)

Twelve congresspeople from New York voted with environmental advocates 100 percent of the time: Representatives

Kathleen Rice (D-NY-4), Grace Meng (D-NY-6), Nydia Velazquez (D-NY-7), Hakeem Jeffries (D-NY-8), Adriano Espaillat (D-NY-13), Joseph Crowley (D-NY-14), Jose Serrano (D-NY-15), Nita Lowey (D-NY-17), Paul Tonko (D-NY-20), Brian Higgins (D-NY-26), as well as Senators Charles Schumer (D-NY), and Kirsten Gillibrand (D-NY).

"We also had a few members who were willing to part with their Republican colleagues to protect the environment. Representatives Elise Stefanik (R-NY-21), John Faso (R-NY-19), and John Katko (R-NY-24) voted against limiting EPA's ability to curb methane emissions," said Leibowitz. "But, unfortunately New York also had seven members who voted with us less than 25 percent of the time, including Lee Zeldin (R-NY-1), Peter King (R-NY-2), Dan Donovan (R-NY-11), John Faso (R-NY-19), Claudia Tenney (R-NY-22), Tom Reed (R-NY-23), and Chris Collins (R-NY-27).

"The New York delegation is a mixed bag when it comes to the environment," she said. "Here's hoping our Congresspeople uniformly start to show the kind of strong and effective leadership we need to reflect the core environmental values so many of us share."

— Ali Hibbs

**Public hearing on new Elsmere fire station tonight**

**ELSMERE** — A ballot proposition authorizing the financing and construction of a \$1.4 million, 4,608 square foot fire district substation at Feura Bush and Wemple roads, passed earlier this month by a vote of 272 to 180.

Commissioner Richard S. Webster was also re-elected to a five-year term on the district's Board of Fire Commissioners.

The new station was proposed to better serve those in the southern portion of the district, and has been contested by those who believe that the district should coordinate better with volunteers from the Selkirk and Delmar districts, both of

which have a station within a mile and a half of Wemple and Feura Bush.

A meeting held on Wednesday, Dec. 6, to present the ballot proposal to district residents got heated at points, as members of the town's various fire districts voiced their opinions on the matter.

There will be a public hearing tonight, Wednesday, Dec. 20, before the Bethlehem Zoning Board of Appeals at 6 p.m. in the Town Hall auditorium at 445 Delaware Ave. in Delmar.

— Ali Hibbs



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**PICK OF THE WEEK**



**Girl Blue**

She put on a captivating blues performance at The Hollow just last month and she returns to the Albany venue to play just before Christmas on Friday, Dec. 22, at 8 p.m.

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**CULINARY ARTS**

# Bliss in a jar

Local author pairs wine with desserts in a delicious book for foodies and wine lovers

By **MICHAEL HALLISEY**  
 halliseym@spotlightnews.com

**A**t least twice a week, nearly a third of consumers chase a meal with dessert, which means either more people are lying or they haven't read this book yet.

Local author Alyssa Cremeans just released "The Happy Mason Jar: Quick, Easy Mason Jar Desserts and Wine Pairings" and it makes for a great last minute holiday gift should you need one.

The book pairs two of Americans' greatest culinary loves, sweets and wine.

Yes, whiskey and craft beverages have become recent favorites but wine continues to gain in popularity. By volume alone, Americans continue to consume more wine with each passing year.

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## ■ NEXT WEEK

# NYE spells community

First Night Bethlehem promises live music, family fun, and all for the sake of good community causes

By **MICHAEL HALLISEY**  
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**BETHLEHEM** — Few elected officials go out with a bang like John Clarkson anticipates.

The town's First Night festivities this New Year's Eve will be his last day in office.

"First Night is my last day," said Clarkson. The Slingerlands resident announced he would not seek a fourth term at the helm earlier this year.

Though it's only a coincidence the townwide party falls upon his last mandated day in office, it still makes for a fun day for the community.

"People go out for fun and to be a part of the community," said Clarkson. "But, it's also nice knowing that it's all going towards a good cause."

The First Night celebration happens Sunday, Dec. 31, at various locations throughout the heart of town, beginning with a fireworks display from the Four Corners in Delmar at 6:30 p.m.

There will also be face painting, crafts for kids, a green screen photo booth and a bounce house.

Buttons are \$10 for adults (\$15 the night of the event), \$5 for kids aged 12 to 18 years old, and free for children under 12.

Money from First Night Bethlehem button sales goes towards raising money for several different community causes: Bethlehem Community Fund, Bethlehem Opportunities Unlimited (BOU), Bethlehem Senior Projects and Friends of Bethlehem Parks & Recreation.

## Beneficiaries

The Bethlehem Community Fund's mission is to raise money to fill the gap left by traditional social services. Teachers, nurses, guidance counselors, school social workers and area clergy make most of the requests for assistance. Children receive

help with school supplies, tutoring expenses, eyeglasses, clothing, camp tuition and other needs. Seniors may find assistance with utility bills, small home repairs, medical costs, a personal emergency response system or pet care. Each December, over 100 Bethlehem families receive holiday baskets of food, clothing and gifts.

All First Night Bethlehem proceeds received by Friends of Bethlehem Parks and Recreation are held in a Scholarship Fund to assist local individuals and families in need participate in town Parks and Recreation activities.

"We love being a part of First Night Bethlehem – we help provide a safe and fun celebration and, at the same time, raise funds for our scholarship fund," said Joan Gavrilik of Friends of Bethlehem Parks and Recreation. "Through this fund, the Friends assist local individuals and families in need participate in town Parks and Recreation activities."

All proceeds received by Bethlehem Opportunities Unlimited will go to a scholarship fund in memory of boardmember Chris Porter.

"Christine Porter served as a Bethlehem Opportunities Unlimited board member for more than 15 years," said BOU President Cindy Ferrari. "During her time on our board, Chris filled pretty much every role we had. Her passing has been a huge loss to our whole community and we feel the best way to honor her memory would be for BOU to dedicate all our proceeds from First Night Bethlehem to a scholarship in her memory."

And, monies donated to Bethlehem Senior Projects, Inc., will either be used to help support the Bethlehem Food Pantry, or it will be added to an emergency heating fund, or it will be put towards the purchase of a new bus.

## Live Music

Entertainment and activities follow at various nearby venues, all within walking distance of Four Corners, including:

Bethlehem Chabad will feature a kosher food festival, klezmer "Jewish Jazz" music and extravagant balloon creations for kids.

Bethlehem Masonic Lodge will

*"People go out for fun and to be a part of the community, but it's also nice knowing it's all going towards a good cause."*

— John Clarkson,  
Bethlehem Town  
Supervisor

have GB-five and Playin' with Fire performing.

At the Bethlehem Public Library, young kids and families can enjoy Andy the Music Man, Broadway Bound theater fun, face painting by About Face and more crafts for kids.

Bethlehem Town Hall will be hosting Bethlehem's Got Teen Talent Show and a DJ dance party.

Delmar Fire House will have the band Head Bump playing and there will be a Bounce House by Bounce-A-Lot Inflatables.

Delmar Reformed Church will feature the Swing Docs and Michael Benedict Jazz Vibes, a performance by Bethlehem Traditional Irish Dance, a DEC wildlife game and crafts for kids.

First United Methodist Church will be hosting two bands, Big Fez & the Surfatics and Heard, and other activities including learning about and interacting with therapy dogs and face painting by Stellar Face and Body Art.

St. Thomas the Apostle Church where you can enjoy holiday choral music by the Mendelssohn Club.

First Night will also include Jester Jim who was voted "Best Family Show" by Entertainment America, performing at the Four Corners, as well as the Annual Ice Sculpture.

Buttons can be purchased online at Eventbrite.com, and picked up at Bethlehem Town Hall (445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar), or at the following locations:

Bethlehem Public Library, Bethlehem Town Hall, Capital Bank (Slingerlands branch), Delmar Marketplace/McCarroll's the Village Butcher, National Bank of Coxsackie (Glenmont branch), O'Slattery's Irish Restaurant & Pub, Perfect Blend Café, Swifty's Restaurant & Pub, and Twisted Vine Wine & Tap.

## ■ WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW

**Skeeter Creek**  
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### We Band Together: A Tribute to Sue Saratoga Casino Hotel – Thursday, Dec. 21

**SARATOGA SPRINGS** — A tribute to Sue Bogucki will be held at Saratoga Casino Hotel on Thursday, Dec. 21, at 7 p.m.

Bogucki was a huge fan of country music, and was named North Country Music Awards "Fan of the Year," in 2016 and 2017. Unfortunately, she passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday, Nov. 14. The proceeds from the show will go to her family to help offset funeral expenses. Performers at the tribute include Big Sky Country, Skeeter Creek, Moonshine Junkies, the Jason Wicks Band, and many more.

Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased at Tix.com. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. For more information, call (518) 682-8888, or visit [www.saratogacasino.com](http://www.saratogacasino.com).

Saratoga Casino is located at 342 Jefferson St.

### The Broke Hearts: A Tom Petty Tribute Putnam Den – Thursday, Dec. 21

**SARATOGA SPRINGS** — The Broken Hearts will perform at Putnam Den on Thursday, Dec. 21, at 9:30 p.m.

The Broken Hearts will be playing a tribute to Tom Petty. The performance is ages 18 and up.

Tickets are "pay what you want," but they're \$10 for those under 21. Doors open at 8:30 p.m. For information, visit [www.putnamden.com](http://www.putnamden.com).

## ■ ALSO NEXT WEEK

### Twiddle NYE run at Palace Theatre

**ALBANY** — Twiddle returns to the Palace Theatre to ring in the New Year in a two-night engagement, Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 30 and 31.

Special guests include The Marcus King Band for the first show, and The Giant Country Horns on the following night.

Considered among the best jam bands in the country, Twiddle orchestrated a fabulous show for last year's New Year's Eve celebration, and returns to usher in 2018.

Tickets for the two-day passes cost \$75 and include a ticket to each show. Go to [Ticketmaster.com](http://Ticketmaster.com) to purchase.

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**The Refrigerators**

Saratoga Casino Hotel – Friday, Dec. 22

SARATOGA SPRINGS — The Refrigerators will perform at Saratoga Casino Hotel on Friday, Dec. 22, at 8 p.m.

The Refrigerators have managed to blend together funk, rock, R&B, and a powerhouse rhythm and horn section, which has created a truly unique sound. The band's high energy performances have made them one of the most sought after bands in the Northeast music circuit.

There will be happy hour specials from 8 to 9 p.m. It costs \$4.50 for the Stella Artois and \$5 for Captain Morgan cocktails. VIP packages can be reserved online. This event is ages 21 and older. For more information, call (518) 682-8888, or visit www.saratogacasino.com.

Saratoga Casino Hotel is located at 342 Jefferson St. in Saratoga Springs.

**Ugly Sweater Party ft. Codes**

Putnam Den – Friday, Dec. 22

SARATOGA SPRINGS — Putnam Den will host an Ugly Sweater Party on Friday, Dec. 22, at 9 p.m.

This festive party will feature Codes, a DJ who specializes in House music rooted in hip-hop, jungle, and breakbeats. His work is heavily influenced by Turntablism, which is the use of turntables to manipulate sounds and create new music.

Tickets are \$10 in advance or \$15 the day of the show (\$20 for those under 21). The event is ages 18 and older. Doors open at 8 p.m. For more information, call (518) 886-9585, or visit www.putnamden.com.

Putnam Den is located at 63a Putnam St. in Saratoga Springs.

■ FEATURE

# Last Daze's last show

Hard rock band to drop single, album next year, live shows postponed

By MICHAEL HALLISEY  
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TROY — There's a lot of good news coming down from North Creek these days.

Last Daze is preparing to drop a new single next March to precede a full-length album release in April. It's a follow-up to the band's 2015 release of "Symbols & Snares" off of the Black Country Rock record label.

"We are back in the studio and we are finishing the album," said singer and songwriter Katy Cole. "We're pretty excited to put out the record."

In fact, the band is so eager to release the new material, Last Daze will



Photo by Jeffrey Kellogg

release the unnamed album independently. There is no strife between Last Daze and Black Country Rock. Cole said they received the record label's blessing from owner, Shooter Jennings.

Support for the upcoming album, however,

will not come through live shows as Cole is expecting the birth of another child next year.

With the band's lead singer anticipating a new addition to the family, the band will play its last show at the Dinosaur Bar-B-

Que in Troy, on Saturday, Dec. 30, at 9 p.m.

Cole said it's going to be "a good, solid rocking farewell — for a little bit of time — just from doing shows."

Max Garrett of Capital Zen will play bass.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

# Xmas at The Hollow



Photo by Michael Hallisey / TheSpot518

Guthrie/Bell Productions throws annual holiday party, featuring Eastbound Jesus, Girl Blue and Eastern Highs

ALBANY — Arielle O’Keefe is keeping busy as 2017 comes to an end.

