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Bringing it in

Steve Petersen (right) wears a jersey from the Bethlehem Braves Travel Baseball Club that stopped playing at Elm Avenue Park in 2016. He and former coaches of the Mickey Mantle baseball organization, which at its height comprised of several teams, prepared more than 200 jerseys, a dozen bags of equipment and several assortments of shirts, caps and pants for donation to Roberto's Kids on Saturday, Aug. 15. The equipment was loaded on two pick up trucks and sent to Oneonta before it will be distributed to a youth baseball organization somewhere in the world.



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COUNTY NEWS

Leg pushes Clean Air Act to McCoy

Lafarge, Norlite mentioned often by public speaking in support of legislation that will curb incineration of waste material

By MICHAEL HALLISEY and Norlite in Cohoes.

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ALBANY — The County is one step closer to getting its Clean Air Act.

Legislators adopted the bill with a 32 to 7 vote on Monday, Aug. 10. The bill now moves on to County Executive Dan McCoy, who is expected to sign it into law. Once signed, the legislation will stop new waste facilities in Albany County and keep existing establishments from burning new waste.

"This is an important point as it does not inhibit present operations of any businesses in the county despite some businesses protestations otherwise," said Legislator Matt Miller (D-Selkirk). "I'm especially happy for the staff and students in the RCS high school and middle school directly across the street from the Lafarge plant where I have spent the last 27 years of my career coaching, teaching and sending my children to

Opponents of the proposed law expressed concerns over the legislature overextending its responsibilities, usurping state and federal regulations, leading to the threat of future lawsuits from two of the companies it seems to target -LafargeHolcim in Ravena

In February, Norlite was discovered to have burned controversial firefighter foam it received through a contract with the U.S. Department of Defense. Elements of the PFOA and PFOS chemical compounds, known as "forever chemicals," were detected by a university-led study of the surrounding community of Cohoes. The kiln stopped burning the compound after the city placed a moratorium on the practice. The company has refrained from comments as it is now facing multiple lawsuits.

LafargeHolcim had received a DEC permit to burn tires at its cement processing plant in Ravena. Before it was to start incinerating shredded tires imported from Connecticut, the Town of Coeymans passed a local law similar to that drafted by Albany County. The company has argued that tire-derived fuel is "environmentally progressive" and is permitted through state and federal regulations.

"It is not stacking up a body count. There's not a lot of deaths, or evidence that it's actually been doing something. The evidence is not really there," said Aaron Kelsey, area environmental manager for Lafarge. "Now, there's a lot of evidence that has been put around



The Lafarge cement plant in Ravena had previously received permit to burn shredded tires as a means for fuel in its \$500 million kiln system. The county's Clean Air Act is similar to that passed by the Town of Coeymans last year.

contaminants from burning tires in the open. But, that is not the case of what Lafarge has been permitted to do.

Legislator Paul Burgdorf voiced his opposition to the law, saying it was a "classic overreach."

"I have as much of an interest in clean air in Albany County and New York state as you do," said the Colonie Republican, "but, I think what you're doing here today is a classic overreach." He confirmed Lafarge is permitted to burn tires, and that it was approved by those more qualified than Albany County. "Scientists who do nothing but this every day actually approved and

negotiated that permit."

Lafarge's kiln system went through a substantial \$500 million upgrade in 2016. The Switzerlandbased company had received approval from the state Department of Environmental Conservation in 2006 to accept up to 4.8 million tires a year. That permit was previously reported to have expired two years ago. A company spokesperson said it still holds a Title V permit through the EPA.

"The reason why Lafarge has made a substantial investment in new scrubbers at their facility is because the EPA sued them, because they were violating the Clear Air Act

in very serious ways for years," said Judith Enck, former EPA regional administrator.

In 2010, Lafarge and two of its subsidiaries agreed to spend up to \$170 million to install controls that would reduce emissions of nitrogen oxide and sulfur dioxides at their cement plants across the country. In the complaint, the company was accused of modifying one or more of its facilities without first obtaining proper permits and allegedly failed to install pollution control equipment as required by the Clean Air Act.

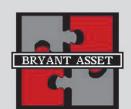
Similar laws as the one passed by the legislature in Maryland and Pennsylvania

have recently been contested in court leading concerns over future litigation, but the lawyer responsible for guiding those laws said there is no

"I mention these because some of the legal threats being brought by Lafarge are focusing on the notion that they're Constitutional problems that make them vulnerable. They're arguing that equal protection and due process are reasons why this can be sued over, and as if they would win," said Michael Ewall, of Energy Justice Network. "I just want to give folks the confidence that there are not legal concerns as far as that goes."

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TOWN NEWS

More expensive to peddle tobacco

Tobacco sellers will need to obtain a license through Town Hall in Bethlehem

By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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DELMAR — Stores selling tobacco products in Bethlehem will need a town issued license to do so after January 1.

The Board voted 3 to 1 in favor of implementing a new licencing requirement on Wednesday, Aug. 12. It requires vendors obtain a license and pay related fees each year. The mandate applies to any vendor peddling products that contain tobacco leaf or nicotine, including vapor products. Paraphernalia, such as separately-sold cartridges, vaping liquids or pipes, is included.

The new requirement

prevents retailers from selling vapor products within 1,000 feet of schools, but does not limit the sale of other tobacco products.

Municipalities with such licensing programs vary between absorbing costs incurred during the process or extending those costs in the form of fees to the businesses which seek them.

Robert Leslie, director of Economic Development and Planning, shared three examples of communities that charge. Town of Manheim, with a population of 3,300 people in Herkimer County, has a \$200 application and \$200 approval fee for a total cost of \$400. The Village of Dolgeville, with a population of 2,200 people in Herkimer County, has only a \$200 application fee. The City of Yonkers also charges a \$200 fee. In comparison, town businesses will pay a \$130 application fee and a \$140



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> Dan Coffey (D), Bethlehem Town Board

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— Jim Foster (R), Bethlehem Town Board

approval fee — a total of

"We don't want to make this burdensome on our local businesses, and I don't think this is," said Dan Coffey. The town board member said the goal is not to profit through

licensing. "I think the goal is to recapture the amount of time it takes our staff to process this paperwork," he

This legislation is an extension of the town's initial effort to curb the sale of vape products

to children. The Board imposed the first of two, six-month moratoriums last June after the town received a building permit application for a vape

shop neighboring Elsmere

Elementary School on

Delaware Avenue.

At the same time, published studies depicting prevalent use of flavored vape products among teenagers initiated legislators to take action. In July, New York became the fourth state in the country to ban the sale of flavored vape products.

Jim Foster, who opposed the new program, questioned the need for it in the presence of new state legislation. He also described the burden of cost associated with processing licences as "a work by the town's own creation."

"The landscape has changed a lot since this was initially on the table," said Foster, noting the annual costs will pose a "significant impact" for businesses over time. "I think many of the benefits that were hoped to be achieved with the licensing program have essentially been preempted."

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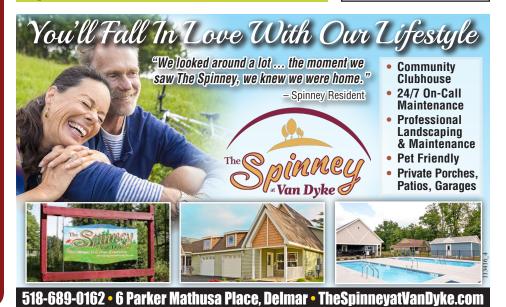
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Pictures for recollection

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BUSINESS

Robert Wright sold

Wright family, who owned waste management biz since 1949, will continue to manage business day-to-day for Waste Connections

By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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SLINGERLANDS —

Robert Wright Disposal has been owned by the same family since 1949, up until recently.

