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TOP STORY



The Bethlehem girls lacrosse team hoists the Section II, Class A championship trophy after a 9-5 victory over Shenendehowa at Mohonasen Hugh School on Wednesday, May 22.

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ENTERTAINMENT



And music for all The American Music Festival kicks off in Troy this Thursday. **Story on Page B1**

LIFESTYLE



Just chill Explore these relaxing hobbies to ward off those summertime blues. Story on Page B4





POLICE, COURTS and EMERGENCY CALLS

Service awards

BETHLEHEM — Bethlehem Police Chief Louis G. Corsi gave out numerous awards to his fellow colleagues on Monday, May 20, recognizing their outstanding services and situations that they'd responded to in 2018.

Life Saving Award

- Officers Michael Berben and Kristen Spinnato — for quickly responding to an unresponsive person call and lifesaving treatment, resulting in a 46 year-old man recovering fully from cardiac arrest.
- Telecommunicator Kristina Leamy and Officer Yekaterina Dickerson — for responding to an unresponsive person in Glenmont and helping them make a full recovery.
- Telecommunicator Kristina Leamy for her dedicated service and calm

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demeanor in dealing with two separate callers reporting cardiac arrest. Her instructions and reassuring presence provided the first steps in the first response system that resulted in saving two lives.

Gallantry Award

Officers Adam Cobb and Bryan Mahan — for responding to a call with a person with a loaded shotgun in the residence, and their ability to quickly end the situation peacefully. **Chief's Achievement**

Award

Telecommunicator Katherine Arnold — for her teamwork in an incident involving an armed distraught person with a shotgun, and assisting in guiding the residents to safety and out of harm's way. Detective Chad Rice — for his

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efforts in a large scale multi-agency criminal enterprise fraud case that resulted in the arrest of over two dozen people for felony offenses.

- Sergeant Michael Cozzy — for his keen awareness in recognizing a vehicle wanted in Erie County and making a traffic stop that led to the recovery of over \$10,000 in highend electronics.
- Detective Michael Whiteley — for his efforts in working with multiple law enforcement agencies in four states to locate a missing child, in the mid-west, shortly before they were to travel across the country.
- Detective Gerald Young and Commander Adam Hornick — for their response to a Slingerlands Bank robbery;

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and ensuing investigation which developed a suspect lead that was subsequently responsible for solving five bank robberies in Albany and Schenectady counties. Officer Cesar Martinez — despite being off-duty, he viewed a missing juvenile bulletin

juvenile bulletin and when coming into work for court, he recognized the missing juvenile in the City of Albany, and was able to safely locate and return the juvenile to the parents. Officer Rico Fiore — was awarded the 2018 Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post Man of the Year award for his continued dedicated service and commitment to the town and community. Officer Fiore is a dedicated member of the agency and his

compassion for the community shows in everything that he does.

Unit Award Detective Sergeant

James Cross, and Detectives Chad Rice and Michael Whiteley -Bethlehem police responded to a report of an armed home invasion in Delmar on July 18, 2018. While investigating the case, Bethlehem police began working with the Troy Police Department who subsequently stopped the suspect vehicle and located a kidnap victim who was forced to drive to Delmar and back to Troy. Due to the diligence and dedication of the members of Bethlehem PD and Troy PD all the suspects were arrested in a very short period of time and eventually

sentenced to state prison. This case also closed another home invasion investigation in the City of Troy.

Stalking suspect

GLENMONT — Bethlehem police are investigating a report of a suspicious middleaged man approaching a juvenile who was playing basketball in the Crossroads Development near Beacon Road in Glenmont between 3:15 and 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, May 23.

According to police, he was a white male in his fifties with greyish-black hair, who drove an old grey four-door car with white license plates, possibly a Toyota. After conversing with the juvenile, the man drove away.

Bethlehem police would like to speak to the man and want residents to review their camera footage.

Anyone with more information about this should contact Bethlehem police at 518-439-9973.

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Glenmont eight-acre parcel to stay green

Conserving more open space in town

By DIEGO CAGARA cagarad@spotlightnews.com

GLENMONT — The Town of Bethlehem has taken one step closer to conserving open space, with the perpetual protection of an eight-acre parcel of open land near the intersection of Wemple Road and Route 9W, due to the town working together with the Albany County Land Bank (ACLB).

On Thursday, May 23, a small crowd gathered at the foot of the conserved parcel under direct sunlight just off 102 Brookhaven Lane. Among those who appeared included Bethlehem Town Supervisor David VanLuven, Town Board members Dan Coffey and Jim Foster, Bethlehem Open Space Coordinator Karen Shaw, Albany County Executive Daniel P. McCoy, Mohawk Hudson Land Conservancy executive director Mark King, and ACLB executive director Adam Zaranko.

The parcel comprises of 3.5 acres of constructed wetlands, 0.75 acres of natural wetlands, and 3.75 acres of upland forest



Bethlehem Town Supervisor David VanLuven, center, said conserving open space is one way to help keep Bethlehem as an attractive community for years to come.

and scrub. While it is landlocked, it is accessible by a 40-foot wide easement from Wemple Road.

The town had acquired the land from ACLB, purchasing it for just \$1 there were recording and closing costs of \$762 too. The town's application to purchase it was accepted by ACLB on Nov. 27, 2018 and this process moved further on Feb. 13, 2019 where VanLuven signed the purchase contract and other relevant documents. VanLuven said that the parcel had been foreclosed previously as it was not

generating tax revenue for the town and upon its new status as a conserved open space, it would not raise any resident's taxes.

"It's always about partnerships and working together, and ... we have always talked about green and open space, and we've been doing that throughout the county and taking more spaces like this and making it green," said McCoy. "We want to make sure that five, 10 or 50 years down the road, there's a lot of green space around, not just for our children but for the people who make their

homes and businesses here." He added that Albany County created ACLB in 2014 to make this type of movement possible.

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Zaranko explained that ACLB is a not-for-profit organization that takes tax-foreclosed vacant or abandoned areas and decide what to do with them to make them more beneficial or attractive to surrounding residents and neighborhoods.

In the case of Bethlehem, he said that the town benefits from pushing for conserving open space which can help balance

against rising development. Speaking of development, the parcel is just across the street, albeit located more inland, on Wemple Road from the site where a 96-unit multifamily residential development had been proposed — this was rejected by the town's Planning Board this past February. Nevertheless, Zaranko viewed the areas around the Wemple Road and Route 9W intersection as "bucolic" and conserving this parcel helps to sustain that atmosphere.

VanLuven said that farms, forests and fields "are vital parts of Bethlehem" which give people space to breathe, embrace nature and reduce unwanted vehicular traffic. Expressing gratitude for ACLB for working with the town on this, he also said that Bethlehem is one of only two towns in the state to have an official

open space coordinator, a position filled by Shaw.

Regarding the parcel, Shaw said that for now, "we're going to let these wetlands be wetlands, and let wildlife be wildlife." She explained that the parcel would ideally continue to "maintain its natural services" in terms of providing flooding and water quality control, and a wildlife habitat.

Looking ahead, she added that the town may find a way to make the parcel more openly accessible to the public and some passive recreation trails may be set up in conjunction with the town's Parks and Recreation department.

For more information on land conservation, visit www.townofbethlehem. org/783/Open-Space-Planning.



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Embarking on the Heart Walk

Raising awareness of heart disease and stroke

By DIEGO CAGARA *cagarad@spotlightnews.com*

ALBANY — The Capital Region Heart Walk and Run is just around the corner on Sunday, June 2, but the public does not have to wait until then to start caring for their mental and physical health.

"We need to draw attention to our health and make sure we know our numbers and our blood pressure readings, our family history, cholesterol levels and monitor them in order to have healthy and long lives," said Karen Carpenter Palumbo, president and CEO of Vanderheyden, a Wynantskill-based agency that provides educational and residential support for Capital District children and families in community-based settings.

Palumbo is also a co-chair of the Heart Walk and Run. "It's important to put you and your health first and know your



The event sees family and friends gathering to celebrate heart disease and stroke survivors, as well as remember those who passed away from them. Provided photo

numbers," she continued. "That way, you would know more if you're at risk of heart disease and be educated about it."

According to the American Heart Association, heart disease is the number one killer in the United States and worldwide, and stroke ranks fifth in the country and second worldwide. The organization aims to raise awareness about the dangers of both afflictions and provide resources for the public to get involved and learn more.

One such example is The Capital Region Heart Walk and Run, to be held at the University at Albany's Physical Education Building on 1400 Washington Ave. in Albany.

The check-in for the 5K run will open at 7 a.m. while the run itself would begin at 8:30 a.m. Other activities will commence at 9 a.m. whereas the 1- or 3-mile Walk will start at 10:45 a.m. The Heart Walk is free to the public but the 5K Run has a \$30 fee. People can park their vehicles in the university's Dutch Quad lot.

In a press release, the other cochair, Dr. Sulagna Mookherjee, an Albany Med cardiologist, said she has long been fascinated by the human heart since she was young, saying her father is a cardiologist too. She added, "At my sixthgrade science fair, my dad brought me a bull's heart from the local butcher so I could show all the parts at the science fair. My topic was the heart and how important it was for life. Since then, cardiology has remained my passion, and I am proud to be part of the American Heart Association's mission of being a relentless force for a world of longer, healthier lives."

The American Heart Association has also posted a goal of raising \$630,000 and as of Thursday, May 23, it has received \$378,332 so far. When asked how else the public can get involved, Palumbo said, "The website has all the information the public needs. Also, just come out for the day, join the team, and do a

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fundraising event. Come on June 2, participate, see it and spread the message."

Palumbo said that she got involved because her grandmother passed away from a heart attack at 52 and her mother had a heart attack at 52 too. "When I turned 52, I woke up and decided I need to do more about my health," she said. "I joined BetterU [the Heart Association's 12-week hearthealth improvement program] where I put my health, healthy eating and exercise first. If we don't take care of ourselves, how can we take care of others? In fact, it was BetterU who asked me to co-chair for the Heart Walk this year."

Mookherjee said, "The Heart Walk and Run is a great event that draws people from every walk of life and every age group. It's a moving day, it's an empowering day, and it's a day that can make a huge difference in everyone's lives."

Palumbo concluded that it's important for people to be the best advocate for their own health. "Regardless of you putting in \$10 or \$100, you're helping the cause either way. So come and learn more about your health!" For more information, visit

www.heart.org/en.



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EDUCATION

Encouraging young bookworms

Teaching kids the importance of reading

By DIEGO CAGARA cagarad@spotlightnews.com

BETHLEHEM -Visiting award-winning children's author Kate Messner asked an auditorium of Hamagrael Elementary School students on Wednesday, May 22 what they think is one thing that she always brings with her every day. Numerous raised eyebrows and some gasps exuded from the young audience as they briefly pondered the answer.

"Well, I would not be an author standing in front of you all now if it weren't for my writer's notebook. I don't go anywhere without my writer's notebook and that's because you never know when you're going to have an idea for a story," she said, adding that she even brings it when she is



Author Kate Messner, left, said children have sometimes given her ideas for her books and she advised hopeful writers to always remain inquisitive and use a notebook to gather ideas. Diego Cagara / Spotlight News

driving off for a trip, taking a flight overseas, or sleeping at a hotel. "So, anytime I see something that is interesting or beautiful or funny or curious or weird, it was the last of her author

goes into my notebook and it could turn into a book idea."

Messner's appearance at Hamagrael Elementary visits for the 2018-2019 school year throughout American schools and literacy festivals. "It's one of the greatest things I love to do as a children's author

so that I have a chance to meet the readers for whom I write," she said. "Kids also have great ideas for possible books I may write and we talk about the writing and illustrations they do too. It's great to talk books with kids."

Previously a broadcast news reporter and a middle-school English teacher, Messner, who lives up by Lake Champlain, became a full-time author and has written many multiple picture books, novels and chapter book series.

At Hamagrael, she mainly discussed her craft, as well as her "Ranger in Time" series (2015 present) which chronicle the adventures of a timetraveling search and rescue dog; and "Breakout" (2018), inspired by how upstate New York communities feared when two inmates/ murderers escaped the Clinton Correctional

Facility in Dannemora in June 2015 in real life.

Regarding "Ranger in Time," she told the auditorium that she had to first do much research into time travel and world history to form the groundwork for each book. Dropping the vocabulary phrase "primary source" on the students, she said she physically traveled to access libraries, diary entries, journals, newspaper articles, photographs, and interview actual people, if applicable, as part of her research.

She explained her research process in that she would begin at a library before going online and then taking trips to places or countries to continue gathering information. For instance, in order to learn more about search and rescue dogs, she read training manuals and was even invited to a training

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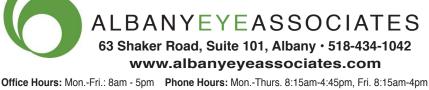
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session at Champlain Valley Canine Rescue where she could observe and help out.

Her "Ranger in Time" historical fiction series sees Ranger, a golden retriever which is the protagonist, time traveling to various time periods, witnessing historical events and visiting diverse locations around the world. These include Antarctica; the 1906 San Francisco earthquake; D-Day in Normandy, France in June 1944 during World War II; and the Titanic sinking in April 1912.

To gather research, Messner said she has traveled around the world to access documents and interview people familiar with the subject, having flown as far as Iceland for her Antarctica research, for example.

She revealed that her upcoming 10th and 11th "Ranger in Time" books would touch on the American Revolutionary War in New York and New Jersey, and the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks respectively. The former is planned for a July release and the latter would be in January 2020. The auditorium echoed with audible gasps while she was speaking midway about Book 11 though, which surprised her.

"Ever since this series started four years ago, kids have been asking me to write about 9/11 because I think that's something young people are very curious about," Messner said. "I hadn't thought about writing about it because this happened during my lifetime. To me, this is not historical fiction, this is something I remember really well because I was a young mom and my daughter was just a few weeks old when this happened." She also noted that the students before her were not born when 9/11 happened "but I do have to thank kids for the idea to write that book."

