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Hugh Johnson forecasts better days ahead, if Washington behaves

By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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ALBANY - A prudent financial analyst will often shy away from overselling his optimism, but sometimes that can't be avoided.

Hugh Johnson, chairman and chief investment officer of Hugh Johnson Advisors in Albany, said he sees present-day indicators painting a "picture perfect" scenario for a positive economy leading into 2021.

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At the mansion Ten Broeck Mansion hosting Holiday House.

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Virus numbers on rise McCoy warns Albany County that the worse of it could still be ahead.

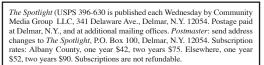
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IN BRIEF

Parade at Elm Ave Park

SELKIRK — The Bethlehem Police Department will host its 2020 holiday parade at Elm Avenue Park on Saturday, Dec. 12, from 5 to 8 p.m.

Dubbed the "special edition" of the normal parade, this year's event will be socially distanced and CDC compliant. Attendees will admire holiday lights and displays from their vehicles. The first 250 cars

with kids will receive a cupcake decorating kit from Perfect Blend Bakery and Café and a goodie bag with crafts and hot cocoa. Admission is free,

but a donation of a new, unwrapped toy is requested. Elm Avenue Park is

located at 249 Elm Ave., Delmar.

Diversity at BCHS

DELMAR — Bethlehem Central invites the community to participate in a four-part

series designed to bring an understanding of racial and cultural equity.

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COMMUNITY

Nurses strike

Albany Med staff hit picket lines for 24 hours

By JIM FRANCO

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ALBANY - Nurses at Albany Medical Center Hospital took to the streets today to protest what they say is a lack of sanitary Personal Protection Equipment, low wages and inadequate staffing.

PPE and the failure of the hospital to protect nurses and patients from COVID-19 is the latest grievance in a longstanding, two-year-plus labor dispute between nurses and the administration.

Inside, the hospital President and CEO Dennis McKenna, called the accusations unfounded. In the days and weeks leading up to the 24-hour strike, he and his staff have said the sanitization of PPE is done in accordance with the federal Center for Disease Control guidelines and is the same procedure followed by 90 percent of the hospitals across the country.

At a press conference, he said the majority of nurses working at Albany Med showed up to work while the strike was going on outside, the remaining roughly 25 percent of the shifts were filled by temporary nurses.

About 300 nurses and supporters – many clad in red ponchos, hats and gloves sporting a New York Nurses Association logo - were standing along New Scotland Avenue along the hospital while a band played across the street.

The day after the Dec. 1 strike, the hospital banned nurses from returning to work. Officials previously said they had to hire temporary nurses for three days they

fulfilled that contract through Thursday. Striking nurses were allowed back to work on Friday, Dec. 4.

Also, on Dec. 4, McKenna said in a video saying NYSNA hired a billboard truck with his photo, address and phone number on it to drive around the Capital District. One day, he said, it followed his 10-year-old son from the bus stop to school as a way to, unsuccessfully, intimidate him.

"How NYSNA knew where my son's bus stop was you would have to ask them," he said. "If the goal was to scare and intimidate the children. NYSNA, you did that. You targeted and scared children. NYSNA, do you have no shame?"

NYSNA, in a statement, called the allegations, "beyond absurd."

Let me be clear: the New York State Nurses Association would never follow, harass or intimidate families or children, period — those accusations are beyond absurd," said NYSNA Executive Director Pat Kane. "We spend our lives caring for the community, and it's insulting that Dr. McKenna would even say that.

"Dr. McKenna should stop making up issues, stop deflecting and start fixing the fact that his hospital is not following proper protocols."

He did acknowledge hiring the truck to drive around the Capital District.

McKenna used the video, which was viewed by nearly 12,500 people, to thank the some 500 nurses who did not strike and to ask all the nurses if NYSNA "is a union you want to be associated with. Are these the tactics you support?"



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Christmas tree roots

GLENMONT — It took a joint effort between the Bethlehem Highway Department and Advantage Tree Service of Delmar to cut down and transport this year's Christmas Tree to the Four Corners. The crew spent a misty Tuesday morning on Dec. 1 to cut down the 35-year-old pine tree from Barkman Farms. Peg Barkman said she was sad to see the tree go. She and her husband had planted it soon after moving to their home. This year's tree is one of two the Barkman's donated to the town for the holiday. Its twin was planted at Four Corners last year.

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BUSINESS

COVID testing of airport employees to start Friday

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It demonstrates the power of public higher education to

be a critical resource to tackle the challenges we face."

UAlbany, Albany International to test airport employees and travelers using FDA approved saliva test

ALBANY - State University of New York Chancellor Jim Malatras announced today with Upstate Medical President Mantosh Dewan, M.D. and Albany International Airport CEO Philip Calderone a COVID-19 partnership to test airport employees and travelers.

The University at Albany will begin voluntary testing of the airport's employees at no cost on a regular basis beginning on Friday, Dec. 11, subject to final airport board approval.

"SUNY has led the way in developing solutions to combating COVID-19 from producing face shields to providing the healthcare workforce to Upstate Medical University's state of the art testing approved by the FDA," said Chancellor Malatras. "It demonstrates the power of public higher education to be a critical resource to tackle the challenges we face."

The University at Albany has been able to conduct more than 200,000 tests weekly this semester aided by a series of major breakthroughs at SUNY Upstate Medical. Both the New York State Department of Health and FDA gave approval for an individual saliva swab test developed by Upstate Medical and Quadrant Biosciences. By combining this groundbreaking individual saliva swab test with Upstate Medical's state-approved pooled testing protocol.

Both the individual test and the pooled test developed by Upstate

Medical and Quadrant can be done using saliva swabs rather than by swabs inserted in a person's nose.

Individuals administer the tests themselves, swabbing their mouths and provide the saliva samples to Upstate Medical. Their samples are combined into one, which is tested for COVID 19 virus.

A negative test means that all 10-25 people in the group are presumed at the time to be coronavirus-free.

A positive test for the pool would mean each individual saliva sample within the pool would need to be tested again individually to pinpoint exact positive cases. The rapid retesting does not require people in the positive pool to return to submit an entirely new sample. This greatly accelerates the process and expands testing capacity.

"Albany International Airport continues to advance its Smart Airport approach to become the first airport in New York State to offer saliva diagnostic testing," Albany International Airport CEO Philip Calderone said. "COVID-19 testing is an essential step to insure the health and safety of our workforce and the traveling public and we are grateful to Governor Andrew

— Jim Malatras, State University of New York Chancellor

Cuomo, State University Chancellor Jim Malatras, SUNY Upstate President Mantosh Dewan and Richard Uhlig, CEO of Quadrant Biosciences for sharing their COVID-19 testing knowledge and experience."

Albany International Airport will complete construction of a testing site this week and staff the facility to provide tests to employees. Tests will be handed out and employees may administer it themselves on site, and will be conducted within a structure that allows for social distancing. Tests will be collected and sent to Upstate Medical for analysis

The expansion is possible by SUNY Upstate's innovative pooled surveillance testing protocols with a capacity of 200,000 tests per week.

Testing for passengers will be available to purchase at approximately \$30 at the end of this month to allow travelers to test in advance of their flights or just after their return. Arriving passengers will have the option to purchase a take home kit with instructions to test themselves after day four of their flight and they would be able to mail the test to Upstate Medical for analysis.

BUSINESS

CSX to acquire New England railway

Business rival already balking CSX purchase of Pan Am

By MICHAEL HALLISEY halliseym@spotlightnews.com

SELKIRK — CSX Corps' pending acquisition of a New England railway company must first be approved by a regulatory board that has already fielded concerns from a rival.

CSX announced Monday, Nov. 30 that it had signed a definitive agreement to acquire Pan Am Railways, Inc., whose subsidiaries comprise the largest regional railroad on the continent.

Pan Am's network across New England has access to multiple ports and large-scale commodity producers. The transaction will expand CSX's reach in Connecticut, New York and "In Pan Am, CSX gains a strong regional rail network in one of the most densely populated markets in the U.S., creating new efficiencies and market opportunities for customers as we continue to grow."

> James M. Foote, president and chief executive officer of CSX

Massachusetts while adding Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine to its existing 23-state network.

"In Pan Am, CSX gains a strong regional rail network in one of the most densely populated markets in the U.S., creating new efficiencies and market opportunities for customers as we continue to grow," said James M. Foote, president and chief executive officer of CSX.

CSX made nearly \$1.5 billion in infrastructure capital expenditures in its network in 2019. Last month, the railway earned a place on the Dow Jones Sustainability Index North America for the 10th consecutive year after a review of 102 companies. It's place on the index is a distinction it shares with no other railroad. CSX is ranked among the top 15 transportation and transportation infrastructure companies worldwide.

CSX stands to obtain an additional 1,200-mile network and a partial interest in another 600mile system in Pan Am Southern, in which Norfolk Southern Railway Co. has a joint venture valued at \$140 million with Pan Am.

Pan Am's routes stretch from Saint John, New Brunswick to New York's Capital District, and reach into northern Maine and New Brunswick. Primary commodities handled include grain, coal, sand and gravel, food products, lumber, paper and pulp, chemicals and plastics, petroleum, processed minerals, metals, scrap metal, finished automobiles and intermodal trailers and containers.

Pan Am entered the rail business in 1981 when the company, then known as Guilford Transportation Industries, purchased the Maine Central Railroad. In 1983, Guilford purchased the bankrupt Boston & Maine. The railroad later purchased Pan Am Airways from bankruptcy in 1998 and revived the airline. In 2006 the company rebranded as Pan Am.

