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St. Thomas named in two separate abuse claims.

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Metabolic Delmar is just across the street from the Albany County Helderberg-Hudson Rail Trail. Last Monday, customers of the gym fell victim to thieves taking from their unattended cars in a bold case of daytime larceny.

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# Gym-goers boosted

Thieves steal from cars at Hudson Avenue gym in Felony Lane Gang type crime

## By JOHN McINTYRE

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**DELMAR** — Patrons attending classes at a local gym emerged from their workouts to find someone had worked through their cars in the parking lot.

Bethlehem Police responded to the rear parking lot of Metabolic Delmar on Hudson Avenue to investigate thefts from parked vehicles on Monday afternoon, Aug. 23. Approximately three vehicles were reported broken into with items taken from

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Yankee favorite Derek Jeter's induction into Baseball Hall of Fame promises to bring a large crowd to sleepy Cooperstown.

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## ■ POLICE, FIRE and EMERGENCY CALLS

## Pedestrian clipped, injured by passing vehicle near BCMS school

**DELMAR** — A 46-year-old Delmar woman was struck by the side mirror of a passing truck as she was running on the sidewalk along Kenwood Avenue early Monday morning, according to Bethlehem police.

The woman was running towards the Four Corners intersection of Kenwood and Delaware avenues at approximately 7:40 a.m. She was on the sidewalk opposite the Bethlehem Cemetery, just a few houses down from the Bethlehem Central Middle School, when she was hit in the back of the head. She suspects she was hit by the side mirror of a passing pick-up truck.

"The vehicle in the case was described as a white pickup," stated Bethlehem Police Cmdr. James Rexford, adding that an investigation is on-going.

She was transported to St. Peter's Hospital where she was treated for injuries to her head. She was later released.

It is this newspaper's policy to not divulge the names of victims in news stories. Though this victim has gone public on social media, we have extended to her the same courtesy.

Contemporary sidewalks are installed with a road verge separating it from the road by a few feet. The sidewalk along the 300-block of Kenwood Avenue, however, was installed with no verge and no

shoulder. The neighborhood dates back to the 1930s. The middle school was erected in 1932 when it was built as the newly founded school district's high school. There's only 3 inches between the white pavement marking defining the roadway, and the sidewalk where she was hit.

"I was running down Kenwood Ave. towards the Four Corners on the sidewalk because there is no shoulder on the other side of the street where I would normally run against traffic," she said. "There was a young man walking his dog coming towards me on the sidewalk so I moved over to the left but still on the sidewalk."

She said she does not remember being hit, just being on the ground and bleeding.

"The two neighbors were great," she said. "One literally gave the shirt off his back to stop the bleeding... We only saw a white truck and not much else. It happened so fast."

The struck pedestrian expressed her concerns over the upcoming school year which is to start on Thursday, Sept. 9. Her daughter is to attend the middle school this fall.

"School starts in a little more than a week and I usually would encourage my daughter to walk to school, but I think I am going to have her ride the bus," she said. "This is a real safety issue. There are lots of children on this road."

The Bethlehem Police Department obtained and reviewed video surveillance footage from the middle school. Police said multiple white pick-ups were observed travelling on the road around the time of the incident. They did, however, take note of a larger, white Dodge Ram 2500 or 3500 series model pick-up truck with extended mirrors.

The Bethlehem Police Department asks anyone who had witnessed the incident to call 518-439-9973.

— John McIntyre

## Hannacroix man faces several charges after highspeed chase

**DELMAR** — A high speed chase through town resulted in a list of charges for a Hannacroix man.

Bethlehem police arrested Jacob D. Heath, 32, days after he was initially observed with an allegedly inadequate taillight, a violation under state Vehicle and Traffic Law. How the police said he responded only made things worse.

According to Bethlehem Police, Heath was driving on Cherry Avenue in Delmar at approximately 9:30 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 9, when officers attempted to stop his 2006 Jeep Liberty. He allegedly ignored the officer and increased his speed.

Bethlehem Police Cmdr. Adam Hornick said the chase reached speeds over 85 mph as they continued down New Scotland Road, over Fisher Boulevard and to Delaware Avenue before proceeding into the neighboring town of New Scotland.

Multiple police units, including

those from the Albany County Sheriff's Department and New York State Police, continued to give chase through New Scotland in what police described as "very light" traffic conditions.

Police discontinued the chase near the New Scotland intersection of New York Rte. 32 and Tarrytown Road. Bethlehem police said a continued chase posed a greater risk to other motorists.