As a writer, she said that it is important to keep receiving inspiration from local and world topics, be open to one's editor's suggestions to improve one's writing, take time to make writing revisions, not be afraid to start all over if needed, and continue bringing a writer's notebook everywhere to jot observations or ideas down.

"When I was growing up, I didn't know that being an author is a job they would give you. I think it's really important to tell [students] what the writing process could be like and that people who make books are people who just love stories and sharing them," she said. "As a writer, I follow my curiosity and that takes me to places which can help create more ideas."

She concluded her visit by revealing that she had recently submitted the draft for her 12th "Ranger in Time" book which would focus on the Pearl Harbor attack during World War II. According to her website, she is scheduled to appear at more literacy conferences and several schools nationwide for the rest of the year, and speak at two international schools in Shanghai and Phnom Penh in 2020. For more information, www. katemessner.com.

Hecate Energy Albany 1 LLC and Hecate Energy Albany 2 LLC, 40-Megawatt Solar Photovoltaic Generation Project, Town of Coeymans, New York

NOTICE OF SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

Hecate Energy Albany 1 LLC and Hecate Energy Albany 2 LLC ("Hecate Albany" or "Co-Applicants") are seeking authority from the New York State Board on Electric Generation Siting and the Environment (the "Siting Board") to construct a 40-megawatt ("MW") solar photovoltaic electric generating facility (the "Facility") in the Town of Coeymans, Albany County, New York, under Article 10 of the New York State Public Service Law ("PSL"). Pursuant to PSL § 164 and 16 NYCRR § 1000.7, Hecate Albany hereby provides notice that, on or about June 4, 2019, it intends to file its Application with the Siting Board for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need authorizing construction and operation of the Facility.

The Facility components will include solar photovoltaic panel arrays connected by underground, and possibly overhead, collection lines that will generate electricity to be delivered into National Grid's transmission system via onsite interconnections to two existing transmission lines that cross the Facility site. The Facility is proposed to be constructed on leased and/or purchased, rural, private land that is agricultural in nature.

The Facility will safely generate enough clean, renewable electricity to power approximately 10,000 households. The Facility will not emit or discharge any pollutants, and it will avoid other impacts associated with traditional fossil-fueled generating facilities, such as water usage. The Facility will also contribute to the State Energy Plan's goal of generating 50% of all electricity consumed in the State with renewable resources and reducing greenhouse gas emissions by 40% by the year 2030. Further, the Facility will benefit the local community through short- and long-term jobs and economic growth, increased tax revenues, and lease payments to local farmers that will help them maintain farming operations on other properties.

Construction and operation of the Facility will not result in negative impacts to health, air, or water resources. The Facility is located on land that is already cleared and therefore avoids disturbances to forested lands to the maximum extent practicable. All impacts resulting from construction and operation of the Facility have been minimized to the maximum extent practicable.

The Co-Applicants intend to request a Water Quality Certification ("WQC") pursuant to Section 401 of the Federal Clean Water Act. The WQC is necessary to obtain a permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

The Application contains all the information stipulated to by parties to this Article 10 proceeding. Studies and analyses as required by the executed stipulations address many disciplines such as land use, noise, preliminary engineering, avians, and decommissioning. The Siting Board will determine whether the Application is compliant with the Article 10 requirements. Once it is deemed compliant, the Administrative Law Judges ("ALJs") assigned to this proceeding will schedule a public hearing and issue a notice that intervenor funds, in the amount of \$40,000, will be available for eligible parties participating in the Application phase. The ALJs will also schedule a pre-hearing conference to identify parties, award intervenor funds, identify issues for the hearing, and establish a case schedule. After the hearings, intervenors may submit briefs to the ALJs who will then issue a recommended decision, upon which the Siting Board will render its decision on whether to certify the Facility and under what conditions. State law requires that the Siting Board must render a decision on the Application within 12 months of its determination that the Application is compliant with the Article 10 requirements.

Interested, eligible municipal and local parties may apply for intervenor funding to be used to pay for expenses such as administrative, attorney, and/or consultant fees. A guide to applying for intervenor funding can be found on the New York State Department of Public Service's ("DPS") website by using the following direct link: goo.gl/avcprS.

Any interested person wishing to receive all notices concerning the Facility may submit a request to Hon. Kathleen H. Burgess, Secretary to the Siting Board, New York State Public Service Commission, Agency Building 3, Albany, NY 12223-1350 or electronically to secretary@dps.ny.gov. Documents concerning the Siting Board's review of the Facility may be viewed at the DPS website located at www.dps.ny.gov by clicking "Search" on the homepage and then entering Case 17-F-0617 in "Search by Case Number."

Additional information on how to participate in this proceeding may be obtained by contacting Hecate Albany's project representative or the Siting Board Public Information Coordinator:

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To find more information, please go to the Siting Board's website (www.dps.ny.gov/SitingBoard) or the Project website (https://www.albanycountysolar.info/), or call the Project's toll-free number: 833-529-6597.

A copy of the Application will be served on the Town Supervisor of the Town of Coeymans. The Application, when filed, may be examined during normal business hours at the Offices of the Department of Public Service at 3 Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223, and at the ollowing local document repositories:

County Clerk Office, 16 Eagle Street, Albany, NY 12207-1077

- Coeymans Town Clerk Office, 18 Russell Avenue, Ravena, NY 12143
- RCS Community Library, 95 Main Street, Ravena, NY 12143
 Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054



Below is a map that shows the location of the Facility site.

EDUCATION

The results are in A breakdown of the approved 2019-2020 school budgets and Board of Ed elections

Bethlehem

BETHLEHEM Bethlehem Central School District voters approved a \$100.8 million for the 2019-2020 school year on Tuesday, May 21, with 2,010 voting in favor and 518 opposing.

It indicated that around 80 percent of voters supported it while 20 percent did not.

This would increase spending by 2.06 percent and raise the tax levy increase by 2.03 percent.

Additionally, 1,829 voters, or 75 percent, approved a bus purchase proposition which would cost \$1.1 million to replace four large buses and ten small 30-passenger buses.

2,025 voters, or 81 percent, also approved a 2019 Capital Reserve Fund of up to \$10 million which could be used over a 10year timeframe to facilitate future repairs or renovations in the district; 460, or 19

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percent, opposed it. Voters also had their say on who would take up the two open Board of Education seats, each of whom would begin their three-year term on July 1.

The victors were newcomer Wendy Samson with 1,505 votes and incumbent Jonathan S. Fishbein with 1,323 votes.

Newcomer Brendan M. McCann received just 1,267 votes.

"We truly appreciate the support our district receives from this community," said Superintendent Jody Monroe. "This budget will allow us to continue delivering quality education to students and fulfill our mission of helping each and every student reach their potential."

Guilderland

GUILDERLAND Guilderland Central

School District voters favored a \$102.1 million budget for the 2019-2020 school year on Tuesday, May 21, with 2,145 people approving and 1,087 opposing it.

It would increase spending by 1.17 percent and raise the tax levy by 1.44 percent.

Voters also supported a \$30.9 million revised capital construction project proposition and a \$939,400 school bus proposition.

The latter would replace aging buses with new ones, including six 66-passenger buses, one 60-passenger bus with chains, one 35-passenger bus with air conditioning, and one 12-passenger bus with three wheelchair stations and air conditioning.

Three members were also elected to the Board of Education, although the exact numbers were not disclosed on the school

district's website so far.

The victors were newcomer Kelly Person, and incumbents Barbara Fraterrigo and Gloria Towle-Hilt.

"We know that we asked a lot of the community this vote ... we truly appreciate the district's residents supporting our schools and the children they serve," said Superintendent of Schools Dr. Marie Wiles.

Kavena-**Coeymans-**Selkirk

RAVENA - Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk residents approved a \$48.1 million budget for the 2019-2020 school year, with 726 favoring and 349 opposing

It would increase spending by \$323,952 and raise the tax levy by 2.75

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percent.

Voters also approved a bus proposition that costs up to \$648,802.74, with 736 favoring and 334 opposing it.

The district would continue its school bus replacement plan by purchasing six new buses three 42-passenger buses and three 65-passenger buses - to improve its fleet.

According to the district's website, the state "will reimburse the district for approximately 59 percent of the purchase cost."

Voters also approved a \$100,000 Repair Reserve which would be for repairs of capital improvements or equipment, with 789 supporting and 280 opposing it.

The three open Board of Education seats were also decided by voters, with incumbent Jason Hyslop

earning 673 votes, and newcomers Tracy Klein and Yvonne Shackleton with 710 and 634 votes respectively. Mike Robbins got just 347 votes.

Voorheesville

VOORHEESVILLE Voorheesville Central School District residents approved the \$25.4 million budget on Tuesday, May 21, with 1,120 supporting and 342 opposing it.

Also, the bus proposition, which would cost up to \$227,000, was passed by voters, with 955 favoring and 253 opposing it.

It would replace aging school buses with one new 65-passenger bus and two 28-passenger buses.

According to the district's website, the one open Board of Education seat, for a four-year term, would be filled by Rachel Gilker.





LIBRARIES **Chicken or the egg**

et's count our chickens! At Bethlehem Public Library, we're counting our chickens as they hatch this June – and you can too!

For our "Incubation Eggsperiment," we'll be hatching a brood of chicks inside the library and live-streaming their progress through the Chick Cam featured on our website at www. bethlehempubliclibrary. org

Environmental educator George Steele will drop by Saturday, June 1 at 3 p.m. to get things started with a "Meet the Chickens" program for kids and families.

This is your chance to meet a rooster and a hen and learn about how the egg incubator in the Children's Place works. The Chick Cam will go live the following Monday. On Sunday, June 9 at



3 p.m. Steele will return for the second part of the "eggsperiment."

At the "Inside the Egg" program, he will show everyone how to candle the eggs to take a look at how the embryos are developing.

Then the waiting begins as we gently rotate and tend to the eggs. Those watching the livestream will know things are getting close when hairline cracks appear as the chicks start pecking their way out.

Once they hatch, the chicks will hang around for a week or so before heading to the farm. Everyone is invited to record the progress of the eggs and post photos on Twitter and Facebook using #bplchickens.

Vote results

The library would like to thank voters for approving the \$4.06 million budget levy for 2019-20 on Tuesday, May 21, with an 84 percent approval rate. Your widespread support has allowed us to continue offering and improving the programs, services, materials and community spaces you've told us you're looking for.

Voters on Tuesday also elected newcomer Michelle Walsh to a fiveyear term on the board of trustees. We welcome her to the board, and would like to remind everyone that our board meetings, which typically take place on the second Monday of the month at 6 p.m., are always open to the public. -Kristen Roberts



n May 21, voters approved the 2019-2020 library budget by 63.5 percent, and the capital construction bond by 58 percent. Catherine Barber, Barbara Fraterrigo and Barry Nelson all secured five-year terms on our Board of Trustees.

We appreciate the participation in this election. This library exists for the public, and everyone is welcome here. We want to make it the very best community resource possible – a safe haven of enrichment for all. We're excited about incorporating the changes you've asked for, and grateful for the opportunity to serve you!

Infant, toddler nutrition

Transitioning your baby to solids? Wondering what you can give that finicky



toddler for lunch? "Infant and Toddler Nutrition: Your Questions Answered!" may provide the guidance you seek. Patty Wukitsch, dietician at the Guilderland Hannaford, will be here Thursday, May 30, from 10 to 11 a.m. to answer your questions. Toys will be available for babies and toddlers during the program. Please register online, by phone, or in person.

Oscar films

"Vice," shown on Thursday, May 30 at 6:30 p.m., depicts how Dick Cheney (Christian Bale) quietly wielded immense political power within the Bush administration, becoming the most powerful vice president in American history.

Amy Adams and Steve Carell also star.

Better Angels Workshop

Would you like to reach common ground with those who sit squarely on the other side of the political fence, without sacrificing your own stance?

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HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS

Bethlehem girls are Section II champs

ROTTERDAM — The Bethlehem girls lacrosse team is the Section II Class A champs for the first time since 2006

The Eagles pulled away from Shenendehowa on Wednesday, May 22 to beat the No. 1 seed 15-12 at Mohonasen High School.

Bethlehem was down 7-6 at the half, but came back strong in the second, which included a 5-0 run, to outscore Shen 9-5.

Avery Jones had five goals and an assist for The Eagles while Caroline Wise had three goals and three assists and Lindsay Ayers had three goals and two assists. Lauren Riker had two goals, Amanda Koch had a goal and an assist and Ashlynn McGrath had a goal.

Sophia Koch had 10 saves in goal for Bethlehem.

McKenzie Ballard had four goals for Shen while Grace Palowodzinski had three. Despite having the best regular season record at the end of the season, Bethlehem was ranked in the No. 2 spot heading into the tournament and it took overtime to get by the tough No. 3 Saratoga team to make it to the finals.

The Eagles and Saratoga met three times this season in what has become one of the fiercest rivalries in girls lacrosse, and the Eagles won all three times by a goal.

On Monday, May 20, Saratoga scored four unanswered late in the game to force overtiime, with shot tying the game at 11 finding the net with just 14.7 seconds remaining in regulation.

With 1:25 left in the first sudden death overtime, Wise scored her fifth goal of the night to give Bethlehem a thrilling victory.

Ayers added three goals and two assists for Bethlehem while Jones had two goals and Paige Halliday and McGrath had a goal each.

Sophia Koch had 10 saves for Bethlehem and Abigail Searles had the same for Saratoga.

Bethlehem will represent Section II in the state tournament and will play the winner of North Rockland, of Section I, and Monroe Woodbury, of Section IX, on May 31 at Mohonasen High School. Section II got a first round by this year.

Check out our website for more photos of the two games. — *Jim Franco*













HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS

Bethlehem boys are in the finals

BETHLEHEM — The Eagles jumped out to a 7-0 lead after the first quarter of the Class A semifinals against Shen and never looked back, winning 15-5.

The Bethlehem boys will join the girls lax squad in the Class A finals.

On Tuesday, May 21 Liam Ferris scored eight goals for Bethlehem while Ben Reilly had two goals and three assists and Jack Carroll had two goals and an assist. Justin Barnes had two goals and Anthony Canova had a goal.