"Pan Am is pleased to reach this agreement with CSX, a North American leader in rail-based freight transportation," said David A. Fink, president of Pan Am Railways. "This is great news for New England shippers and the national freight network overall."

Terms of the transaction were not disclosed, but Trains magazine quoted a purchase price of approximately \$700 million from people familiar with the matter.

Timothy Mellon, heir of the Mellon family fortune that once exceeded the combined worth of both the Rockefeller and Kennedy dynasties, is Pan Am's chairman and majority shareholder. Industry experts recall several rumors of railroad companies courting such a sale in the past. Those experts believe Mellon, now 78, finally placed the railroad up for sale in July to pull his family out from the industry. He's been with the railroad since the beginning.

The transaction is subject to regulatory

review and approval by the Surface Transportation Board. Norfolk Southern. submitted a letter to the board in early November to express its concern over the then-rumored transaction.

"One of the main benefits of [Norfolk Southern]'s and Pan Am's joint control and ownership of [Pan Am Southern] was to strengthen competition with [CSX]," stated Michael L. Rosenthal, counsel for Norfolk Southern Railway Co. Norfolk Southern continued to argue that the regulatory body recognized its 2009 venture with Pan Am "would significantly increase competition" with CSX. "Any [CSX] effort to acquire Pan Am would threaten to materially undermine this existing competition, thus impacting not only Norfolk Southern Railway, but also rail shippers and other railroads."



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COMMUNITY

Santa days 2020

Cardiac Kids 'Breakfast with Santa' gets a 2020 Update

ALBANY — The setting was different, but the spirit was the same as 35 of the families who make up the Cardiac Kids group of the Capital Region gathered by Zoom for their annual Breakfast with Santa.

Just as it would have been had they gathered in person, the kids talked over each other – sharing stories of Elves on the Shelves, asking when Santa would be there, and showing off the coloring pages they had done in advance of the gathering.

The group settled as the American Heart Association's Heart Challenge Director, Kim Sheedy, welcomed the group, interrupted only a couple of times by "When is Santa coming?"

Vicki Longshot read her book, "Twas the Night Before Christmoose," while Longshot the Moose danced behind her. The kids again showed their coloring pages – which were pictures of Longshot. The story is based on the time a moose wandered onto the track at Saratoga Race Course. Longshot also offered the families a discount on purchases of her book.

Mrs. Claus took a break from her work with Santa

and the elves to share a few jokes and ask some trivia questions. "What do the elves learn in school?" "The Elf-abet" made everyone laugh, and the young group was surprisingly skilled at knowing what happens in "It's a Wonderful Life" every time a bell rings (an angel gets his wings).

Mary Daikos, mother of Ella, who was born with a congenital heart defect, sang a few songs to herald the arrival of The Big Man himself. With a ringing of a bell, Santa appeared, comfortably seated on a hassock in front of a Christmas tree. He chatted with the children for a while before telling them that he had dropped off \$25 gift cards for each child – Cardiac Kids and their siblings with the American Heart Association. The cards will be mailed out this week.

"Like so many, all of us who are part of the Cardiac Kids group have reduced the number of activities we participate in," said Jennifer Corcoran Conway, mother of the 2021 Heart Hero of the Capital Region Heart Walk and Run, 8-year-old Aedan. Conway is also a partner at Tully Rinckey and chair of the Capital Region Board of Directors at the American Heart Association. "The Heart Association's Breakfast with Santa is an important tradition for all of us, and I'm glad we figured out a

way to make this happen so our children can gather the way 2020 has us all gathering – digitally. We're glad that Santa can join us by Zoom and we can celebrate together."

One in 100 children is born with a congenital heart defect, the most common birth defect. The American Heart Association is committed to improving the lives of our Cardiac Kids. One of the Cardiac Kids, who attended her first Heart Walk in a stroller, graduated from high school this year, and a 62-year-old woman born with a heart defect frequently attends meetings. The American Heart Association and the Children's Heart Foundation committed to funding \$22.5 million in research about congenital heart defects by the year 2022.

The American Heart Association is devoted to saving people from heart disease and stroke – the two leading causes of death in the world. We team with millions of volunteers to fund innovative research, fight for stronger public health policies, and provide lifesaving tools and information to prevent and treat these diseases.

To learn more or to get involved, call 1-800-AHA-USA1, visit heart.org.

POLICE, FIRE and EMERGENCY CALLS

Charges dropped against realtor WATERVLIET

- All criminal charges against the owner of a real estate company are being dropped.

According to the attorney representing Anthony Gucciardo, the charges are adjourned in contemplation of dismissal with the final dismissal set to go into effect later this month. Gucciardo owns the Gucciardo Real Estate Group based out of Latham. According to its website, it closed on more than \$95 million in sales in 2018. He has been a licensed real realtor for 19 years and of his staff of nearly 20, 14 are women, according to a press release announcing the disposition of his case.

Watervliet police arrested him in April on charges of stalking, harassment and falsely reporting an incident based on a complaint filed by his ex-fiancé and her mother, according to his attorney, George LaMarche III.

"Mr. Gucciardo admitted no guilt or any wrongdoing and is not required to pay any court fees," according to a statement released by LaMarche. "This result comes after a nearly eightmonth legal battle wherein Mr. Gucciardo steadfastly maintained his innocence."

Guilty plea in Albany riot case

ALBANY — A 26-yearold Delmar man faces four years and three years in prison and three years of post-release supervision after pleading guilty to throwing a brick at a police officer during a riot.

James Vail pleaded guilty to second degree assault, a felony, in front of Albany County Judge Roger McDonough. He will get sentenced on Jan. 22. On May 30, at around 8 p.m., during a riot outside the Albany Police Department station on Arch Street, Vail "participated" in a riot and caused damage to a marked Albany Police Department vehicle," and "also threw a brick at an Albany police officer, striking him in the head," according to District Attorney David Soares.

The officer sustained a concussion, shoulder pain and a bulging disc in his neck that required treatment at a local hospital, Soares said.

On May 30, a large rally was held in Albany to protest the killing of George Floyd at the hands of Minneapolis police.

Later that night, the rally devolved into a riot. Officers were pelted with garbage, rocks and Molotov cocktails outside the station on Arch Street and scores of businesses and municipal buildings were looted.

— Jim Franco



OBITUARIES

Hofer, Karl

GUILDERLAND — Karl Hofer, 99, formerly of Guilderland, died peacefully in his sleep on November 30, 2020.

Beloved husband of over 50 years to the late Maria Antonia (Toni), he is survived by his daughters and sons-in-law, Carol and Ron Stack and Lore and Joe Iannelli; and his four grandchildren, Katie, Michael, Colleen and Claire.

He is also survived by his brother, Wilfried; and sisters, Irmgard Getzlaff and Brigitte Leiss; as well as numerous cousins, nieces, and nephews. Funeral services will be private at the convenience of the family.

Kahl, William F.

SLINGERLANDS — On December 4, 2020, William F. Kahl, devoted husband and loving father, passed away at the age of 98.

"Bill," as he was known to friends and family, was born May 23, 1922, in Newport, R.I., to Bessie and William Kahl. He received his B.A. from Brown University, and his M.A. and PhD degrees from Harvard University, focusing on European history. While obtaining his masters, Bill taught at Boston University. After earning his Ph.D, he then moved to Simmons College where he met his future wife, Mary Hartwell Carson, of Rochester, N.Y. The two were married in 1964 in the Harvard chapel. Bill served as provost at Simmons College for close to a decade. He then accepted an invitation from Russell Sage College in Troy, N.Y., where he served as president from 1976 to

his retirement in 1988. Bill was a devoted historian and strong advocate for women's education. A child of the Depression, Bill learned early how empowering education can be. In fact, Bill embodied the dignity that knowledge and critical thinking confer. At both Simmons and Sage, he focused on modernizing the curriculum for women's education, opening the way for women to have careers beyond the prescribed roles of that era. He was active in the community, serving on multiple boards, some of which include the Hudson River Valley Association, Albany Symphony Orchestra, the State Bank of Albany, the Tenement Museum in New York City, Albany Institute of History and Art, the Wildwood School and Albany Academy for Girls.

Bill was an avid reader who always had his nose planted in a newspaper or a book. When you could tear him away from his reading chair, he loved walking in nature, and visiting museums and historical sites.

Bill and his wife, Mary, traveled extensively in Europe, Turkey, and China, and spent the summers enjoying the arts by listening to classical music at Tanglewood, watching the ballet at the Saratoga Performing Arts Center, or attending an opera at Glimmerglass. Most of all, Bill was known for his dry sense of humor and his kind, caring, and

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compassionate spirit that he shared with students, colleagues, friends, and family.

Bill was preceded in death by his two sisters, Avis and Evelyn Marden; and he is survived by his wife, Mary; and his two children, Frederick and Sarah Kahl. A memorial service will be held at a future date to be announced. Donations in his name may be made to the William F. and Mary C. Kahl Campus Center Endowment Fund at Russell Sage College, 65 1st Street, Troy, NY 12180.

Messinger, Todd S.

DELMAR — Todd S.Messinger, 46, passed away peacefully December 3, 2020.

Born in Poughkeepsie, he is the son of Steven and Patricia Messinger of Delmar. Todd was a graduate of Arlington High School. He enjoyed watching Pro Football, listening to music and audiobooks and discussing politics. Todd loved to travel with his family, especially to Fenwick Island, Myrtle Beach, Fla. and historic sites such as Gettysburg, Jefferson Monticello, Washington D.C. and the Wright Brothers Museum at Kittyhawk. He was a true patriot, with a passion for American history.