"Bethlehem Police continued the investigation and were able to determine the identity of the operator," Hornick said in a statement. "Subsequent to this investigation and identification of the driver, the subject turned themselves in to Bethlehem police on August 17."

Heath was arrested on misdemeanor counts of Reckless Endangerment in the 2nd Degree, Unlawful Fleeing a Police Officer in a Motor Vehicle in the 3rd Degree, Reckless Driving, Aggravated Unlicensed Operation of a Motor Vehicle in the 3rd Degree, Operating with a Suspended Vehicle Registration, as well as traffic infractions of Inadequate Tail Lights, Inadequate Stop Lamps, five counts of Improper Passing, three counts of Failure to Keep Right, two counts of failing to Stop at a Stop Sign, Speed in Zone and Operating a Motor Vehicle without insurance.

In compliance with New York State Bail Reform Laws, Heath was issued appearance tickets and traffic tickets, and is to return before Bethlehem Town Court on Tuesday, Sept. 7, at 4 p.m.

— John McIntyre





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## COURTS

## St. Thomas parish linked to sex abuse

Rev. James Daley and Rev. Alan Jupin each linked in separate claims of sexual abuse, one dating back to 1965

## By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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**DELMAR** — Rev. James Daley, a longtime pastor of St. Thomas the Apostle parish and who oversaw the renovations of the school that stands in the middle of town, was named in a summons of complaint filed in state Supreme Court in Albany County for alleged sexual abuse.

Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger announced Friday, Aug. 27 that he asked the independent Diocesan Review Board to offer advisement on three clergymen, each of whom with an allegation of child sexual abuse filed against him through the Child Victims Act.

Scharfenberger identified Daley along with Rev. Dennis Murphy and Rev. Nellis Tremblay in his announcement. None of the three serve in public ministry due to illness or age.

Scharfenberger said all of three maintain their innocence.

A summons was filed with the state Supreme Court in Albany County naming the Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany as a defendant on Monday, July 26 in a lawsuit that names Daley. The unnamed plaintiff was identified only as "AL 245 DOE."

Daley served the church as pastor for 33 years, from his appointment in 1970 to his retirement in 2002. Prior to that he was associate pastor at St. Patrick's parish in Troy and taught at Catholic Central High School. He subsequently taught at Mater Christi Seminary in Albany. He was diocesan



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vocations director before his appointment to St. Thomas the Apostle parish.

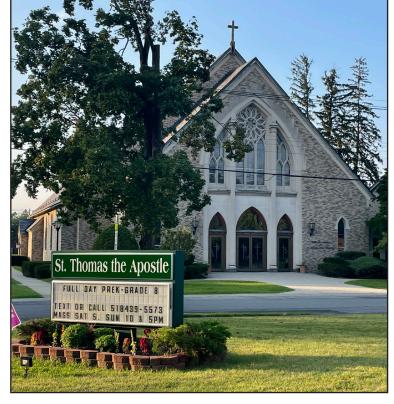
St. Thomas is named in the suit along with the diocese. The claim is devoid of details other than that the incident allegedly took place in 1974, when the accuser was 15 years old.

"Each Defendant owed a duty of care to Plaintiff not to place Fr. Daley in a setting that would foreseeably pose a danger to Plaintiff," the suit states. It further casts blame that the church "knew or should have known that Fr. Daley was not fit to work with children," and "of Fr. Daley's propensity to commit sexual abuse and of the risk to Plaintiff's safety."

The church had within 30 days to respond to the summons.

"The Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany takes all allegations of child sexual abuse seriously," the diocese shared in a statement issued to the press on Friday, Aug. 27. "The diocese urges anyone who as a child was sexually abused by a Catholic priest or deacon to report the matter to a law enforcement agency or to the diocese."

Daley served as a pastor at St. Thomas church for 33 years. Prior to his 65th ordination anniversary tribute in 2019, his congregation remembered him for providing



Rev. James Daley served St. Thomas the Apostle as its pastor for 33 years. In 1997, he oversaw the \$1.2 million expansion of the school, including a computer room, new library, and three new classrooms.

Michael Hallisey / Spotlight News

moving and insightful sermons.

In 1997, St. Thomas broke ground for a fully renovated school. Shortly after the students returned, Bishop Howard J. Hubbard blessed the "new School" with Daley by his side. As pastor, Daley saw parishioners send gifts and pledges of \$2.6 million to fund both the renovation of the school and a new parish office.