Eric Makhatadze had four goals for the No. 3 seed Shenendehowa.

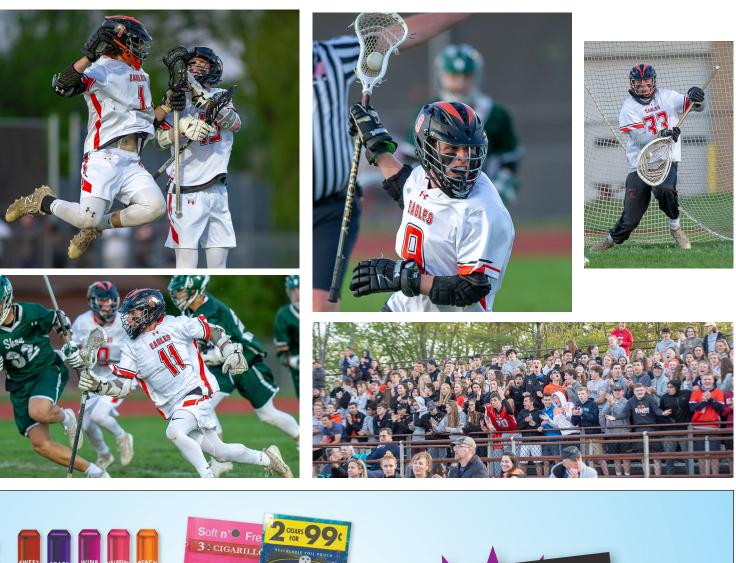
Matt Stento had 11 saves for Bethlehem while Jacob Aragones and Johnny Scavo had four each for Shen.

The No. 2 seed Eagles will square off against the seed against Niskayuna, the No. 1 seed, for the championship at Columbia High School. Game time is 6:30 p.m.

The Silver Warriors got by Shaker 7-3.

The finals were played after this paper went to print but check out our website for coverage of that game and a slideshow of the game against Shen.

— Jim Franco





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NANCE AND EVENTS, LLC. Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/13/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-cess against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Mr. Diaz, 50-11 70th Street, 1st Floor, Woodside, NY 11377. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-218367 NOTICE OF LLC

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01/23/19. Latest date to 12/31/2119. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC. 420 Lexington Avenue, Suite New York, NY Any

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Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/05/19. 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 Daniels Norelli Cecere & Tavel, P.C., Duffy Ave, e, NY 11801. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

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LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/15/19. 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, 50 West 72nd Street Suite C6, New York, NY 10023. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

D-215584

04/15/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 35-01 Ditmars Boulevard,

Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-216628 NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION CPW EAGLE PARTNERS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed the SSNY with

on 03/04/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process upon against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Konner, Teitelbaum & Gallagher P.C., 462 Sev-enth Avenue, 12th Floor, New York, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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FORMATION **CREATIVE REAL ESTATE** ADVISORS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/15/19. 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, 315 Madison Avenue, Apartment 801, New York, NY 10029. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-215587

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FORMATION CREATIVELY SJD LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/16/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 100 Street, Apart-Morton ment 8DW, New York, NY 10014. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-215830

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FORMATION CURRENT WIRELESS SOLUTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/22/19. 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, 86 Kean Street. West Babylon, NY 11704. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-216630

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CUZINZ, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/17/19. 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 Deluccia, 3195 Valhalla Drive, Bronx, NY 10465. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o James Esopo, 226 James Esopo, 226 Beach 132nd Street, FORMATION DARELAB L.L.C. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 01/02/19. Office: Al-Belle Harbor, NY 11694. Purpose: Any lawful purbany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be FORMATION SMART BUILD served. SSNY shall mail LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on

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ment #4, Brooklyn, NY

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DARLING SPRING, LLC.

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Montgomery Place, Apartment 2, Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any

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05/10/19. Office: Albany

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FAYA EXECUTIVE ADVI-SORS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/30/19. 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, 117 Road, Briarcliff Law Manor, NY 10510. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-217061

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FCSK HOLDINGS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/24/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 11-05 44th Drive, Long Island City, NY 11101. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-216706

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CONCRETE LLC. G5 Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/11/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 56-10 Grand Avenue, Maspeth, NY 11378. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-215319

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION GIFLING & KOLKMAN HOME LEASE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/10/19. Of-County. Albany fice: SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 55 Wall Street, Unit 733, New York, NY 10005. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

Office: Albany County.

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shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 107-34

71st Avenue, Forest Hills,

NY 11375. Purpose: Any

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EYE EL OH WORKS LLC Arts of Ora filed with the SSNY on 05/14/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 10 Jagger Lane, Westhampton, NY 11977. Purpose: Any

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of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/13/19. Of-fice: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 1 Rock-

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 Mendel Steiner, 1422 47th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11219. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-215582

NOTICE OF PLLC

FORMATION DENTAL HUDSON SMILE DESIGN PLLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/12/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the PLLC, 2425 Haring Street, Apartment 6H, Brooklyn, NY 11235. Purpose: For the prac-tice of the profession of Dentistry. EB-215728

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

JC GRC LLC. Arts of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/02/19. 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 David Goldban, Pemmil Affordable LLC 70 East 55th Street, 7th Floor, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-215401

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

JHN CREATIVE LLC. of Org. filed with Arts. the SSNY on 05/06/19. Office: Albany County. designated as SSNY agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 437 Bergen Street. Garden Apartment, Brooklyn, NY 11217. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-217521

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

GRC LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/02/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-cess against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o David Goldban Pemmil Affordable LLC 70 E 55th Street, 7th Floor, New York, ΝY 10022 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-215404

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION JUSTIN SHERMAN EN-TERPRISES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/02/19. UT fice: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Justin Sherman, 32 Lambert Lane, New Rochelle, NY 10804. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-217380

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FORMATION HASHEM ACQUISITIONS KEEM NATA LLC. Arts. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on of Org. filed with the with the SSNY on 03/27/19. Office: Albany SSNY on 05/09/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 4E Dorado Drive, Morristown, NJ 07960. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-217902

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

KOLB REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/19/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 600 West 239th Street, Apartment 7C, Bronx, NY 10463. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-216112

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LAZARIDIS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/30/19. 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, 20-16 Parsons Boulevard, Whitestone, NY 11357. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-217065

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION LB PIZZA LLC. Arts. Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/01/19, with an existence date of 04/19/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it be served. SSNY may shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 6551 Street, Middle Vil-77th lage, NY 11378. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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LINK GROWTH ADVIS-ERS, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 03/27/18. Originally filed with Secretary of State Delaware 01 on 02/22/2018. 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, 3 Hanover Road, Scarsdale, NY 10583. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-218033

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION LJC GRC LLC. Arts.

Ora, filed with the SSNY on 04/02/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the ITC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o David Goldban, Pemmil Affordable LLC, 70 East 55th Street, 7th Floor, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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LJH CONSULTING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/01/19. Office: Albany County.

County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC. 606 W. 57th Street, Apartment 3006, New York, NY 10019. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-218035 NOTICE OF LLC

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FORMATION FALCON AND THE SNOWMAN, LLC. Arts.

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copy of process to the LLC, 3 Hanover Road, Scarsdale, NY 10583. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-218958

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SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail copy of proshall to the LLC, 30 Street, #7, New cess West NY 10004. Pur-York. Any lawful purpose: pose. D-217171

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LOS TAMARINDOS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/17/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against if may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of proto the LLC, 509 118th Street, New cess 118th Street, NY 10035. East York. Pur-Any lawful purpose: pose D-215943

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION REALTY 123

LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/12/19. Office: Albany County. designated as SSNY agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 2679 East 63rd Street, Brooklyn, NY 11234. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-215494

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION MACARTHUR MON-TAUK, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/04/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SŠNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 140 East 56th Street, Suite York, New 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC Formation

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FOR CHICKEN SUNNYSIDE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/24/19. Of-Albany County. fice: SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon SSNY whom process against it be served. SSNY may shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Clinton Oh, 1035 Old Country Road, West-bury, NY 11590. Purbury, NY 11590. Pur-pose: Any lawful purpose. D-216590

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION MADISON RED, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/18/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Graubard & Blumenfield, P.C. 370 Lexington Avenue, 27th Floor, New NY 10017. Pur-York, pose: Any lawful pur-D-216631

NOTICE OF PLLC

FORMATION INFEC MANHATTAN DISEASE TIOUS MEDICINE PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/08/19. Office: Albany County.

LEGALS designated as SSNY agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the PLLC, 320 W. 76th Street, Apart-ment 7DE, New York, NY 10023. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Medicine.

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NETWORK TRADING SOLUTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/01/19. Of-

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Greenway North, Forest Hills, NY 11375. Pur-

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NEW EDGE PROPER-TIES LLC. Arts. of Org.

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Broadway, Suite 12-202, New York, NY 10004.

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Bronx, NY 10462. Pur-

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Hirshmark Capital LLC, 15 West 26th Street,

Suite 901, New York, NY

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ADVISORY SER-MGM VICES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/23/19. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2069. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Matthew G. McCrosson, 40 Brook Manor, Pleasantville, NY 10570. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

D-216406 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION MIDTOWN SOUTH OWNER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/30/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the c/o Masterworks Development Corpora-tion, 4 Bryant Park, Suite New York, 10018. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-217840

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION MIMA VENTURES, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/19/19. Office: Albany County. designated as SSNY agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o James Mongello, 100 Sunnyside Avenue, Pleasantville, NY 10570. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-216566

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FORMATION MINVA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/26/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be SSNY shall mail served. copy of process to the LLC, 3590 Manor Road, Bethlehem, PA 18020. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

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FORMATION MONADA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/20/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-cess against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 579 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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BRA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on FORMATION 04/19/19. Office: Albany MS SELECTIONS, LLC. of Org. filed with County. SSNY designat the SSNY on 03/27/19 ed as agent of the LLC Office: Albany County. upon whom process

LEGALS against it may be served. designated as of the LLC upon SSNY shall mail copy of whom process against it may be served. SSNY process to the LLC, 17 É. 12th shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 55 Wall ment 6, New York, NY 10003. Valhalla. NY lawful purpose. Purpose: Any D-216114

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FORMATION ORDAN, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/20/19. 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 ATTN: Hanan Gur, LLC. 29 Richmond Hill, Irvington, NY 10533. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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PADSTOW PROPERTIES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/08/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of the LLC whom process upon against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Victor Tawil, 29 West 36th Street, Suite 1100, New York, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-217788

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FORMATION PECORARO REALTY OF NYC, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/08/19. 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, 7512 18th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11214. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-218029

NOTICE OF LLC Formation

PERFECT SNACKS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/11/19. Office: Albany County. designated as SSNY agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 600 Avenue, 15th New York, NY Third Floor, Purpose: Any 10016 lawful purpose. D-215539

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION GRC LLC. Arts. of PG Ora, filed with the SSNY on 04/02/19. 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 David Goldban Pemmil Affordable LLC.

LEGALS 70 East 55th Street, 7th New York, NY Purpose: Any Floor, 10022. Street, Apartlawful purpose. D-215407 Purpose: Any

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION PICKETT FENCE PROP-ERTIES, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/01/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-cess against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 73 Harvard Road, Watervliet, NY 12189. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-216707

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PITAYA, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/29/19. Office: Al-bany 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, 158-12 84th Street, Beach, Howard NY Purpose: Any 11414 lawful purpose.

D-216833 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION REIT INVEST LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/15/19. Of-Albany County. designated as fice: SSNY agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 412A Clinton Street, Brooklyn, NY 11231. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-215589

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with the SSNY on 05/14/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat ed as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SŠNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 228 East 45th Street, #1800, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

RIVERSIDE STUDIOS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/17/19. Office: Albany County SSNY design County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 228 E. 45th Street, #1800, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-215944

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION ROYAL ASSET PROPER-TY MANAGEMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/21/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 215-31 Hillside Avenue, Queens Village, NY 11427. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-218976

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SKIN CARE, LLC. RVI Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/07/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Halperin & Halperin, P.C., 18 East 48th P.C., 18 East 48th Street, Suite 1001, New NY 10017, Pur-York, pose: Any lawful purpose. D-2<u>17708</u>

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SGC MANAGEMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/19/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Georgette Caruso, 488 Bradford Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10309. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-218212

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

THERAPIES SIGNAL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 02/05/19. 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 Margaret Nies, 112 Peninsula Drive, Port Jefferson, NY 11777. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-215274

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SIX ALPHA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/02/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be SSNY shall mail served. copy of process to the LLC, c/o Alma Realty, 31-10 37th Avenue Suite 301, Long Island City, NY 11101. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-217258

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FORMATION SONARA GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/10/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 19 West 26th Street, #4, New York, NY 10010. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-218044

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SRF HOLDING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/09/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon fice: Albany County. whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 32 Longwood Drive, Huntington Station, NY 11746. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-217912

be served.

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FORMATION TALOS ADVISORS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/19/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 240 57 68th Avenue, Douglas-ton, NY 11362. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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Place, 24T, Brooklyn, NY

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Taken to school on Election Day

Tuesday was Election Day for school and library board races. It was also a time to vote for school and library budgets.

For four hours on May 21st I stood at the Delaware Avenue entrance to the high school parking lot to greet voters with a flyer explaining why I was running for a seat on the Bethlehem Library Board and asking for their vote. I stood in the spot the school district said I should stand. It was 1,000 feet from the entrance to the high school. I'm sure school officials would have liked me to stand in front of my Boylston Drive home based on the reaction I received.

Monday morning I asked the district office where the electioneering boundary was because I wanted to hand out flyers. I was told it was at the Delaware Avenue entrance. There was no traditional signage stating "No Electioneering Beyond This Point." Voters were obviously confused and thought I was too close to the polling station.

Nothing could have been further from the truth. The law states the demarkation for handing out literature is 150 feet from the polling place, not 1,000 feet as the school district determined. I did not argue. Like a compliant student, I stood where I was told. Complaints ensued as voters went to vote. Three school district officials tried to convince me not to stand

where they told me to stand because I was hurting my cause.