Todd is predeceased by maternal and paternal grandparents; uncle, Joseph Provenzon; and beloved dog, Ginger. In addition to his parents, he is survived by his sister, Tami (Brink) Hartman; niece and nephew, Maggie and Andrew Hartman; aunts, Karen Provenzon and Nancy Levine; and uncles, David Byrnes and John Byrnes; as well as a host of cousins and his dog, Franklin.

A visitation was held on Tuesday, December 8, followed by a service at New Comer Funerals & Cremations, 343 New Karner Road, Colonie NY 12205. Interment will take place Wednesday, December 9, at 11 a.m. at Montrepose Cemetery, 75 Montrepose Ave., Kingston, N.Y. Social distance practices will be in effect, chapel size is restricted to current NYS guidelines and masks are required in the building.

Stephany, Thomas R.

DELMAR — Thomas R. Stephany, 63 of Delmar, died peacefully at Albany Medical Center December 1, 2020, after a courageous battle with COVID-19 complicated by Parkinson's disease.

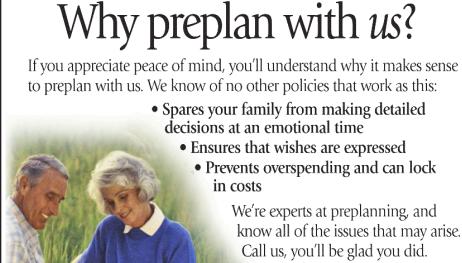
Born in Albany, Tom lived all his life in Delmar. He retired from the Bethlehem Central School district after 33 years of service. He was well-liked by co workers, students and faculty alike. Tom was known for his self-effacing manner, gentle kindness, generosity, humor (remember that Seinfeld episode where), impersonations, love of music, love of animals and nature, riding trains, and most of all, his passion for anything having to do with airplanes. Though he lost most of his sight in his left eye as a boy from an accident, he acquired his private pilot's license in his early twenties and loved flying. He also became a member of the Civil Air Patrol. Friends and family members would occasionally accompany him on his flights to experience the thrill of being closer to the sky. After one of his flights by himself, he wrote a powerful exposé of coming close to flying into a thunderstorm. He was extremely knowledgeable of weather patterns and all types of aircraft. He could tell you without looking, what plane was flying above by the sound it made.

In addition, Tom was a superb model airplane builder and won many awards over the years with his meticulous and accurate detailing. Within a couple of years of Tom's Parkinson's diagnosis, his days of piloting planes were soon over. Nevertheless, he attended countless airline conventions all www.spotlightnews.com

over the country, always enjoying what he could, while he could, and never complaining as the disease progressed. The joy he took in flying was replaced by a quiet resolve to fight Parkinson's in whatever way he could. He volunteered for various research studies all over the region. Through support groups he forged deep friendships that nurtured a profound appreciation for the good Parkinson's brought into his life.

Tom became active with Hope Soars, a non-profit organization based in Albany for the Parkinson's community, providing awareness, education, and research. In addition to spinning, cycling and yoga, Tom and many others began boxing (non-contact) at Schott's Gym. Tom loved it. Not only did it help with coordination and movement, but it gave him an opportunity to have it out with Parkinson's on the punching bag.

As a parishioner of the First United Methodist Church of Delmar, Tom enjoyed volunteering at church events and participated as an occasional usher. Tom's gentle spirit, unrelenting positive nature, and sense of humor inspired so many. He will be greatly missed. Tom is survived by brothers Charlie Dunphy of Colonie, David Stephany of Delmar, Joe Rose of Green Bay, Wisc., David DiMezza of Latham; and sister Marie Luthringer of Toms River, N.J. Not to be forgotten, his beloved cat, Mitzi. Tom is predeceased by his father Charles Stephany, February 2003; mother Ruth Carter, May 2001; and a brother Richard Dunphy January 2015. A private, graveside ceremony was held for immediate family and a few close friends. Memorial contributions may be made in Tom's name to the Hope Soars Fund for Parkinson's Research, c/o Albany Med Foundation, 43 New Scotland Ave., MC-119, Albany, NY 12208.



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CENTRAL WOODS LANE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/28/20. 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, 1350 Avenue of the Americas, 3rd Floor, New York, NY 10019. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-255843

NOTICE OF LLC Formation

10 TOMPKINS AVENUE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/15/20. 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, 105 Benedict Avenue. Staten Island, NY 10314. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-255553

> NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

104 HACKETT LLC. Arts. of Ora, filed with the SSNY on 11/03/20. Of-Albany County. fice: designated SSNY 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 Grossman & Grossman, 4 Executive Park Drive Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256209

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION 10718 HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/03/20. 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, 64-31 Ellwell Crescent, Rego Park, NY 11374. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

NOTICE OF LLC

D-256210

FORMATION 119 HART BH LLC. Arts. Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/13/13. Of-Albany County. fice: SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of proto the LLC, cess Metrotech Center, Suite Brooklyn. 2001. NY 11201. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255861

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION BROAD STREET 1706, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the filed SSNY on 09/18/20. Orignallv tary of State of Florida on 09/04/20. 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, 60 Cuttermill Road, Suite 505, Great Neck, NY 11021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256463

LEGALS NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION 15 ESSEX PLACE, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/27/20. 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 Giuseppe Gaudio, 410 Town Line Road, Commack, NY 11725. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-255753

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

157 COMMERCIAL 18 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/30/20. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2045. 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 BGans Management, 110 East 30th Street, Lbby 1, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

D-257689 NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

16 WEST 16TH STREET GARAGE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/25/20. 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 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257592

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION 160 EAST 88TH STREET GARAGE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/04/20. 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-256281 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION 1647 OVERING STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/23/20. 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, 1647 Overing Street, Bronx, NY 10469. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255644

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

EAST NEW YORK 1669 AVE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/26/20. 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, 209-10 42nd Avenue, Bay-side, NY 11361. Pur-pose: Any lawful purpose.

-255704 TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

Albany County -New York ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

LEGALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of . Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday, December 16, 2020 at 6:00 PM via Zoom to take action on

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1922 HOYT SY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/10/20.

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30th Road, #12D, Asto-

ria, NY 11102. Purpose:

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11/12/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat-

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against it may be served.

SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 195

Port Richmond Avenue,

Staten Island, NY 10302.

Purpose: Any lawful pur-

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Town Line Road, Com-

mack, NY 11725. Pur-

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2126 BOGART AVENUE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on

10/23/20. Office: Albany

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SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 2126 Bogart Avenue, Bronx, NY 10462. Pur-

pose: Any lawful pur-

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ASSOCIATES, LLC. Arts.

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216 BUEL AVENUE, LLC

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vatore Galofaro, 81 Cromwell Circle, Staten Island, NY 10304. Pur-pose: Any lawful pur-

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an application submitted by Martin's Food of South Burlington, LLC/ Hannaford Bros. for an Area Variance located at 180 Delaware Avenue, Delmar. The Applicant is proposing additiona wall signage that does not meet the Town Zoning Code requirements under Article VI, Section

128-59, Signs, J. Due to the public health and safety concerns re-lated to the novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) the Board will not be meeting in-person. In accordance with Executive Order 202.1, the meeting is being held electronically via video conference and a transcript will be provided at a later date.

Plans and other materials received related to the proposed application are available on the town's website:

townofbethlehem.org. Members of the public may view and listen to the meeting live by visiting the Town's Website and clicking on the MEETINGS bar along the left side of the page. Select Zoning Board of Appeals as Meeting Group and click on video icon for the meeting date. The public may also actively participate to provide comments during the public hearing by registering to attend the meeting via Zoom. A link to the registration and

instructions can be found on the CALENDAR located on the Order Town website by clicking the meeting date for the Zoning Board of Appeals meeting. Additionally, the public may submit comments to the Board in advance of the meeting. Public comments must be sub-

mitted via email to zoningboardofappeals@ townofbethlehem.org by 3 PM the day of the meeting in order for the comment to be read aloud by a Board Member during the public hearing and recorded into the minutes. The Board will close the public hearing and accept additional comments via email up until 48 hours after the meeting to ensure the Board receives and reviews all public

comments so submitted. Devaprasad, David Chairman Board of Appeals D-257881

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION 180 MYRTLE AVENUE 110 Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/23/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255646

To place your Legal Notice: Call 439-4949

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HOLDING LLC.

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Boulevard,

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LEGALS Town Line Road, Commack. NY 11725. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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2819 BRIGHTON 8 LLC

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Office: Albany County.

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shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 2215

East 4th Street, Brooklyn,

NY 11223. Purpose: Any

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305 EAST 86TH STREET GARAGE LLC. Arts. of

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AVENUE, LLC

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Redwood Top Holdings

LLC, Lizmar Mgmt, 124 Thompson Street, Suite F, New York, NY 10012.

Purpose: Any lawful pur-

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION 376 COMMACK ROAD, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/27/20. 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, c/o Giuseppe Gaudio, 410 Town Line Road, Commack, NY 11725. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-255759

NOTICE OF LLC

41 DEEP WOOD REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/10/20. 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. 146 Central Park Apartment 10F, York, NY 10023. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-256718

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FORMATION 410 TOWN LINE ROAD, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/27/20. 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, c/o Giuseppe Gaudio, 410 Town Line Road, Commack, NY 11725. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-255761

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FORMATION 421 ADELPHI ST APT G LLC. Arts. of Org. filed the SSNY with on 12/02/20. 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 Ulmann, Marion Bedford Avenue, Suite Brooklyn, NY Purpose: Any 1101 11211 lawful purpose.