The Wright family shared with its customers that their business is now a Waste Connections company, the third largest waste management company in North America. The sale took effect on August 1, but as seamlessly as it has appeared to customers, the family said it will continue to be so.

"The change will not affect your service in any way," Jerry Wright stated in a letter to customers. The Wrights will continue to manage the business, and the truck fleet will continue to bear the family name. Customers will still write checks out to Robert Wright Disposal, Inc. Wright said several factors led to the transfer.

"Over the last few years, I have struggled with increased trucking regulations, insurance requirements, and the nationwide shortage of commercial truck drivers," Wright said.

Robert Wright Disposal was started by Jerry's father, Robert shortly after he

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> Jerry Wright, **Robert Wright** Disposal

returned from fighting in World War II.

"Dad was part of the greatest generation, a WWII veteran who was injured by artillery fire while manning a machine gun in the mountains of Italy," Jerry said. "Dad... came home and started a business and family in Delmar, the town he was born in."

Robert Wright Disposal had used transfer stations and recycling facilities owned by Waste Connections in recent years.

Waste Connections mailed Wright's letter to customers, along with a company statement and a service agreement. Customers were encouraged to sign the new agreement

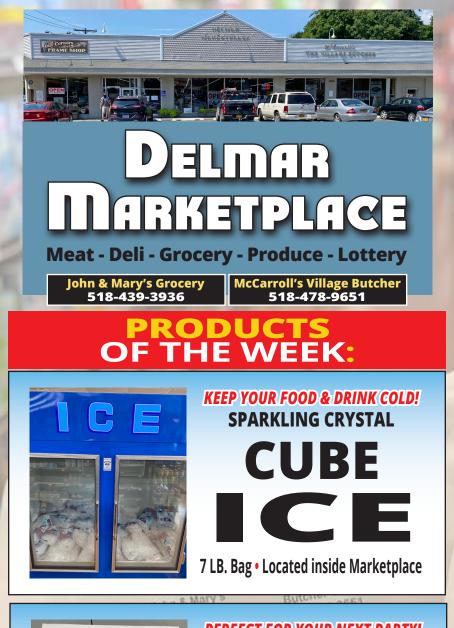
with a 10 percent reduction in their monthly charge over the next two years, and one free month of service.

Waste Connections is a publicly owned company whose shares sell in both the New York Stock Exchange and the Toronto Stock Exchange. The company employs approximately 16,000 people, with headquarters in both Vaughan, Ontario and The Woodlands, Texas.

Waste Connections operates both the Colonie and Dunn landfills in Cohoes and Rensselaer, respectively. Sierra Processing, in Albany; Troy Transfer; and Clifton Park Transfer are also listed among the company's operations.

With the merger, Robert Wright Disposal now falls under the same umbrella as County Waste which provides services to Albany, Fulton, Montgomery, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady and Schoharie counties.

"The Wrights have built their company over the last 71 years with a proud tradition of consistent quality local service; a tradition that we will certainly continue through this transition," stated a spokesperson from Waste Connections.





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■ OBITUARY

Ruthman, Rex Shiels 1942 - 2020

GUILDERLAND -Rex Shiels Ruthman, 78, passed away peacefully at his home in Guilderland on Wednesday, August 12th, 2020. He was married on October 15, 1972, to the love of his life, Elisabeth Anne (née Busuttil), with whom he enjoyed a transcendent partnership at home and at work spanning decades and continents. A proud and committed husband, father, and friend, Rex formed enduring bonds through his unmatched generosity and love that remain unbroken by his passing.

Born on May 11, 1942 in Highland Park, IL, Rex was raised in Spooner, WI

and San Francisco, CA before arriving in Delmar, NY in 1958. A graduate of Bethlehem Central High School (1960), SUNY Albany (1964), and Albany Law School (1967). Rex's legal career as a standout attorney spanned four decades at prominent Albany, NY firms. These included Carter & Conboy (1967-1969), Tate & Tate (1969-1974), Tate, Tate, Bishko & Ruthman (1974-1984), and Ruthman, Feinberg & Dumas in (1984-1994), which he founded at 1707 Central Avenue with Edward Feinberg, Esq. and Charles Dumas, Esq.

Throughout the course

of his successful legal career, Rex was civically engaged as a member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York (1969-1979), acted as Village Attorney for the Village of Colonie (1969-1979), and was affiliated with numerous professional associations. He was fiercely proud of his alma maters and served on his high school reunion committee, was a Member of the University at Albany Foundation (1989), was Chairman of the Dean's Advisory Council (2005), and could be found judging myriad Albany Law School moot court competitions over the years.

Following a successful career in construction and contract litigation, Rex transitioned into real estate finance, development, and property management with his steadfast business partner of over three decades, Edward Feinberg. Together, they financed and developed several multifamily projects throughout the Capital Region including Adams

PETER APPLEBEE JOHN D. RUTSKI

Station Apartments in Delmar, NY, where Rex worked seamlessly alongside his beloved wife Elisabeth, who managed the community with passion and empathy for over 2 decades.

With his unique vision, Rex understood that longer lifespans required creation of innovative "active-adult" middlemarket communities for the "young old" to age in place with dignity and autonomy, culminating in development of The Spinney at Pond View in Castleton-on-Hudson, NY and The Spinney at Van Dyke in Delmar, NY. Rex took enormous pride in his work, and even greater satisfaction knowing that The Spinney Group would remain a family enterprise stewarded by a second generation of leadership.

A polymath and autodidact of Renaissance Man proportions, Rex immersed himself in his interests with heartfelt passion and intensity, cherishing high and low-brow culture alike. A notorious night-owl, Rex

had a voracious appetite for literature, classical music and film, and could always be found at local theaters catching the latest movie. He was a a man of great sensibility whose deepest expressions endure in the many poems he wrote throughout his life. A devoted fan of the NY Giants, he worshipped the ground walked upon by Bill Parcells and was a founding member of the Albany Giants Club, basking in the glory of their 1986 and 1990 Superbowl runs from the stands. Most importantly, he explored the world with his beloved wife, spending magical summers in Menton, France and intimate winters in Saint Augustine, Florida, where they shared their love of each other with family and friends. An anti-fashion icon, his trademarked socks and sandal look carried him on his epic walks along the sunny promenades of the French Riviera, and will now carry him on his long walk into eternity.

Above all, Rex was fervently devoted to his wife, with whom he shared

the deepest possible bond, and his family. Rex was deeply philosophical and reflective, and through his mentorship was an enormous force and influence on so many lives. Although his commanding presence will be missed, the spirit of his brilliance, ideas, generosity and laughter will endure in our hearts. He is survived by his adoring wife of 48 years, Elisabeth, sons Alexander (Lorayne) and Morgan (Dana), grandchildren Charlotte, Orion, Elodie, and Abigail, brothers Steven (Linda) and Alex (Dorothy), sisterin-law Genevieve Blaudeau, brother-in-law Georges (Nina) Busuttil and beloved lifelong friends Herbert and Nancy Steele.

Due to public health considerations, a private burial will be held at Bethlehem Cemetery, to be followed by a memorial service at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests that memorial donations be made to the Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York (www.lasnny. org).