Then the Bethlehem police were called. No fewer than four police cars and six officers arrived only to determine that my spiel of less than five seconds was appropriate and did not back up traffic as some had claimed. The police investigated, observed my actions and left me alone.

Some voters who had already made up their mind and didn't want to be convinced otherwise waved me off. I did not jump on the hood of their car or assault anyone over this volunteer position to serve the community. I behaved. Now that would have hurt my cause.

Some people left the high school with words of encouragement. I heard form one voter that

he felt my actions were inappropriate. He was probably voting for one of my opponents anyway. Imagine that, school officials not educating the public that I was standing in an appropriate spot to do my electioneering to secure votes for my candidacy.

One point in my platform was to increase transparency and communication regarding the library. Maybe school

officials should do the same. From this experience it is obvious we need a more proactive and aggressive approach to inform the public. One example would focus on why a library gives three-quarters of its \$4.3 million budget towards salaries and benefits and then cuts services such as taking away the public access studio.

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Joyce asking for 'reinforcements'

At my very core, I'm just a soldier.

I've served my country proudly for the past 17 years and my life of service has taken me everywhere. Iraq, Afghanistan and even to Staten Island after Superstorm Sandy roared up the Atlantic coast.

My life of service continues here at home. In 2018, after serving two years representing portions of Albany, North Bethlehem and Slingerlands on the Albany County Legislature, my colleagues saw fit to elect me Chair of this august body.

Now, instead of getting much needed fuel from southern Iraq in to Baghdad International Airport, or implementing access control measures

at forward operating bases in Taliban country, or coordinating relief efforts for my fellow New Yorkers, my new charge is leading desperately needed reform efforts on the Legislature.

Folks, I need reinforcements.

On Primary Day, June 25th, I need you to cast your vote for Joanne Cunningham, Jeff Kuhn and Matt Miller for Albany County Legislature.

Joanne represents central Delmar and is an excellent and hardworking legislator. Joanne has led the legislature's efforts on creating a nonpolitical, independent and transparent redistricting process, environmental protections through her work on the plastic bag ban and fee bill, and is a cosponsor on progressive

bills like Paid Sick Leave for Albany County, pay equity, and other important advancements. Joanne is one of the legislature's best thinkers. She can also curse better than many of the soldiers I've served with.

Jeff is running for an open seat in the legislature representing Delmar and Glenmont. Jeff is exactly the kind of legislator we need: thoughtful, progressive, smart and hard working. Jeff has the experience of working as a town board leader and deputy town supervisor, and is an attorney who will be a tremendous resource in the legislature. Jeff possesses a level headed and deliberate approach to problem solving, which is exactly what we need right now.

Matt is running in the southern part of town,

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Voorheesville Family Bicycling Day

he fourth annual Voorheesville Family Bicycling Day will be held from noon to 3 p.m. on Sunday, June 2. (rain date is Sunday, June 9).

The Voorheesville Family Bicycling Day is a community-wide event that provides families with a safe and fun day of bicycling and family-friendly



activities.

This year we will have a true bicycle block party complete with music, food, fire trucks, a bounce house, storytime, craft time, a BMX demonstration, Family Yoga class on the lawn, pony rides and farm animals to pet from Ponies for Hire, and more!

All activities will be on a closed bicycle loop (Grove Street and the Rail Trail). Come join the fun.

Learn 3D printing and modeling

Join us at 3 p.m. on Friday, June 7 for this introductory class where we will cover the basics of how the Library's Lulzbot Mini2 3D Printer works.

Then we will start personalizing our own designs using Tinkercad, a free and easy 3D design tool. The Library will print your design, and you will be able to take it home. Open to everyone 13 years of age and older. Please register.

2nd Sunday Film

"On a summer vacation in the Singapore home of a man she hopes to marry, Chinese-American Rachel Chu is unexpectedly introduced to a rich and scheming clan that strongly opposes its member's relationship with an American girl."(IMDB) 2hrs, PG-13. 2 p.m., Sunday, June 9 with refreshments.

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Look who's 30 City of Albany announces the music lineup for its upcoming free concert series.

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Here are some habits you can start developing for a more relaxed summertime.

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And music for all

The American Music Festival kicks off in Troy this Thursday

By MICHAEL HALLISEY halliseym@spotlightnews.com

or many, the arts serve as an escape from the real world. A music hall can serve as a sanctuary from the barbs and arrows flung across social media, choking news feeds with politics.

David Alan Miller sees music as such a haven. And, though the upcoming American Music Festival celebrates the anniversaries of the women's suffrage movement and the rise of the LGBTQ community movement, the Grammy Award-winning conductor and music director of the Albany Symphony Orchestra insists on keeping this all about the music.

"We serve a very broad public," said Miller. "We don't want to have a particular political agenda. We have people on all sides of the cultural landscape." Miller, who attributes his curiosity in history to the classical music that surrounds him, knew of the Stonewall Uprising anniversary before he started delving into the back stories surrounding the women's suffrage movement. "It seemed like a fascinating thing to build the festival around. It really grew out of my interest in New York state history much more than making a political point."

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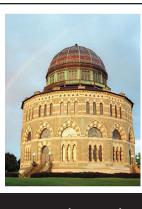




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RECENTLY ANNOUNCED

Alive at Five is 30

This season marks 30 years for free concert series in the Capital City

ALBANY — Alive at Five is back for another exciting season! The line-up has been officially announced and there are so many wonderful acts on here!

Who are you looking forward to seeing?

June 6: Pride Night- Donna Missal

On her debut album This Time, L.A.-based singer/ songwriter Donna Missal shows the elegant collision of elements at play in her music: a poet's command of tone, a soul singer's boundless intensity, a bedroom musician's willful embracing of intimacy and experimentation. Along with channeling the raw passion she first ignited by playing in rock bands in her homeland of New Jersey, This Time expands on the melodic ingenuity displayed in recent singles like "Driving" and "Thrills." Above all the album is a testament to the sheer force of Missal's voice, a dynamic but delicate instrument that achieves a beautifully nuanced expression even as she belts her heart out.

June 13: Pop Night- Travie McCoy

Geneva, New York's own Travie McCoy is a rapper, songwriter and singer. Founding member and front man for Gym Class Heroes, he exploded on the scene as a solo artist with his debut solo album Lazarus. The lead single from the album, "Billionaire" featuring Bruno Mars, peaked at number four on the Billboard Hot 100 chart and sold 15,000 copies in it's first week. McCoy has collaborated with Jason Mraz, Panic! at the Disco lead singer Brendon Urie, Sia and more.

June 20: Hip Hop Night - Slick Rick The Ruler

Ricky Martin Lloyd Walters, known to the world as Slick Rick and widely regarded as "hip-hop's greatest storyteller", is a London-born, Grammy-nominated performer and the most successful British-American rapper in music history. The hip-hop veteran began his career in 1983, as a member of Doug E. Fresh's Get Fresh Crew, pioneering what is today celebrated as the "Golden Age of Hip- Hop". With four albums to his credit – the landmark The Great Adventures of Slick Rick (1988), The Ruler's Back (1991), Behind Bars (1994) and The Art of Storytelling (1999 – Rick has collaborated with a range of musical icons, from Jay-Z and Missy Elliot to Outkast, Jermaine Dupri, Mos Def, Common, R. Kelly and Aaliyah. His music has been sampled and interpolated over 650 times, by such artistsas Eminem, Mariah Carey, Beyonce, Beastie Boys, TLC, Nas, Miley Cyrus, Kanye West, Black Star, The Notorious B.I.G., Snoop Dogg and Color Me Badd.

June 27: Classic Rock Night- Quiet Riot

Quiet Riot is a rock and roll phenomenon. Famously described as the first heavy metal band to top the pop charts, the Los Angeles quartet became an overnight sensation thanks to their monster 1983 smash album Metal Health. Their followup album Condition Critical went double platinum and the band continued to record and tour throughout their 25-plus year history.

July 11: Reggae Night- Culture

Culture's music, featuring the shining lead vocals of Joseph Hill, is solidly roots, perfectly executed and delivered with genuine emotional fervor. Joseph Hill's devotion to the traditional Rastafarian values of purity, simplicity and justice is exemplified by Culture's lyrical themes. Milo Miles, writing for The New York Times, named Culture as "the leading exponent of 'conscious reggae". Hill's message is clear and uplifting. His songwriting abilities are outstanding and music reviewers have lauded his achievements for two decades.

July 18: Funk Night- Lettuce

Known for their incendiary live shows, extensive touring, die-hard fans, and massive two-decade career, Lettuc have brought a new vitality to classic funk, matching their smooth and soulful grooves with a hiphop-inspired urgency.

Comprised of a stellar group musicians - Drummer Adam Deitch, guitarist Adam Smirnoff, bassist Erick "Jesus"Coomes, keyboardist and vocalist Nigel Hall, saxophonist Ryan Zoidis, and trumpet player Eric "Benny" Bloom - the members of Lettuce are highly sought after musicians who, together, continue to earn their name as masters of their craft. Blending together these talents in a sound distinctly their own, they have garnered praised by the likes of New York Times, NPR, Billboard, Consequence of Sound, Relix, Red Bull Music and more.

July 25: Local Night - Wild Adriatic and Jocelyn & Chris Arndt

Rooted in the rowdy spirit of rock and roll, Wild Adriatic has built an international audience on a combination of groove, grit, and guitar-heavy swagger.

Whittled into sharp shape by a touring schedule that's kept them busy for roughly 175 days a year including two European tours, countless stateside runs, and appearances at festivals like Bonnaroo — Wild Adriatic's three members recorded Feel in Austin, teaming up with Grammy-nominated producer Frenchie Smith in the process. The goal was to shine a light on the band's strength as a live act, avoiding click tracks, digital instruments, sampled sounds and other tricks of the recording studio. Instead, Wild Adriatic focused on the same core ingredients — Gray's guitar playing and soulful sweep of a voice; Vosganian's percussive stomp; Derbyshire's in-the-pocket bass — that helped kickstart the band in 2011, back when Wild Adriatic formed in Upstate New York.

Aug. 1: WEQX Night – Marco Benevento

For more than a decade pianist Marco Benevento has been amassing an extensive body of work. His studio albums and live performances set forth a vision that connects the dots in the vast space between LCD Soundsystem and Leon Russell, pulsating with dance rock energy, but with smart, earthy songwriting to match. It has led to numerous high profile appearances, ranging from Carnegie Hall to Pickathon, Mountain Jam to Treefort Festival, while headlining shows coast to coast.

Alive at Five is each Thursday from 5 to 8 p.m. at Jenning's Landing, Albany. In the case of inclement weather, the concert will be moved under the bridge at the intersection of Colonie and Water streets.

WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW



The Wailers

The Wailers Skyloft — Thursday, May 30

ALBANY — The Wailers will perform at Skyloft on Thursday, May 30 at 8 p.m.

The legendary Wailers continue their quest to bring reggae to the forefront of the world's stage. Lead by renowned bassist and founder Aston "Familyman" Barrett and joined by original Wailers guitarist Donald Kinsey, The Wailers give audiences around the globe the opportunity to experience their unique and innovative sound. From 1972 to 1980, Bob Marley and The Wailers recorded, toured, and performed before countless millions worldwide.

For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com.

Skyloft is located at 1 Crossgates Mall Road, Albany.

Dry Branch Fire Squad Caffe Lena — Thursday, May 30

SARATOGA SPRINGS — The Dry Branch Fire Squad will perform at Caffe Lena on Thursday, May 30 at 7 p.m.

A staple in the traditional bluegrass world for over 40 years now, Dry Branch Fire Squad is renowned for its spry mix of front-porch standards, modern ballads and the old-time sounds from which bluegrass first sprang.

For tickets, visit www.brownpapertickets.com. Caffe Lena is located at 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs.

Rochmon Record Club: Hotel California The Linda — Thursday, May 30

ALBANY — The Linda will host a meeting of the Rochmon Record Club on Thursday, May 30 at 7:30 p.m.

The club will converge for a listening session of The Eagles' Hotel California. Hotel California marked a shift in sound for the easy-going southern Californian rockers and remains The Eagles' best-selling original album. It rocks hard with songs such as "Hotel California" and "Life in the Fastlane," but still hits that mellow Eagles sweet spot with the No. 1 hit, "New Kid in Town."

For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com. The Linda is located at 339 Central Ave., Albany.



WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW



The Wheel Putnam Place — Thursday, May 30

SARATOGA SPRINGS — The Wheel will perform at Putnam Place as part of their May residency on Thursday, May 30 at 8:30 p.m.

The Wheel (Grateful Dead and Beyond) was founded in 2010 by Andy Morse, who was looking to play to his roots of years chasing the Grateful Dead and current incarnations around forged "The Wheel." Continually rolling, covering new terrain in creative spaces before them as they spin 24 hours a day, the group strives to maintain professionalism and bring you top-notch music at every show.

Putnam Place is located at 63a Putnam St., Saratoga Springs.

LIFESTYLE

Just chill

Explore these relaxing hobbies

S tress is a part of many people's daily lives. A recent survey from the American Psychological Association found that 44 percent of Americans feel their stress levels have increased over the past five years. Children also are struggling, with almost a one-third reporting that they have experienced a health symptom associated with stress, such as stomach aches, trouble sleeping and headaches.

Calming activities that can tone down the body's stress responses are great ways to alleviate stress. Summertime is an ideal time of the year to embrace relaxing activities because the hustle and bustle of everyday life tends to slow down during the summer, when kids are out of school and vacations are on the docket. These hobbies and other interests can help tame stress by promoting calm.

• Listen to and/or play music. Music can be energizing or calming, depending on which music you choose. Researchers at Stanford University found that rhythmic music may have therapeutic effects for treating a range of neurological conditions, as it stimulates the brain and can perhaps change how it functions. Familiar melodies and gentle music can reduce the level of the stress hormone cortisol.

• Gardening: Gardening lets a person tend to living things while getting some fresh air. Both the sunlight and the activity itself can be soothing and have a positive effect on mood. A study from the Journal of Health Psychology found that gardening, like listening to music, lowers cortisol levels.