As Girl Blue she had a stellar year following the release of her debut album “I Am Not A Star” in 2016. She received more than one million hits within a month of the release of her single “Fire Under Water” on Spotify. The song placed seventh on the streaming service’s New Music Friday playlist.

Girl Blue is preparing another full length release in 2018 under Just Pretend Records.

Eastbound Jesus comes back to Pearl Street to serve up its Americana Northern Rock catalog to The Hollow crowd.

The Guthrie/Bell Productions Annual Christmas Party at The Hollow is on Friday, Dec. 22, at 8 p.m. Tickets are available through Eventbrite.com.

— Michael Hallisey

WHAT’S HAPPENING NOW

### Holidelic

Club Helsinki – Friday, Dec. 22, and Saturday, Dec. 23

HUDSON — Everett “Papadelic” Bradley will perform at Club Helsinki on Friday, Dec. 22, and Saturday, Dec. 23, at 9 p.m.

Papadelic’s performance will combine a funk concert, a comedy show, and a dance party all into one fun night. The evening will feature original holiday songs, as well as funk-infused versions of Tchaikovsky, “Frosty the Snowman,” “Little Drummer Boy,” and much more. There is no event like this to bring out the entertaining side of the holiday season.

Tickets start at \$25 and can be purchased at Ticketfly.com. This event is ages 21 and older. For more information, call (518) 828-4800, or visit www.helsinkiHUDSON.com.

Club Helsinki is located at 405 Columbia St. in Hudson.

### The Erotics: Nightmare Before Xmas

The Hollow – Saturday, Dec. 23

ALBANY — The Erotics will perform at The Hollow on Saturday, Dec. 23, at 9 p.m.

The Erotics play “unapologetic dirty rock ’n’ roll,” which includes classic rock, punk, and sleaze. Their songs are inspired by The Dead Boys, Johnny Thunders, and Alice Cooper. The first album The Erotics released was “Born to Destroy” in 1997, and their newest EP, “Three Sheets to the Wind,” was released in October 2015.

Tickets are \$10 in advance at Eventbrite.com, or \$15 at the door. Doors open at 8 p.m. For more information, call (518) 426-8550, or visit www.thehollowalbany.com.

The Hollow is located at 79 North Pearl St. in Albany.

### Snails: The Shell Tour

Upstate Concert Hall – Tuesday, Dec. 26

CLIFTON PARK – Snails will perform at Upstate Concert Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 26, at 8 p.m.

Snails is a Montreal based DJ and producer who combines hip-hop rhythms, dirty bass lines, and off-kilter sound design. His most recent original tracks that went viral are “Dirty Raxxx,” “KRMT,” and “RUBBR.”

Tickets are \$25 in advance for the first 700 sold, and then \$30 after that. Tickets can be purchased at Ticketweb.com, or by calling (518) 371-0012.

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**Trans-Siberian Orchestra**

**Times Union Center – Wednesday, Dec. 27**

ALBANY — Trans-Siberian Orchestra will perform at the Times Union Center on Wednesday, Dec. 27, at 3 and 8 p.m.

Trans-Siberian Orchestra successfully brought the art form of rock opera back to fans across the nation. The band's founder, Paul O'Neill, went into the creation of the band with the goal of creating a progressive rock band that would push the boundaries of the genre. TSO has sold more than 10 million albums, played to over 100 million people in more than 80 cities, sold more than \$280 million of tickets, and donated \$11 million to charity.

Tickets start at \$46.75. Doors open one hour prior to the show. For more information, call (518) 487-2000, or visit [www.timesunioncenter-albany.com](http://www.timesunioncenter-albany.com).

**Clutch "Psychic Warfare" World Tour**

**Upstate Concert Hall – Wednesday, Dec. 27**

CLIFTON PARK — Clutch will perform at Upstate Concert Hall on Wednesday, Dec. 27, at 7:40 p.m.

Clutch is on tour for their latest album, "Psychic Warfare," which has a musical energy like none of their previous works. The band's strengths lie in its ability to utilize many different musical styles while still maintaining its distinct sound. The performance will also feature Devin Townsend, Project, The Obsessed, and Mike Westcott Band.

Tickets are \$29.50 in advance and \$32 the day of. Tickets can be purchased at [Ticketweb.com](http://Ticketweb.com), or by calling (518) 371-0012.

For more information, visit [www.upstateconcerthall.com](http://www.upstateconcerthall.com).

**NIGHT: Capital Holiday Lights in the Park**

**Washington Park — Now through January 2, 2018**

ALBANY — The 21st Annual Price Chopper/Market 32 Capital Holiday Lights in the Park continues to meander through Washington Park, scheduled to entertain local families until Tuesday, Jan. 2.

With Christmas just days away, the popularity of the electric nightscape is at its peak.

The Washington Park Lake House is open for activities from 6 to 9 p.m. from Sunday through Thursday, and from 6 to 10 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays. The lake house will be closed Sunday and Monday, Dec. 24 and 25, but the drive through show will remain open.

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**DAY: Skating at The Plaza**

**Empire State Plaza — Daily**

ALBANY — It's cold and the Empire State Plaza's outdoor ice rink is open.

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**IN BRIEF**

**'See How They Run' at the Curtain Call**

LATHAM — Curtain Call Theatre will be showing performances of "See How They Run" through Sunday, Dec. 31.

A delightful farce set in an English vicarage, populated by an American actor and actress, a cockney maid and four men in clergy suits. Who are they? That's just part of the fun in this hilarious holiday production.

Tickets are \$19.50 and can be purchased at [www.brownpapertickets.com](http://www.brownpapertickets.com). Performances take place on Thursdays at 7:30 p.m., Fridays at 8 p.m., Saturdays at 3 and 8 p.m., and Sundays at 3 p.m. Curtain Call Theatre is located at 1 Jeanne Jugan Lane., Latham.

For more information, visit [www.curtaincalltheatre.com](http://www.curtaincalltheatre.com).

For events like this, visit [TheSpot518.com/calendar](http://TheSpot518.com/calendar)



**CLUBS**

**9 Maple Avenue**  
9 Maple Ave., Saratoga Springs.  
www.9mapleave.com  
Fri: **Steve Lambert Quartet** | 9 p.m.  
Sat: **Pat Attanasio Quartet** | 9 p.m.

**Albany Rail Yard**  
1118 Central Ave., Albany.  
(518) 489-2990  
Every Wed: **Salsa Night** | 8:30 p.m.

**Athos**  
1814 Western Ave., Albany.  
(518) 608-6400  
Fri: **Take Two Trio** | 7 p.m.

**Caffè Lena**  
47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 225-0882  
Wed: **Schroon River String Band**  
(bluegrass jam) | 7 p.m.  
Thur: **Ezekiel's Wheels** | 7 p.m.  
Fri & Sat: **Let's Be Leonard:  
A Very Leonard Christmas** | 8 p.m.  
Every Mon: **Open Mic** | 7 p.m.  
Tue: **Raquette River Rounders** | 7 p.m.  
Wed (12/20): **Acoustic Blues  
Open Mic & Jam** | 7 p.m.

**Carney's Tavern**  
17 Main St., Ballston Lake.  
(518) 280-7959  
Every Thur: **Matty Finn** | 6 p.m.  
Fri: **Too Gone Daddies** | 7:15 p.m.  
Sat: **Matty Finn** | 6:30 p.m.

**Carson's Woodside Tavern**  
57 NY-9P, Malta.  
(518) 584-9791  
Thur: **Rick Bolton** | 7 p.m.  
Fri: **Bobby Dick & Susie Q** | 7 p.m.  
Sat: **Franklin Micare Duo** | 7 p.m.

**Castle Street Café**  
10 Castle St., Great Barrington, Mass.  
(413) 528-5244  
Fri: **Jerry Marotta & Fran Tokarz** | 8 p.m.

**Centre Street Pub**  
308 Union St., Schenectady.  
(518) 393-2337  
Every Mon: **Open Mic** | 8 p.m.

**Club Helsinki**  
405 Columbia St., Hudson.  
(518) 828-4800 or helsinki@hudson.com  
Fri & Sat: **Holidelic** | 9 p.m.

**Diamond Club Grill**  
Embassy Suites  
88 Congress St., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 886-1111  
Sat: **Al Santoro & Friends** | 7 p.m.

**Dinosaur BBQ**  
377 River St., Troy.  
(518) 308-0400  
Fri: **KISS Revenge**  
with **The Tradition** | 9 p.m.  
Sat: **Sirsy** | 9 p.m.

**Dukes Chophouse**  
Rivers Casino, 1 Rush St., Schenectady.  
(518) 579-8850  
Thur: **Ed Clifford** | 6 p.m.  
Fri: **Cliff Brucker** | 5:30 p.m.  
Sat: **George Muscatello** | 5:30 p.m.

**Eden Cafe**  
269 Osborne Rd., Loudonville.  
(518) 977-3771  
Thur: **Joe Carrick** | 4:30 p.m.  
Fri: **Carolyn D** | 7:30 p.m.  
Sat: **Jay Kline** | 7 p.m.  
Tue: **Open Mic** | 7:30 p.m.

# HOT SPOTS EVENTS CALENDAR



## Have yourself a 'A Very Leonard Christmas'

Saratoga Springs-based jazzy rock and roll jam band Let's Be Leonard is staying in town for Christmas, playing at the famed Caffè Lena on both Friday and Saturday nights beginning at 8 p.m. Details and tickets at [www.caffelena.org](http://www.caffelena.org)

**Emack & Bolio's**  
366 Delaware Ave., Albany  
(518) 512-5100  
Fri: **Greg Hall** | 7 p.m.  
Sat: **Jimmy Graham** | 7 p.m.  
Every Tue: **Open Mic** | 7 p.m.

**Fuze Box**  
12 Central Ave., Albany.  
(518) 703-8937  
Fri: **Cretin Hop** | 9 p.m.  
Sat: **90s Dance Party** | 5 p.m.

**Gaffney's**  
16 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 587-7359  
Tue: **Open Mic w/ Rick Bolton** | 8 p.m.

**Grappa '72**  
818 Central Ave., Albany.  
(518) 482-7200  
Every Wed & Thur: **Hamilton Street  
Jazz Company** | 6:30 p.m.  
Fri: **Joe Sorrentino** | 6:30 p.m.

**Hamlet and Ghost**  
24 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 450-7287  
Every Wed: **Hot Club of Saratoga Trio**  
| 7 p.m.

**The Hollow Bar + Kitchen**  
79 N. Pearl St., Albany.  
(518) 426-8550  
Fri: **Eastbound Jesus, Eastern Highs**  
| 8 p.m.  
Sat: **The Erotics, Ike's Wasted World,  
Blackcat Elliot, Frances Dean** | 9 p.m.

**J.J. Rafferty's**  
847 New Loudon Rd., Latham.  
(518) 783-6800  
Every Fri & Sat: **DJ Billy** | 9 p.m.

**The Low Beat**  
335 Central Ave., Albany/  
(518) 432-6572  
Every Wed: **The Deadbeats** | 10 p.m.  
Thur: **International Snoopi, Paris  
Napoleon, Gee, Nod-E, Bez Ahola**  
| 7:30 p.m.  
Fri: **Pony in the Pancake  
Holiday Show** | 8 p.m.  
Sat: **Ghosts of Hardcore Past: Scene  
Crime, Mystery Girl, Bare Mattress,  
The Broken, Built4BBQ, Murderer's  
Row, After the Fall, Eternal Crimes,  
Strawberry Jacuzzi, Boxer Brown** | 6 p.m.

**McGeary's**  
4 Clinton Square, Albany.  
(518) 463-1455  
Every Wed: **Best Damn Open Mic Ever  
with Mother Judge** | 7:30 p.m.  
Every Sun: **Blues Jam** | 7:30 p.m.

**Mouzon House**  
1 York St., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 226-0014  
Thur: **Hot Club of Saratoga Trio** | 7 p.m.  
Every Sat: **Joe Gitto & Dan Wancyk**

**Nanola**  
2639 US Rte. 9, Malta.  
(518) 587-1300  
Sat: **Sax-O-Claus** | 5:30 p.m.  
**Newberry Music Hall**  
388 Broadway, Saratoga Springs.  
(877) 565-3849  
Thur: **Open Mic** | 10 p.m.  
Fri: **Loco Lopez (Latin Night)** | 9 p.m.

**Oh Bar**  
304 Lark St., Albany.  
(518) 463-9004  
Thur: **Karaoke** | 10 p.m.

**One Caroline Street**  
1 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 587-2026  
Wed: **The Masters of Nostalgia** | 8:30  
p.m.  
Thur: **Cloud Lifter** | 8 p.m.  
Sat: **Kaitlyn Fay Trio Holiday Jazz Show**  
| 9 p.m.