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21 Ditmars Boulevard, Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249205

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

AURELIUS CONSTANTI-NUS CAPITAL LLC. Arts. Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/03/20. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2050. 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, 420 Kent Avenue, Apartment 661, Brook-lyn, NY 11249. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249439

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RIGHT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/13/20. 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 Salvatore LoDuca, Esq. 6-53 152nd Street, Suite 2R, Whitestone, 11357. Purpose: lawful purpose. D-249524 Any

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BFD MEDIA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/14/20. 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 Glenridge Tax Service II Inc., 70 Bluebird Lane, Plainview, NY 11803. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

STEPPERS, LLC. of Org. filed with BIG Arts. the SSNY on 08/06/20. 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, 123-65 147th Street, Apartment A126. Jamaica, NY Purpose: Any 11436. lawful purpose. D-250928

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

BLEECKER STREET GARAGE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/12/20. 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, 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-251218

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

BlueberryWorks, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/14/20. 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, 132

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32nd Street, Suite 301, Brooklyn, NY 11232. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249607

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BNB 111 LLC. Arts. of
Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/20. 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, 83-16 160th Street, Jamaica Hills, NY 11432. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-250364

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

BOULEVARD ENTER-TAINMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/10/20. 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, 202 Chelsea Street, Staten Island, NY 10307. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-251212

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BROOKLYN HEIGHTS WELLNESS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/20/19. Of-Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon SSNY whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Steven Ebert, Esq., Barton, LLP, 711 Third Av-14th Floor, New NY 10017. Purenue, York, pose: Any lawful purpose. D-249940

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SOLUTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/02/18. 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 Spiros Peppas, 2038 169th St, Widestone, NY 11357. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FAZIO, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/30/20. 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 C. Fazio, 301 East 92nd Street, Suite New York, NY 10128. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

PARTNERS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/20. 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, 4167 71st Street, Apartment 1A, Woodside, NY 11377. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

CHERRY 758 LLC. Arts. Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/01/20. Of-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, 201 Clinton St, Apt 5, New York, NY 10002. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-249059

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION SMITH ST LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/28/20. Latest date to dissolve: 07/29/2121. 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, 1906 42nd Street, Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-250392

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

WILLIAMSBURG LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/08/20. Latest date to dissolve: 07/08/2120. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 1906 42nd Street, Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249385

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

CONTINENTAL BREAK-FAST LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/29/20. 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, 115 Avenue, #5E, New York, NY 10003. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-250524

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION CONSTRUCTION

MANAGEMENT Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/01/20. 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, 60 E. 42nd Street, Suite 2450, New York, NY 10165. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-250353

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION POINT PRODUC-

TIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/08/20. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2119. 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, 35 East 85th Street, Apartment 3F, New York, NY 10028. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249481

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NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

CONSTRUCTION LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/28/20. 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 Horne, 73 Paerdegat 2nd Street, Brooklyn, NY 11236. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-250393

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

DOLCE VITA HOSPITAL-ITY GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/06/20. 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, 543 LaGuardia Place, New York, NY Any 10012. Purpose: lawful purpose. D-250924

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

DOMINE TAX GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/29/20. 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 Lance Domine. 182 East 95th Street, Apartment 10F, New York, NY 10128. Purpose: Any Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

E.I. REALTY GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/21/20. 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 Jose A. Quesada, Esq., 1424 Williamsbridge Road, Bronx, NY 10461. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249995

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

EDMS FAMILY REALTY MANAGEMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/20. 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, 473 0xford Road, Cedarhurst, NY 11516. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249906

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

ENTERPRISE REALTY GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 02/28/20. 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, 95-67 113th Street, Richmond Hill, NY 11419. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249521

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

EXPERT ENTERPRISES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/17/20. 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, 80-30 164th Street, 2nd Floor, Left Office, Jamaica, NY 11432. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-249868

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

NY INSPEC-TIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/10/20. 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, 80-30 164th Street, 2nd Floor, Left Office, Jamaica, NY 11432. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-251036

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FELICE DEE AT SAKS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/06/20. Latest date to 12/31/2119. dissolve: Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 129 cess East 69th Street, New NY 10021 Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249378

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FOUNTAIN OF MILF LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/14/20. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 7 Essex Street, Apartment 5A, New York, NY 10002. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249939

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

GROSACOM LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/17/20. Of-Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 347 5th Avenue, Suite 1402, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249849

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

PRODUCTS LLC. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/13/20. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 222 Henry Street, Apartment #3, Brooklyn, NY 11201. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249758

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION HARBOR BLUE HOUSE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/09/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of

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process to the LLC, 956 81st Street. Brooklyn NY 11228. Purpose: Any D-249386

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

HERMAN AND GRETA, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/20. 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, 409 Elton Street, Brooklyn, NY 11208. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249907

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

HIGHBRIDGE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/11/20. Of-Albany County. 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 Toprock Interiors, 1308 Edward L. Grant Highway, Bronx, NY 10452. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-251085

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HYFN BRAND LLC. Arts.
of Org. filed with the on 07/21/20. Of-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 Glenridge Tax Service II, 70 Bluebird Lane. Plainview, NY 11803. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249977

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

IN THE GREEN BILLING SERVICES, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/15/20. 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 c/o Adrienne 139 Emerson Greene, Place, Apt 102, Brook-lyn, NY 11205. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

INFINITE FUNDAMENTALS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/12/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC. 2835 Bedford Avenue, Apartment 3H, Brooklyn, NY 11210. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-251219

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

JBE FAMILY LLC. Arts. W SSNY on 06/25/20. 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, 485 Madison Avenue, 16th Floor, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249063

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JC053, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/25/20. 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, 87-08 Justice Avenue, Unit 11, Elmhurst, NY 11373. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249175

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

JONATHAN NAYSAN, MD, PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/15/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC 250 East 65th Street Suite 14H, New York, NY 10065. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Medicine.

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

KEE JU, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/24/20. 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 112-41 Queens Boulevard, Suite 201, Forest Hills, NY 11375. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

D-250276 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION KHANO 15 WILLIAM ST. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/02/20. 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, 15 William Street, 36F, New NY 10005. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249106

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

KHANO 151 W. 21st ST. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/02/20. 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, 151 West 21st Street, #3D, New York, NY 10011. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

D-249107

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION KHANO 210 LAFAYETTE ST. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/02/20. 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, 210 Lafayette Street, #6F, New York, NY 10012. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249108

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

KNOCK KNOCK HOSPI-TALITY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/27/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-

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cess against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the 11209 75th Avenue. Apartment 3, Forest Hills, NY 11375. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-250727

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

ENTERPRISES. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/20. 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, East 32nd Street, Suite 1005, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-250087

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

KOZZA & CO, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/20. Of-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, 114
East 32nd Street, Suite 1005, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-250088

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

LIBERTY BAGELS BROADWAY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/11/20. Of-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, 3924 Broadway, New York, NY 10032. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-251103

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

LORLIN PROPERTIES I, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 07/03/20. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Florida on 01/23/20. 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, c/o The Caponera Law Firm P.C.. 5 Palisades Drive, Suite 315, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-249235

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

LORLIN PROPERTIES II, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 07/03/20. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Florida on 01/23/20. 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 The Caponera Law Firm P.C., 5 Palisades Drive, Suite 315. Albany. NY 12205. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249236

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SNOW REMOVAL. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/02/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat-

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ed as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC. 3526 McOwen Avenue, Bronx, NY 10475. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-249195

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

M.I PATSY'S PIZZA LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/10/20. 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, 16 Cedar Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10305. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION MAJOR LABEL GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/27/20. 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, 530 Seventh Avenue, New York, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

D-249176 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION MAKENZIE TAYLOR LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/02/20. 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, . 1372 East New York Av enue, Apartment 3B, Brooklyn, NY 11210. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

D-249109 NOTICE OF PLLC

FORMATION MARJORIE BART LAND-SCAPE ARCHITECTURE PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/22/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 35 West 74th Street, 5F, New York, NY 10023. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Landscape Architecture. D-249440