• Grab a good book. Taking the time to unwind and



read can help ease tension in the muscles, lower one's heart rate and induce calm. Research from the consultancy Mindlab International at the University of Sussex found reading reduced stress levels by 68 percent.

• Start painting or crafting. Engaging in a creative hobby sharpens the mind and improves focus. You may also want to try focusing emotions onto the canvas to help release tension. A 2014 study published in the British Journal of Occupational Therapy found that 81.5 percent of respondents with depression reported feeling happy after knitting.

• Take a dance class. A form of art and music, dancing can promote well-being through exercise and expansion of creative ability. It also can be good for the mind. A study from Swedish researchers that was published in the Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine found that a dancing intervention program, twice weekly for eight months, helped teenage girls struggling with stress, anxiety, depression, and other problems.

Many relaxing activities can tame stress, and these activities can be perfect for lazy summer days.

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WHEN THE GAMES BEGIN.

From page B1 ... American Music Festival

The Albany Symphony's American Music Festival will return to Troy with performances and happenings at EMPAC, Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, the Tiffany-adorned St. Paul's Episcopal Church and Troy's Monumental Square starting Thursday, May 30 through Sunday, June 9.

The American Music Festival Sing Out! New York explores the storied legacy of New York's rich cultural history in the fight for inclusion and equality. Two milestone anniversaries frame the festival: the centennial of the passage of the 19th Amendment, giving women the right to vote and the 50th anniversary of the Stonewall uprising.

"I began researching the history of the suffragist movement last year in advance of its centennial [and] I discovered that many of the seminal events of the movement happened right here in New York,' said Miller. "At the same time, I knew that June 2019, marks the 50th anniversary of Stonewall, that amazing moment in Greenwich Village when members of the LGBTQ community stood up and demanded true equal rights for all. By exploring these movements together, we send the message that the fight for social justice and equal rights never includes just one interest group but applies to all of us."

The 2019 American Music Festival, Sing Out! New York is a national festival celebrating New York's leading role in championing equal rights through innovative concerts, close encounters with today's most adventurous artists and composers, interactive workshops, collaborative community events, film screenings, and artistic happenings across Troy, and the New York Capital District.

Miller the music for the festival, which will turn downtown Troy into a national hub and incubator for new American concert music featuring 50 new or recent works by 38 composers, including 27 world premiere performances. The Festival includes works by acclaimed composeractivist David Del Tredici, and four-time Grammy and Academy Award-winning composer, John Corigliano, as well as performances by composer/performer Molly Joyce, the Argus Quartet and soprano Hila Plitmann. Sing Out! New York kicks off on Thursday, May 30 with First Draughts Reading Session & Beer Tasting and runs through Sunday, June 2 in Troy. The musicians then embark on a four-concert regional tour in Schuylerville (June 6), Albany (June 7), Schenectady (June 8), and Hudson (June 9), New York.

The stories of the heroic figures who led these movements, the critical events in these histories, and their meaning to our lives today anchor each festival event.

On Friday, May 31, the Dogs of Desire, combining the power of popular culture with the finesse of a classical ensemble, will



Justin Cook

premiere five commissions inspired by the 1848 Seneca Falls Convention, Frederick Douglass, the twelve months after Stonewall, Alice Duer Miller's Women are People, and Sojourner Truth. Composer Clarice Assad, in collaboration with Girls Inc., will create a multi-media work based on Sojourner Truth's 1851 speech "Ain't I A Woman." The Albany Symphony will premiere a suffragist inspired piece by composer/ performer Tanner Porter on Saturday, June 1 alongside Pop-Pourri with soprano Hila Plitmann, David Del Tredici's first in his series of works based on Alice's Adventures in Wonderland, and John Corigliano's Piano Concerto with pianist Phillip Edward Fisher. Committed to giving new music life beyond a concert hall performance, Albany Symphony will record both Pop-Pourri and the Piano

"I discovered that many of the seminal events of the movement happened right here in New York. At the same time, I knew that June 2019, marks the 50th anniversary of Stonewall, that amazing moment in *Greenwich Village when* members of the LGBTQ community stood up and demanded true equal rights for all. By exploring these movements together, we send the message that the fight for social justice and equal rights never includes just one interest group but applies to all of us."

> — David Alan Miller, ASO Music Director

Concerto for commercial release, further solidifying the American Music Festival and New York's Capital District's status as a capital for new music in America.

New York State Executive Director of

Tourism Ross D. Levi said, "Sing Out! New York is a terrific addition to the slate of events taking place across New York State this summer to celebrate WorldPride and commemorate Stonewall 50, and the concerts will inspire travel to the Capital-Saratoga vacation region. Empire State Development and I LOVE NY are excited to support this great series of events and the always innovative work of the Ålbany Symphony."

"The Albany Symphony Orchestra continues to be a leader among orchestras nationwide through visionary programming that expands the role classical music ensembles play in our communities and demonstrates the power of our creative culture to unite us," said New York State Council on the Arts Executive Director Mara Manus. "Through unique collaborations and commissions, Sing Out! New York will illuminate New York's pioneering role in social justice, from the passage of women's suffrage to the Stonewall Uprising. NYSCA is proud to support the

Albany Symphony and the Sing Out! New York tour, and we look forward to celebrating our state's historic support and continued advancement of equal rights for all at the American Music Festival."

The American Music Festival Sing Out! New York includes more than 22 concerts and events over two weekends starting on Thursday, May 30 and again on Thursday, June 6. Other festival highlights include a film screening of the powerful new documentary "Of Rage and Remembrance" which shares an intimate portrait of John Corigliano and his Symphony No. 1; Del Tredici's Bullycide, performed by the Argus Quartet at the Tiffany designed St. Paul's Episcopal Church; Late Night Lounge performances on Friday and Saturday night; and a familyfriendly open air suffragist brunch with free musical performances in Troy's historic Monument Square. On Saturday afternoon at the Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, David Alan Miller and a 14-member chamber orchestra will premiere four newly commissioned melodramas b y

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From page B5 ... American Music Festival

Evan Mack, Jorge Sosa, Molly Joyce, Judy Bozone, and Bora Yoon inspired by other heroes and pioneers. The 2019 American Music Festival will break out from the concert hall with free outdoor concerts at Hudson Crossing Park in Schuylerville (June 6), Albany's Jennings Landing in Albany (June 7), Schenectady's Mohawk Harbor (June 8), and Basilica Hudson in Hudson (June 9).

"The American Music Festival is the annual blossoming of the Albany Symphony's commitment to the music of our time, to giving voice to the stories, aesthetics, thoughts, and emotions of our society right here, right now," said Executive Director Anna Kuwabara. "The Festival is a hub for new music, and it is our opportunity to celebrate and unite our community, to transform lives and be transformed through the power of music. The four free Sing Out New York! Tour events are our joy and honor to present. The program in each community includes Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, sing-alongs, and summertime favorites. The centerpiece of each is one of the newly commissioned works from the Dogs of Desire concerts earlier in the Festival. Along with great music, we look forward to bringing attention and business to each site with family activities, food trucks, fireworks, and other festivities."

Community artistic collaborators for the free Sing Out! New York Tour concerts in Albany, Hudson, Schenectady, and Schuylerville include Capital Repertory Theatre, Albany High School Chorus, Girls Inc., and Hudson-based choreographer and Innkeeper Adam Weinert. Concerts begin at 7:30 p.m. with family-fun and pre-concert performances starting at 5:30 p.m. Patrons can also enjoy local fare from New York State restaurants and breweries onsite at the American Music Festival Craft Beer & Food Trail.

The American Music Festival and Tour is made possible with New York State funding through Market NY/Empire State Development, New York State Council on the Arts and the Regional Economic Development Councils, as well as funding from the National Endowment of the Arts. Additional support is provided by M&T Bank, Galesi Group, Price Chopper/ Justin Cook

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The American Music Festival

The American Music Festival is a multiday national festival of innovative concerts, new music, and artistic happenings around Troy, NY. Curated by Grammy Awardwinning conductor David Alan Miller, the Festival features concerts, composer reading sessions, recording sessions, symposia, educational activities, and special events that push the orchestra beyond the concert hall and into the community.

For over 20 years, the American Music Festival has served as an incubator for new American music by showcasing the diverse voices of America's living composers with several world premiere works and dozens of composers-in-residence, including early career composers enrolled in a five-day workshop and reading session with Yale professor and composer, Christopher Theofanidis. At the center of the Festival is the Albany Symphony and the Dogs of Desire, the orchestra's innovative chamber ensemble, which serves as a laboratory for America's most adventurous composers.

Set on the edge of urban revival, Troy is home to 120 unique boutiques, art studios, cafes, breweries, and restaurants, as well as the legendary Troy Savings Bank Music Hall and the Experimental Media and Performing Arts Center. Located along the Hudson River and ideally situated between New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Montreal, and Toronto, The Festival takes place on the first weekend in June.

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677 Broadway, Albany 518-427-7463 Fri: Tyler Giroux & Bobby Kendall, 6 p.m.

9 Maple Avenue 9 Maple Ave., Saratoga Springs. www.9mapleave.com Fri: TBA, 9 p.m. Sat: Keith Pray Quartet, 9 p.m.

Across The Street Pub

1238 Western Ave., Albany. 518-438-1718 Wed: Shipyard Brewing Spring Trivia, 6:30 p.m.

Athos

1814 Western Ave., Albany. 518-608-6400 Fri: Mike Dimin Trio, 6:30 p.m.

Black Bear Inn

310 19th St., Watervliet. 518-272-9486 Wed: Trivia Night, 7:30 p.m. Tues: Talent Scout Open Mic

Caffè Lena

47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs. 518-583-0022 Thurs: Dry Branch Fire Squad, 7 p.m. Fri: Annie & the Hedonists, 8 p.m. Sat: Gathering Time: Songs of Resistance, 8 p.m. Sun: Heather Pierson Acoustic Trio, 7 p.m

Carney's Tavern 17 Main St., Ballston Lake. 518-280-7959 Thurs: Matty Finn, 6 p.m. Fri: Harmonic Duo, 7:15 p.m.

Club Helsinki Hudson 405 Columbia St. Hudson 518-828-4800 Sat: Tal Wilkenfeld, 9 p.m.

Eden Cafe

269 Osborne Road, Loudonville. 518-977-3771 Wed: Carmen & Life's Guilty Pleasures, 4:30 p.m. Thurs: Live Music Happy Hour, 4:30 p.m. Fri: Music Happy Hour, 4:30 p.m.

Emack & Bolio's

366 Delaware Ave., Albany Fri: Rick Bedrosian, 7 p.m. Sat: Cass & Emma, 7 p.m. Sun: Dan Bernstein, 7 p.m. Tues: Open Mic, 7 p.m.

Fuze Box 12 Central Ave., Albany. 518-703-8937 Sat: Greasefire / Scavengers / Stoker /

Apollo's Creed, 8 p.m.

Gaffney's 16 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs. 518-587-7359 Tues: Open Mic Nights w/ Rick Bolton, 7 p.m.

Grappa '72 818 Central Ave., Albany. 518-482-7200Thurs: Hamilton Street Jazz Company, 6:30 p.m. Fri: Cordial Quartet, 6 p.m. Hamlet and Ghost

24 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs. 518-450-7287 Wed: Hot Club of Saratoga Trio, 7 p.m.

Hangar on the Hudson 675 River St., Troy 518-272-9740 Sat: Murali Coryell, 7 p.m.

The Hollow Bar + Kitchen 79 No. Pearl St., Albany. 518-426-8550 Fri: The Slaughterhouse Chorus, 8 p.m. Sat: The Commonheart w/s/g Oobleck, 8 p.m.

J.J. Rafferty's 847 New Loudon Rd., Latham. 518-783-6800 Wed: Trivia, 7:30 p.m. Fri: Karaoke, 7 p.m. Sat: DJ Set, 9 p.m.

Jessica Stone's 738 New Loudon Rd., Latham. 518-785-8536 Wed: Talent Scout Open Mic, 8 p.m. Thurs: Big Crunch Bingo, 7 p.m. Fri: Trivia Live, 7 p.m

songwriter Javier Colon will open for this performance. **Jupiter Hall** Lucky Strike Social, 1 Crossgates Mall Rd., Albany. 518-556-3350 Sat: FRENSHIP, 7 p.m. Mon: Chelsea Grin, 6 p.m.

> LT's Grill 2305 Nott St. E., Niskayuna. 518-374-7455 Wed: Catch the Mania Trivia, 7 p.m.

Thurs: TBA, 6:30 p.m.

Lucas Confectionery 12 2nd St. Troy 518-326-3450 Mon: Joe Barna Trio, 7 p.m. & 8:45 p.m.

McGeary's Irish Pub 4 Clinton Square, Albany. 518-463-1455 Thurs: Open Mic Night, 8 p.m. Every Sun: Blues Jam , 7:30 p.m. Tues: Trivia Night, 8 p.m.

Mocha Lisa's Caffe

Clifton Park Center, 22 Clifton Country Road, Clifton Park. 518-383-5373 Wed: Open Mic Night, 6:30 p.m. Thurs: Trivia, 7 p.m. Sat: Modern Day Music Adult Showcase, 7 p.m. Sun: Tangle and Tarot, 2 p.m.

Moon and River Cafe 11 S. Ferry St., Schenectady. 518-382-1938

Wed: Sister Harmony, 6 p.m. Thurs: Peter Carman, 7 p.m. Fri: Gypsy Jazz, 7 p.m. Sat: Dan Eddo, 7 p.m.

Mouzon House 1 York St., Saratoga Springs. 518-226-0014

Thurs: Hot Club of Saratoga Trio, 6 p.m. Fri: Mark Tolstrup & The Dixie Boys, 6 p.m. Sun: Shiri Zorn Trio, 6 p.m.

O'Slattery's Irish Restaurant & Pub 318 Delaware Ave., Delmar. 518-439-5634 Wed: Jim McArdle, 7 p.m. Thurs: In the Loop, 7 p.m.