**O'Slattery's Irish Pub**  
318 Delaware Ave., Delmar.  
(518) 439-5634  
Every Wed: **Dan Sherwin** | 6:30 p.m.  
Thur: **Erin Harkes** | 7 p.m.  
Fri: **Sticks and Stones** | 7 p.m.  
Sat: **Katsura** | 7 p.m.

**Panza's**  
510 NY Rte. 9P (on Saratoga Lake),  
Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 584-6882  
Wed: **Panza's Jingle Bell Jam** | 6:30 p.m.  
Fri: **Larry Finke** | 6:30 p.m.

**The Parting Glass**  
40 Lake Ave., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 583-1916  
Wed: **Irish Celtic Session** | 7 p.m.  
Thur: **The McKrells Xmas Show** | 7 p.m.  
Wed (12/20): **Irish Celtic Session** | 7 p.m.

**Pauly's Hotel**  
337 Central Ave., Albany.  
paulyshotel.com  
Thur: **War War War,  
Winnebago Vacation** | 8:30 p.m.  
Sat: **Ghosts of Hardcore Past: Scene  
Crime, Mystery Girl, Bare Mattress,  
The Broken, Built4BBQ, Murderer's  
Row, After the Fall, Eternal Crimes,  
Strawberry Jacuzzi, Boxer Brown** | 6 p.m.

**Prime at Saratoga National**  
458 Union Ave., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 583-4653  
Every Sun: **Joe Sorrentino Trio  
(Jazz brunch)** | 10:30 a.m.

**Provence**  
Stuyvesant Plaza,  
1475 Western Ave., Albany.  
(518) 689-7777  
Fri: **Allen & 'Azzaam** | 6 p.m.  
Sat: **Kitchen Jazz** | 6 p.m.  
Sun: **Take Two Trio** | 6 p.m.

**Putnam Den**  
63a Putnam St., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 584-8066  
Thur: **The Broken Hearts**  
(Tom Petty tribute) | 9:30 p.m.  
Sat: **Steal Your Peach Band**  
(Holidayze Party) | 10 p.m.

**Roux**  
10 Vista Blvd., Slingerlands.  
(518) 487-4358  
Fri: **Mike Gapp** | 7 p.m.

**Rustic Barn Pub**  
150 Speigletown Rd., Troy.  
(518) 235-5858  
Every Thur: **Open Mic** | 8 p.m.  
Fri: **The Wheel**  
(ugly sweater holiday party) | 8 p.m.  
Sat: **Brian Kane** | 8 p.m.  
Sun: **Sax-O-Claus** | 4 p.m.

**Salt & Char**  
453 Broadway, Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 450-7500  
Every Sun: **Hot Club of Saratoga** | Noon

**Savoy Taproom**  
301 Lark St., Albany.  
(518) 599-5140  
Thur: **Mic Lanny** | 9 p.m.

**Speakeasy 518**  
42 Howard St., Albany.  
(518) 449-2332  
Wed: **Kevin Carey** | 8 p.m.  
Thur: **Kylie Hotaling Duo** | 9 p.m.  
Fri: **Joe Finn Trio** | 9 p.m.  
Sat: **Jeanine Ouder Kirk Trio** | 9 p.m.  
Every Mon: **Joe Finn** | 8 p.m.  
Tue: **Mike Jenkins and The Fat Ties**  
(swing night) | 8 p.m.  
Wed: **Jon LeRoy** | 8 p.m.

**Stockade Inn**  
1 North Church St., Schenectady.  
(518) 346-3400  
Thur: **Sonny & Perley** | 7 p.m.  
Fri: **Carla Metz & Larry Acunto** | 7 p.m.

**Troy Kitchen**  
77 Congress St., Troy.  
(518) 268-0068  
Thur: **Phil Allen's Concert Jazz Band**  
| 7 p.m.

**Upstate Concert Hall**  
1208 NY 146, Clifton Park.  
(518) 371-0012 or  
upstateconcerthall.com  
Tue: **Snails, Funtcase, Boogie T** | 8 p.m.  
Wed (12/27): **Clutch, Devin Townsend  
Project, The Obsessed, Mike Westcott  
Band** | 7:30 p.m.

**The Van Dyck**  
237 Union St., Schenectady.  
(518) 348-7999  
Thur: **Colleen Pratt & Friends** | 7 p.m.  
Fri: **Joey Thomas Big Band**  
(Christmas Sinatra Style) | 8 p.m.

**Van Slyck's**  
Rivers Casino, 1 Rush St., Schenectady.  
(518) 579-8800  
Thurs: **DJ Trumaster** | 8 p.m.  
Fri: **Radical Rewind w/John Jamz** | 5 p.m.  
DJ **Nick Papagiorgio** | 8 p.m.  
**Lifespeed** | 10 p.m.  
Sat: **J Yager & Bottie Van Detta Acoustic**  
| 5 p.m.

**DJ Nick Papagiorgio** | 8 p.m.  
**EV02** | 10 p.m.

**Vapor Night Club**  
Saratoga Casino Hotel  
342 Jefferson St., Saratoga Springs.  
(518) 581-5775.  
Thur: **Big Sky Country, Skeeter Creek,  
Moonshine Junkies, Mark Pierre,  
Vinny Saj, Jason Wicks** (A Tribute to Sue)  
| 6:30 p.m.  
Fri: **The Refrigerators** | 8 p.m.  
Sat: **Big Sky Country** | 8 p.m.

**Waterworks Pub**  
76 Central Ave., Albany.  
(518) 465-9079  
Thur: **DJ Shawn Gillie** | 11 p.m.  
Fri: **Karaoke** | 10 p.m.  
Sat: **DJ David Barna** | 10 p.m.  
Mon: **Karaoke** | 10 p.m.

**Wishing Well Restaurant**  
745 Saratoga Rd., Wilton.  
(518) 584-7640  
Fri: **Nat Phipps** | 6 p.m.  
Sat: **Rob Aronstein** | 6 p.m.

**Yono's**  
25 Chapel St., Albany.  
(518) 436-7747  
Sat: **Hamilton Street Jazz Duo**  
| 6:30 p.m.

**MUSIC**

**Irish Slow Session**  
Play traditional Irish music with Hilary  
Schrauf. Wed., Dec. 20, 7:30 to 9 p.m.  
Old Songs Community Arts Center,  
37 South Main St., Voorheesville. \$4.  
(518) 765-2815 or oldsongs.org

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**Open Mic at The Eighth Step**

Are you Naughty or Nice? You know who you are. You know who they were, and know their sometimes sweet and sometimes wicked songs. Maybe you are just Bad to the Bone, or were Born Under a Bad Sign, or your name is Leroy Brown. Or maybe you're the nice type – always about the sunshine, the happiness, the love and the angels above. Bring us a tune that captures one or both sides, and step up to the mic! Santa will definitely want to hear as he readies that sled. Hosted by Robert Carreau. Thurs., Dec. 21, sign up begins at 6:45 p.m. Fenimore Gallery, Proctors Theatre, 432 State St., Schenectady. Free. (518) 434-1730 or 8thstep.org

**Merry X-mas Jam**

Benefit concert to assist victims of the fire in Cohoes late last month. Features performances by Acoustic Trauma, The Otherside, and a special acoustic set by Johnny Morse. Enjoy raffles, great food, selfies with Santa, too. Presented by 106.1 FM, WAIX, Albany's Independent Experience, Scattered Beams by Paco, Death Wish Coffee Co., and Parkway Music. Sat., Dec. 23, 5 to 9 p.m. Trick Shot Billiards/Wicked Sports Pub, 1602 U.S. Rte 9., Clifton Park. \$5 minimum suggested donation. www.facebook.com/events/423203988077705

**John Pizzarelli Quartet with Catherine Russell**

In "Billie & Blue Eyes," Russell's Grammy Award-winning vocals and Pizzarelli's smooth quartet pair to evoke the glory days of jazz, taking on two of the greats: Billie Holiday and Frank Sinatra. This unforgettable evening features soulful interpretations of chart-topping classics like "All of Me," "God Bless the Child,"

"Witchcraft," and "One More for My Baby."

Instead of stepping back in time, these artists pull the music gracefully into the present, and do it all with their signature panache. Sat., Dec. 23, 8 p.m. Mahaiwe Performing Arts Center, 14 Castle St., Great Barrington, Mass. \$30 to \$100. (413) 528-0100 or themahaiwe.secure.force.com/ticket/#sections\_a0F160000mUPqMEAW

**Trans Siberian Orchestra**

Popular American progressive rock band returns to the Capital District with its latest rock opera, "The Ghost of Christmas Eve 2017." Wed., Dec. 27, 3 p.m. and 8 p.m.; doors open one hour prior to show time. Times Union Center, 51 South Pearl St., Albany. \$46.75 to \$78.50; patrons ages 2 and older will need a ticket for admission. (800) 745-3000, (518) 487-2000 or www.timesunioncenter-albany.com/trans-siberian-orchestra

**Contra Dance Tunes**

Build your skills and dance tune repertoire. All instruments and skill levels welcome. Led by Ray Kottke. Wed., Dec. 27, 7:30 to 9 p.m. Old Songs Community Arts Center, 37 South Main St., Voorheesville. \$3. (518) 765-2815 or oldsongs.org

**NRBQ**

Famed band returns to the Capital District for a night of its trademark live music. Be ready for spontaneity and a blend of genres, including rock, jazz, blues, pop and Tin Pan Alley. Fri., Dec. 29, 8 p.m. The Hangar on the Hudson, 675 River St., Troy. \$26.87 (inc. fees); available for purchase online at www.brownpapertickets.com/event/3194514.

**Start Making Sense**

The musicians in this 7-piece Talking Heads Tribute take pride in faithfully recreating the music of Talking Heads entire career. Together they bring much of the Heads unique live show to the stage, with front man Jon Braun as a spot-on David Byrne, giving you a "once in a lifetime" experience. Prepare yourself for a rockin', funk'n', danceable celebration of the new-wave art punk you loved from the 80s! Fri., Dec. 29, 8 p.m. Cohoes Music Hall, 58 Remsen St., Cohoes. Balcony, \$22; Floor (seats or dancing area) \$27. (518) 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.org/events/detail/start-making-sense-a-tribute-to-talking-heads

**Twiddle with The Marcus King Band**

Vermont-based rock band Twiddle has built an impressive resume spanning Red Rocks to Bonnaroo and multiple sellouts of historic venues including Port Chester, NY's Capitol Theatre after 12 years of relentless touring. In the live setting, more and more people are invigorated by the band's community, promoting positivity and the band's skillful improvisational music. Opening is The Marcus King Band, led by 21-year-old phenom Marcus King, whose gorgeous, rough-hewn vocals, soaring guitar work and heartfelt songwriting are combined with his group of masterful musicians, who, together are quickly becoming one of the country's most sought after acts. Sat., Dec. 30, 7:30 p.m. Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave., Albany. Advance, \$39; day of show, \$44; two-day NYE Run pass, \$75. (518) 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.org/events/detail/twiddle

**The Commodores**

This legendary R&B group has remained a force in the music industry for nearly four decades. Just like its hit song "Brick House," its current members continue to build on a foundation that just won't budge. Must be 21+ to attend. Events Center, Rivers Casino & Resort, 1 Rush St., Schenectady. Sun., Dec. 31. Doors at 10 p.m. for 11 p.m. show. Tickets start at \$60 (general admission, standing room only); seats start at \$100 or \$120 depending on location. For tickets, contact the Proctors Box Office at (518) 346-6204 or tickets.proctors.org

**Twiddle featuring The Giant Country Horns**

Vermont-based rock band returns for a second night, this time with the three-piece horn section named after a brand of bread in New Hampshire that toured with Phish for a series of shows in 1991. Sun., Dec. 31, 8 p.m. Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave., Albany. Advance, \$42; Day of show, \$47; two-day NYE RUN Pass, \$75. (518) 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.org/events/detail/twiddle-1

**Bach at New Year's**

The Berkshire Bach Society and WMHT present this annual New Year's Day concert. This year's program features works by Mozart and Purcell in addition to Johann Sebastian Bach with a solo performance by Berkshire Bach Ensemble Director and Emerson String Quartet founder Eugene Drucker. Mon., Jan. 1, 3 p.m. Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, 30 2nd St., Troy. Advance tickets start at \$29, \$39, and \$59, with seats in the lower boxes available for \$79; prices increase \$6 if purchased on day of concert. (518) 273-0038 or tickets.troymusicall.org

**Howlin' at the Moon with Rusticator**

Enjoy the full moon and an evening of live acoustic Americana music with Rusticator, a trio which has been entertaining Capital District audiences since 2013, with its diverse set list that combines covers from Waylon Jennings to the Grateful Dead, along with its own original songs. Tues., Jan. 2, 7 p.m. Mabee Farm Historic Site, 1100 Main St. (NY Rte. 55), Rotterdam Junction. \$5; refreshments will be available for purchase. (518) 887-5073 or schenectadyhistorical.org