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D-257907

422 MAGAZINE STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/08/20. 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 Arthur Pengu, 7 Mohawk Trail, Slingerlands, NY 12159. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255470

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

445 BUEL AVENUE, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/05/20. 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 Salupon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Giuseppe Gaudio, 410 vatore Galofaro, 81

Cromwell Circle, Staten Island, NY 10304. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256400 D-255758

Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/28/20. shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Nick Northern Boulevard, Jackson Heights, NY 11372. Purpose: Any

FORMATION

New York ZONING BOARD OF NOTICE OF PUBLIC Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a Public Hearing on West, New

Wednesday, December 16, 2020 at 6:00 PM via Zoom to take action on an application submitted by Kathleen Preston for an Area Variance located at 48 Fairway Avenue, Delmar. The Applicant is proposing construction of a shed that does not meet the Town Zoning Code requirements for total lot coverage under Article XIII, Section 128-

100 (A). Due to the public health and safety concerns re-lated to the novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) the Board will not be meeting in-person. In accordance with Executive Order 202.1, the meeting is being held electronically via video conference and a transcript will be provided at a lat-

er date. Plans and other materials received related to the proposed application are available on the town's website: townofbethlehem.org

Members of the public may view and listen to the meeting live by visiting the Town's Website clicking on the and MEETINGS bar along the left side of the page. Select Zoning Board of Appeals as Meeting Group and click on video icon for the meeting date.

The public may also actively participate to provide comments during the public hearing by registering to attend the meeting via Zoom. A link to the registration and instructions can be found on the CALENDAR located on the Town website by clicking the meeting date for the Zoning Board of Appeals meeting.

Additionally, the public may submit comments to the Board in advance of the meeting. Public comments must be sub-

mitted via email to zoningboardofappeals@ townofbethlehem.org by 3 PM the day of the meeting in order for the comment to be read aloud by a Board Member during the public hearing and recorded into the minutes. The Board will close the public hearing and accept

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mack, NY 11725. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION 28-34 47 STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/29/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon

Delmar, 12054,

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

York (SSNY) on October 30, 2020. Office location: The Mailing Address of the limited liability company s office is 329 Delaware Avenue,

cess to the LLC, 267 23rd Street, Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257822 28 FROST POND ROAD LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on

10/27/20. 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, c/o Giuseppe Gaudio, 410 Town Line Road, Com-

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2277 THIRD AVENUE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed bany County. SSNY deswith the SSNY on 11/03/20. Office: Albany ignated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-County. SSNY designat cess against it may be ed as agent of the LLC served. SSNY shall mail upon whom process against it may be served. copy of process to the LLC, 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 129 East 124th Street, New lawful purpose. NY 10035. Pur-D-256282 pose: Any lawful pur-NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION 311 FIFTH LLC. Arts. NOTICE OF LLC Org. filed with the SSNY

FORMATION on 11/23/20. Office: Al-EAST 63RD bany County. SSNY des-STREET/4TH FLOOR, ignated as agent of the LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/28/20. Office: Albany LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of the LLC copy of process to the LLC, 176 East 77th Street, Apartment 3G, upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of New York, NY 10075. Purpose: Any lawful purprocess to the LLC, c/o pose. D-257536 **NOTICE OF FORMATION** OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

Curt Kramer, 111 Great Neck Road, Suite 216, Great Neck, NY 11021.

Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255842 NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION 267 23RD STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/09/20. Office: Albany County. designated

SSNY agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-

cess to the LLC. 105 Metropolitan 3rd Floor, Brooklyn, NY 11249. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256799

LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/27/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC

the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC at 22 Clinton Avenue, Albany, New York 12207. For any lawful purpose. D-256117 NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

350 PANTIGO LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/12/20. Office: SSNY SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY

LEGALS additional comments via email up until 48 hours after the meeting to ensure the Board receives and reviews all public comments so submitted. David Devaprasad, Chairman Board of Appeals

D-257883 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION DONACK LANE LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/26/20. 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, 1350 Avenue of the Americas, 3rd Floor, New York, NY 10019. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255705

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION 531 86 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/02/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-cess against it may be served. SSNY shall mai copy of process to the LLC, 9322 Third Avenue, Suite 502, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256114

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7 INEZ LANE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/27/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated 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 Giuseppe Gaudio, 410 Town Line Road, Com-mack, NY 11725. Purpose: Any lawful pur-. pose. D-255762

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION 81 FLEET PLACE GARAGE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/23/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255645

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816 N. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/16/20. 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, 515 process to the LLC, Madison Avenue, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257336

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 11/19/20. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 01/07/2016. 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, 488 Madison Av-

LEGALS Suite 1230, NY 10022. enue. New York. Pur-Any lawful purpose: pose D-257481

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LLC, 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York,

NY 10016. Purpose: Any

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Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/29/20.

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NY 11713. Purpose: Any

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LLC, 334 West 87th Street, Unit PH-A, NY,

NY 10024. Purpose: Any

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BRISTOL ART ADVISO-RY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on

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enth Avenue, Suite 14-S,

New York, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

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85 LIBERTY AVENUE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/05/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. served. SSNY shall mail SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o LLC, 541 West 21st Street, New York, NY 10011. Purpose: Any Salvatore Galofaro, 81 Cromwell Circle. Staten Island, NY 10304, Purpose: Any lawful purlawful purpose. . pose. D-256401 D-257511

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FORMATION AZ-#3663 JEFFERSON FORMATION 91 LIBERTY AVENUE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/05/20. Office: Albany filed with the SSNY on 11/23/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o West 21st Street, New York, NY 10011. Pur-Salvatore Galofaro, 81 pose: Any lawful pur-Cromwell Circle, Staten Island, NY 10304. Purpose. D-257512 pose: Any lawful purpose.

D-256402 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION AFR CAPITAL ADVISO-RY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/23/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC. 50 Riverside Drive, Apartment 14F, New York, NY 10024. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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ANIMAL THINGDOM LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/05/20. 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, 60 8th Street, Apartment 333, Brooklyn, ıvı 11249. Purpose: Any Brooklyn, NY lawful purpose. D-256397

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ANTIQUE RUGS AND TEXTILES, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/27/20. 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, 39 East 31st Street, Suite 2, Brooklyn, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255736

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Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/09/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY des-NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION ignated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-HUBER cess against it may be HEIGHTS LLC. Arts. of served. SSNY shall mail Org. filed with the SSNY copy of process to the LLC, 181 Hudson Street, on 11/23/20. Office: Al-bany County. SSNY des-Apartment 2E, New York, NY 10013. Purignated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-cess against it may be pose: Any lawful purpose.

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FORMATION CDWLegacy, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/02/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated 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, 216-21 114th Road, Cambria Heights, NY 11411. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-257282

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FORMATION CHAPARRO AVENUE D LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/02/02. 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, 4212 Avenue D, Brooklyn, NY 11203. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257880

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FORMATION COLD SPRING ROAD 2020 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/02/20. 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. 57 West 16th Street, 4th New York, NY Floor, 10011 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256106 NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

COMBINED BY ALANNA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/23/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 9 E. 32nd Street, Apartment 8B, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257596

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FORMATION CUNNINGHAM FARM LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/18/20. 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, 48 East Maynes Avenue, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: Anv lawful purpose.

D-257423 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION CUNNINGHAM LAWN CARE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/18/20. Office: Albany

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pose. D-257424 NOTICE IF LLC FORMATION CXK GROUP, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/28/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Curt Kramer, 111 Great Neck Road, Suite 216, Great Neck, NY 11021. Pur-

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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, 65 Bayard Street, New York, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255963 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION DIAVERA, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY

on 10/29/20. Office: Al-bany 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 Jennifer Diaz, 51 West Mosholu Pkwy No., Apt 5D, Bronx, NY 10467. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256324

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

DREAM CAR NY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/12/20. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2119. Office: Al-bany 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, 4101 Boston Road,

pose D-256800 NOTICE OF LLC

Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2199. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 11 Field Daisy

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that the Planning Board LLC, 77-24 83rd Street, Glendale NY 11385 Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-257922

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will conduct a Public

Hearing as part of its

Board Meeting on Tues-day, 12/15/2020 at 6:00

p.m., at the Town Of-

Ave., Delmar, NY regard-ing a Special Use Per-

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tion for installation of a 35.2 kw roof mounted

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selman Solar represent-

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as shown on drawing entitled "LaBella Asso-

ciates, 25 Delaware Ave.,

Delmar, NY 12054", Town of Bethlehem, Al-

2/10/ 2020, prepared by

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Hearing will be mailed to

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2180 38th Street, Apart-ment D9, Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any

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ESTIA 455, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/09/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 455 Warren Street, Brooklyn, NY 11217. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

D-256535 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION FIT BODY SOLUTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/18/20. 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 Darren Brody, 1735 Street Yorktown Front Street, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256538

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FORNO DOLCE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 1416B Clintonville Street. Whitestone, NY 11357. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257743

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FROMARK LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/30/20. 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, 2820 Shipyard Lane, Unit 3L, East Marion, NY 11939. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256024

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

G&S 3RD AVENUE LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/03/20. 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, 681 81st Street, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

GALOFARO FAMILY. with the SSNY on 10/30/20. 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 Salvatore Galofaro, 81 Cromwell Circle, Staten Island, NY 10304. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256025

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NOTICE, TOWN OF BETHLEHEM, ALBANY COUNTY, NY. Notice is hereby given

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LEGALS **NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY**

COMPANY NAME: GLENSMERE GUERNSEY FARM LLC Articles of Organization were filed with the Sec-retary of State of New York (SSNY) on October 21, 2020. Office loca-tion: The Mailing Address of the limited liability company s office is 94 Teasdale Drive, Slingerlands. N.Y. 12159, County of Al-SSNY has been bany. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC at 22 Clinton Avenue, Albany, New York 12207. For any lawful purpose. C-255555

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

GOOD PROPERTIES 1713 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 09/27/19. 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, 1657 Lurting Avenue, Γ́Ι.C. Bronx, NY 10461. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-257416

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION GOOD PROPERTIES 933 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/12/20. 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, 1187 Van Nest Avenue. Bronx, NY 10461. Pur-pose: Any lawful purpose. D-257417

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FORMATION **GOOD PROPERTIES 975** LLC. Arts. of Org. filed SSNY with the on 12/20/18. 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, 1657 Lurting Avenue, Bronx, NY 10461. Pur-pose: Any lawful purpose. D-257418

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FORMATION GOODZ LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 10/19/20. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 10/14/20. 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 AYCO, 321 Broadway, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

D-256021 NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

HAPPY DAYS RESTAU-RANT GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/06/20. 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, 35

Lane, East Northport, NY 11731. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255966 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION E.S.C. CONSULTING SERVICES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/23/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the

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DURABLE WORTH LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/22/20.