Panza's 129 So. Broadway, Saratoga Springs. 518-584-6882 Wed: Peg Delaney, 6 p.m. Thurs: Tyler Giroux, 6 p.m.

The Parting Glass 40-42 Lake Ave., Saratoga Springs. 518-583-1916

Pauly's Hotel 337 Central Ave., Albany. paulyshotel.com Fri: Two Man Advantage / After The Fall / Too Many Voices / Arch Fiends, 8:30 p.m. Tues: Senior Living / For Your Health / Shin Guard, 7:30 p.m.

Pearl Street Pub 59-61 No. Pearl St., Albany. 518-694-3100 Sat: NAL Qualifier, 1 p.m.

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Provence 1475 Western Ave., Stuyvesant Plaza, Albany 518-689-7777 Thurs: TBA, 6 p.m. Fri: TBA, 6 p.m. Sat: Linda Harrison Trio, 6 p.m.

Putnam Place 63a Putnam St., Saratoga Springs. 518-584-8066 Fri: Start Making Sense, 8 p.m.

Rustic Barn Pub 150 Speigletown Rd., Troy. 518-235-5858 Thurs: Open Mic w/ Kelly Maguire, 8 p.m. Fri: West Side Drive Dance Band, 8:30 p.m. Sat: Raisinhead, 9 p.m.

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

Saratoga City Tavern 19-21 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs. 518-581-3230 Thurs: Karaoke, 9 p.m. Mon: Bingo, 8 p.m.

Tues: Trivia, 8 p.m.

Savoy Taproom 301 Lark Street, Albany 518-599-5140 Sat: UnAshley/BB / ifeelokay, 9 p.m.

Skyloft

1 Crossgates Mall Rd., Albany. 518-869-5638 Thurs: Gary Hoey + Andrew Mirabile, 8 p.m. Fri: X, 8 p.m. Sat: The Fresh Kids of Bel-Air, 9 p.m. • DJ Dread, 11 p.m.

Speakeasy 518

42 Howard St., Albany. 518-449-2332 Wed: Weekly Bartender Throwdown, 8 p.m. Thurs: Swing Night w/ Mike Jenkins & the Fat Ties, 9 p.m. Fri: Bronte Roman, 9 p.m. Sat: Joe Finn Trio, 9 p.m.

Stockade Inn

1 No. Church St., Schenectady. 518-346-3400 Thurs: Cliff Brucker & Mia Scirocco, 7 p.m. Fri: TBA, 7 p.m.

Van Dyck

237 Union Street, Schenectady. 518-348-7999 Tues: Keith Pray's Big Soul Ensemble, 8 p.m.

Van Slyck's

Rivers Casino & Resort 1 Rush St., Schenectady. 518-579-8800 Fri: Empire & DJ Ketchup, 8 p.m. Sat: The Kyle Bourgault Band, 8 p.m.

Vapor Night Club Saratoga Casino Hotel

342 Jefferson St., Saratoga Springs. 518-581-5775 Fri: Aquanett, 8 p.m.

Waterworks Pub 76 Central Ave., Albany. 518-465-9079 Fri: Friday Nights, 11 p.m. Sat: Saturday Nights, 11 p.m.

Wishing Well Restaurant 745 Saratoga Rd., Wilton.

518-584-7640 Fri: Rob Aronstein, 6 p.m. Sat: Rob Aronstein, 6 p.m.

Wolff's Biergarten 165 Erie Blvd., Schenectady. 518-631-9517 Fri & Sat: Rob Aronstein, 6 p.m.

Yono's

25 Chapel St., Albany. 518-436-7747 Fri: Hamilton Street Jazz Duo, 6:30 p.m. Sat: Frank Mastan, 6:30 p.m.

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Four-time Grammy Award-winning artist-songwriter India. Arie is touring in support of her new album "Worthy," her first full-length album in five years. She performs at the Music Hall on Sunday, June 2, 2019, at 7:30 PM. Singer-

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And here they will be

The English Beat, featuring the musical talent of Dave Wakeling, is currently touring the globe in support of new album "Here We Go Love." The English Beat will perform at Skyloft on Saturday, June 1 at 8 p.m. For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com. Skyloft is located at 1 Crossgates Mall Road, Albany. The English Beat

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MUSIC

Bottle Rockets Bottle Rockets will perform at Hangar on the Hudson on Thursday, June 6 at 8 p.m. Formed nearly 30 years ago, the Bottle Rockets helped forge a now-popular subgenre — small-town, middle-class, Midwest American roots rock — part right-to-the-gut poetry, part rock 'n' roll, all truth. For tickets, visit www.brownpapertickets.com. Hangar on the Hudson is

Carmen and Life's Guilty Pleasures

located at 675 River St., Troy.

Carmen and Life's Guilty Pleasures will perform at Eden Cafe on Wednesday, May 29 at 4:30 p.m. Come and hear the best of American jazz standards from the best vocal guitar duo in the Capital District. Eden Cafe is located at 269 Osborne Road, Loudonville.

Chelsea Grin

Chelsea Grin will perform at Jupiter Hall on Monday, June 3 at 6 p.m. Chelsea Grin will perform with special guests Traitors, Slaughter to Prevail, Enterprise Earth and Bodysnatcher. For tickets, visit www. bandsintown.com. Jupiter Hall, located inside Lucky Strike Social, is located at 1 Crossgates Mall Road, Albany.

The Commonheart

w/s/g Oobleck The Commonheart and Oobleck will per-

form at The Hollow on Saturday, June 1

and horns, The Commonheart delivers an emotion-packed, soulful sound that lights up any stage. Frontman Clinton Clegg is a powerhouse who commands full attention with his limitless onstage energy and vocal range. The new album, Grown, is a remarkable display of each member's talent interlacing heavy blues, soul and gospel influence across trumpet, saxophone, keys, guitar and singers. The Commonheart's sound is a true testament to the past while completely holding its own as one of today's most promising acts. For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com. The Hollow Bar and Kitchen is located at 79 N. Pearl St., Albany.

at 8 p.m. With gritty vocals over rock riffs

The Crowning at the Palace w/ Dusty Ray Bottoms

The Palace Theatre will host The Crowning at the Palace on Thursday, May 30 at 8 p.m. Join the Palace along with special guest queen, Drag Race season 10 favorite Dusty Ray Bottoms for a live drag show in the lobby of the Palace followed by a screening of RuPaul's Drag Race season 11 finale. Joining Dusty Ray Bottoms are the "Oh, She Thought..." Drag Competition runners-up Ithika Cerise and Sybil Service. For tickets, visit www.ticketmaster.com. The Palace Theatre is located at 19 Clinton Ave., Albany.

Dry Branch Fire Squad

The Dry Branch Fire Squad will perform at Caffe Lena on Thursday, May 30 at 7 p.m.

Answers on Pg. B17

A staple in the traditional bluegrass world for over 40 years now, Dry Branch Fire Squad is renowned for its spry mix of front-porch standards, modern ballads and the old-time sounds from which bluegrass first sprang. As the only band to have played at every single Gettysburg Bluegrass Festival, it's clear to see why Dry Branch Fire Squad performs annually at many of the nations premier festivals such as Grey Fox, Festival of the Bluegrass and Hardly Strictly. For tickets, visit www. brownpapertickets.com. Caffe Lena is located at 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs.

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Heather Pierson Acoustic Trio

Heather Pierson Acoustic Trio will perform at Caffe Lena on Sunday, June 2 at 7 p.m. At the seat of a piano or brandishing an acoustic guitar, tenor banjo or melodica, Heather Pierson transforms from a quiet, serious figure into a world-class performer, revealing her soul. Her live performances move seamlessly from New Orleans jazz and blues to rousing Americana and poignant, original ballads. She's accompanied by Shawn Nadeau on upright bass and Davy Sturtevant on guitar, mandolin, dobro,



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fiddle and cornet, giving this ensemble a dynamic range that is truly impressive. For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com. Caffe Lena is located at 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs.

Kaia Kater

Caffe Lena will host Kaia Kater on Thursday, June 6 at 7 p.m. Montreal-born Grenadian-Canadian Kaia Kater comes from a family with deep ties to folk music. She immersed herself in the music of West Virginia, where she soaked up Appalachian style. Her old-time banjopicking, deft arrangements and songwriting gifts are currently much in the spotlight, garnering critical acclaim from NPR, CBC Radio, Rolling Stone, BBC Music and No Depression. Much of this excitement follows the release of her most recent album, Grenades, on which she expands her palette of sounds and styles to tell the emotional story of her paternal ancestry. Grenades has been nominated for a 2019 JUNO award for Contemporary Roots Album of the Year. For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com. Caffe Lena is located at 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs.

Mini Mansions

Mini Mansions will perform at The Hollow on Tuesday, June 4 at 8 p.m. This is an 18 and older show with proper ID. For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com. The Hollow Bar and Kitchen is located at 79 N. Pearl St., Albany.

Modern Day Music Adult Showcase

MochaLisa's Caffe will host the Modern Day Music Adult Showcase on Saturday, June 1 from 7 to 9 p.m. Live music brought to you by some of the coaches and adult students of Modern Day Music School! MochaLisa's Caffe is located at 22 Start Making Sense: A Tribute Clifton Country Road, Clifton Park.

NYC Takeover

Skyloft will host NYC Takeover on Friday, May 31 at 9 p.m. NYC Takeover will include fast-paced, fun DJ sets from Brendan Jay Sullivan and Alex English. Brendan Jay Sullivan, a.k.a. DJ VH1, is not only the guy behind Lady Gaga during her Fame Ball Tour, but also Celebrity DJ to New York City's and the Hampton's elite. With his hand-made tailored suits and trademark sunglasses, Sullivan exudes class and style in the booth, as well as in his dance floor packing DJ sets. Alex English was the resident DJ for the Girls and Boys Friday Night Party at Webster Hall from 2008 to 2016. He has produced music under the name Disko Dali and many other secret aliases in the last 10 years. For tickets, visit www.eventbrite. com. Skyloft is located at 1 Crossgates Mall Road, Albany.

Rochmon Record Club: Hotel California

The Linda will host a meeting of the Rochmon Record Club on Thursday, May 30 at 7:30 p.m. The club will converge for a listening session of The Eagles' Hotel California. Hotel California marked a shift in sound for the easy-going southern Californian rockers and remains The Eagles' best-selling original album. Hotel California is the first Eagles album to feature the legendary Joe Walsh on guitar and his presence is felt all over the record. Hotel California rocks hard with songs such as "Hotel California" and "Life in the Fastlane," but still hits that mellow Eagles sweet spot with the No. 1 hit, "New Kid in Town," For tickets, visit www.eventbrite. com. The Linda is located at 339 Central Ave., Albany.

to Talking Heads w/ Old Flame

Putnam Place will host Start Making Sense on Friday, May 31 at 8 p.m. If David Byrne is one of the geniuses of modern times, then Start Making Sense is a tribute to genius. The musicians in this seven to 10-piece Talking Heads tribute take pride in faithfully recreating the music of the Talking Heads' entire career. For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com. Putnam Place is located at 63a Putnam St., Saratoga Springs.

Thunderstruck

Thunderstruck will perform at The Cohoes Music Hall on Friday, June 7 at 8 p.m. Thunderstruck: America's AC/DC recreates the spirit and energy of a live AC/ DC show the way you remember it. For tickets, visit www.thecohoesmusichall.org. The Cohoes Music Hall is located at 58 Remsen St., Cohoes.

The Wailers

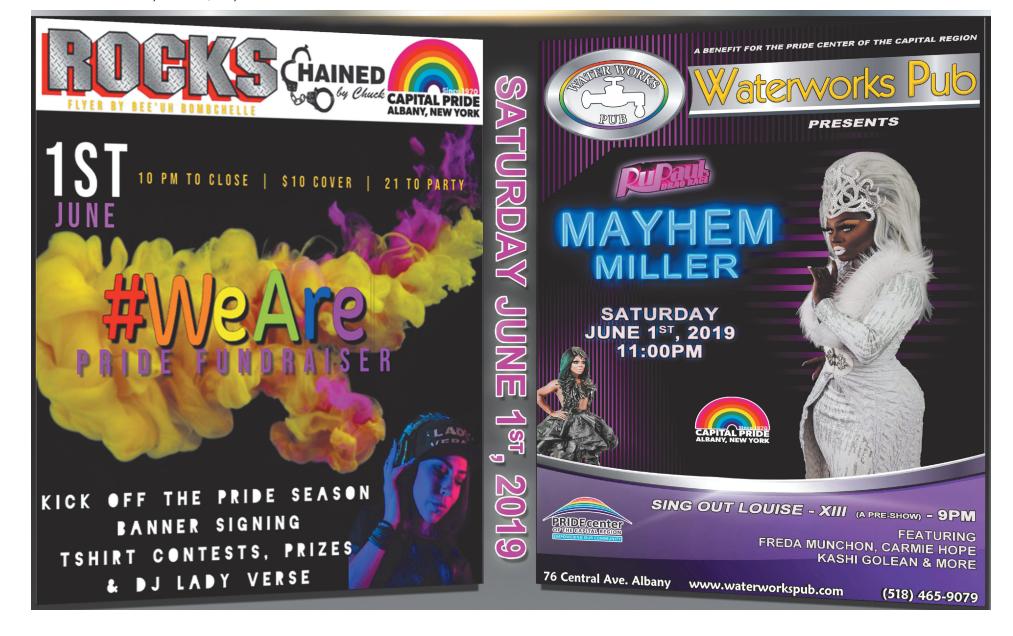
The Wailers will perform at Skyloft on Thursday, May 30 at 8 p.m. The legendary Wailers continue their quest to bring reggae to the forefront of the world's stage. Lead by renowned bassist and founder Aston "Familyman" Barrett and ioined by original Wailers guitarist Donald Kinsey, The Wailers give audiences around the globe the opportunity to experience their unique and innovative sound. From 1972 to 1980, Bob Marley and The Wailers recorded, toured, and performed before countless millions worldwide. Since 1981, Familyman has carried on the mission to "keen The Wailers together" - just as Bob requested. For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com. Skyloft is located at 1 Crossgates Mall Road. Albany.