**Old Songs Open Mic**

Sign up to play for a 15 minute set. Wed., Jan. 3, 7:30 p.m., Old Songs Community Arts Center, 37 South Main St., Voorheesville. \$3. (518) 765-2815 or oldsongs.org

**THEATER**

**'She Loves Me'**

Fall in love this holiday season alongside Amalia and George, the feuding store clerks who find solace in their secret lonely-hearts pen pals. Little do they know, they are actually writing to each other! A tangle of mistaken identity and hilarious encounters finally bring these soulmates together with a tuneful and witty score celebrated with numerous Tony, Olivier and Drama Desk Awards. Through Sun., Dec. 24. Shows: Fridays at 8 p.m., Saturdays at 3 and 8 p.m., Sundays at 2 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. Capital REP, 111 North Pearl St., Albany. \$25 to \$65; limited availability for most shows. (518) 445-7469 or tickets.proctors.org

**'See How They Run'**

A delightful farce set in an English vicarage, populated by an American actor and actress, a cockney maid, and four men in clergy suits. Who are they? That's just part of the fun in this hilarious holiday production. Through Sun., Dec. 31. Shows: Fridays at 8 p.m.; Saturdays at 3 and 8 p.m., Sundays at 3 p.m (no show Christmas Eve), and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. Curtain Call Theatre, 1 Jeanne Jugan Ln., Latham. (518) 877-PLAY (7529) or www.curtaincalltheatre.com

**London National Theatre: 'Peter Pan'**

When Peter Pan, leader of the Lost Boys, loses his shadow, headstrong Wendy helps him to reattach it. In return, she is invited to Neverland, where Tinker Bell the fairy, Tiger Lily, and the vengeful Captain Hook await. A riot of magic, music, and make-believe ensues. Captured live at the National Theatre of London, a recorded (encore) performance of J.M. Barrie's much-loved tale delights audiences of all ages. Thurs., Dec. 28, 1 p.m. Auditorium, The Clark Art Institute, 225 South St., Williamstown, Mass. Adults, \$18; children ages 10 and younger, \$12. (413) 458-2303 or www.clarkart.edu/ImportedEvents/1138-42964

**London National Theatre: 'Young Marx'**

Rory Kinnear stars as Marx in this production captured live from London's Bridge Theatre. 1850, and Europe's most feared terrorist is hiding in Dean Street, Soho. Broke, restless and horny, the 32-year-old revolutionary is a frothing combination of intellectual brilliance, inventive, satiric wit, and child-like emotional illiteracy. Creditors, spies, rival

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**CLUES ACROSS**

1. Member of a Semitic people
5. Certified public accountant
8. Residue
11. Sayings attributed to Christ
13. The products of human creativity
14. Listen to
15. Longed
16. No (Scottish)
17. Descriptor
18. Yankees' sensation Judge
20. Zero
21. Comics legend Lee
22. Honorary title holder
25. "Uncle Joey"
30. Graceful and stylish
31. Pitching term
32. Former Mets outfielder Jones
33. One who avoids animal products
38. Quick to learn
41. Mechanism in an organ
43. Redo with new materials
45. Epics
47. Wings
49. Extrasensory perception
50. Cavalry sword
55. Bangladeshi monetary unit
56. Not the bottom
57. Afflicted
59. Bound
60. One who is highly skilled
61. Jewish spiritual leader
62. Tall, rounded vase
63. Liturgical language of Hinduism (abbr.)
64. Cheek

**CLUES DOWN**

1. Pie \_\_\_ mode
2. Portuguese cape
3. Ottoman military title
4. Movable frame used in burials
5. Type of coal
6. A treeless grassy plain
7. Artist's workroom
8. Assists
9. Protein-rich liquids
10. A song of praise to God
12. Much \_\_\_ about nothing
14. Japanese city
19. Atomic number 10
23. Egyptian goddess
24. Go places
25. Having ten
26. Complete
27. Automotive belt
28. Psyche
29. Melodious bird
34. Medical personnel
35. Acquired
36. Type of beverage
37. Neither
39. Spanish monetary units
40. Small area of grass
41. Your
42. Diana \_\_\_, singer
44. Salt's partner
45. Made of wood
46. No longer alive
47. Alaskan island
48. Wild animal's resting place
51. Swiss river
52. Partiality
53. "Luther" actor Idris
54. UNLV's "Runnin' \_\_\_"
58. Criticize

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revolutionary factions and prospective seducers of his beautiful wife all circle like vultures. His writing blocked, his marriage dying, his friend Engels in despair at his wasted genius, his only hope is a job on the railway. But there's still no one in the capital who can show you a better night on the piss than Karl Heinrich Marx. Expected running time approximately 160 minutes. Thurs., Jan. 4, at 2 and 6:30 p.m. GE Theatre, Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. \$15. (518) 346-6204 or tickets.proctors.org

**COMEDY**

**Capital Repertory Theatre  
Pretty Much the Best Comedy**

**Show at The REP:** Laugh your way into 2018 with the Capital District's premier alternative comedy series featuring performances by Justin Herman and headliner Liz Miele. Sun., Dec. 31, 8 p.m. 111 North Pearl St., Albany. Advance, \$15; increases to \$20 day of show. (518) 346-6204 or tickets.proctors.org

**The Comedy Works**

**@ The Cohoes Music Hall**

**First Night of Funny (Uncensored!):** Features performances by Rich Vos, Paul Virzi and Brian Beaudoin, hosted by Jim Felter. Sun, Dec. 31, 8 p.m. 58 Remsen St., Cohoes. Advance, general seating, \$25; VIP \$95. (518) 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.org/events/detail/first-night-of-funny-uncensored

**The Comedy Works:**

**Saratoga Springs**

**Comedy for a Cause:** Enjoy a night of laughs to benefit Direct Relief, a humanitarian aid organization active in the both the U.S. and 80 other countries with a mission to improve the health and lives of people affected by poverty or emergencies. Thurs., Dec. 21, 7:30 p.m. Advance, \$10; \$15 day of show.

**Local Comics Holiday Party:**

Featured performers include Quentin Davis, Grady Dixon, Jim Felter, Katherine Gauthier, Shafi Roen Hossain, Michael Lasch and Chris O'Leary. Includes a gift swap between comics followed by the roast of Rich Williams. Thurs., Dec. 21, 9 p.m. Free admission. **Comedy's Best Kept Secret Tour:** Features performances by Brett Druck (American stand-up comic, cast member on "Laughs" seasons 2 and 3), Schenectady native Dan Frigolette ("Bob and Tom Show," HBO's "Boardwalk Empire" and NYC comedy circuit regular), and the yet-to-be-crowned 2017 Make Me Laugh Albany Winner. Sat., Dec. 23, 7:30 p.m. Advance, \$15 (show only) or \$39.95 (dinner + show). **Brian Beaudoin:** This Rhode Island native not only uses his life observations as fuel for his blazing comedic fire, but also has the ability to read and worth with crowds from ages 8 to 80, from clean sets to dirty. Thurs., Dec. 28, 7:30 p.m., \$10; also Fri., Dec. 29, and Sat., Dec. 30, at 7:30 and 9:30 p.m., Advance, \$15 (show only) or \$39.95 (dinner + show). **Open Mic:** Nearly every Thursday at 9 p.m.; sign ups begin at 7 p.m. Free to attend or participate. Note: Prices for the Friday and Saturday night shows above increase \$5 if purchased on show day. **New Year's Eve Package:** Features dinner and a show with two headliners, Tom Briscoe and Steve Caouette; 4 hours open bar, toast at midnight and DJ with dancing until 2 a.m. Limited to 100 guests. \$249/couple through 12/24; increases to \$299 on 12/25. 388 Broadway, Saratoga Springs. (518) 275-6897 or thecomedyworks.com

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**The Funny Bone**

**Chicks are Funny:** Monthly, all-female comic lineup hosted by local favorite Erin Harkes. Wed., Dec. 20; doors at 6:30 p.m. followed by show at 7:30 p.m. \$10.

**Erik Myers:** New Orleans native who has starred in Comedy Central's "Don't Be Yourself," and appeared on a host of late night shows, including Conan on TBS (five times), the Tonight Show with Jimmy Fallon, Late Show with Stephen Colbert, among others. Thurs., Dec. 21, 7:30 p.m., \$12; Fri., Dec. 22, at 7:30 and 10 p.m., and Sat., Dec. 23, at 7 and 9:45 p.m., \$15.

**Dan Soder:** Comic plays Mafee on Showtime's "Billions" and co-hosts SiriusXM's "The Bonfire" radio show with Big Jay Oakerson will perform. Thurs., Dec. 28, 7:30 p.m., \$12; Fri., Dec. 29, at 7:30 and 10 p.m., and Sat., Dec. 30, at 7 and 9:45 p.m., \$17. **Vic DiBitetto:** This incredibly powerful performer churns energy, honesty and humanity into nonstop laughter. His pace is frenetic. He's been called a cross between Rodney Dangerfield and Ralph Kramden. The bottom line is, DiBitetto leaves his audiences breathless with laughter. Sun., Dec. 31, 7 p.m. Regular seats, \$25; New Year's Eve Dinner Package, \$50; also at 10 p.m. Regular New Year's Eve Package, \$50; VIP New Year's Eve Package, \$60. All shows 21+ unless indicated otherwise; doors 60 to 90 minutes before early show; 30 to 45 minutes before late shows. Crossgates Mall, 1 Crossgates Mall Rd., Guilderland. (518) 313-7484 or Albany.funnybone.com

**Mopco Improv Theatre**

**Improv Jam:**

A wonderful hybrid of class, show and party, a jam gives veteran improvisers and newcomers alike a chance to try out improv games and stretch their improv muscles. It's a great night to come and try out something new and expand your range! Jump up and play in every game or sit back and enjoy the show. Thurs., Dec. 21, doors at 6:30 p.m. followed by jam at 7 p.m. \$6.27 (inc. fees). **Maestro Improv Comedy Showdown:** A king or queen to rule the stage! In this exciting format, improvisors compete to escape elimination and be crowned the evening's Maestro. Actors perform in a barrage of scenes and songs for the audience's delight and approval. Will they succeed or join the ranks of the eliminated? Come laugh and cheer to see who will be this month's Maestro! Fri., Dec. 22, doors at 7:30 p.m. followed by show at 8 p.m. Adults, \$11.53; seniors/students, \$7.32 (inc. fees). **Spontaneous Broadway:** After performers audition Broadway-style songs that they create on the spot based on titles generated by the audience, the most popular song is turned into an hour-long improvised musical. Sat., Dec. 23 and Sat., Dec. 30; doors at 7:30 p.m., with show at 8 p.m. Adults, \$16.74; students/seniors, \$7.29 (inc. fees).

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**DANCE**

**Carol of the King**

The Irish Dance Christmas Spectacular features 20 of the world's most skilled Irish dancers and musicians, who will bring the inspiring Christmas story of love and salvation to life against a backdrop of ancient ruins that transports the audience to a mystical time and place of heroes and redemption. Thurs., Dec. 21, 7:30 p.m. MainStage, Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. \$20 to \$60. (518) 346-6204 or tickets.proctors.org

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**FAMILY**

**21st annual Capital Holiday Lights in the Park**

Celebrate the holidays with this all-new, drive-through spectacular featuring more than 125 illuminated displays and scenes. Presented by Price Chopper/Market 32. Through Tues., Jan. 2, 2018. Open daily:

Sundays through Thursdays from 6 to 9 p.m.; Fridays and Saturdays from 6 to 10 p.m. Washington Park, Albany; enter opposite New Scotland Avenue. Be sure to visit Santa (through Dec. 23) in the Lake House and enjoy crafts and refreshments. Admisson based on vehicle size: cars, \$20 each, rates available for larger vehicles online. Proceeds benefit the Albany Police Athletic League. Latest information available at (518) 435-0392 or at www.albanycapitalholidaylights.com

**Science Story Time**

Join one of our Museum Educators for this science-based story time that includes a project-based activity! This month's theme is "Winter" Best for children ages 2-6 accompanied by an adult. Wed., Dec. 20, and Wed., Dec. 27, at 11 a.m. SUNY Poly Children's Museum of Science and Technology, Rensselaer Technology Park, 250 Jordan Rd., Troy. Included with admission (\$5 per person ages 2+); no pre-registration required. (518) 235-2120 or www.cmost.org

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Fri., Dec. 22, 8 p.m. MainStage, Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. \$20 to \$50. (518) 346-6204 or tickets.proctors.org