Bronx, NY 10466. Pur-pose: Any lawful pur-

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LEGALS Pinelawn Road, Suite 214E Melville. NY 11747. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256437

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

HDCOMREAL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/13/20. 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, c/o Helen Demetrious, 31-80 44th Street, #2D, Astoria, NY 11103. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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Holliswood2Ave, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/02/20. 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, 32 West 76th Street, New York, NY 10023. Pur-Any lawful pose: pur pose

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FORMATION HUATATAH, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/09/20. Of-Albany County. 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, c/o Law Offices of Katz & Matz P.C., 1350 Avenue of the Americas, 3rd Floor New York, NY 10019 Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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FORMATION BUILDING HUDSON MANAGEMENT LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/02/20. 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, 23-07 30th Drive, Astoria, NY 11102. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

D-257886 NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION HYBRID AND ELECTRIC POWER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/12/19. 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, 43-10 39th Street, Sunnyside, NY 11104. Purpose: Any lawful purpose

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IRVING CAPITAL GROUP Δrte Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/16/20. 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, 276 West 238th Street, Bronx, NY 10463. Purpose: Any lawful pur-nose

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FORMATION JAJAJA WILLIAMS BURG LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/03/20. 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, 119 Kent Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11249. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256208

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LLC, c/o Herzog + Sheffield, P.C., 59 John Street, Suite 9B, New York, NY 10038. Pur-pose: Any lawful pur-

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MGM FOOD GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/31/20 Later

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FORMATION **ESTABLISHMENT** LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 11/17/20. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 11/13/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 478 Albany Avenue, Suite Brooklyn, NY 210, 11203. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257422

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

JOVIAN RECORDS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/26/20. 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, 197 Columbia Street, Brooklyn, NY 11231. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-255702

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FORMATION K&M LES CAMERA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/23/20. 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, 175 East Hoffman, Linden-hurst, NY 11757. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-255639

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FORMATION LIBERTY RISK REALTY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/10/20. Office: Albany

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NOAH GUY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/29/20. Office: Al-bany County. SSNY des-M. DRESSLER REAL ESignated as agent of the TATE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail 11/05/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of the LLC copy of process to the LLC, 120 E. 29th Street, whom process #4A, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, lawful purpose. D-255965 4705 Center Boulevard,

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FORMATION FRANCAIS LLC. NOIR Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/30/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 29 Cliff Street, Apartment 10B, New York, NY 10038. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-256113

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION NOTABLE NEW YORK 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, 24 East 125th Street, New York, NY 10035. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-256403

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION NOTAVIA HOLLOW LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/14/20. Office: Albany County. designated as SSNY agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of proto the LLC, c/o ras Pantelejevas, cess Edgaras P.O. Box Box 1092, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257390

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OMBU LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/16/20. 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, Schwartz Levine Pinkas Stark PLLC, 150 Broad-way, Suite 1703, New York. NY 10038. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257480

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ON BRAND STUDIOS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/12/20. 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, c/o Fallek & Fallek, PLLC,

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1399 Franklin Avenue,

Suite 202, Garden City

NY 11530. Purpose: Any

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West 126th Street, Unit

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One Battery Park Plaza,

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Management Inc., 213 West 35th Street, Suite

802A, New York, NY

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FORMATION SHRIVE LLC. Arts. Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/12/20. 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, 7 West 21st Street, #1601, New York, NY 10010. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257283

NOTICE OF LLC Formation

SIMCO REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/31/19. 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, 42 West 48th Street, 2nd Floor, New York, NY 10036. Purpose: Anv Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257597

NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

SISHODIA PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/04/20. Office: Al-bany 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, 330 East 38th Street, 23P, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Law. D-257908

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SOLASTA JUPITER LLC pose: Any lawful pur-App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/20. Originally filed with Secretary of State Delaware on 11/18/20. Office: Albany County. SFX89, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY designated as SSNY on 11/19/20. Office: Al-bany County. SSNY desagent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY ignated as agent of the shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Sei-den & Schein, P.C. 570 LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail Lexington Avenue, 14th copy of process to the Floor, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Anv LLC, c/o Joao Siffert, 155 East 72nd Street, Apartment 13D, New York, NY 10021. Pur-Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

TFN REALTY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/17/13. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2112. Office: Al-bany 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 LLC, 2 Woodfern Court, Dix Hills, NY 11746. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-256043

NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION THE LAW OFFICES OF GOLDMAN JASON PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/20/20. Office: Albany County SSNY designat-ed as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 87 National Boulevard, Long Beach, NY 11561. Purpose: For the prac-tice of the profession of Law. D-255967

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FORMATION THE THINGDOM LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/05/20. 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, 60 S. 8th Street, Apartment Brooklyn, NY 11249. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-256398

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THREE TAILS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/16/20. 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, 4709 30th Street, Unit 401, Long Island City, NY 11101. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-257580

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UPLEVEL ENTERPRISES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/08/19. 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 Sean D Hudson, 2025 Valentine Avenue, 4C, Bronx, NY 10457. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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COVID-19

December starts out with a bang

Cases, hospitalizations and deaths all up

By JIM FRANCO francoj@spotlightnews.com

ALBANY — December began where November left off, with a surge of new COVID cases, a rash of deaths and record number of hospitalizations.

As of Monday, Dec. 7, there were 6,736 positive cases in Albany County, an increase of 993 from the Monday prior and an increase of 3,133 since Oct. 30.

On Monday, there were 85 county residents hospitalized with COVID-19 and since the Monday before the number of people hospitalized have broken daily records, topping out at 96 on Friday, Dec. 4.

From Monday, Nov. 30 to Monday, Dec. 7, 11 county residents died from the virus bringing the death toll to 169.

"However, there are some bright spots in our recent data that shows our hospitalization numbers

are beginning to stabilize, having broken a seven-day upward trend of current hospital patients over the weekend that had maxed out at 96," said County Executive Dan McCoy on Monday, Dec. 7. "We're also seeing our five-day average of new daily

who tested positive and recovered. As of Monday, Dec. 7, there were 25,741 county residents who completed quarantine and of those 5,436 had tested positive and recovered.

He said any positive numbers or trends may not last long as the amount of spread from Thanksgiving traveling and gathering have likely not yet been

"While this is the worst the pandemic has ever been, shockingly, the CDC is predicting that it will only get worse over the next few months before the vaccine is widely distributed."

positives come back down from a relative high of 165 of Saturday."

As there are record numbers of COVID cases and hospitalizations, there are also large numbers of people getting out of the hospital and recovering from the virus. From Dec. 1 to Dec. 2, there were a record 163 people

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realized.

Also still in limbo is whether or not the county — or parts of it — will become a microcluster, or a state designation in hot spots that would restrict come activity in an effort to keep the virus under

control. Deputy County Executive Dan Lynch said last week the state has

changed the parameters to qualify an area a microcluster zone to include deaths, hospital capacity, ICU capacity and the ability of hospitals to provide adequate staffing. Under the old guidelines, an area would become a yellow microcluster zone if there is a seven-day infection rate of 3 percent of higher for 10 consecutive

days. A seven-day infection

rate of 4 percent or higher

would require an orange

zone designation and a

red zone would need an

appears from a capacity

level the hospitals in the

Capital Region are in a

good place," Lynch said.

or higher.

infection rate of 5 percent

"From all accounts, it

"The hospitals are working in unison to meet the needs if there is a surge."

How the new metrics fold into the old metrics, though, is still not crystal clear, he said. It is also not clear what geographic area will become a microcluster, what the restrictions are for businesses and churches or what the testing requirements will be in



schools.

Basically, under the old parameters, there are mandated reductions in the number of people allowed in certain businesses under a yellow zone and increased testing for school children, in an orange zone there are capacity restrictions and gyms, salons, barber shops and movie theaters would close, in a red zone

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all non-essential businesses will close. State imposed capacity restrictions on houses of worship was shot down by the U.S. Supreme Court so it is also not clear what authority the state has in limiting attendance at houses of worship.

A microcluster could be a region, a county, a municipality, a zip code, a census tract or a neighborhood.

McCoy said last week there is a good chance the county could bypass yellow and head right to an orange zone.

"While this is the worst the pandemic has ever been, shockingly, the CDC is predicting that it will only get worse over the next few months before the vaccine is widely distributed," McCoy said.