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

McMANUS NYC LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/20. 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, 495 Broadway, 5th Floor, New York, NY 10012. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-250089

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MINGUS HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/04/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of

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process to the LLC, 61 Greenpoint Avenue, Suite 606, Brooklyn, NY 11222. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-250888

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

LOGISTICS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/10/20. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 8710 34th Avenue, Apartment 4J, Jackson Heights, NY 11372. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

NEAL INVESTORS HOLDINGS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/31/20. 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, 450 Seventh Av-40th Floor, New NY 10123. Purenue, York. Any lawful purpose: D-250637

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATIONNEPTUNE BELL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/07/20. 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 Liolis & Katsihtis, LLP, 31-10 37th Avenue, Suite 301, Long Island City, NY 11101. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249261

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

NOI DUE CAFE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/20. 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, 63 Random Farms Circle, Chappaqua, NY 10514. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-250090

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION NPH RESOURCES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/29/20. 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 Natalie Heim, 406 West 45th Street, Apartment New York NY 10036. Purpose: lawful purpose. D-250525

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

NYC UWS PROPERTIES, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/17/20. 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, 80 Riverside Boulevard, Boulevard,

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Apartment 14M. New NY 10069. Pur-York, pose: Any lawful pur-D-249850

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

ORDAIN REAL ESTATE HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/07/20. 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, 5725 Oleander Drive, Suite C3, Wilmington, NC 28403. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-249237

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

PARSOFF COMMUNICATIONS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/02/20. 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 Melissa Par-soff, 425 East 63rd Apartment New York, NY Purpose: Any W11H. 10065. lawful purpose. D-249105

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

PLANT BASED EATING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on with 08/12/20. 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, 120 East End Avenue. Apartment 9A, New York, NY 10028. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-251141

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

Playa McCarren LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/21/20. Office: Albany County. designated as SSNY agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 85 Broad Street, Suite 28-088, New York, NY 10004. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

PRISALA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/12/20. 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, 7718 12th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11228. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-251220

NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION** ADVISORS LLC.

Arts. of Org. filed with 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 Ed-ward R. Smolka, Esq., 5 Tudor City Place, Lobby 11, New York, NY 10017-6853. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-251061

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Res # 2020-028 **TOWN BOARD** TOWN OF BETHLEHEM RESOLUTION TO GRANT EASEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-

EN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem in the County of Albany, State of New York has on the 12 day of August 2020, duly adopted, subject to a permissive referendum, a resolution as follows: WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem has determined that it is necessary to grant an easement to Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation on the Town owned parcel located at 123 Adams Street; and, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,

That the Town Board hereby authorizes the execution of necessary easement at 123 Adams

Street. BE IT FURTHER RE-SOLVED,

That the execution of said easements is subject to permissive referendum

BE IT FURTHER RE-SOLVED,

That the Supervisor is hereby authorized to execute the easements on behalf of the Town of Bethlehem.

The motion to adopt the resolution was made by Councilman Coffey, was seconded by Council-woman Cunningham and duly adopted by the

following vote: AYES: Supervisor Van-Luven, Councilman Coffey, Councilwoman Cunningham, Councilman Foster

NOES: none ABSENT: Councilwoman

Becker DATED: August 12, 2020 D-251213

Res # 2020-029 RESOLUTION AND PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem in the County of Albany. State of New York has on the 12th day of August 2020, duly adopted, subject to a permissive referendum, a resolution as follows: WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem has determined that the Town of Volunteer Bethlehem Fire Officers Association is responsible for the maintenance of the Fire Training Center: and WHEREAS, the Town of Bethlehem Volunteer Officers Association has determined that it is necessary to fund the replacement of the exist-

crete pad and security fence; and WHEREAS, the Town maintains a capital reserve fund for the purpose of fire training ground improvements, which is made up of contributions from Town fire districts and the City

ing roof simulator, con-

of Albany; and WHEREAS, it is estimated that the costs of said equipment

\$58,500.00; and WHEREAS, in recognition of these needs, funds for such purpose are in the Fire Tower Re-

serve Fund; and, NOW, THEREFORE, BE

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Public wants say

The Board conducted the first of three interviews on Wednesday morning. Board members are expected to vet the candidates and present their thoughts to Town Supervisor David VanLuven. VanLuven will appoint the town's newest police chief in 17 years before the board officially approves the selection.

The town is selecting from a list of candidates based on their standings on the current Albany County civil service list. Once the process concludes, either Cmdr. Adam Hornick, Detective Sgt. Gina Cocchiara or Sgt. Jim Rexford will be the town's next police chief.

Town board members sat and listened to residents who called into its monthly meeting Wednesday, Aug. 12, expressing concerns for transparency in the selection process. Some shared their wishes to see the board choose a more progressive person for the helm. The first speaker set the tone for the evening.

"I truly believe that when it comes to hiring a new police chief, and police reform within our town, that it needs to be transparent. I feel community members should be able to at least sit in on interviews if not being able to ask questions directly," said Jennifer Cardamore.

Residents' concerns were shared during the meeting's public comment section. The section allows attendees to speak to the board without debate. Board members do not comment, nor do they answer direct questions. VanLuven, however, later shared how he and board members have listened to residents through email, social media, conversations and demonstrations. He also shared that the town has met with two police chiefs and a local law enforcement professional from different communities to gain insight into department cultures and community relations.

"We have integrated

"Our goal is to hire a new chief as soon as possible who can advance positive police reform, build community trust, and ensure all residents and visitors are safe and feel safe. ... Black Lives Matter in Bethlehem — in our government, our schools, and our community — and we are committed to achieving greater justice, equity, and fairness."

> David VanLuven, Bethlehem Town Supervisor

the insights and recommendations from these interactions into a suite of interview questions that drill into issues of racism, Black Lives Matter, guardian vs. warrior culture, implicit bias, de-escalation, department structure, overtime, budgets, community trust, and more," Van Luven stated in a social media post on Friday.

When Louis Corsi retired from his police chief position in late July, it was the second exodus from the department's command team in as many weeks. Deputy Chief Thomas M. Heffernan, Jr. worked his last day a week before. The absence of both Corsi and Heffernan from the department represents nearly 70 years of collective service experience. Hornick, the last remaining officer on the three-man command team, is ranking member

in charge until the town selects a new chief.

Corsi served a 10-day suspension in 2009 for his use of a racial slur during a January 2006 phone conversation. Residents referenced the 2006 incident on Wednesday as proof of racial bias within the police department.

"Our goal is to hire a new chief as soon as possible who can advance positive police reform, build community trust, and ensure all residents and visitors are safe and feel safe," VanLuven said, adding that new chief will be expected to be involved in community forms, a task force and worked towards exposing racism in town. "Black Lives Matter in Bethlehem - in our government, our schools, and our community - and we are committed to achieving greater justice, equity, and fairness."

Some members of the community are not satisfied with that answer, and if that doesn't change, one voice said they have "no choice but to plan a civil disobedience action."

A group of progressive residents under a Facebook group named Bethlehem NY Indivisible demands a forum that would allow all three candidates to answer questions before the public.

"So far, we have been told that the Supervisor cares, and the town board cares, and that they have heard us and that we should now let them do their work," Emily Marynczak, a moderator of the social media page, stated. "To that, we say, no. Our work is to continue to hold our elected officials accountable."

The Facebook group has less than 700 members, however, its voice is evident in local government.

Membership in the private group includes both VanLuven and town board members Joyce Becker, Maureen Cunningham and Dan Coffey. VanLuven and Cunningham both shared they were each members of the group during the board meeting.

The online group is "open to anyone" who is committed to taking action" in four areas: proenvironment, pro-choice, anti-hate and encouraging people to vote.