**Go Fish! In New York State**

Join environmental educator, Fran Martino and meet her trusty companion dog, Loki, to get the fish facts on healthy nutrition. Stop by to play the "Go Fish Game" – an activity using laminated pictures of fish, identification keys, and maps to determine if the fish can be eaten, or must it be thrown back. By being smart and choosing wisely, the whole family can eat up to four meals per month of fish they catch in the public access waters of New York State. Stop by to find where those waters are, and how the species and size of the fish are important when choosing which fish to eat. Sat., Dec. 23 and Sat., Dec. 30, 1 to 4 p.m. Adirondack Hall, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**Make-and-Take Poppies**

Learn how the poppy became a symbol of remembrance during WWI and carry on the tradition by making your own tissue paper poppies. Tues., Dec. 26, 1 and 3 p.m. Adirondack Hall, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**World War I Exploration Station**

Join Soldier James to discover what a WWI Doughboy soldier would carry in his backpack. Tues., Dec. 26, at 1 and 3 p.m. South Lobby, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**Snow Science**

Learn about the science behind your favorite movies, during Science at the Movies School Vacation Camp. Explore, discover and imagine the world of science during a day camp session packed with experiments, building projects, creative

elements and games. For children ages 5 to 11. Wed., Dec. 27, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. SUNY Poly Children's Museum of Science and Technology, Rensselaer Technology Park, 250 Jordan Rd., Troy. \$50 per student/day; before care (8 a.m. to 9 a.m.) and after care (4 p.m. to 5 p.m.) are \$6 each per camper per day; pre-registration is required. (518) 235-2120 or www.cmost.org/page/school-vacation-camp-35.html

**Star Lab: Winter Sky**

Join us in our inflatable planetarium, Star Lab! Crawl inside and experience a 35-minute guided tour of the winter sky. Recommended for ages 5+. Wed., Dec. 27 and Thurs., Dec. 28, at 11 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. both days. Huxley Theater, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free; tickets required and will be available at the main lobby desk one hour before each show time on a first-come, first-served basis. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**Family Fun Day**

Enjoy an afternoon of games and activities followed by a showing of Disney's "The Lion King" (Rated G; 88 mins). Wed., Dec. 27, doors open at noon; film begins at 1 p.m. Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave., Albany. \$5. (518) 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.org/events/detail/the-lion-king-family-fun-day

**Paper Star Craft**

Make your own 3D paper nautical star to take home! Wed., Dec. 27, 1:30 to 4 p.m. Adirondack Hall, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**The Erie Canal: Then and Now**

Venture back in time as you travel along the museum's Erie Canal exhibit. There will be hands-on mystery items to explore as you imagine your journey from town to town along the canal. Wed., Dec. 27, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Exhibition Hall, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**Magical Science**

Learn about the science behind your favorite movies, such as "Harry Potter" during Science at the Movies School Vacation Camp. Explore, discover and imagine the world of science during a day camp session packed with experiments, building projects, creative elements and games. For children ages 5 to 11. Thurs., Dec. 28, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. SSUNY Poly Children's Museum of Science and Technology, Rensselaer Technology Park, 250 Jordan Rd., Troy. \$50 per student/day; before care (8 a.m. to 9 a.m.) and after care (4 p.m. to 5 p.m.) are \$6 each per camper per day; pre-registration is required. (518) 235-2120 or www.cmost.org/page/school-vacation-camp-35.html

**Our Boys Need Sox. Knit Your Bit.**

During World War I, civilians were encouraged to contribute items that would improve the comfort of American soldiers. There was a desperate need for warm clothes, especially socks. Men and women, boys and girls, all helped with this effort which was a patriotic duty. People knitted on their own and in groups; there was even a 3-day knitting bee in Central Park. Meet knitters who demonstrate this kind of knitting, and see some of the items that were knitted. Bring your knitting and join us for a New York State Knitting Bee. Thurs., Dec. 28, 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. South Lobby, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**Dinosaurs**

Learn about the science behind your favorite movies, such as "Jurassic Park" during Science at the Movies School Vacation Camp. Explore, discover and imagine the world of science during a day camp session packed with experiments, building projects, creative elements and games. For children ages 5 to 11. Fri., Dec. 29, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. SUNY Poly Children's Museum of Science and Technology, Rensselaer Technology Park, 250 Jordan Rd., Troy. \$50 per student/day; before care (8 a.m. to 9 a.m.) and after care (4 p.m. to 5 p.m.) are \$6 each per camper per day; pre-registration is required. (518) 235-2120 or www.cmost.org/page/school-vacation-camp-35.html

**Raise the Boat!**

Explore "Enterprising Waters: New York's Erie Canal" exhibit to see how New York's first engineers designed the Erie Canal. Then design and build your own model of something other than a traditional canal lock that might be used to raise a boat. Fri., Dec. 29, 10 a.m. to noon. Exhibition Hall, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**Kids Can Cook!**

Starr Catering Executive Chef Dan Hardy invites kids to learn how to make the most important meal of the day: breakfast! The menu includes hearty pancakes, French toast, and fruit skewers. Recommended for ages 5-10. Fri., Dec. 29, 10:30 a.m. The Clark Art Institute, 225 South St., Williamstown, Mass. \$29 (non-refundable) includes class, breakfast, and a take-home goodie bag; space is limited and participants must register by Fri., Dec. 22. (413) 458-2303 or www.clarkart.edu/ImportedEvents/1167-43009

**Notes for Women Story Hour**

Enjoy a selection of children's books about the suffrage movement and a hands-on Exploration Station. Try on a suffrage-era sash and have your picture taken in front of the Votes for Women photo mural. Fri., Dec. 29, 1 to 2 p.m. West Corridor, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**New Year's Mid-Day Celebration**

Ring in the New Year (a little early) at the NYS Museum! Dance, play games and make fun party hats and noisemakers to celebrate the arrival of 2018! Sat., Dec. 30, noon to 3 p.m. Adirondack Hall, with a special magic show by the Amazing Magician Joey D (1 p.m.) and The

Museum's New Year Countdown (3 p.m.) in Huxley Theater, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**13th Annual Noon Year's Eve Celebration**

We've saved the best event for last! Celebrate the arrival of 2018 at a child-friendly time. The event will include a variety of Noon Year's Eve creative activities; face painting; games and more! The celebration will be capped off with a pair of countdowns, ringing in the Noon Year with a Museum-wide parade and a bubble-blowing bonanza! Sun., Dec. 31; choose from morning (9:30 to 11:30 a.m.) or afternoon (noon to 2 p.m.) sessions. SUNY Poly Children's Museum of Science and Technology, Rensselaer Technology Park, 250 Jordan Rd., Troy. Admission waived (donations to Science for Every Child Initiative requested instead); space is limited and pre-registration is required. (518) 235-2120 or www.cmost.org/page/noon-years-eve-63.html

**Bethlehem First Night 2018**

Enjoy an evening of live entertainment and family activities centered around Delmar's Four Corners. A fireworks show kicks off the celebration followed by three hours of fun for everyone. Sun., Dec. 31, from 6:30 to 10 p.m. Admission buttons for Adults (age 19+), \$10 (\$15 at event); for children ages 12-18, \$5, with proceeds benefiting several Bethlehem-area charities. The event is free for children ages 11 and younger. Buttons may be purchased online at eventbrite.com, or in person at The Bethlehem Public Library, Bethlehem Town Hall, the Slingerlands branch of Capital Bank, Delmar Marketplace, Glenmont branch of the National Bank of Coxsackie, O'Slattery's Irish Restaurant & Pub, Perfect Blend Café, Swifty's Restaurant & Pub or the Twisted Vine Wine & Tap. For a full schedule of events and venues, visit www.townofbethlehem.org/782/First-Night-Bethlehem

**New Year's Eve Family Show and Ball Drop**

Celebrate the start of the new year with a memorable, interactive, family-friendly-improv-show! We use audience suggestions and willing volunteers to create stories, characters, and songs in a one of a kind performance. Stick around for an early ball-drop and be home and in your pj's before midnight! Sun., Dec. 31; doors at 6:30 p.m. for 7 p.m. show. Mopco Improv Theatre, 10 N. Jay St., Schenectady. \$6 to \$15. (518) 577-6726 or www.mopco.org

**New Year's Eve Party**

Head back into the Mowtown era and dance your way into 2018! Music all night by The Chronicles! Food provided by the Old Daley Inn and a champagne toast at midnight. Sun., Dec. 31, doors open at 9 p.m. GE Theatre, Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Advance, \$35; increases to \$40 on New Year's Eve. (518) 346-6204 or tickets.proctors.org

**FILM**

**'It's a Wonderful Life'**  
Classic holiday film from 1946 in which an angel is set from Heaven to help a desperately frustrated businessman by showing him what life would have been like if he had never existed. Starring James Stewart, Donna Reed and Lionel Barrymore (IMDb.com). Rated PG, 130 mins. Fri., Dec. 22, 7 p.m. Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave., Albany. \$5. (518) 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.org.

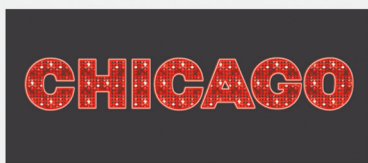
**'Roman J. Israel, ESQ.'**  
Denzel Washington portrays Roman J. Israel, an idealistic defense attorney whose life gets upended when his boss and mentor -- the legendary civil rights icon William Henry Jackson -- dies unexpectedly. Recruited to join a law firm led by one of Jackson's ambitious former students, Israel's legacy of activism gets put to the test when he takes on the case

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of a young man accused of murder, a case that quickly leads to crisis and the necessity for extreme action. Colin Farrell also stars. Rated PG-13 for language and some violence. 122 minutes. Fri., Dec. 22 at 2 p.m.; Sat., Dec. 23 at 7 p.m., Sun., Dec. 24 at 11 a.m., Tues., Dec. 26, and Wed., Dec. 27, 3 p.m., and Thurs., Dec. 28, at 7 p.m. Addy Theatre (GE Theatre for 12/23 screening) Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. \$6. (518) 346-6204 or tickets.proctors.org

**'Sergeant York'**

Based on a true WWI story, this 1941 film starring Gary Cooper follows a religious Tennessee boy, who is initially opposed to war who is drafted into the Army, where he realizes that there is indeed justification for fighting. During the course of service, he becomes one of the most decorated heroes of WWI. (134 mins.) Tues., Dec. 26, 11 a.m. Huxley Theater, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**'March Of The Wooden Soldiers'**

The 1934 film starring Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy also known as "Babes in Toyland." Opposing the evil Barnaby, Ollie Dee and Stanley Dum try and fail to pay-off Mother Peep's mortgage and mislead his attempts to marry Little Bo. Enraged, Barnaby's boogymen are set on Toyland (IMDb.com). Shown as part of the Music Hall Movie Series. Tues., Dec. 26, 7 p.m. Cohoes Music Hall, 58 Remsen St., Cohoes. \$5. (518) 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.org.

**'Darcy'**

This film by Heidi Philipsen-Meissner and Jon Russell Cring, follows Darcy, an idealistic 15-year-old, living on the edge of town in her family's motel where the justice system dumps its trash. The prostitutes, the addicts, the malcontents inside each room have their own stories and secrets and her fate is interwoven with theirs. When an alluring stranger enters her world, Darcy finds herself with a choice to make: Remain in the world she knows, or move forward into an unknown future. Key filmmakers and performers will introduce the film and participate in a brief Q&A session following the screening. Wed., Dec. 27, 2 p.m. GE Theatre, Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. \$12. (518) 346-6204 or tickets.proctors.org

**'American Experience: One Woman, One Vote'**

How could America call itself the world's greatest democracy, but continue to deny the right to vote to more than half of its citizens? This program documents the struggle which culminated in the passing of the 19th Amendment in the U.S. Senate by one vote. Witness the 70-year struggle for women's suffrage. Discover why the crusaders faced entrenched opposition from men and women who feared the women's vote would ignite a social revolution. (120 mins.) Sun., Dec. 31, noon. Huxley Theater, New York State Museum, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. (518) 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.edu

**LECTURES/ WORKSHOPS**

**Herbal Home Remedies**  
Herbal home remedies have been passed down from our ancestors for decades to help stimulate the body's natural ability to heal, relieving symptoms gently while building overall health. During this workshop, attendees will learn the basics of these amazing natural medicines, what to keep in a home remedy kit and practical tips on home remedies for a variety of typical winter illnesses. Presented by Noteworthy Resources of Albany, Inc. Wed., Dec. 20, 6:30 to 8 p.m. ACCA Community Education Building, 90 McCarty Ave., Albany. \$15; registration required, space limited. (518) 225-2388 or www.nwralbany.org/new-events/?view=

calendar&month=December-2017

**Realism and Devotion**

Sam Edgerton, Williams College Amos Lawrence Professor of Art emeritus and preeminent scholar on Piero Della Francesca, discusses one of the Clark's most distinguished paintings: Piero della Francesca's *Virgin and Child Enthroned with Four Angels*. Edgerton addresses the work's deceptive representation of earthly and divine space, as well as the artist's deliberate manipulation of the rules of linear perspective. Part of the Looking and Lurching Lecture Series. Thurs., Dec. 21, noon. The Clark Art Institute, 225 South St., Williamstown, Mass. Free with gallery admission. Plan to arrive early to pre-order and purchase your meal from Café 7 or bring your own lunch. (413) 458-2303 or www.clarkart.edu