The diocese said it will conduct its own investigation on the three pastors following current litigation proceedings.

"When the legal proceedings are complete, the diocese will pursue its own investigation, if warranted," it stated.

## Jupin

A similar summons was issued naming Rev. Alan D. Jupin, once an assistant pastor of St. Thomas, on Sunday, July 18, for alleged abuses with a 9-year-old in 1965. He was also named in at least 10 other Child Victims Act lawsuits since 2019.

Jupin was a pastor at St. Thomas from 1963 to 1972. According to files maintained by Horowitz Law in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, Jupin has stood accused of several more abuse cases throughout a career that lasted until his death in 2019.

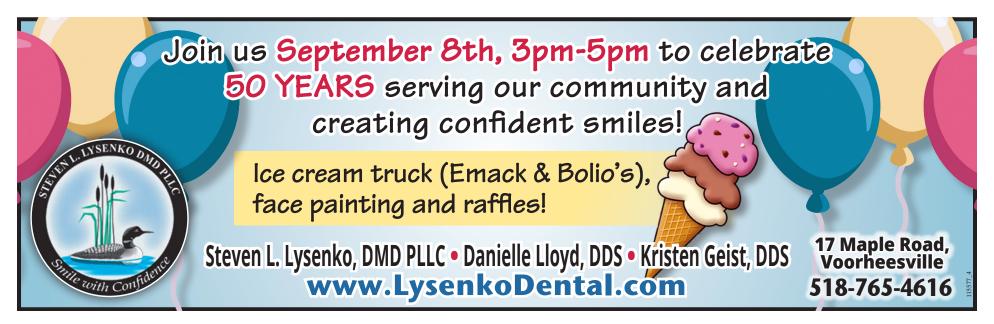
Jupin was accused of raping a 16-year-old boy from 1975 to 1979. Most of the alleged abuse occurred at the rectory of St. John the Baptist Church in Schenectady, where he was pastor. He denied the allegations after he was accused in 2003. He was never prosecuted as the statute of limitations expired.

Jupin went on a voluntary leave of absence following a second accusation later that year. He was reinstated after the lawsuit was dropped and after a subsequent investigation by the Diocesan Review Board. He'd go on another voluntary leave of absence in 2011, followed by another investigation that could not find the accusations credible.

In July of 2020, the diocese announced that it added Jupin to its "List of Offenders" after an investigation found credible allegations of sexual abuse against minors.

New York passed the Child Victims Act in 2019, extending statute of limitations and allowing survivors of sexual abuse to file suit prior to an August 14 deadline. More than 9,200 complaints have been filed as part of the CVA process, including thousands against the Church, health care workers, teachers, family members and the Boy Scout of America. There are more than 320 lawsuits filed against the Diocese of Albany to date. Although the window for filing claims closed, the suits are still being processed and will be processed and served in the coming weeks.

To report an incident of abuse or to seek help, contact the Diocese's Assistance Coordinator, Frederick Jones, at 518-453-6646 or by email at assistance. coordinator@rcda.org.



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## EDUCATION

## Plan to succeed

Bethlehem Central fields questions to prepare parents, teachers for successful, safe school year

## By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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**DELMAR** — It's "game on" for students, parents and teachers as school days start up next week; and just as it is in sports, everyone involved needs to understand the strategy to see success.

Public schools across the Capital District start the 2021-22 school year on Thursday, Sept. 9. That morning will be the first that all school children walk into a classroom since last March, and despite the proverbial volumes of virusrelated facts the public has digested over those

## it up

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18 months, there are still questions.

The Bethlehem Central School District hosted two online Q&A sessions with its superintendent, Jody Monroe. The Backto-School sessions focused on the district's mitigation protocols, detailing the who, what, when, where and whys to the administration's plans.

"We realize that returning to school against the backdrop of a prolonged pandemic is stressful. However, we want to be sure you have all the information you need to have a safe and successful start to the new year,"

Monroe said.

School districts are committed to daily in-person instruction, a contrast to a hybrid academic year that witnessed a myriad of situations; between children taking lessons through school-provided laptops and students donning masks in classrooms with fewer classmates.

The commitment follows a push from Washington, D.C., where President Joe Biden began encouraging a full-scale return to classrooms before summer break.

But there has been growing concern over the Delta variant of the COVID-19 virus that introduced a divergence from everyday, including liberal use of masks, hand sanitizers and social distancing. The reported number of cases has

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## **DELMAR** —

Bethlehem Central is encouraging parents to drive their kids to school.