The police chief race has been of particular interest to the group in recent weeks. Another such concern is how "our town is built on the power structure of white supremacy."

"Together we can make impactful change so that our laws are applied with equity and that all people can one day feel safe in our town," said Marynczak.

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IT RESOLVED that it is in the public interest to complete the purchase of the replacement improvements scribed above; and BE IT FURTHER RE-SOLVED, that the Town Board authorizes the expenditure of the reserve moneys to fund this project up to a amount \$58,500.00 and,

BE IT FURTHER RE-SOLVED, that the Town Comptroller is authorized to expend from the General Fund Capital Reserve Fund the funds necessary up to \$58,500.00 in said re-

serve fund; and This resolution shall be subject to a permissive referendum, as permitted by law.
The motion to adopt the

resolution was made by Councilman Foster, seconded by Councilman Coffey and duly adopted by the following vote: AYES: Supervisor Van-Luven, Councilman Cof-

fey, Councilwoman Cunningham, Councilman

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hereby given that I, the undersigned, have re-ceived the Tax Rolls and Warrants for the collection of School Taxes for the Town of Bethlehem and the Town of New Scotland properties in and for the Bethlehem Central School District, and will receive payments as follows: Tax payments are to be mailed to Bethlehem Central School District, Tax Processing Unit, P.O. Box 12905, Albany, 12212-2905. penalty will apply for payment from October 1 through November 2, 2020, please reference school tax bill for penalamount. Unpaid taxes will turned over to the Albany County Treasurer on November 15, 2020. Michelle Curtis Tax Collector August 19,

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What's up for BC's K-5 kids

Dave Hurst is the Assistant Superintendent for Bethlehem Central School District. The following letter to district parents was shared last week to provide insight on what they could expect during the first week of the school year.

Dear K-5 Family:

I have an important update for K-5 families who may be considering the Family Choice Remote Learning option for their child/ren to begin the 2020-21 school year. This is the full-time learn-fromhome option for any family who may have health or safety concerns or otherwise feels uncomfortable about an in-person return to school for their student. In-person instruction for all students K-5 is scheduled to begin in September at all five elementary schools as part of the district's reopening plan. There will be a phased-in start to the school year that begins Wednesday, Sept. 9.

plans for the Remote Learning model that will be in place for the start of school, however, preliminary data collected from the Remote Learning Option Waiver Form indicates we will be able to revise our K-5 Remote Learning Model to provide a greater balance between synchronous and asynchronous learning for these students. This would

We are still finalizing



mean more direct teacher connection for remote students throughout the day than had been possible with available instructional staff as part of our original reopening plans.

Synchronous learning is an approach where teachers and students are online at the same time with a set schedule. Learning resources and tasks are provided for students to work on during a set class

Asynchronous learning is an approach where teachers and students are not online at the same time. Learning resources and tasks are provided for students to work on at a time that works for them and their families.

The summary below is reflective of the information we have [as of] Aug. 12, and some aspects of this revised Remote Learning model could vary as we work to finalize classroom assignments, staffing assignments and schedules. It is also important to note that this revised model will

not impact other elements of our Reopening Plan, including plans for inperson instruction that adhere to strict CDC health and safety guidelines regarding social distancing in our classrooms and smaller cohorts of students.

What would Remote Learning K-5 look like under the revised model?

Grades K-2 (2 – 21/2 hours of synchronous instruction)

- Students will log on to their learning device daily (iPads for kindergarten/ Chromebooks for grades
- The day will begin with the morning meeting/ community building activities, attendance will be taken.
- Students will receive direct instruction in reading, writing, mathematics, science, and social studies. In most cases, this synchronous instruction would not be delivered consecutively, but in periods throughout the
 - Instruction in all other

curricular areas will be asynchronous.

• Students will be connected with a teacher/ class for approximately 2 to 2 ½ hours each day.

Grades 3-5 (2½ - 3 hours of synchronous instruction)

- Students will log on to their Chromebooks.
- The day will begin with the morning meeting/ community building activities, attendance will be taken.
- Students will receive direct instruction in reading, writing, mathematics, science, and social studies. In most cases, this synchronous instruction would not be delivered consecutively, but in periods throughout the school day.
- Instruction in all other curricular areas will be asynchronous.
- Students will be connected with a teacher/ class for approximately 2 1/2 to 3 hours each day.

For those families who choose K-5 Remote Learning, please be aware that students who return to in-person instruction mid-year are not guaranteed a spot at their home school. Teacher and building placements will be determined by available teaching staff and sections, student demand and most importantly, by the health and safety measures that are governed by CDC guidelines.

If you are interested in enrolling your student in Remote Learning for the 2020-21 school year, please fill out this form and read carefully before submitting. Students in Remote Learning will not be able to return to in-person instruction until the start of a new quarter, which is Nov. 16, for those students who begin the school year enrolled in Remote Learning.

Families can verify their remote learning selection in Aspen. Instructions on how to do this can be found here. Please allow at least 24 hours after filling out the form to check your status in Aspen.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me by email at dhurst@bethlehemschools.

Sincerely, David Hurst Bethlehem Centrail Assistant Superintendent for Educational Programs & Instruction

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We invite you to explore the variety of virtual programs for all ages offered on the Events tab of our website, www. guilderlandlibrary.org. These programs are steadily gaining popularity, and are often filled, so please

Board Meeting

The Guilderland Public Library Board of Trustees will meet virtually for their monthly business meeting on Thurs. Aug. 20, at 6 p.m. This meeting will be livestreamed on our Facebook page and archived there for later viewing. Public commentary may be directed to: pc@ guilderlandlibrary.org.

Google Apps Suite

Learn about the free productivity suite known as the Google Apps Suite on Sat. Aug. 29 at 10 a.m.

— Luanne Nicholson

Plans to re-open

meeting, the library's Board of Trustees discussed how to begin phasing in additional library services, including in-person library browsing. Although library staff have worked hard to get actual books, DVDs and Library of Things items into your hands through curbside pickup, Book Bundles and the Pop-Up Library, we know that the experience of looking through the shelves for something that catches your eye is hard to replicate.

As staff and trustees continue to work out the details and timing involved in bringing back this inlibrary service, please know that it remains our highest priority to protect the health of our community. We will continue to follow strict safety standards when handling library materials and interacting with you.

That means that when we do open our doors, your library experience is going to look a little different than pre-pandemic times. You'll be able to "shop" for your books, but there will be limits on the number of people in the building at one time. Public meeting spaces will not be available, as well as access to computers and other



in-house library technology. Children's toys and library seating have been removed, and patrons will be asked to wear masks and limit their time inside the library to selecting and checking out their materials.

This will be a big change for all of us who have come to see the library as a place to gather with friends and neighbors..

A copy of the plan, which is updated as new information becomes available, can be viewed on our website (www. bethlehempubliclibrary.

Fine waiver extension

Throughout the library's closure, we have been waiving late fees on overdue materials. The last thing we wanted anyone to worry about was getting charged for items they were unable to return. Recently, the Upper Hudson Library System resumed sending out overdue notices, but with everyday life and schedules still far from normal, we will continue

waiving late fees through the end of October.

If you have items that you are ready to return, you can bring them to the library 24/7 and use the numbered drop-off sheds in our parking lot. Library materials are quarantined for 96 hours and may not show up as checked in for up to a week.

Staycation cinema

We have dozens of themed binge boxes to check out, available at our Pop-Up Library and to request for curbside pickup. With binge boxes, you can choose from themes like "Don't Mess with Denzel" or "You'll Ugly Cry" and you'll get a pre-selected set of 4-6 films that fit the bill. For example, the "Coming of Age Stories" binge box includes: "Boyhood," "The Edge of Seventeen," "Lady Bird," "Paper Towns," "The Perks of Being a Wallflower" and "The Spectacular Now."There is a collection for every taste and age group.