**Wheel of the Year Workshop**

Walking the wheel of the year workshop is inspired by the ancient Nordic and Celtic festivals that mark the turning of the seasons. Throughout an 8 part personal development we will connect with nature via, meditation, journeying and ceremony to grow with the seasons within a supportive and nurturing circle. In this journey you will work with deep connection, your lighter and shadow self, self love and power as well as manifestation of your dreams. Presented by Noteworthy Resources of Albany, Inc. Thurs., Dec. 21, 6:30 to 8 p.m. ACCA Community Education Building, 90 McCarty Ave., Albany. \$15; registration required, space limited. (518) 225-2388 or www.nwralbany.org/new-events/?view=calendar&month=December-2017

**2018 Vision Board Workshop**

Step into 2018 with a passionate and clear vision for your relationship and for your life by creating a vision board. As part of this workshop Joëlle Lydon, MA, CPC, will guide you in a visioning process using the tools of desire mapping to get clarity on your relationship and your true life path in order to create a vision board, a passion map to support you in manifesting the life and love you are uniquely born to experience. Sun., Dec. 31, 11 a.m. Spirit Tree Connections, 987 Loudon Rd., Latham. \$20; pre-registration is required. (518) 727-5458 or joellelydon.com

**LITERARY**

**Poetic Vibe**

Weekly reading with featured poet hosted by D. Colin on Mondays. Open mic sign ups begin at 7 p.m. Troy Kitchen, 77 Congress St., Troy. Free. (518) 268-0068 or www.facebook.com/TroyKitchenNY

**Writers workshop**

Bi-weekly writers' get together. Eat, drink, schmooze and share, but, mostly write. Thurs., Dec. 21, at 6 p.m., Tech Valley Center of Gravity, Quackenbush Building, 30 Third St., Troy. Free. www.tvcog.org

**Third Thursday Poetry Night**

Celebrate the 20th anniversary of Third Thursday Poetry Nigh with a reading by local poet Nancy Dunlop, followed by an open mic for community poets. Sanity Clause will make a special holiday visit. Thurs., Dec. 21, 7:30 p.m. The Social Justice Center, 33 Central Ave., Albany. \$3. (518) 482-0262 or dwlxc.wordpress.com

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**The Shop at The Arts Center**

Seasonal marketplace featuring some of the region's finest arts and crafts. Open through Sat., Dec. 23. Hours: Tuesday through Friday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturdays, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. . www.facebook.com/events/185115838719049

**Fort Orange Holiday Market**

The market returns with local vendors, live music, pop-up workshops and more! Fri., Dec. 22, from 4 to 9 p.m. The Arcade Building, 488 Broadway, Albany. fortorangegeneralstore.com.

**Delmar Farmers Market**

Indoor market featuring local organic and natural farm products; baked goods; local, and fair trade crafts and live music. Saturday, Dec. 23, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Bethlehem Middle School, 332 Kenwood Ave., Delmar. Free. delmarmarket.org

**Troy Waterfront Farmers Market**

More than 80 food growers, bakers, chefs and artisans gather to offer the Capital District's freshest and finest! Plus, gather with other community members for live music, great food, family activities and learning opportunities. Saturdays, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., through March 31, 2018. Troy Atrium, 49 4th St., Troy. Free Admission. (518) 708-4216 or www.troymarket.org

**Schenectady GreenMarket**

Festive, indoor marketplace featuring more than 60 vendors who produce everything they sell. Enjoy live music, prepared food and the region's freshest produce. Weekly on Sundays, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., through April 29, 2018. Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Free admission. (518) 986-0318 or schenectadygreenmarket.org/

**Veteran Meet-Up**

All veterans welcome to free coffee every Tuesday from 6 to 8 p.m. Saratoga Coffee Traders, 447 Broadway, Saratoga Springs. (518) 884-4999 or www.VeteransPeerConnection.org

**Social Night/Potluck/ Open House tours**

It's the perfect night to come by and get a feel for this amazing creative community. Free. Tuesdays, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Tech Valley Center of Gravity, 30 Third St., Troy. (518) 279-7863 or www.tvcog.net.

**Geeks Who Drink**

A quiz show with eight rounds of eight questions each, including a music round, an audio round and a picture round. Free to play, with prizes for the top two teams

and bonus prizes throughout the game. Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Olde English Pub, 683 Broadway, Albany.

**Troy Night Out**

Monthly arts and cultural event that regularly draws thousands people onto the streets of Downtown Troy. Attendees are able to enjoy countless art events, music venues, fine restaurants as well as unique boutiques of all varieties. Fri., Dec. 29, 5 to 9 p.m. Various venues throughout downtown Troy. www.downtowntroy.org/troy-night-out

**WWE Live**

Event features Intercontinental Champion Roman Reigns vs. Free Agent John Cena plus Seth Rollins and Dean Ambrose vs. Tag Team Champions Cesaro and Sheamus in a steel cage match. Other superstars in action include Samoa Joe, Kane, Braun Strowman, Matt Hardy, Finn Balor and women's champion Alexa Bliss, among others. Fri., Dec. 29, doors at 6 p.m. for 7:30 p.m. start. Times Union Center, 51 South Pearl St., Albany. \$33 to \$103; VIP packages also available. Patrons age 2+ will need a ticket to enter venue. (518) 487-2000, (800) 746-3000 or www.timesunioncenter-albany.com/wwe-live

**EXHIBITS**

**Albany Institute of History and Art**

**Continuing: "Well-Dressed in Victorian Albany: 19th Century Fashion from the Albany Institute Collection,"** features 50 mannequins dressed in clothing made of luxurious, vibrantly colored fabrics once worn by residents of the Capital District. Through Mon., Feb. 19, 2018. Also, **"Paintings of Addy": Dahl Taylor's Original Illustrations for American Girl:** Features more than 40 paintings by the Albany-based artist commissioned to re-illustrate American Girl's six books about nine-year-old Addy Walker along with artifacts from the museum's collection to illustrate daily life during the mid 19th-century. Through Sun., June 3, 2018. Also, **"Spotlight: Albany and Anti-Suffrage,"** tells the story of the women who first met in 1894 before the New York Constitutional Convention convened, organized the Albany branch of the New York State Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, lobbied to make their views heard in 1915, and lost their fight in 1917; and **"The Fashionable Portrait:"** brings together 14 paintings and four miniature portraits from the Institute's collection highlight 19th century fashion as depicted in the work of portrait painters. Both through Sat., March 31, 2018. Plus ongoing exhibits. Museum hours: Wed.: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Thurs.: 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Fri. and Sat.: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sun.: noon to 5 p.m. (Closed Christmas Day and New Year's Day). Admission: Adults, \$10; seniors/ students (w/ID), \$8; children 6-12, \$6; children 0-5, free. 125 Washington Ave.,

Albany. (518) 463-4478 or albanyinstitute.org.

**Albany Center Gallery**

**Continuing: "Members Show"** focuses on the importance of local and regional artists who live and create work within 100 miles of Albany, highlighting and recognizing the gallery's wide range of talented members, bringing together a dynamic cross-section of artists, diverse in medium and degree of establishment. Members range from student and emerging artists to established and international artists, from painters and photographers to sculptors and mixed media artists. Through Fri., Jan. 12, 2018. Gallery hours: Tues. through Sat. from noon to 5 p.m. or by appointment. Free admission. 488 Broadway, downtown Albany. (518) 462-4775 or albanycentergallery.org

**Albany International Airport**

**Continuing: "Chasing the Tale,"** Group exhibit featuring work by seven artists, each of whom is engaged in a pictorial expression of storytelling cross personal mythology with collected narratives from historical, folk and popular culture. Through Feb. 26, 2018. Gallery hours: Daily, 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. Free admission. Main Gallery, third floor, adjacent to Observation Area, 737 Albany Shaker Rd., Latham. (518) 242-2241 or arts@albanyairport.com

**Albany Pine Bush Discovery Center**

**Continuing: "Pine Bush Perspectives,"** annual juried photo exhibit celebrating the uniqueness and diversity of the Albany Pine Bush Preserve. Center hours: Weekdays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; weekends and some holidays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Closed Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, and New Year's Day). Free admission. 195 New Karner Rd., Albany. (518) 456-0665 or www.albanypinebush.org

**Arts Center of the Capital Region**

**Continuing: "Elements of Nature,"** features artworks highlighting the creatures among us (some fantastical), the stages of life, the Earth and our Universe - bringing to mind the creativity it sparks as well as its importance to us each and every day. The works, which are done by individuals of varying ages and abilities, from preschool to senior citizen, were selected from the Center for Disability Services' annual exhibition on S. Manning Blvd. by the Arts Center gallery and education staff. Through Fri., Dec. 22, in the Foyer Gallery. Also: **"So It Would Seem,"** features works by four photographers that encourage viewers to look beyond the images to discover the moods, memories, even the very souls of their subjects, encompassed by the surrounding past and future. Through Wed., Dec. 27, in the Main Gallery. 265 River St., Troy. Gallery hours: Daily, Mon.-Thurs., 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., Fri., 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sat., 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sun., noon to 4 p.m. Free admission. (518) 273-0552 or artscenteronline.org

**Albany Public Library Pine Hills Branch**


**Continuing: "Interwoven,"** featuring pieces by regional artists Natalie Baxter, Raquel Esquivas, Amanda Hu, Jennifer Hunold, Christine Snyder, Barbara Todd and Victoria Van Der Laan. Through Sat., March 24, 2018. Library Hours: Mon. and Wed., noon to 8 p.m., Tues., 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Thurs. and Fri., noon to 6 p.m.; Sat., noon to 5 p.m. Closed Sundays; also closed Christmas Day, New Year's Day and Tues., Jan. 2. 517 Western Ave., Albany. Free admission. (518) 482-7911 or www.albanypubliclibrary.org/locations/pine-hills

**The Clark Art Institute**  
**Continuing: "The Impressionist Line: From Degas to Toulouse-Lautree,"** showcases the hallmarks of the



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**Clement Art Gallery**  
**Continuing: "Holiday Small Works Art Show,"** featuring a large selection of original artwork by local artists. Through Tues., Jan 23. Also, **antique print and map room** exhibits. Gallery hours: Weekdays, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. through Dec. 31, closed Christmas Day. Free admission. 201 Broadway, Troy. (518) 272-6811 or [www.clementart.com](http://www.clementart.com)

**Collar Works**  
**Continuing: "What is that leaping in your chest?"** Group exhibition in which the artists question the uncertainty of access to the American Dream. Through Sat., Dec. 30. 621 River St., Troy. Gallery hours: Thurs. & Fri., noon to 6 p.m. Sat., noon to 4 p.m. or by appointment. Free admission. (518) 285-0765 or [collarworks.org](http://collarworks.org)

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**Mabee Farm Historic Site**  
**Continuing: "In Harm's Way: Community Responses to Hurricane**

**Irene and Tropical Storm Lee:"** An exploration of the devastating impact natural disasters have on local communities and the resiliency of our neighbors. Through Mon., Oct. 1, 2018. Also, **"Life on the Canal Then by Artists Now:"** Show features artwork by 17 contemporary artists curated by Virginia Creighton. Through Thurs., May 31, 2018. Museum hours: Tues.-Sat., from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Closed Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve). 1100 Main St. (NY Route 55), Rotterdam Junction. Admission for adults is \$5 per person for self-guided access; or \$8 per person for a combined tour and access to exhibits; children and students (w/ID) free. (518) 887-5073 or [schenectadyhistorical.org](http://schenectadyhistorical.org)

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**National Museum of Dance**  
**Continuing: "Art in the Foyer: Design for Dance,"** highlighting the costume sketches of design and dance historian Malcolm McCormack. Plus ongoing exhibits. Museum hours: Sat., 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sun., noon to 4 p.m. 99 South Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Admission: Adults, \$6.50; seniors/students (w/valid ID) \$5; children ages 4 to 12, \$3; children ages 3 and younger, free; (518) 584-2225 or [www.dancemuseum.org](http://www.dancemuseum.org)