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Start Making Sense



The Wheel

The Wheel will perform at Putnam Place as part of their May residency on Thursday, May 30 at 8:30 p.m. The Wheel (Grateful Dead and Beyond) was founded in 2010 by Andy Morse, who was looking to play to his roots of years chasing the Grateful Dead and current incarnations around forged "The Whee.". Continually rolling, covering new terrain in creative spaces before them as they spin 24 hours a day, the group strives to maintain professionalism and bring you top-notch music at every show. Putnam Place is located at 63a Putnam St., Saratoga Springs.

THEATRE

Don Juan, the Libertine The Ghent Playhouse will host several

productions of Don Juan, the Libertine from May 24 to June 9. Don Juan's life of insolence, debauchery and philandering ways have left his valet (Sganerelle) believing that such behavior will bring his master to an evil end. While actually detesting Don Juan's actions, the valet has remained faithful, frequently cautioning his master. But how will God tolerate Don Juan's insolence and arrogance? This is one of Don Juan's greatest escapades. For tickets and showtimes, visit ghentplayhouse.org.

Broadway Camp: Les Miserables Musician Auditions

The School of Performing Arts at Proctors & theREP will host Broadway Camp on June 4 and 5. In the pit orchestra students will work alongside fellow artists onstage and backstage for the summer

rehearsals and performances in the orchestra of Les Misérables plus workshops to explore opportunities musical theatre offers musicians. For more information, visit school.proctors.org.

COMEDY

Samuel Comroe

Samuel Comroe will perform at the Albany Funny Bone on Thursday, May 30. Samuel J. Comroe, a Los Angeles native, is a stand-up comedian who performs at over 100 clubs and colleges annually. He made his TV debut on TBS' Conan and has appeared on BET's "Real Husbands of Hollywood" with Kevin Hart. In addition to his TV appearances Sam was recently featured on All Def Digital's Comedy Originals. He is also the winner of Ricky Gervais' Comedy Competition, The San

MainStage show! This program includes Francisco Comedy Competition, and has over 45,000 subscribers on his Youtube Channel. His comedy is made up of the trials and tribulations of living with Tourette Syndrome since being diagnosed at age six and observational material based on his life experiences. Most recently, he finished in 4th place on Season 13 of "America's Got Talent" on NBC. For tickets, visit albany.funnybone.com.

Jay Mewes & His A-Mewes-ing Stories

Albany Funny Bone will host Jay Mewes on Wednesday, May 29 at 6 p.m.

Indie film icon Jason Mewes is perhaps best known as the vocal half of the on-screen comedic duo, Jay and Silent Bob. Mewes' has reprised his role as celebrated character, "Jay," in a number of hit films. With cult-fans following his controversial antics, Mewes has captured audiences with rebellious banter against his unspoken other half and longtime friend, Kevin Smith (Silent Bob). Since the beginning of the duo's offbeat work together, Mewes and Smith have continued to build on their beloved character driven roles from the Jay and Silent Bob series. For tickets, visit albany.funnybone.com.

MISCELLANOUS

Hamilton Dinner

Proctors will host a Hamilton dinner on Thursday, May 30 at 6 p.m. Just in time for the big event in August, join Proctors as it learns about the lives of Alexander Hamilton and the Schuyler sisters in the Capital District. The evening will include a three-course dinner by Old Daley Custom Catering, a presentation by Schuyler Mansion on the life and times of Hamilton and the Schuyler Sisters and live music by the Musicians of Ma'alwyck. All proceeds benefit the School of the Performing Arts. For tickets, visit www. proctors.org. Proctors is located at 432 State St., Schenectady.

Red, White and Brew Festival

The Red White and Brew Festival will take place on Friday, June 7 at Proctors from 5 to 8 p.m. Don't miss the Red, White and Brew Festival at Proctors! Enjoy beer tastings from local and national breweries, multiple food vendors, live music by Big Sky Country to dance the night away and so much more! All ticket holders must be 21 and older with valid ID. For tickets, visit www.proctors.org. Proctors is located at 432 State St., Albany.

The Revolution Ball

The Linda will host its Revolution Ball on Saturday, June 1 at 10 p.m. Come out and participate in the fun! Competitions will be hosted for best dressed, sex siren, runway and more. There will also be open mic fun. The Linda is located at 339 Central Ave., Albany.

EXHIBITS

Art + Design **BFA Exhibition 2019**

Opalka Gallery will continue to host the Art + Design BFA Exhibition 2019 through June 9. The annual BFA Exhibition includes student work from Sage's Interior + Spatial Design and Graphic + Media Design programs. Featuring music by the Alan Thompson Jazz Trio. For gallery hours, visit sage.edu/opalka. **Roots for Resilience**

The Sanctuary for Independent Media is hosting the Roots for Resilience exhibit through June 8. From monitoring eel populations in the Poestenkill, to painting "poetic crosswalks," to leading a community design process, the eighth season of Uptown Summer was filled with remarkable projects and exciting workshops. In partnership with the Rensselaer County Summer Youth Employment and NYS Department of Environmental Conservation Environmental Justice programs, the Sanctuary offered local teens a chance to learn hands-on skills while enriching the community. These experiences are captured in this extensive photo collection now on display in our Underground Gallery. Catherine Rafferty photographed the images in this exhibition during her internship at The Sanctuary for Independent Media's Uptown Summer 2018 program. Born in Albany, she is working toward a BFA in Photojournalism at Rochester Institute of Technology.



Speaking for himself

Albany Funny Bone will host Jay Mewes on Wednesday, May 29 at 6 p.m. Indie film icon, Jason Mewes, is perhaps best known as the vocal half of the on-screen comedic duo, Jay and Silent Bob. Mewes' has reprised his role as celebrated character, "Jay," in a number of hit films. With cult-fans following his controversial antics, Mewes has captured audiences with rebellious banter against his unspoken other half and longtime friend, Kevin Smith (Silent Bob). For tickets, visit albany.funnybone.com.







By ANN LINDA CIOTOLI news@spotlightnews.com

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Hamilton Dinner Proctors — Thursday, May 30

SCHENECTADY — Proctors will host a Hamilton dinner on Thursday, May 30 at 6 p.m.

Join Proctors as it learns about the lives of Alexander Hamilton and the Schuyler sisters in the Capital District. The evening includes a three-course dinner by Old Daley Custom Catering, a presentation by Schuyler Mansion on the life and times of Hamilton and the Schuyler Sisters and live music by the Musicians of Ma'alwyck. All proceeds benefit the School of the Performing Arts.

For tickets, visit www.proctors.org.

Proctors is located at 432 State St., Schenectady.

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FOOD & VINO

Potatoes with Parmesan & Roasted Garlic

Ingredients — serves eight

6-7 large red potatoes 5-6 garlic cloves peeled and minced 1 tsp. of a mix of any or all of these dried seasonings – basil, rosemary (crushed), thyme, and oregano Sea salt and fresh ground black

pepper 1/2 cup butter (cubed)

1/4 cup Parmesan cheese Olive oil

Preparation

Brush both sides of a cast iron skillet with olive oil. If you do not have a cast iron skillet, you can use a glass dish. Use a sharp knife to slice the potatoes into desired thickness. Arrange vertically and loosely in the skillet or glass dish. Sprinkle with garlic, and salt and pepper. Dot with butter and cover the skillet or dish with foil. Bake in a 375° oven for about one hour or until tender. Remove foil and sprinkle with parmesan cheese. Put back in the oven uncovered, and bake until crispy (about 20 minutes).

Bow Tie Pasta with Roasted Tomatoes & Arugula Pesto

Ingredients — serves eight

1 lb. Bow Tie pasta (Farfalle) 8 oz. fresh mozzarella (cherry tomato size, water packed, and drained) 8 oz. grapes tomatoes, roasted in a 375° oven with olive oil and salt, until they burst) If you do not want to roast your tomatoes, just cut them in half and add to pasta

Bunch of arugula Zest of one lemon 3 cloves of garlic 1/2 - 3/4 cup Parmesan or Romano cheese, or a mixture of both 1/2 cup pignoli nuts (pine nuts) Olive oil

Preparation

Cook the pasta in salted boiling water until the desired tenderness. Save one cup of the pasta water to use if the pesto is hard to incorporate with the pasta. In a food processor combine arugula, zest of lemon, 3 cloves of garlic and the pine nuts. Process and drizzle the olive oil in slowly. Add Parmesan/Romano and pulse again until the desired fineness and the pesto is smooth. Combine pasta and pesto (use pasta water a little at a time if needed to work the pesto through all the pasta). Toss with tomatoes and serve. You can also serve room temperature, or chilled.

Mexican Street Corn Salad

Ingredients — serves six

4 cups either fresh corn off the cob or frozen, thawed and drained 1 1/2 Tbs. olive oil salt to taste 1/3 cup chopped red or green onion 1/3 cup fresh cilantro, chopped 1 jalapeno pepper, stemmed, seeded, and chopped fine 1 clove garlic, minced 3 Tbs. mayonnaise Fresh lime juice

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HEALTH & FITNESS

Feeding your hair

Foods that promote healthy hair and skin

illions of people across the globe deal with conditions that affect the skin and hair. Acne is a skin and hair ailment that, according to the American Academy of Dermatology, is the most common skin condition in the United States.

But what if the foods people eat could affect the health of their hair and skin? There is evidence that they can. Foods that contain certain nutrients, phytochemicals and enzymes may help people develop healthier hair and skin.

• Blueberries: The U.S. Department of Agriculture gave blueberries its top ranking for antioxidant activity. The antioxidants in blueberries neutralize free radicals and protect people from premature aging, which can help the skin look younger and more vibrant.

• Eggs: Eggs are great sources of protein and biotin, which are two nutrients that may help promote hair growth. The health and wellness information site Healthline says biotin is essential for the production of a hair protein called keratin.

• Fatty fish: Fatty fish, such as salmon, are high in omega-3 fatty acids. Ciara Foy, a Toronto-based holistic nutritionist, says about 3 percent of the hair shaft is made up of omega-3 fatty acids. They're also found in cell membranes and in the natural oils that keep the scalp and other areas of the skin hydrated.

• Red bell peppers: These peppers contain more vitamin C than oranges. According to dermatologist Dr. Julia Carroll with Compass Dermatology, vitamin C is an antioxidant precursor to collagen production, so



consuming more vitamin C through foods can neutralize free radicals that could damage skin.

• Spinach: Trade lettuce for spinach, which is rich in calcium, iron, magnesium, omega-3 fatty acids, and much more. These nutrients can be the building blocks of healthy skin and hair.

• Oysters: Nutritionist and author Lisa Drayer says oysters are good sources of zinc, which aids in skin cell renewal and repair.

• Coconut: Coconut water is great for hydration and contains potassium, an electrolyte that moves nutrients into the cells. Coconut oil also can be used to boost hair health as a pre-wash conditioning treatment.

The secret to beautiful skin and hair may be hiding in plain sight at your local supermarket.



ARIES - MAR 21/APR 20

You may feel as though you are not measuring up in other people's eyes this week, Aries. Thankfully, this is a misperception on your part. Don't be so hard on yourself.

TAURUS - APR 21/MAY 21

Taurus, letting go is the approach to take in the days ahead. Retire a plan that isn't working and come up with a new way to reach your goals A fresh perspective will benefit you.

GEMINI - MAY 22/JUN 21

Gemini, focus on all of the happy memories you have shared with those closest to you. This is a great way to make sure you don't take anyone for granted.

CANCER - JUN 22/JUL 22

Cancer, open a dialogue with someone close to you. Doing so will reveal that much is in store for your future. Tame your excitement and remember to be patient.

LEO - JUL 23/AUG 23

Don't sell yourself short, Leo. You have many great attributes, and when you put your mind to things, you can accomplish anything. Set some specific goals.

VIRGO - AUG 24/SEPT 22

Although you can't narrow down the source of your apprehension, if you keep investigating you can get to the root of the issue, Virgo. Once you get there, you will handle it.

LIBRA - SEPT 23/OCT 23

You have a strong network of friends and family who are willing to pitch in whenever you need them, Libra. Keep this in mind and don't hesitate to ask for assistance.

SCORPIO - OCT 24/NOV 22

Scorpio, something you have not experienced before arises in the days ahead. Try not to jump to conclusions or overreact. Take a step back and assess the situation calmly.

SAGITTARIUS - NOV 23/DEC 21

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Sagittarius, stay open to suggestions and welcome others' unique perspectives. This is an effective way to stay ahead of the curve and better yourself.

CAPRICORN - DEC 22/JAN 20

Find a way to unwind this week, Capricorn. If that means taking a day off from work or just sleeping in on the weekend, then do so without feeling guilty.

AQUARIUS - JAN 21/FEB 18

Some new opportunities are coming your way, Aquarius. Even though your first inclination is to pass them by, embrace the chance to try something new.

PISCES - FEB 19/MAR 20

Gemini, you're heading for a crossroads, and some decisions will have to be made. Look to Gemini for some guidance.

FOR ENTERTAINMENT PURPOSES ONL

MUSIC NEWS

Scene says goodbye to its champion

By AMY MODESTI

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ALBANY — It was a celebration of love and deep sadness inside The Egg Performing Arts Center as a few hundred guests celebrated and honored the memory of its local champion of the arts, Greg Haymes on Sunday, May 19.

Haymes was a musician, poet, artist, painter, photographer, actor, and journalist. He was multi-talented, entertaining, and genuine, always giving others a helping hand during a time of need. Haymes, also known by his aliases, Sarge Blotto and Wild Bill Hayes, was involved in various musical projects as The Star-Spangled Washboard Band, Blotto, and Ramblin'Jug Stompers. Haymes was a lover of animals, New Orleans culture, and all things revolving around the arts, music, and theatre that he would cover in newspapers, publications, and his blog, Nippertown, for nine years until his passing in April.