The county could see a shipment of vaccine as early as Dec. 10 and it will be distributed to health care workers and nursing home residents first. It will likely not be available to the general public until late spring or early summer.



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From page 1 ... Roaring 20s?

The veteran investment strategist listed several factors leading into his positive forecast contrasting against his bleak outlook from a year ago — in his annual assessment of the economy hosted by the Capital Region Chamber on Thursday, Dec. 3.

"Let me give you the bottom line," said Johnson. "Last year, I felt really bad. ... This year, the story is different."

Johnson pointed to monetary and fiscal policies out of Washington supporting investors who've been placing their money in growth stocks since the brunt of the pandemic emerged in March. Wall Street's subsequent performance has also shown a bear market — a market on the rise. And, with recent news of a developed COVID-19 vaccine soon to be distributed, there is a lot of room for optimism.

"The financial markets are telling you that, clearly. The important monitoring economic variables are telling you that, also. Never before have I seen such lopsided numbers," said Johnson, who has more than 40 years of investment experience.

The Fed

When the pandemic hit the United States in March, the Federal Reserve lowered short-term interest rates from a high of 1.75 percent to .25 percent, adding \$2 trillion in excess reserves in order to promote banks to lend. Johnson said the Fed's actions and the spending from Capitol Hill, has added more liquidity and introduced more growth into the market.

"There is enough money in the U.S. economy to drive both the economy and the financial markets," Johnson said. "And, I might add, and then some."

Biden

President-elect Joe Biden has promised to increase taxes once he steps into the Oval Office next January. However, it remains to be determined whether or not he can get such a plan past a possible Republican-ruled Senate. Nonetheless, Johnson said the effects from such tax increases would be offset by proposed spending on infrastructure, the environment and health care.

The Yield Curve

Johnson's forecast of an upcoming recession last year was evident on a yield curve forecasters use to gauge investors' confidence. Last year, the probability of a recession increased each month throughout 2020. Those numbers are still increasing to a pivotal point next February, where Johnson said there is more than a 30 percent chance of another downturn.

Since a dramatic contraction in April, the economy has grown. The unemployment rate has decreased from a high of that Washington must pass another stimulus package to help the economy through the next two quarters.

History

This year has drawn parallels to a century ago as the world combated against a different pandemic. Johnson has observed more similarities which he said has helped justify his optimistic outlook. The end of a pandemic, low and declining short-term interest rates, large federal government deficits, the

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end of a bear market and start of a bull market, and the end of a recession and start of an expansion. Aside from the end of World War I, those were the events he used to describe the start of the Roaring '20s. All of which, he said, lines up with current events.

Now What?

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, approximately 930,000 jobs were lost across the state this year, 35,000 were lost in Albany, alone. Johnson sees a majority of those jobs recovered within the next two years, indicative of a recovered economy.

"For those who are patient, the economy will be recovering," Johnson said. "I understand that

that's easier said than done. ... I'm not saying this to be Pollyannish. I would leave you very definitely with one positive understanding, the U.S. economy is going to be recovering, continue to recover, through 2021 and 2022.

"Hang on."

Stores in danger of dosing

DELMAR — The pandemic's impact on the local economy stretches across every facet of our world, from entertainment to government, from local schools to our grocery bills. Hugh Johnson's optimistic forecast last week was welcomed by investors, but may not do local business owners any good.

The Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce said 20 percent of survey respondents are in danger of closing, and 84 percent report an "adverse economic impact on their businesses."

The chamber sent the survey out earlier this year and received 50 responses, just 12 percent of its overall membership.

The top two reasons businesses are hurting are few customers and increased costs for goods.

— Michael Hallisey

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Hugh Johnson,
 chairman and chief
 investment officer
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more than 14 percent that month to 6.3 percent in October. But, that recovery is slowing. Johnson is not forecasting a recession for next year, but he stressed





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ftentimes, there is a big divide between the business world we read in the newspapers and the practical world of which we find evidence in our wallets. There never seems to be a correlation between the two.

Hugh Johnson's economic forecast was welcomed news to purveyors of stocks and those looking to strike out on the next business venture, but what does it mean to those looking to go out and buy groceries?

One of the slides from Mr. Johnson's presentation quoted a 2 percent rate of inflation since last year. With this week marking our tenth month while in the clutches of this pandemic, 2019 seems like a generation ago. A trip

to the grocery store today resembles an outtake from Mel Gibson's Mad Max more than your innocent suburban jaunt to buy Pop Tarts. COVID's touch on our world is visible on store shelves. It's a challenge, at times, to find what we once found abundant. Toiletries and cleaning supplies sell over Amazon like outlawed products. The prices for meats and produce are only about 20 cents more a pound than a year ago, according to the Department of Agriculture, but was more than a \$1 more back in June. With the virus vamping up this winter, the likelihood of prices going up again is all too likely.

Spotlight on

Local businesses, our restaurants and favorite theatres, are teetering on the brink. Theatres have had to lay off 80 percent or more of their staff. Eateries can only host a quarter of their seating capacity, and that's not enough. They've all been doing it since March. These are not ideal times, and though there is a light at the end of the tunnel with the oncoming vaccine, we need help now.

Another stimulus package failed to make it out of Capitol Hill last week. A \$900 million bailout that would have helped extend unemployment insurance to the nearly 7 percent of Americans who remain without a job this holiday season. Evidence of yet another foolish game played between Democrats and Republicans who neither seem to full appreciate the struggles we go through each day. Even Johnson said we needed that aid to get us through

the next six months, otherwise his optimistic view on the economy will turn more into "a problem."

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Practically speaking, our everyday lives are still more or less a problem as we navigate through social distancing at the grocery store and home schooling our kids through remote classrooms. The possibility that the Dow Jones will skyrocket to views not seen since the 1920s means little if what qualifies as the status quo in 2020 continues into the next year. We need to wear masks. We need help from Washington.

We need to look after one another and continue to be community-minded, or what we grew fond of having will disappear. Hugh Johnson's economic forecast was welcomed news to purveyors of stocks and those looking to strike out on the next business venture, but what does it mean to those looking to go out and buy groceries?

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR **'Neighbors' duplicate existing services**

Dear Editor, At first reading I thought that this group had no idea of the vast services our "Senior Services " provide along with Senior Projects. Then I wondered if they consulted their attorneys. The Town of Bethlehem has worked very hard on helping seniors in this town. Constantly updating their services and procedures along with working hand in hand with the non profit group of Senior Projects. They work hand in hand with the churches and established community organizations on the needs of our seniors.

There are at least two businesses in town that provide some if not all the items you mentioned. The liability alone to fill a

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"gap" to take someone in their car or enter a home is beyond comprehension.

Membership is \$25 so in effect you are a BUSINESS. To even suggest " is there a good school district" or a Village is subjective at best and probably illegal. As a senior living in this town, I strongly suggest people not become members of Bethlehem Neighbors.

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Construction Update

t's not technically winter yet, but our construction crew is gearing up for the cold weather. Outside, the footings and foundations are complete and backfilled on the children's addition at the east end of the building. The next step is configuring underground utilities under the slab. Inside, the former children's area and fiction section has been completely cleared out. Once we are solidly into winter weather, interior work here will take precedence. Sprinkler room and public bathroom renovations are progressing as well.

Most of our collection is still accessible; however, if something you would like to borrow is not, we will gladly request it from another local library. Usable space throughout the library has shrunk significantly, making it challenging for staff and the construction crew to maintain adequate social distancing. Due to these current constraints, we are aiming to re-open for limited public browsing for mid-January. We will continue to keep you posted.

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here are still a few openings for the virtual ugly sweater party. What could be more fun than dressing in your holiday worst, and joining

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Teen BOOKFLIX Club

There are so many great YA books being optioned

into movies. Do you read the book first? Or do you want to see the movie first? Either way, why not join the Bookflix Club? The December Bookflix is "Dash & Lily's Book of Dares" by Rachel Cohn and David Livithan. Pick up a paperback at the library or download a copy from Libby. Register online to receive a daring Dash & Lily party kit and the private link to meet online from 2:00 to 3:00pm, Wednesday, December 30. Open to teens 13 and up. - Lynn Kohler Ancient history

look at the fascinating world of fossils with amateur paleontologist David Clark Tuesday, Dec. 15, as he gives a virtual tour of his prep room and fossil collection. Clark will share some of his best fossil finds, including special ones from New York State, and talk about how he cleans and curates the collection.

ake a closer

Clark is a member and past president of the Friends of the University of Michigan Museum of Paleontology and has donated many specimens for scientific study, including a newly discovered crinoid (sea lily) that now bears his name. His collection primarily features marine invertebrates, such as trilobites and crinoids, which are much older than dinosaurs.

"Fossil Science with David Clark" begins at 4 p.m. and will be followed by some time for questions and answers. All ages are welcome. This program takes place over Zoom; registration is required. To sign up, visit the online calendar at bethlehem. librarycalendar.com and select the name and date of the program.

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Find HelpNow on the library's Research webpage: webapps. bethlehempubliclibrary. org/research.asp.

A notice about library fines

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Now is the time to get back into the habit of returning library items when they are due. — Kristen Roberts





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New kid in town 7-Eleven planted its flag into Albany soil last week.

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Holidays at the mansion

Ten Broeck Mansion hosting Holiday House

By KAITLIN LEMBO

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ALBANY - Ten Broeck Mansion has hosted its Holiday House since the mid-80s, but it's never been quite like this year.