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**Continuing: "Votes for Women: Celebrating New York's Suffrage Centennial."** Large-scale exhibition will raise public awareness about the struggle for women's suffrage and equal rights in New York State from the 1848 Seneca Falls convention, through 1917, when women were finally allowed to vote. Through Sun., May 13, 2018. Also, **"Enterprising Waters: New York's Erie Canal (Phase One)." In honor of the Bicentennial of the Erie Canal's construction, the state's Office of Cultural Education in collaboration with other organizations on the canal corridor, will present this rich story with unique objects, documents, and images. Through Oct. 20, 2019. Also, "A Spirit of Sacrifice: New York State in the First World War," featuring artifacts, images, posters and documents from collections at the Museum, State Archives, State Library and other cultural institutions. Through June 3, 2018. Also, "Hudson Valley Ruins," through Dec. 31. Plus ongoing/permanent exhibits. Museum hours: Tues.-Sun, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Empire State Plaza, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free admission; suggested donation of \$5/person or \$10/family. (518) 474-5877 or [www.nysm.nysed.gov](http://www.nysm.nysed.gov)**

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**Continuing:** Ongoing exhibits, including: **"Local Eats: What does your food say about you?"** Also, **"Boomtown: Immigration, Technology and Urban Schenectady," "Setting Schenectady's Table,"** and the **1834 Yates Dollhouse.** Museum hours: Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. 32 Washington Ave., Schenectady. Admission: \$5. (518) 374-0263 or [schenectadyhistorical.org](http://schenectadyhistorical.org)

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**Continuing: "2017 Winter Salon."** Group exhibit featuring over 250 works created by more than two dozen artists that cost \$500 or less. Through Sun., Dec. 24. Gallery hours: Mon. & Tues. by appointment, Wed., noon to 5 p.m., Thurs. & Fri., noon to 6 p.m., Sat. & Sun., noon to 4 p.m. 137 4th St., Troy. Free admission. (518) 378-6583, (518) 312-1564 or [www.scarletsevengallery.com](http://www.scarletsevengallery.com)

**Dan Sekellic**  
**Visual Arts Gallery**  
**Continuing: Laura Moriarty.** Taking poetic license with geology, Moriarty compares processes of the studio with processes of the earth. The forms, colors, textures and patterns of her sculptural paintings result from forces similar to those that shape and reshape the earth: heating and cooling, erosion, subduction, friction, enfolding, weathering and

slippage. Through Sun., Dec. 31. Sand Lake Center for the Arts, 2880 NY Rte. 43, Averill Park. Gallery hours: Wed. & Fri., 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., by appointment, and any time the building is open. Free admission. (518) 674-2007 or [slca-ctp.org](http://slca-ctp.org)

**Tang Teaching Museum**  
**Continuing: "Tel \_:"** Artist Kamau Amu Patton's continually evolving interpretation of what a museum community space can be. Long-term installation on the mezzanine. Through Sept. 1, 2019. Also **"Opener 30 Njideka Akunyili Crosby: Predecessors,"** known for her large-scale paintings, this exhibition unites works from the artist's "Predecessors" series, which celebrates her family and Nigerian background. Through Sun., Dec. 31. **"Birthing Bodies,"** an exploration of childbirth through a feminist lens, representing the pregnant/birthing body as a site of strength and power. **"Other Side:—Art, Object, Self,"** selected pieces from the Tang Collection that showcase the use of paint, glass, marble, fabric, found objects and even artists' bodies to force a critical examination of national, cultural and self identity. Through Dec. 30. Also, **"Elevator Music 34: Tony Oursler: Talking Light."** A single incandescent light bulb hangs from the ceiling of the Tang Museum's elevator; its intermittent flickering correlates to the sounds of the artist's voice emanating from a hidden speaker. The work is one of several "talking lights" he made in the 1990s, which explore his fascination with imitation, repetition, magic, mystery, and that which is beyond ordinary human understanding. Through Dec. 30. Skidmore College, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Museum hours: Tues.-Sun., noon to 5 p.m.; Thurs. until 9 p.m. (Closed on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve.) Free admission; suggested donations of \$5/adult; \$3/child 13+; seniors, \$2. (518) 580-8080 or [tang.skidmore.edu](http://tang.skidmore.edu)

**Union College Galleries**  
**Continuing: "Stories: Sophie Rosen"** Series of simple portraits taken by junior psychology major Sophie Rosen, which focus on subjects' facial expressions. Wickoff Student Gallery, Nott Memorial. Extended through Feb. 2018. Also, **"Concinnitas Portfolio,"** ten fine art aquatint prints featuring equations, expressions or formulas transcribed by ten notable mathematicians and physicists in response to the prompt to record their "most beautiful mathematic expression." Castrucci Gallery, Nott Memorial. Through Summer 2018. Also **"Branding the AfroFuture"** by Stacey Robinson. Multimedia work discusses "Black Utopias" as spaces of peace away from colonial influence by considering Black protest movements and the art movements that document them. Part of the Art Installation Series. Through Sat., March 31, 2018. Schaffer Library Learning Commons. Hours (all galleries): Daily, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; closed for winter break between Sun., Dec. 24 and Tues., Jan. 2, 2018. 807 Union St., Schenectady. Free. (518) 388-6004 or [muse.union.edu/mandeville/home](http://muse.union.edu/mandeville/home)

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# HOROSCOPES

## December 2017 Week 3

**ARIES - MAR 21/APR 20**  
Aries, if the ends don't justify the means, then pause and wait for a better plan and opportunity. It's not worth the risk or effort to get yourself involved in such a situation.

**TAURUS - APR 21/MAY 21**  
Taurus, your emotions will get a much-needed boost from people around you. Just do not let all this extra energy go to your head. Channel it in productive ways.

**GEMINI - MAY 22/JUN 21**  
Participating in some spontaneous activities will add some spice to your life, Gemini. Explore those things that you wouldn't normally think to try.

**CANCER - JUN 22/JUL 22**  
Cancer, if you put things into perspective the emotional strain and tension in your world can be dramatically reduced. Focus on the things that are working out well for you.

**LEO - JUL 23/AUG 23**  
Leo, even though people around you may be bearing down, you are able to think on your feet and come through the situation. You'll rebound stronger than ever.

**VIRGO - AUG 24/SEPT 22**  
This is a great week for you, Virgo. You may feel like you can exercise more freedom at work or in your personal life, and overcome any obstacles that are holding you back.

**LIBRA - SEPT 23/OCT 23**  
Libra, a situation in your life is getting testy. This is based on a misunderstanding, and things will ultimately work their way out. Take a deep breath and be patient.

**SCORPIO - OCT 24/NOV 22**  
Scorpio, friendships go well for you during the next few days, so look to companions to provide the support you seek. Don't worry about future plans just yet.

**SAGITTARIUS - NOV 23/DEC 21**  
Lessons come in all shapes and sizes, Sagittarius, so open your eyes to all possibilities. Don't feel you need to make sense of every little thing. Just be aware of your surroundings.

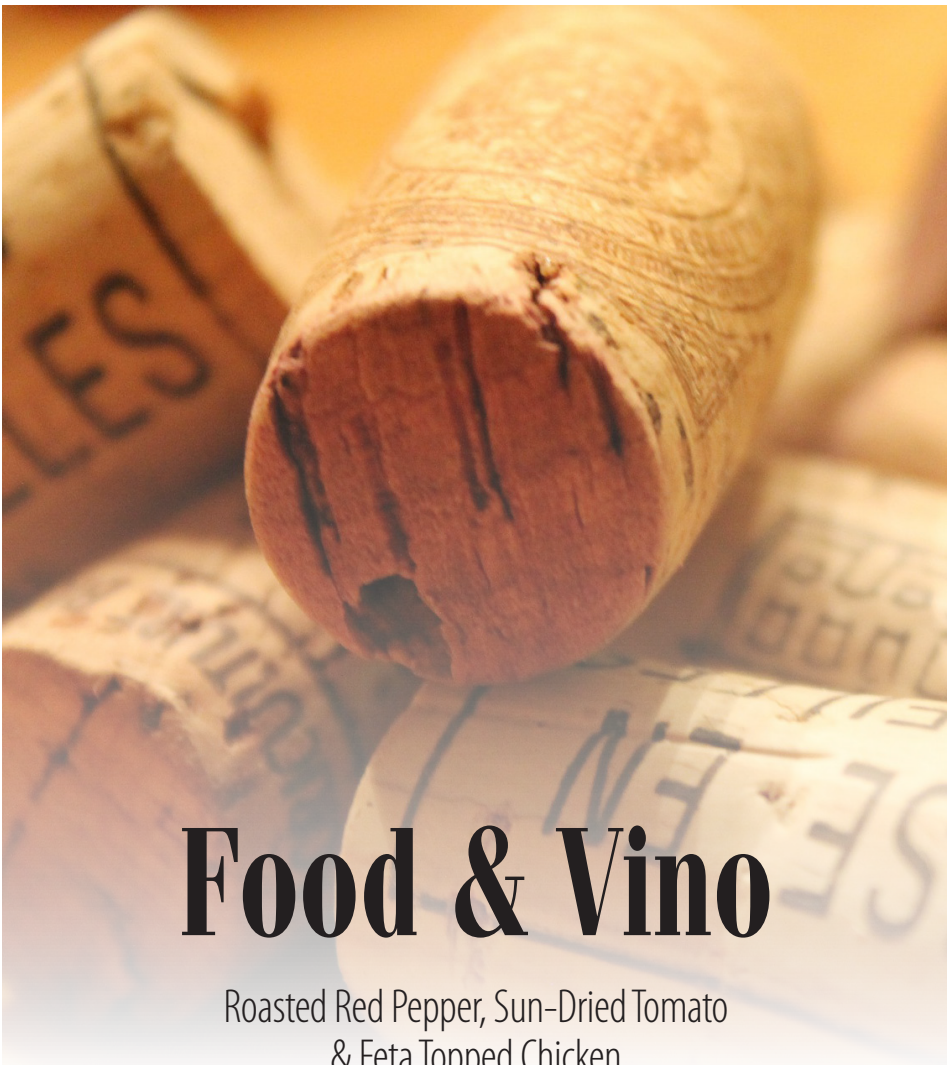
**CAPRICORN - DEC 22/JAN 20**  
There are some unexpected surprises coming your way, Capricorn. But don't worry too much about them. Simply go with the flow and everything will fall into place.

**AQUARIUS - JAN 21/FEB 18**  
Aquarius, life may seem as if you were driving on a multi-lane highway and then all the lanes merge into one. Veer off your usual path for a while to get away from it all.

**PISCES - FEB 19/MAR 20**  
Pisces, if you can learn to distance yourself from the emotional side of situations and focus on the practical, it will be smooth sailing this week.



**CULINARY ARTS**



# Food & Vino

Roasted Red Pepper, Sun-Dried Tomato & Feta Topped Chicken

Chicken is a versatile food that can be prepared and cooked in various ways and is capable of being combined with a host of tasty ingredients. In fact, cooking and serving chicken with certain foods can pack a flavorful punch, turning an otherwise bland chicken breast into a dish families won't soon forget. Such is the case with the following recipe for "Roasted Red Pepper, Sun-Dried Tomato and Feta Topped Chicken" from Laurie McNamara's "Simply Scratch: 120 Whole Homemade Recipes Made Easy" (Avery).

**Ingredients: Serves four**

- 4 boneless, skinless chicken breasts (6 to 8 ounces each)
- 1/2 cup My Grandma's Greek Dressing (see below)
- 1/3 cup diced charred red bell pepper (see below)
- 1 tablespoon minced sun-dried tomatoes
- 1 tablespoon brined capers, rinsed and drained
- 1 tablespoon minced fresh flat-leaf parsley
- 1/4 teaspoon kosher salt
- 1/8 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 3/4 cup crumbled feta cheese
- 1 tablespoon unsalted butter
- 1 tablespoon olive oil

**Instructions:**

Preheat the oven to 350°F. Place the chicken in a medium bowl or large resealable bag and pour the Greek dressing over the top. Marinate the chicken on the countertop for 20 minutes. (Any longer

and the lemon juice will start to break down, or "cook," the chicken.)

In a medium bowl, combine the bell pepper, tomatoes, capers, parsley, salt, black pepper and feta.

In a 12-inch cast-iron or other oven-safe skillet, melt the butter with the olive oil over medium-high heat. Remove the chicken from the marinade and let any excess marinade drip back into the bag. Place the chicken top-side down in the skillet and sear for 4 to 6 minutes. Turn the chicken over and divide the pepper and feta mixture over the top. Slide the skillet into the oven. Bake for 15 to 18 minutes, or until the chicken is cooked through. Carefully transfer the chicken to a platter and let it rest for 5 to 6 minutes before serving.

My Grandma's Greek Dressing

**Ingredients: Makes 3/4 cup**

- 1 large clove garlic
- 1 teaspoon dried oregano, crushed in your palm
- 1/2 teaspoon kosher salt
- 1/4 teaspoon coarsely ground black pepper
- 1/4 cup fresh lemon juice, strained of pulp and seeds
- 1/2 cup olive oil

**Instructions:**

Pass the garlic through a garlic press into a glass jar or resealable storage container. Add the oregano, salt and pepper. Pour in the lemon juice and olive oil.