"What would Greg Think?" asked Peter Lesser, Executive Director of The Egg to the audience. Haymes would have the first say about a performer, a band, or an event in his publications and in *Nippertown*. What would he think before and after our community events, we may never know, only to read back upon his previous thoughts through Nippertown and his printed publications.

Sara Ayers rose to the podium and gave a beautiful, heartfelt tribute to her late husband. Ayers told the story of Haymes, a visual artist, writer, poet, actor, photographer, and installation artist. Haymes was a true artist and he would continue to create art until his passing. Haymes typed witty sayings about how blue the sky is in his haiku poems, he was enamored with rust and his incorporation of the rust into his visual art creations and installations, his wooden horses that he would hang from the trees of his home, and his ink and fern mixed media pieces that were on view at the Albany Public Library. Within the final weeks of his life, Haymes created a series of paintings that were made from left over coffee or bourbon that he would reverse the image with rubber cement to create his masterpieces and tell a story.

"He found art in everyday things in life... Carry his inspiration with him in your heart." Said an emotional Ayers as she ended her beautiful message. Her words had left guests, including myself, forming tears. Haymes is an artist and a hero in her life. He remains a hero in the eyes of many others that continue to create and express themselves.

Paul Jossman (Bowtie Blotto), embracing Ayers in a giant hug, gave attendees a history into the music career of his friend and band member. At the age of sixteen, Havmes' first job was playing a sheriff's deputy in a Wild West Show at Fantasy Island Amusement Park around Buffalo, NY. Through his early involvement in his early gig, Haymes would use that job for the creation of his own style; He always made things look easy, he did things his own way, and he enjoyed attention from his fans and followers. In 1971, Jossman met Haymes at the Inside Out Coffee House in Troy, NY. Jossman joined Haymes' college band as a banjo player in their group, "The Star-Spangled Washboard Band", inspired by the stars on Haymes' washboard. It was in this group that he developed his first alter-ego, "Wild Bill Hayes", dressing up as a cowboy as he did in his first job at the amusement park. Haymes had owned the stage, through his elaborate stage appearance and the props that he would use to turn into his alter-ego. He was always in character, both in theater and in music. "The Star-Spangled Washboard Band" would travel to Disney World, be a part of the 1976 People's Bicentennial in Washington D.C., Maury Povitch Show,

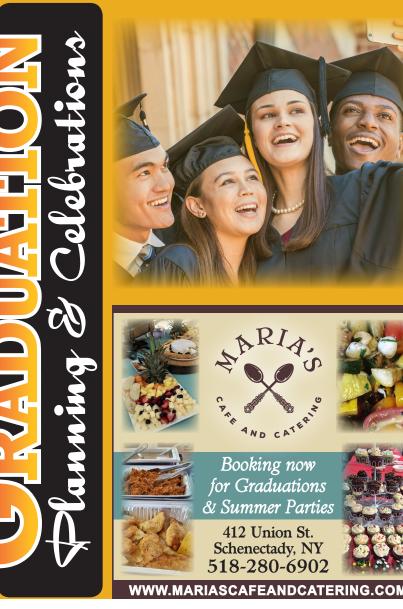
and appear on the Mike Douglas Show. In 1978, Blotto was formed as was his alter-ego, "Sarge Blotto". Haymes liked attention a whole lot as he was the star and lead singer in his hit songs, "I Wanna Be A Lifeguard" and "Metal Head". In the mid-80s, Blotto took a break and Haymes went into music writing. The three main things that he had focused on in his music writing and his music style were research and preparation, developing his own style and voice within his writings, and through his writings, he garnered new fans that took pleasure in his writing.

Michael Eck of Ramblin' Jug Stompers and best friend of Haymes, was next. Emotional and not holding back his tears at all, Eck gave a powerful story to honor the memory of his friend. He held in his left hand, a century old, mother-of-pearl, extra fine Mabie, Todd and Company school pen that Haymes and Ayers had given to him for his writing in 1991 when he moved briefly to Austin, Texas. Eck used this tool of creativity to pen his writings, his music, and his visual art.

"If you are a musician in this room, he wrote about your band. If you are a writer, he whispered in your ear. If you are an artist, he stood in awe before your work. He participated in beauty. He offered

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WHAT'S HAPPENING

Start Making Sense: A Tribute to Talking Heads w/ Old Flame

Putnam Place — Friday, May 31 SARATOGA SPRINGS- Putnam Place will host Start Making Sense on Friday, May 31 at 8 p.m.

The musicians in this seven to 10-piece Talking Heads tribute take pride in faithfully recreating the music of the Talking Heads' entire career.

For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com.

Putnam Place is located at 63a Putnam St., Saratoga Springs.

NYC Takeover

Skyloft — Friday, May 31

ALBANY - Skyloft will host NYC Takeover on

Friday, May 31 at 9 p.m.

NYC Takeover will include fast-paced, fun DJ sets from Brendan Jay Sullivan and Alex English. Brendan Jay Sullivan, a.k.a. DJ VH1, is not only the guy behind Lady Gaga during her Fame Ball Tour, but also Celebrity DJ to New York City's and the Hampton's elite. Alex English was the resident DJ for the Girls and Boys Friday Night Party at Webster Hall from 2008 to 2016.

For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com.

Skyloft is located at 1 Crossgates Mall Road, Albany.

The English Beat Skyloft — Saturday, June 1

ALBANY — The English Beat will perform at Skyloft on Saturday, June 1 at 8 p.m.

The English Beat, featuring the musical talent of Dave

Wakeling, is currently touring the globe in support of new album "Here We Go Love."

For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com.

Skyloft is located at 1 Crossgates Mall Road, Albany.

The Commonheart w/s/g Oobleck The Hollow Bar and Kitchen — Saturday, June 1

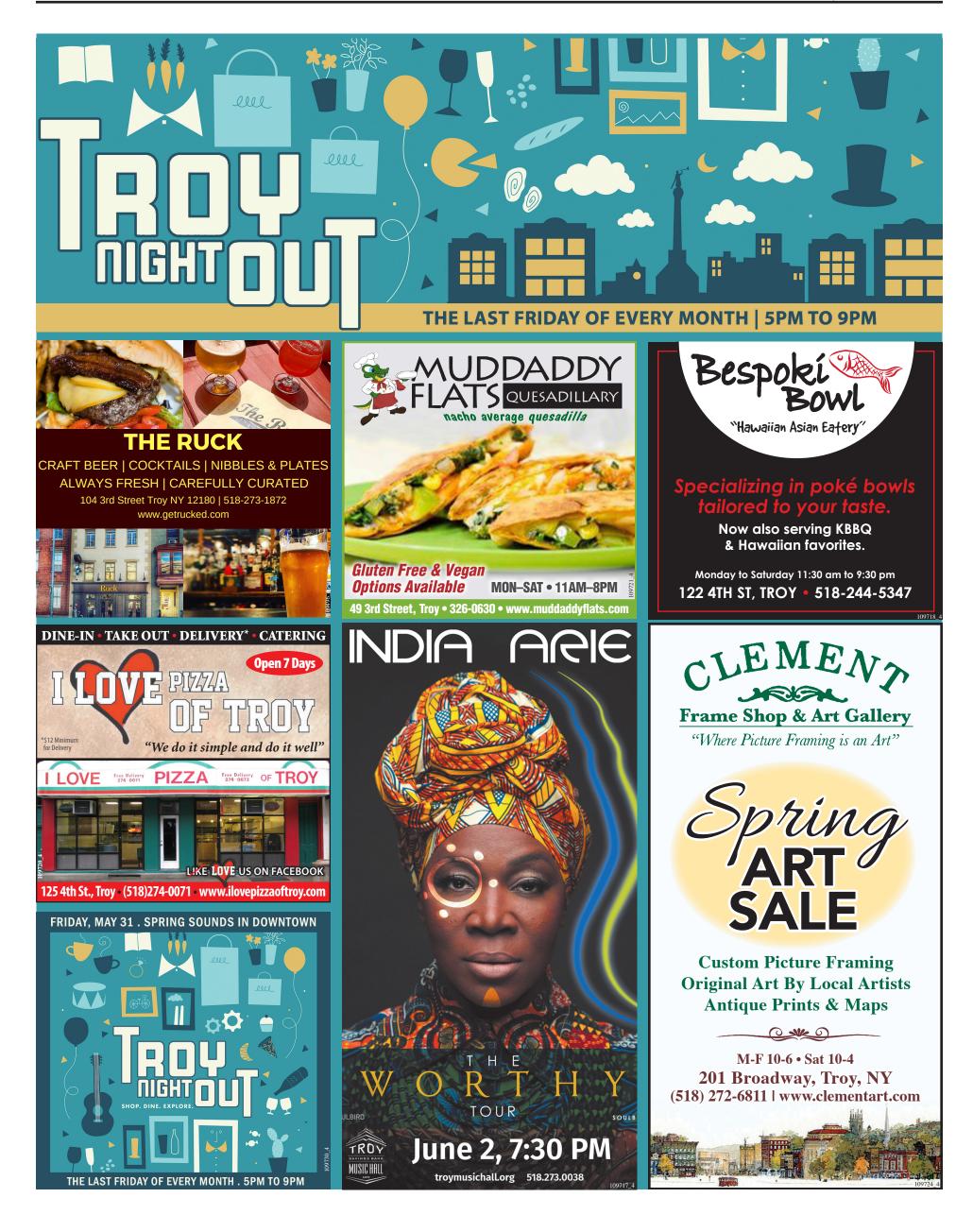
ALBANY — The Commonheart and Oobleck will perform at The Hollow on Saturday, June 1 at 8 p.m.

With gritty vocals over rock riffs and horns, The Commonheart delivers an emotion-packed, soulful sound that lights up any stage. The Commonheart's sound is a true testament to the past while completely holding its own as one of today's most promising acts.

For tickets, visit www.eventbrite.com.

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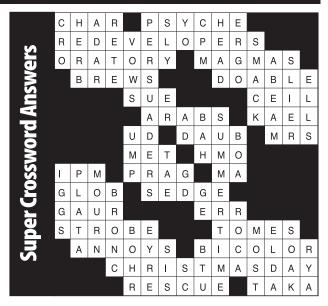
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Sudoku Answers

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support. He gave joy," exclaimed Eck.

Besides a pen, Eck held up another item that he was given after his passing, a set of Oblique Strategies, small written cardboard notes by Haymes himself. Each creative suggestion that Haymes wrote was his own invention, his own words of wisdom, a path or a suggestion that he had written down. Haymes always kept everything, even the cards that Eck was given as a gift. The cards, like the pen, symbolized creativity. Eck acknowledged everybody to "Write the words. Sing the song. Paint the picture. Create." That's what Greg would have done, and he did just that. Haymes continued to create art, dedicated his time to watching movies about New Orleans, and focused on Nippertown until the end.

Greg Bell, promoter of Guthrie/ Bell Productions, was inspired by Haymes to start his promotion business. Haymes was one of the first friends that he had met as a student at Siena College through a mutual friend. Bell had seen Haymes perform in "The Star-Spangled Washboard Band" in Siena College and he enjoyed that band. Haymes introduced Bell to the Albany music scene, the Lark Street music scene, members of Blotto, and other area musicians. When Bell started his promotion business, Haymes would give Bell an extra push for his shows in The Times Union, Metroland, and Nippertown. Bell would rely on Haymes on his opinion about certain acts that he wanted to ring into town, and he would pick up a Metroland and The Times Union to read his columns about what was going on in town.

Singer/songwriter, Bryan Thomas, had known Haymes since 1998 when he had sent him his first ever mixed tape for him to review for a publication. From that day on, Haymes and Thomas were friends. According to Thomas, Greg knew where you were coming from. If you were featured in a preview or a review in Nippertown, you knew that you were going to be big enough for Nippertown. Haymes would encourage Thomas to get his music

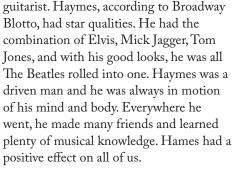
out there to be heard in the public eye.

Thomas recalled a moment when he attended a benefit event with his daughter, who was four years old at the time. When the acts performed, Thomas' daughter, Zoe, was coloring in a coloring book with Haymes who came over to color with her. Thomas was in awe that such a local celebrity and personality as Hames would come and color with her. He later explained to his daughter who this man was that was coloring with her and his impact that he had on art and music. Thomas thanked his friend for pulling him out of the shadows.

"Welcome to Greg at The Egg", said Bill Polchinski (Broadway Blotto) at the podium. Haymes and Polchinski's friendship began in the Spring 1970 when he was a transfer student at the University at Albany. Haymes was a second-year theater major and invited Broadway Blotto to join his inner circle. Together, they performed in an anti-war play and as pirates in a 1971 version of Peter Pan. "The Star-Spangled Washboard Band" was born in the village of Lake George

and Polchinski would join that group as a

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At a band photo shoot that Broadway Blotto and Haymes were a part of at a playground in 1994, Broadway's threeyear-old son, Will, had fallen. Haymes rushed over to Broadway's son and picked him up from the fall and checked to see if he was okay. When Polchinski contacted his son to let him know that Haymes was ill six weeks ago, Will told his father to tell Haymes to get well and thank him for picking him up in the playground. A memory that his son had remembered twenty-five years ago.

He asked him to wish him well, "and, thanks for picking me up."



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1 tsp. chili powder or more to taste

3-6 oz. Mexican cheese (Cotija) or feta finely crumbled

1 1/2 medium avocados peeled, cored and chopped small

Preparation

Heat oil in a large skillet until hot. Add corn and season with salt to taste. Cook until charred all over. Only toss every 2 minutes. Remove from heat, and let cool slightly. Toss corn in a medium bowl along with onions, jalapeno, garlic, mayo, lime juice, some of

the chili powder, and 3/4 of the cheese. Squeeze some lime juice on the diced avocado and add to the mixture. Top with the rest of the cilantro, cheese, and more chili powder if desired. Serve room temperature, or chilled.

Wine Pairing

Dark Horse Sauvignon Blanc - Modesto, Calif. — This wine is a pale green straw color with flavors of bright citrus, and tropical fruit. It has a crisp juicy finish.

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