The four-acre property, nestled in Albany's Arbor Hill, has been chugging along since the pandemic began; while the inside of the mansion was closed when COVID-19 restrictions choked the area, the gardens became a hotspot for the neighborhood. Now, Ten Broeck is using the same enthusiasm, but adding some safety measures, to make sure the 2020 Holiday House is safe for everyone.

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Looks like there's a new kid in town

7-Eleven makes its way into the Capital District

By MICHAEL HALLISEY halliseym@spotlightnews.com

ALBANY — Somehow, one of the largest business acquisitions to impact the Capital District snuck up on us over the summer.

As part of an agreement, 7-Eleven acquired approximately 3,900 Speedway stores from Marathon Petroleum Corp for \$21 billion in cash. The announcement was made in August, but local people didn't notice anything until a Washington Avenue Speedway rebranded to the orange and green last week.

"This acquisition is the largest in our company's history and will allow us to continue to grow and diversify our presence in the U.S., particularly in the Midwest and East Coast," said Joe DePinto, President and Chief Executive Officer of 7-Eleven. "By adding these quality locations to our portfolio, 7-Eleven will have the opportunity to bring convenience to more customers than ever before."

The convenience store giant continues to spread its brand across 35 states with the new venture, and brings it into the Capital District for the first time — an apparent challenge to regional giant, Stewart's Shops.

"There's a lot of hype. A lot of people saying, 'see ya, Stewart's," said Taylor Rao, of Two Buttons Deep's, while on the social news website's podcast last week.

The acquisition brings 7-Eleven's total number of stores to approximately 14,000 in the U.S. and Canada. It's footprint across the country now spans across 47 of the top 50 most populated metro areas in the U.S., positioning the company as a clear industry leader in a fragmented industry with favorable macroeconomic trends. Internationally, the Japanese-owned company has more than 71,000 stores in 17 countries.

7–Eleven is perhaps best known for its Slurpee, Big Bite and Big Gulp products. Over the years, it has expanded into sandwiches, salads, side dishes, cut fruit and protein boxes, as well as other fast food staples such as pizza, chicken wings and mini beef tacos.

As Two Buttons Deep suggested, the respect for the name seems to already place it in line against a locally owned giant, Stewart's Shops. There are 330 Speedway shops in New York State. Stewart's Shops currently has 335 storefronts.



Stewart's Shops started in 1945 when the Dake brothers purchased a small dairy and ice cream business in Ballston Spa.

The company continues to be owned and operated by a third generation of Dake family members, with Bill Dake serving as Chairman

of the Board and Gary Dake acting as president. While 7-Eleven announced its acquisition

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From page 1 ... Ten Broeck Mansion

"We wanted to have several options available so people have a choice of what to do," executive director Kathryn Kosto said. "We will have the option to go in the mansion, but we've moved a lot of our services outside."

Ten Broeck will host Sinterklaas, the Dutch St. Nicholas, on Saturday, Dec. 13, from noon to 2:30 p.m. on the porch. Kosto said the Sinterklaas visit is formatted so kids stand at the bottom of the porch and talk from there, adding the staff measured the distance to verify it is more than 6 feet.

On the other side of the mansion, a porch sale will take place, where people can shop from the museum's gift shop. Staff members will have photos on hand of merchandise available, customers will be able to select what they want and staff will retrieve the items. This eliminates the crowding in the gift shop and allows people to still have those keepsakes from the historic mansion. The porch sale will be held from noon to 3 p.m., Friday through Sunday, until Dec. 20.

Ten Broeck will also have a Christmas tree that kids can decorate. The garden will have ornament kits available with a few different designs for parents and children to grab at their leisure while avoiding the crowds.

"The beautiful thing about the mansion is how we are able to utilize the space to keep CDC guidelines but give customers the normal Ten Broeck experience," Kosto said.

Indoors, tours will take place but customers have to reserve their spots ahead of time. Only five people can go in a group, which will have a 15-minute increment to tour. Kosto said sanitizing stations are located both inside and outside the museum, and the tours are structured so people aren't maneuvering around one another or artifacts. Kosto said the tour includes a look at different rooms in the house; in many cases, the different facets were either built or enhanced by the servants that lived there.

The mansion also has ropes guiding customers through the tour and prevents people from touching anything. Ten Broeck is asking tour customers to keep their coats on as they move



through, as it will help eliminate crowding and keep people moving.

Regardless of activities chosen, masking and social distancing will be enforced. Kosto said she has sent out the rules for the event to ticket buyers so there are no surprises.

"We want to keep this event as safe as possible so people can enjoy the day and know their well-being is so important to us," Kosto concluded. "We're really excited to host the event this year, even if it is a little different than in previous years."

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A young volunteer helps demonstrate what safe, social distancing looks like at the front steps of the Ten Broeck Mansion.

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Tutti!



Empire State Youth Orchestra launches virtual concerts

By KAITLIN LEMBO *lembok@spotlightnews.com*

ALBANY — It's no secret that the Empire State Youth Orchestra hosts some of the most impressive youth talent in the music scene. Not only is there a rigorous audition process, but the environment is dedicated to producing some of the best performances from students who eat, sleep and breathe music.

ESYO is back — this year with a different format. Because of the pandemic, the orchestra will perform eight concerts (dubbed "Tutti!") showcasing 12 chamber ensembles. The first concerts took place from Dec. 3 to 6; the second part of the show will be showcased from Dec. 10 to 13.

To purchase tickets and view showtimes, visit https://esyo.org/tickets.

Members of the advanced Symphony Orchestra are set to perform several masterworks by Mozart, including the Overture's "To the Marriage of Figaro" and the whimsical opera "The Magic Flute." ESYO Symphony Orchestra will also rediscover "Dance in the Old Style" by Hollywood composer Erich Korngold, "The Serenade for Strings" by Irish-American composer, Victor Herbert and Brazilian composer Heitor Villa-Lobos' homage to Mozart's "Sinfonietta No. 1." On Saturday, Dec. 12, members of the ESYO Jazz Orchestra will take the stage with "Milestones" by jazz legend Miles Davis and a jazzy take on the holiday favorite "Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas."

Carlos Agreda, ESYO's music director, said he was impressed with how excited the young musicians were to play after a hiatus from the pandemic.

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online was not sustainable, so we were able to come up with strategies to make sure we could play in person," Agreda said. "These smaller chamber orchestras allow us to space out a bit more but still maintain the integrity of playing together."

Agreda added it's been incredibly rewarding to watch the musicians work so hard, with the students making sacrifices to allow them to be there. He said there are no bathroom breaks so people aren't moving around. People now have their own music stands, where in previous years many musicians who played the same part were sharing. They're masked up as much as humanly possible. Despite the different feel, Agreda said the development of the students virtually made it such a joy to unite under one roof.

Georgia Burtt is a violin player who is homeschooled in Berne. She's excited to see what her fellow musicians are doing and feels like the family unit that ESYO provides has only grown since the pandemic forced them in.



Pictures from Empire State Youth Orchestra

"ESYO is my outlet for everything going on in the world," she said. "I've made so many friends here and I've learned so much about music. It's truly like a family."

Jared Lamson, a senior clarinet player from Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk High School, agreed with Burtt. When he first tried out over two years ago, the orchestra gave him a community of people who loved music as much as he does. "ESYO has truly shattered all of my expectations," he said. "Everyone is equally dedicated to playing beautiful music and it's something I hold close because it means so much to all of us.

"It's going to be exciting to hear the finished product of something we didn't believe was possible," Lamson concluded.

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Say hello to your local farmer today

Cornell Cooperative Extension publishing "Know Your Farmer"

By KAITLIN LEMBO *lembok@spotlightnews.com*

VOORHEESVILLE — Do you remember a few months ago, when buying ground beef felt like a futile effort? Or when you were searching for chicken breasts, only to discover every store in a 20-mile radius was out? Our local farmers do too.

Cornell Cooperative Extension of Albany County, an organization that "[puts] knowledge to work in pursuit of economic vitality, ecological sustainability and social well-being," is using the pandemic as a time to showcase Albany County's farmers. Samantha Baker, the local agricultural and 4-H manager, said the



project aims to bring residents closer to local farmers who sell directly to consumers so people can understand where their goods are coming from. To view the series, visit http://albany.cce.cornell. edu/agriculture/know-yourfarmer.

"I've heard a few times how people are a little intimidated talking to farmers at markets or Samantha Baker

events," Baker said, "and I realized that so many people don't know that farmers want to talk about their product. They want you to ask questions and take interest."

The project entails Baker visiting a local farm, interviewing the farmer and identifying how you can buy goods from that farm directly. She asks about the history of the land, what the farm is known for producing, what its goals are and what the farmer hopes to achieve in the future. By doing this, Baker is breaking down that vast cornfield you see on your commute to human beings; by making it human, you're able to identify with the people on the other end of the supply chain.

Baker added buying local has its benefits. Not only are you purchasing higher quality goods than you would get from a big corporation, but it's fresher than the steaks you get at the grocery store. Also, the money goes further; instead of your \$5 pork chop getting broken up into a pay day for the distributor, the store and the farmer, all

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of the money for your meat or your vegetables supports local efforts and ultimately helps boost the economy you live in.

"Once people understand how buying local can improve the area's quality of life in multiple ways, they are much more likely to drive their funds to someone next door," Baker said.

Baker said once she is finished with farmers who produce foods, she is taking a look at those who produce other commodities. She hopes the articles allow CCE and local agriculturists to break down some myths and misconceptions about farmers and the goods they produce.

"It all comes down to education," Baker concluded. "At the end of the day, a farmer's only goal is to produce a safe product. They want their goods to be used and appreciated."