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## ■ HEALTH & FITNESS

# The Five Dials

Help your diet take off with these pointers from our personal trainer

By **DAN ROMAND**

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**I**f you've ever flown on a plane usually you get a look into the cockpit. Have you ever taken a moment to really look at it?

There's a bewildering number of dials switches and other things. My thought was, "how the heck do they keep track of all that?"

One time I was waiting for a flight and a pilot happened to come sit down next to me. I struck up a conversation with him about his career and later brought up the question above.

"How the heck do you keep track of all those dials?"

He smiled and said, "its not as hard as you think. There's really only about five that I pay attention to. Those five are the ones that keep the plane flying and get us to our destination safely and on time. The others, I only use if I see a problem on one of the five main dials. If I do see an issue I then know to look at the others to get more information about the issue and how to address it."

That was an a-ha moment for me.

Why is this important and what does it have to do with health and fitness?

Well, think about the pilot for a second. If the pilot had to pay attention to ALL the dials he wouldn't be able to focus on the most important task – Flying the plane.

So, let's translate that to fitness. Think about it for a second.

These days we seem to be on fitness overload. We wear fitness tracking devices that give us a wide variety of statistics. We're on social media where we are bombarded with information on what do to/eat/think to be healthier. The never ending stream of infomercials on TV pitching the latest and greatest new product that's going to help us lose weight and get in shape and so on.

It leads to chaos and confusion for most of us and it's something I work on with my clients every day.

So, going back to my story about the pilot instead of trying to monitor hundreds of dials of information to measure our fitness lets strip it down to just five.

These are the same five I use myself to track how I'm doing health wise and ones I use with many of my clients.

**My Five "Dials" are:**

1. Weight & Body Composition a.k.a. Body Fat
2. Resting Heart Rate
3. Average Hours of Sleep per Night
4. Steps per Week
5. Strength measurements (e.g., how many squats I can do at x weight or how many pushups I can do in a minute)

Why do I use these? Because A) These have been shown to be a good guide to having a healthier life and when you see changes in them it indicates that there may be something askew that you need to look into further.

For example if you see sudden increases or decreases in weight, or perhaps your Resting Heart Rate suddenly goes up, you may want to try and figure out why or perhaps speak to your doctor.

With sleep and steps these are good indications of how much your moving and well sleeping.

As for the strength of these numbers, they give me an idea of how well I'm progressing with my workouts and how effective they are.

These are the basics that work for me and it should be noted that your dials may look a little different based on your goals and current health.

If, for example, you are a diabetic or pre-diabetic, you may need to monitor your blood sugar. Or you might want/need to monitor blood pressure, or any number of metric. What to measure and in what way is something you should speak with your medical professional about,

The point is to have five dials that

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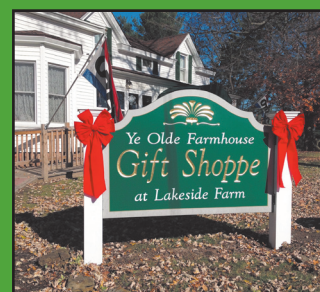
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## MUSIC REVIEW

# Sun Parade's 'Shuggy Mtn Breakdown'

By **ALYSSA LADZINSKI**

[nysmusic.com](http://nysmusic.com)

Relinquishing their debut full-length album to the world, Sun Parade successfully tugs at familiar emotions to send listeners on a 12-track sensory highway. "Shuggy Mtn Breakdown" boasts airy pop-rock blended with vibrant psychedelia that comes crashing down in waves. The five-piece Northampton, Mass. outfit takes you on a journey through self discovery with thematic commonalities all humans endure love, life, questioning happiness and how to pursue it.

With infectious melodies and light-hearted vocals, Chris Marlon Jennings (vocals, guitar), Jeff Lewis (vocals, guitar), Max Wareham (bass, vocals), Karl Helander (drums, vocals), and Eli Salus-Kleiner (keyboard) are able to instantly grab a listening ear through their radio-ready sound while remaining comfortably candid. Reminiscent of elements of the White Stripes' prominent and punchy vocals, Tame Impala's airy singing and the Black Keys' American rock tone, the indie, power-pop album was recorded in a one-room studio on the fourth floor of an old industrial Brooklyn building. It's no surprise that Rubblebucket's own Ian Hersey sat in the producer's chair to extend a helping hand and trained ear.

The whimsical opening track of "Sleep Alone" warmly welcomes listeners into a dream-pop state of mind before launching into the cheeky "Cheer Up," which does just as its title implies with both tempo and mood simultaneously picking up. Distorted noise and spoken word vocals shine on "Steal My Thunder" while "Game

Boy" brings forth an extremely relatable message, embracing hooks and easy-to-follow lyrics.

A relaxed and slowed down "Braindrain" flips a genre switch as it walks away from the bubblegum sound and introduces a more delicate, soul-leaning attitude, complete with mesmerizing synth sounds and whistle-along tangents. The hard hitting and emotional rock track "Psycho" follows with wailing vocals and gritty grunge guitar breakdowns you didn't see coming but can't imagine the album without. "Shuggy Mtn" holds its own as the album's party anthem. The namesake song dives into sonic exploration and punk tendencies by blending psychedelic rock elements with wailing vocals and hard hitting on the drum kit.

The second to last track on the album, "Echoes of My Heart," softens the tone and slows the release's pulse with a quick, dreamy interlude before "Tear (Can't Stop Believing)," wraps Sun Parade's initial release and circles back to the album's blunt storytelling and hopeful tone.

Through airy vocals and melodic exploration, the quintet proved they aren't afraid to have fun and dip their toes in a pool of myriad genres while getting emotionally raw with their audience. "Shuggy Mtn Breakdown" aims to be timeless, allowing their hopeful and tender lyrics to appropriately contrast and offset its darker rock and roll musical elements.

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## LOCAL MUSIC

# moe. adds tour dates following cancer scare

Popular band sets date for return to Palace Theatre

By **DAVE OSTROFF**

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**ALBANY** — Following the sigh of relief from bassist Rob Derhak's cancer-free diagnosis, comes renewed tour dates in February.

When news first broke of the cancer scare, the group cancelled the majority of their shows but have started to fill some of these slots, with a return visit planned for the Palace Theatre, Friday, Feb. 23 and Saturday, Feb. 24.

"After being scanned, poked, and prodded my doctors have given me a green light... Although I'll need to continue the doctors' visits for the next five years, they've given me a clean bill of health and declared me cancer free, with only a minimal chance that it will return," stated Derhak through a press release. "So thank you to everyone

that was pulling for me. The support I received was instrumental in helping me get through this. I am truly looking forward to seeing everyone when I hit the stage again this February, with moe."

Due to the expected high demand, tickets will be offered to fans in a lottery. Pricing for these tickets may be incorrect but fans should be prepared to spend a pretty penny for their ticket, if they're lucky enough to get selected. According to Ticketmaster, the remaining seats are in the orchestra section and all cost \$122 each.

moe. will likely tour with its current discography. Its latest album "The Conch" was released in 2016.

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**SWEET TOOTH**  
 Author Alyssa Cremeans with her book.  
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**From page B1 ...**

Bliss in a jar

Since 1993, when Americans took in 449 million gallons of wine, the number has more than doubled to 949 million in 2016. Today, it's common for people to buy two bottles of wine, one to pair for a meal and another for dessert. Cremeans book is for the latter.

"My husband and I really enjoy wine with meals," said Cremeans, who said she is not fond of beer nor other spirits, "but I've always enjoyed finding wine and food combinations. It's like a little puzzle for me."

While Cremeans is not a trained sommelier, she didn't go through her journey of drafting this book alone. First, she said, she would think of a dessert and identify what wines she thought would pair well with it.

"It's kind of like how I enjoy baking and trying different flavors, in the same way I've never been able to stick with the recipe," said Cremeans. "It always comes out of my own taste and I try to

discover what tastes best. I love trying to discover what tastes best with wine." Then, she went to her local store to speak with someone she trusted. "I would go through the desserts and imagine what flavors of wine would enhance the flavors of the dessert, and then I would go to a local wine shop. A local wine expert that I would work with either confirm or deny putting those desserts with the wine. It definitely helped me along the way."

The process later evolved, Cremeans said, as she would reach out to the wineries themselves, "because those producers know exactly what they are making, and have a vision of where they want to see it go. I shared my idea and the dessert I wanted to pair it with, and they were on board."

Cremeans, and her husband, Devin, are both of the millennial generation credited with a the surging wine business. The demographic, as a whole,

■ **LOCAL MUSIC**

**Foreigner tour coming to SPAC**

By **CHAD VERGINE**  
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Everyone will feel as "Cold As Ice," when the tour comes through Darling's Waterfront Pavilion, in Maine, in June to start the tour off.

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is oft described as tech savvy, information hungry and wine thirty. The Wine Market Council recently reported that 42 percent of all wine consumed in the United States was by Millennials.

"I know Millennials see it as kind of a bad rep: we've been given so many resources to learn," said Cremeans. "Even with just the smartphone, we don't even have to think twice before finding the answer to a question we're curious about. So, I think having all these resources at our disposal, and with the internet, I think it enhances that learning muscle and prompts that desire to learn."

Cremeans, 25, said she's been baking, "ever since I could hold a spoon. One of my biggest frustrations growing up was making a beautiful cake and then having it dry out." Something, she said she feels intimidates others from trying new, elaborate recipes. So, each dessert is meant to be presented in a Mason jar. When the lid to the jar is kept on tight, Cremeans said the dessert can last up to ten days. "And dryness has never been a problem. ... I think Mason jar cakes taste even better

the second or third day, when the frosting and cake have locked in with one another."

Cremeans end product is a six-chapter book with 30 different recipes. Chapter titles include Orange Treats, Party Time, Date Night, Classics, Summertime Sweets and Cozy Holiday. Each recipe is paired with a wine, a picture and a story, aesthetic enough to be a coffee-table book and practical in purpose to be found in the kitchen. "I did my best to make the book a 'fool proof,' so people of all baking levels can really dive in and make something colorful and delicious for the people they love."

With her name now associated with a book catering to our favorite indulgences, Cremeans was playfully asked if friends have asked if she's a lush. The author laughed and said, "Actually, nobody's asked me [if I'm a lush] yet, because those who would be bold enough to ask have been lucky enough to get plenty of samples —and, they know I would cut them off."

**GOOD SPIRITS**

—  
Alyssa enjoys a bottle of wine with husband, Devin.  
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"My husband and I — more me, I would say. [Laughs.] My husband's enjoyed it, too. Just finding a good wine and pairing that with food. I'd say I definitely enjoy the dessert wine more. He doesn't really enjoy sweet wine that much, but I very much like sweet wine. He can get the dinner wine and I'll pick the dessert wine."

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by analysis.

Plus, at least in my experience, most people aren't regularly monitoring any dials, five is plenty.

So take a few minutes and figure out what your five dials are and as we move into the new year strive to focus on those five and get them in the green. I'd bet if you do you'll see improvements in your health.

*Dan Romand is co-owner and operator of Full Circle Fitness-NY in Albany and Saratoga Springs, where he is also a certified personal trainer. Romand's Health & Fitness article appears regularly in both TheSpot518 and in our monthly magazine, Senior Spotlight.*



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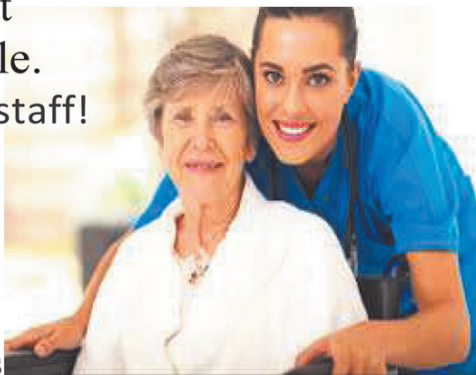
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## From page B13 ... Food & Vino

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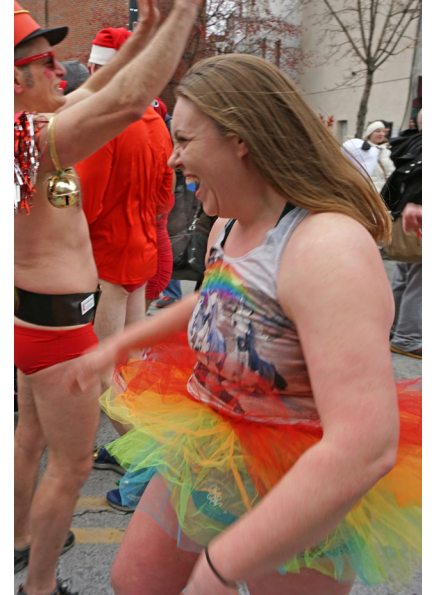




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