— Kristen Roberts

Walk and Read at Mosher

ead, be active, and get outside all in one visit to Mosher Park! Visit our newly installed StoryWalk and read Duck on a Bike by David Shannon. Start at Park Avenue, walk, skip, or jump from page to page. Before you know it, you will have read the entire book!

The Library at the Farmer's Market

We plan to have a booth at the Farmer's Market at Coeyman's Landing on Wednesday, August 26th. Stop by with your Library card and pick up a staff selected "Bundle of Books"; we'll have mysteries, romance, kids' books and, more. Chat with everyone's favorite staff member, Brendon, for some Library good cheer!

RCS COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Thursday Morn Storytimes

Enjoy some fresh air and a socially distant storytime on Thursday mornings at 10 am in the pavilion at Mosher Park. Sign up is required and limited and you can register through the Library website. Our storytime is planned for children age 3 to 6. Older siblings and infants are welcome but we know it's not reasonable to expect toddlers to socially distance so we ask that families with kids that age not sign up. And because we have so few slots, please let us know if something comes up and you can t make it! Bring a picnic blanket!

New Fiction

"Just Like You," by Nick Hornby

"Chaos," by Iris Johansen

"Next to Last Stand," by Craig Johnson

"The Exiles," by Christina Baker Kline

"Robert B. Parker's Fool's Paradise," by Mike Lupica

"To Sleep in a Sea of Stars," by Christopher Paolini

"The Coast-to-Coast Murders," by James Patterson

"All the Devils Are Here," by Louise Penny "The Book of Two

Ways," by Jodi Picoult "Shadows in Death," by JD Robb

"The Return," by Nicolas Sparks.

— Carole Melewski

Miss Lisa's Library Tots

will hold a fun and interactive Zoom live session of Library Tots from 10 to 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, Sept. 10. Enjoy some special time of book reading, songs, rhymes, lap bounces and action rhymes. For ages 0-24 months with parent/caregiver.

Fun Time Library Tots Activity Bags will be available for those who register for the class. Items included, such as a board book for choral reading and interactive props, will be used during the class.

Please register to receive the Zoom link and to pick up the Fun Time Library Tots Activity Bag (your child's name will be on it) before the session.



Holiday Hours

In observance of Labor Day, the Library will be closed Saturday, Sept. 5 through Monday, Sept. 7. Regular Phase 4 hours/ services will resume on Tuesday, Sept. 8.

Graphic Novel Book Club

Join us to discuss George Takei's graphic novel memoir, "They Called Us Enemy" via GoToMeeting on Friday, Aug. 28, at 7 p.m.. Participants may join through the video conference or by phone. Please register to get invitation. This book can be

read digitally on Hoopla, Libby, and Overdrive. Several copies will be available to check out at the library. Please call to reserve: 518-765-2791.

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Spend less on food without sacrificing taste or nutrition. Plan ahead and shop smarter! Great resources, websites and planning tools. Join us at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 20, for a virtual presentation by Karen Robert Mort from Cornell Cooperative Extension. Please register for this event to be sent the virtual link for the program.

— Lynn Kohler

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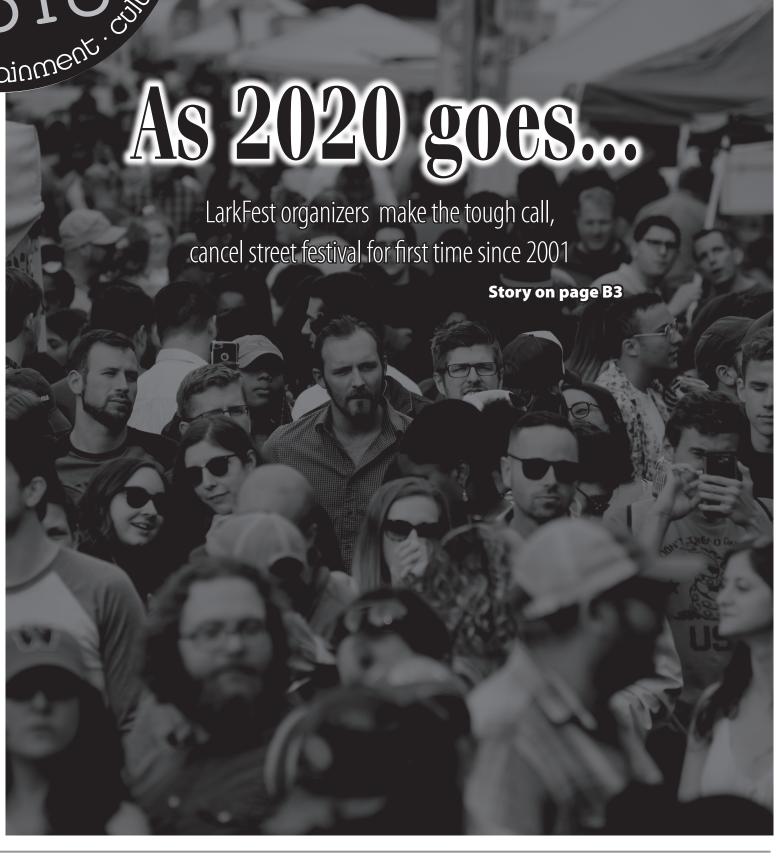
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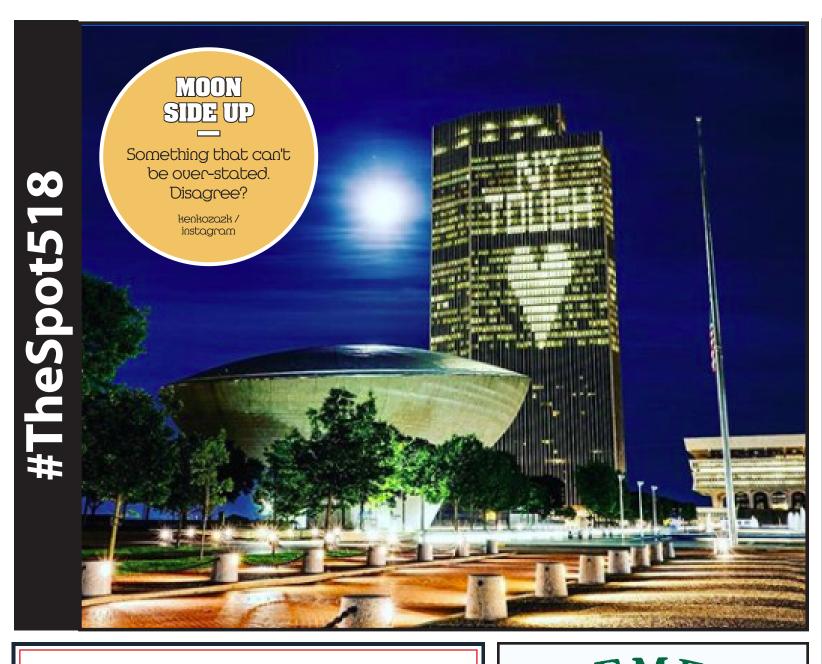








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LarkFest knocked out by the bug

Annual street festival canceled for first time since 2001

ALBANY — As 2020 goes, so does LarkFest.

Organizers of the annual street festival made it official late last week. A statement from the Lark Street BID shared what the rest of the Capital District had already assumed. No live music. No street vendors. No LarkFest for

Touted as the largest one-day street festival in New York, LarkFest features top-tier local musicians on stages that bookend street vendors peddling a variety of exotic foods, arts and services. It highlights the diverse character of Lark Street that often draws comparisons to New York City.