ARIES - MAR 21/APR 20

Aries, exciting news could be coming your way that could bring much joy into your life. It's just what you need right now. Enjoy the ride in the coming days.

TAURUS - APR 21/MAY 21

People may be trying to convert you by telling you their thoughts and opinions, Taurus. You can listen, but follow your own mind with important decisions.

GEMINI - MAY 22/JUN 21

Gemini, before you try to prove your point to others, make sure you have all of the facts and proof to state your case; otherwise, sound thoughts may fall on deaf ears.

CANCER – JUN 22/JUL 22

Cancer, be confident this week and do not take "no" for an answer. It can be easy to get thrown off course when others offer their views on how things should be done. Stand firm.

LEO - JUL 23/AUG 23

You may be surprised how cutting edge your thinking can be, Leo. Put some effort into innovative ideas. Be a leader at work this week and welcome any new suggestions.

VIRGO - AUG 24/SEPT 22

Let others know you will not be a pushover, Virgo. Sometimes you cave to the pressures of others, especially when you feel the need to help out. Focus on your needs this week.

LIBRA - SEPT 23/OCT 23

Libra, if you know you have something important to share or do, be bold and make your move. Waiting for others to go first may cause you to miss an opportunity.

SCORPIO - OCT 24/NOV 22

Scorpio, sometimes you are so resolute in your thinking that you feel the need to get your ideas across to everyone. Do not make promises unless you can keep them.

SAGITTARIUS - NOV 23/DEC 21

Sagittarius, even if your ways of doing things have served you well, it may be time to revise your modus operandi to improve efficiency and effectiveness.

CAPRICORN - DEC 22/JAN 20

Capricorn, a quick call to a friend can easily turn into a lengthy conversation. There is much to say and catching up to do. Enjoy the time you have with this person.

AQUARIUS - JAN 21/FEB 18

Aquarius, you may feel a bit pressured to start something you really aren't ready for. Take it slowly and think it through before you jump into the action.

PISCES - FEB 19/MAR 20

You may be anxious to get moving with a new plan that you've hatched, Pisces. If you have all of the facts, move ahead.

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From page B3 ... 7-Eleven

in August, Stewart's Shop has also been growing its portfolio locally. This year, it has shown a commitment to its gasoline and diesel business. In January, Stewart's spent \$6.6 million to purchase Polsinello Fuel's wholesale business at the Port of Albany. And, it stands to acquire Red-Kap wholesale fuel distribution business and convenience stores before the year's end. Albany Business Review reported that the move should allow Stewart's Shop to have more negotiating power with fuel supply and costs at the Port of Albany.

However, it's reputation continues to thrive with local farmers, where the convenience store chain features produce from 30 local dairies, including 54,000 eggs daily from the Thomas' Poultry Farm in Schuylerville.

"I think anybody who thinks 7-Eleven is legitimate competition to Stewart's is wildly out of touch with upstate New York," said Two Buttons Deep's Jack Carpenter. It should be state, Stewart's Shop has been a longtime supporter of the website. "7-Eleven is a convenience store. Stewart's is a lifestyle."





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help people escape the daily grind. Though it's easy to view hobbies as enjoyable ways to pass the time, they also can be vehicles that enrich your life.

Hobbies are especially

good at helping people learn new skills. They also may help boost professional and personal development.

Hobbies play a vital role for a variety of reasons, and some hobbyists may be surprised to learn just how much their favorite form of escapism is benefitting their lives.

• Hobbies may help to relieve stress by keeping you engaged with something you enjoy. Reducing stress may help you remain calm and be more productive at home, at work and in school. Reduced stress also translates into improved mental and physical health.

• People who engage in hobbies experience new things and may interact with different people through their interests. This can give you various topics to discuss in conversation and make you more interesting to others. Learning skills through hobbies also means you will obtain specialized knowledge that you can impart on people with similar interests. • Hobbies can be

creative outlets that

take your mind off of other things. For people who have trouble with meditation and other mindful ways to shut off their brains, hobbies can be a form of escapism that leaves you alone with your thoughts. According to the self-improvement resource Personal Growth,



most hobbies actually have a meditative effect on your thoughts because, no matter what you are doing, your awareness becomes completely focused on the hobby.

• Hobbies can improve your social life and foster creative bonds with others, providing great ways to meet and get closer to people who share your interests.

• Hobbies can help stave off boredom, providing productive outlets when there is nothing else available to fill the time. Hobbies can be more beneficial ways to spend your time than playing games on a phone or watching television.

• Hobbies also may be educational and enrich knowledge through skill building. People who start with one hobby may find connections to other ones, further developing their knowledge and skill sets.

If embracing new hobbies is on your list of resolutions for the upcoming year, individuals



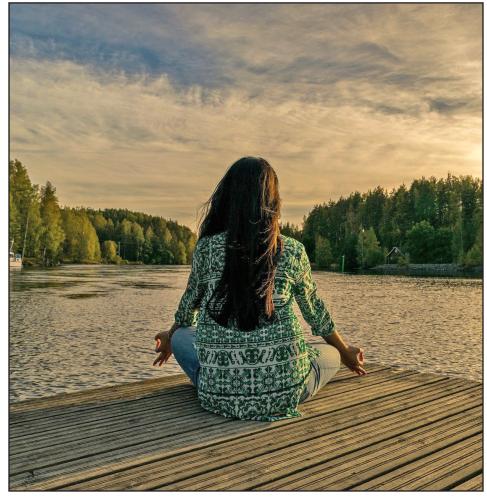
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rocrastination is not typically considered a good thing. But as the world spent much of 2020 confronting the COVID-19 pandemic, putting certain things on hold became part of the new normal.

In an effort to reduce infection rates, public health officials with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the World Health Organization urged people to limit their in person interactions with people outside of their own households. As a result, many of the things people do on a regular basis, including seeing their physicians for wellness visits, were rescheduled.

It's understandable that many people postponed preventive care and wellness visits during the pandemic, but it's also potentially dangerous. For example, researchers with the Health Care

Cost Institute found that childhood vaccinations declined by roughly 60 percent in mid-April 2020 compared with 2019. Other screenings and preventive exams, including mammograms, pap smears and colonoscopies, also declined by significant percentages during the pandemic compared to the previous year.

The National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion notes the power of preventive care is undeniable. In fact, the NCCDPHP points out that, while chronic diseases are among the most common and costly of all health problems, they're also among the most preventable. Annual wellness visits and early detection efforts like routine screenings for at-risk populations can uncover problems before they escalate into something more serious. In addition, annual physicals, which are provided free of charge through many health insurance policies, provide great opportunities for doctors to advise patients on their overall health and how to improve it if exams and blood work turn up any red flags.

Visiting a doctor during the pandemic

As vital as preventive care can be, it's understandable if people are hesitant to visit their doctors during the pandemic. But patients can take certain steps to calm their nerves about booking preventive care appointments during the pandemic.

• Schedule telemedicine appointments. The number of telemedicine appointments has skyrocketed during the pandemic. While the transition from predominantly inperson appointments to telemedicine might have been a reluctant and rocky one at the start of the pandemic, many doctors' offices have since firmly established







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their telemedicine protocols. The Mayo Clinic advises patients who have not yet tried telemedicine to contact their doctors' offices to arrange an appointment.

• Inquire about office procedures. Doctors try to keep patients healthy, not get them sick. Various medical organizations, including the American Academy of Family Physicians, have provided thorough checklists to help physicians prepare their offices to welcome patients during the pandemic. Patients can ease their concerns by contacting their doctors' offices and asking them about their pandemic-related protocols.

• Don't hesitate to make requests. There's no such thing as being too safe from COVID-19, so patients can work with their doctors to calm their fears even further. Ask to pay copays over the phone and request that the front desk call you when the doctor is ready so you don't have to sit in the waiting room.

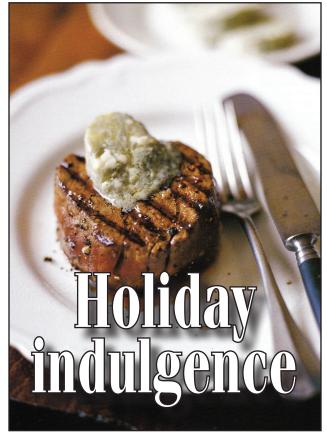
Preventive care is an important component of health care, even during a pandemic.



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he holiday season is an opportunity to indulge. Each person has his or her own ideas on how to treat themselves or a loved one especially well this time of year. Some may see the perks in spending a little more on elaborate gifts, while others may

decide to step up their holiday menus.

For those who want to try fine dining for Christmas dinner, "Steak au Beurre de Roquefort" can be the ideal indulgence. Charolais cattle makes for especially tender steaks in this recipe, but if unavailable, substitute the best fillet mignon from the butcher shop. Try this recipe, courtesy of "The Food of France" (Kyle Books) by Sarah Woodward.

Steak au Beurre de Roquefort

INGREDIENTS: Serves 2

tablespoons unsalted butter, removed from

the refrigerator at least an hour in advance Scant 1/4 pound Roquefort cheese, at room temperature

2 fillet steaks, preferably from Charolais beef Sea salt

Freshly ground black pepper

INSTRUCTIONS:

Mash the butter and Roquefort together with a fork. Form into two round pats, wrap in plastic wrap, and chill.

When you are ready to eat, heat a heavy ridged pan for the steak, which you have seasoned. Once the pan is very hot, grill the steak to your satisfaction. Always remember to ask your fellow diners their tastes as well. Put the cold pats of butter and cheese on top of the hot steak and serve straight away.







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