"To us, LarkFest is a celebration of everything unique and exciting about Lark Street, and the creative culture of the greater Capital Region of New York," Lark Street BID said in a statement last Friday. "This year, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we are unable to hold this event we so dearly cherish."

It's the first time LarkFest has been canceled since 2001. The festival was canceled shortly after the terrorist attacks of 9/11.

Since state-mandated shutdowns were enforced in March, establishments have slowly opened back for





The scene as it was at LarkFest 2018.

business. However, CDC suggestions have molded a new overall experience defined by masks, social distancing and limited crowd sizes.

Farmers Markets, like the one in Washington Park, have been allowed

to reopen through Gov. Andrew Cuomo's tiered opening schedule. Those require vendors wear masks, and several more markets aid customers by marking the ground to encourage social distancing. LarkFest, which commonly

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packs the block each year, would not have maintained safe distancing.

"The safety of our community always has been, and will continue to be, our highest priority,' said Lark Street BID.

— Michael Hallisey



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she learned during the quarantine,

overwhelming," she said.

but her page has taken off. "It's been

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Student entrepreneurs having an impact upon their community before graduating college

Recently, Namkoong has started to take clothes around her house that were about to be donated and sew them for sale. "I found I really enjoyed taking old things and making them new," she said.

Half of Namkoong's proceeds go toward the Black Trans Travel Fund, an organization that provides safe transportation for Black trans women in New York and New Jersey to prevent assaults on public transportation. Namkoong said, "I felt really good about giving to an organization where you can see the local effects of your donations." So far, Namkoong has raised over \$1,000 for the Black Trans Travel Fund from LivThread.

Namkoong's best friend, Dahlia Earleywine, also started a business to raise donations. Earleywine is currently fundraising for the Equal Justice Initiative to end mass incarceration and excessive punishment. Earleywine creates earrings to sell locally and donates 100 percent of her profits.



Olivia Namkoong is busy at work.

Provided photo

"If I was making a profit, it would be a matter of a couple of hundred dollars, and I realized that I don't need that," she said.

Earleywine said that she feels she has been successful. "If my initial goal was to raise money as a hobby for a good cause, then yes, I would

say I am successful," she said. Earleywine said she is proud of her and the other Instagram businesses because they are "healthy for the community."

Modish Mango, the business started by Preller, is also a sustainable business that helps the community and charities.

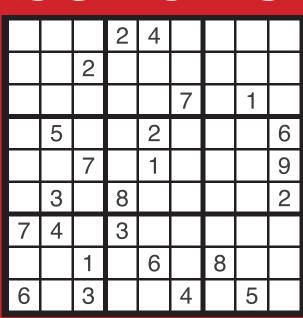
Like the other accounts, Preller started hers about a month ago. "I was thinking of what I've always loved: art and fashion. And as a public health major, I've always been interested in social issues," she said. For Preller, starting a business to raise money for the Black Trans Femmes in the Arts Collective seemed like a natural next step.

Preller makes clothing that is completely sustainable and environmentally friendly. Prior to starting Modish Mango, she designed tote bags that raised over \$300 for charity. "Everyone can give in some way," she said. And for Preller, Modish Mango has been her way of giving back.

These three gifted women have created an opportunity for sustainable and ethical fashion in Bethlehem. Each of them spoke about the desire to help others, uplift Black voices, and remain environmentally conscious. Their impact can be seen through their success as the accounts continue to grow.

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Social distancing as nature intended



How to hike safely in remote areas

any people have rediscovered the great outdoors in the wake of the COVID-19 outbreak. Social distancing measures have greatly restricted indoor gatherings, but outdoor activities,

Remote hiking trails provide perfect opportunities to experience the wonder of nature while social distancing, but it's *imperative that hikers* take certain precautionary measures on such excursions in order to stay

social distancing, but it's imperative that hikers take certain precautionary measures on such excursions in order to stay

the wonder of nature while

Pack extra clothing

Extra clothing is vital on a remote hiking excursion

> for a number of reasons. Some extra socks, a wind- and rain-resistant jacket and an extra pullover can help hikers stay warm and dry if the weather changes while they're hiking and trying to return to their vehicles. In addition, extra clothing can help hikers stay warm if they suffer an injury

while hiking and need to camp overnight once the sun goes down.

particularly once parks were

reopened, allowed people

to get out of their homes

while still keeping their

distance from others.

Remote hiking

trails provide perfect

opportunities to experience

Pack extra food

Extra food and water is just as vital when hiking

remote areas as extra clothing. Extra food can make emergency situations more manageable, helping people avoid hunger if they need to camp overnight or simply keep their energy up on long hikes. Trail mix tends to be high in calories and full of protein, making it an ideal, easily packed food to bring along on a hiking trip.

Don't go it alone

Solo hiking can be a great way to connect with nature, but it's always best to hike remote areas with at least one other person. Hiking in pairs ensures someone is there to seek help if a hiker is injured and rendered immobile while out on the trails.

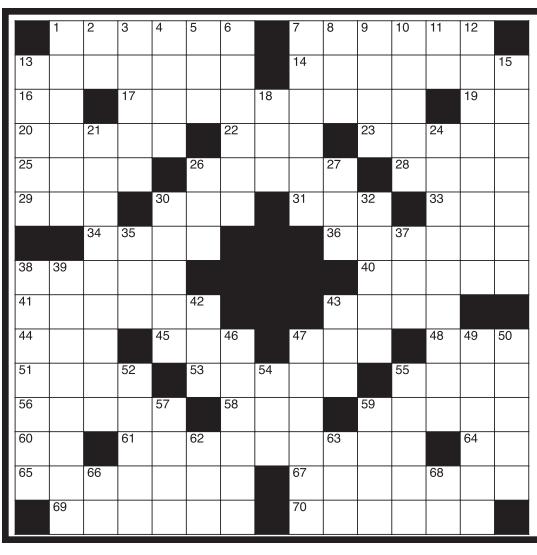
Let others know where you are

If going on a solo hike or even with a partner, share your location and intended hiking route with a loved one who is not coming along for the hike. Let this person know when you intend to return and that you will call them when you safely make it back to your vehicle. If the call never comes, your loved one can then alert the appropriate authorities and share detailed information about where you are hiking.

Bring maps

Pack a road map showing the way to the trail and a map of the park itself. Remote areas may not have the best internet connections, rendering car GPS systems useless. And a printed map of the park can help hikers reduce their risk of getting lost once inside the park. Pick up or order a map of the park in the days prior to your trip. Don't wait until you arrive at the park to get a map, as the park may not have any on hand.

Hiking remote areas is an ideal activity in the age of social distancing. But safety must be a priority on such trips.



CLUES ACROSS

- 7. Attacks
- 13. One who has left prison
- 14. Goes against 16. Atomic #37
- 17. Home of The Beatles
- 19. Mac alternative 20. A common boundary with
- 22. Fluid in a plant
- 23. Genus that includes scads 25. Longer of the forearm bones
- 26. Gradually disappears
- 28. Al risk assessor
- 29. Type of whale
- 30. Jaws of a voracious animal
- 31. Patriotic women (abbr.) 33. Ancient Egyptian God
- 34. Obsessed with one's appearance
- 36. Erase
- 38. A type of smartie
- 40. Nostrils
- 41. Influential French thinker
- 43. Popular K-pop singer 44. One point south of due east
- 45. Payroll company
- 47. Moved quickly on foot 48. Bar bill
- 51. An idiot 53. Indicates silence
- 55. Protein-rich liquids
- 56 Rhythmic natterns
- 58. Scatter
- 59. Belongs to bottom layer 60. Impulsive part of the mind
- 61. Carousel
- 64. Type of degree
- 65. Ornamental molding 67. Locks in again
- 69. Sounds the same
- 70. Come into view

CLUES DOWN Speak rapidly

- 2. Trauma center
- 3. River in W. Africa
- Ancient Greek district 5. Bulgaria's monetary unit
- 6. Children's ride 7. Absorbed liquid
- 8. Markets term
- 9. Retail term recording sales
- 10. Automaton
- 11. Spanish form of "be"
- 12. Divide
- 13. Malaysian sailing boat 15. Writers
- 18. Cool! 21. Popular tourist attraction studio
- 24. Sets free 26. An enthusiastic devotee of sports
- 27. Unhappy 30. Alternate term for Holy Scripture
- 32. Influential French scholar
- 35. What thespians do
- 37. Local area network 38. Free from contamination
- 39. Coastal region of Canada
- 42. Sun up in New York
- 43. High schoolers' exam
- 46. Fathers
- 47. Call it a career
- 49. Suitable for growing crops
- 50. Rose-red variety of spinel 52. Orange-brown in color
- 54. Lowest point of a ridge between two peaks
- 55. Late TNT sportscaster
- 57. A way to wedge
- 59. Cold, dry Swiss wind
- 62. Hockey players need it
- 63. Something highly prized
- 66. Atomic #45
- 68. Top lawyer

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ARIES - MAR 21/APR 20

Aries, you feel a desire to be of service to others. Humanitarian tendencies are a trait that you should be proud to display. Keep up all of the good work.

TAURUS - APR 21/MAY 21

Taurus, if you have been seeking a romantic partner you may fall in love over the next few days. For those who are in relationships, the bonds of love only grow stronger.

GEMINI - MAY 22/JUN 21

Several powerful events have the potential to improve the positive energy surrounding you, Gemini. Bask in this warmth and the good news it is likely to bring.

CANCER - JUN 22/JUL 22

Cancer, you may meet some new people who can introduce you to some other new and influential people. It is always beneficial to expand your network.

LEO - JUL 23/AUG 23

Some exciting experiences are coming your way this week, Leo. You may discover a talent you didn't know you had, or you may involve yourself in a creative endeavor.

VIRGO - AUG 24/SEPT 22

Virgo, you usually approach situations rationally and scientifically, but sometimes you need to throw caution to the wind. You might be surprised with the results.

LIBRA - SEPT 23/OCT 23

Libra, this week you may be feeling more intuitive than ever before. It may seem like you have psychic abilities. Pick up on the feelings and bits of information coming.

SCORPIO - OCT 24/NOV 22

Scorpio, now is the right time to be more idealistic. Embrace that mood. Put your energy toward being sensitive to social and political conditions and get your voice heard.

SAGITTARIUS - NOV 23/DEC 21

Business and money are going well for you, Sagittarius. You might be thinking in terms of making a big career change or even starting your own business.

CAPRICORN - DEC 22/JAN 20

You may be inclined to be more spiritual or metaphysical in the days to come, Capricorn. Explore all avenues of higher thinking, especially if you find it calming.

AQUARIUS - JAN 21/FEB 18

Aquarius, you tend to be sensitive to the feelings of others, and this is a good approach that will serve you and others in various ways. Maintain this sense of compassion.

PISCES - FEB 19/MAR 20

You tend to see those people closest to you in their best light, Pisces. Encourage them to do the same if a situation arises that requires it.







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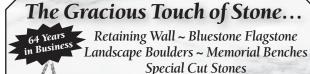
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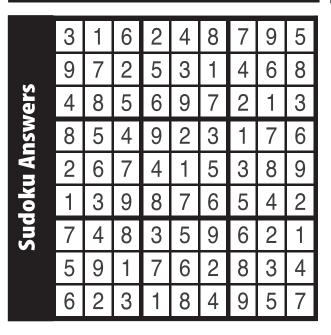
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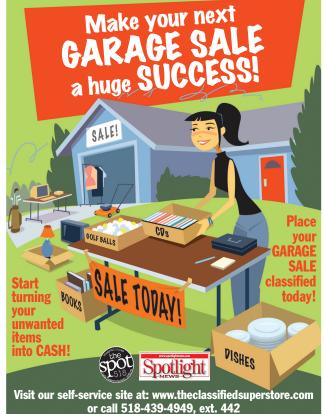
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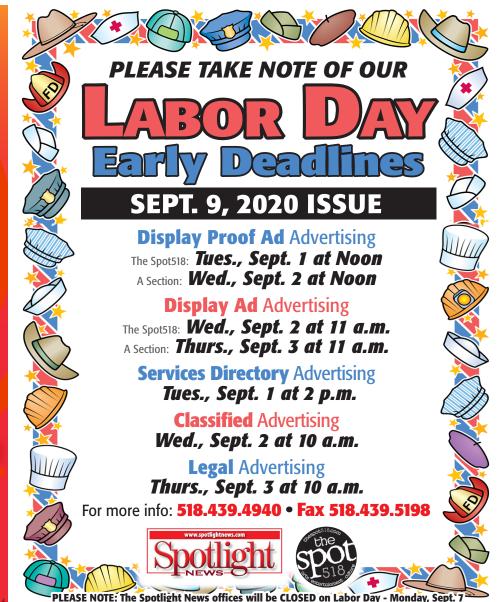


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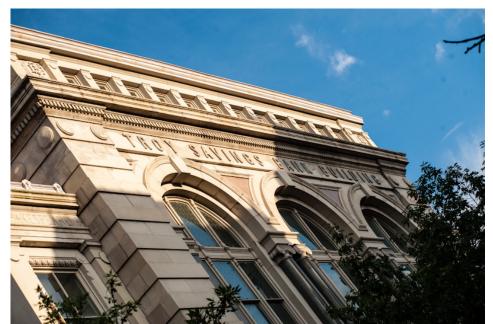
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fter the lazy days of summer, fall often arrives with packed schedules and everyone getting back on track, whether for work or school. Busy families may not have much time to spend in the kitchen these days, but they don't need to devote hours to cooking. Even quick meals can serve up significant flavor.

In the time it takes to boil rice, this recipe for "Creamy Rice With Roasted Shrimp and Tomatoes," courtesy of "Real Simple Dinner Tonight: Done" (Time Home Entertainment) from the editors of Real Simple, can be put on the table. Arborio rice makes this dish creamy, but if it's unavailable, long-grain rice also can be used — just follow the package directions for cooking.

Creamy Rice With Roasted Shrimp and Tomatoes

Ingredients: Serves 4

- tablespoons olive oil
- onion, finely chopped
- cup Arborio rice
- cup dry white wine

- Kosher salt and black pepper
- pound peeled and deveined medium shrimp
- pints grape tomatoes

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- sprigs fresh thyme
- cloves garlic

Instructions

Heat oven to 400 F. Heat 1 tablespoon of the oil in a large saucepan over medium heat. Add the onion and cook until soft, 5 to 7 minutes. Add the rice and wine and cook, stirring, until the wine is absorbed, 1 to 2 minutes.

Add 2 cups water and 1/4 teaspoon each salt and pepper to the saucepan. Simmer, covered, until the water is absorbed and the rice is tender, 18 to 20 minutes.

Meanwhile, on a rimmed baking sheet, toss the shrimp, tomatoes, thyme, and garlic with the remaining tablespoon of oil and 1/2 teaspoon each salt and pepper. Roast until the shrimp are opaque throughout, 15 to 20 minutes. Serve over the rice.

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