With Albany County in a high transmission zone and the district continuing to struggle with its shortage of eligible bus drivers, Superintendent Jody Monroe has asked parents to drive their children to school.

"Anyone who can transport their child while we are in a high transmission zone should do so," said Monroe. She voiced her request to district parents during last week's online Q&A

As schools prepare to reopen for the upcoming academic year next week, parents have heard similar encouragements at respective open houses. Families with children eligible for bus transportation were asked to complete a mandatory registration

form following the end of the last school year. Parents who previously elected to use the school bus had voiced concern of losing that opportunity later in the year.

"This will not jeopardize your child's bus transportation," Monroe said. "Even if a child is temporarily removed from the bus route after not using thebus for an extended period, you can resume pick-up and dropoff at any time with one to two days' notice to the transportation office."

The district is not changing how it determines who rides a bus. All elementary school students are eligible to ride. Middle school students who live more than a half mile away can also ride. Students who reside more than a mile away from the high school can also be assigned to a

However, administrators are asking families who have been driving their children to school to continue doing so next year.

Last week, district

families received a robo call reminding them to update their transportation needs on its Aspen online portal.

"The district bus driver shortage continues," it said. "Our transportation department has been making every effort to find efficiencies in its routes and bus pick up and drop off times.... Please double-check your child's transportation request in Aspen. If your child does not need to ride the bus at the beginning of the year, please be sure you have checked 'no."

In June, the district reported a loss of 22 percent of its bus drivers since prior to the pandemic. Administrators cited that a national bus driver shortage was exasperated by COVID. Prior to last March, the district had 87 bus drivers and routes. Before the district's push to recruit new drivers this summer, there were only 67 available drivers.

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steadily increased since a statewide-low of 244 new cases on June 29, just days following the end of school. As of Wednesday, Aug. 25, the seven-day average for new daily cases was 4,401, comparable to figures reported in May. Albany County is in a high transmission area, defined by the Centers for Disease Control as a place where the total number of new cases per 100,000 persons within the last seven days is at or greater than 100.

County Executive Dan McCoy reported 113 new infections on Friday, Aug. 27. It's the highest singleday increase since February.

"I'm hopeful that this doesn't become a new, even worse trend," he said, "but if it is, it's alarming."

In recent weeks, the CDC has recommended masks while indoors. That's just one of the expectations leading up to next Thursday.

Monroe made mention of Gov. Kathy Hochul's support for mandatory vaccinations for teachers and school staff members. That could lead to an official mandate. Short of that, there is the issue over inoculated students.

Today, children 12 years old and older can receive a vaccination. According to Bethlehem Central, 80 percent of high school students are full vaccinated. At the middle school, where not all students are eligible for the vaccine, 50 percent of 7th graders are inoculated and 70 percent of 8th graders are fully vaccinated.

"[Bethlehem] is committed to the goal of daily in-person instruction for all students for the 2021-22 school year. This is a goal that is fully endorsed by the [CDC], the American Academy of Pediatrics and the New York state Education Department," Monroe said. "However, the increasing rates of COVID-19 infection in the community require that the district balance this goal with a proactive and flexible plan to protect the health and safety of students and staff."

These are just a few takeaways from the Q&A session the district hosted last week:

Masks are expected to be a statewide requirement, and school districts anticipate a formal directive from the state Health Department. While the county is in a high or moderate transmission rate, elementary students will wear masks during outside recess.

Students will sit at a minimum of three feet apart in class. "We have been advised by the [county Health Department] that desks facing the same direction is best practice," said Assistant Superintendent David Hurst.

In addition to Biden's push for in-person instruction, the district has backed its commitment to a full classroom setting based on the recommendations of the American Academy of Pediatrics. The academy "unequivocally" pushed for students to return to schools versus remote learning options. Experts from various fields have expressed concerns with how virtual learning may have stunted education and psychological growth. 'Virtual learning was meant to be an emergency stop gap during a time of great uncertainty [in 2020-21]," said Hurst. "This experience did prepare us well in the event we need to return to a virtual learning model."

The district is following new quarantine guidelines the county Health Department shared last week that it based upon CDC recommendations. The new guidelines don't suggest entire classrooms to be sequestered away from school should someone be reported as infected. "Students who are sidelined by COVIDlike symptoms will have a home instructions program available to them where they will get to connect with teachers," Hurst said.

Vaccinated high school students who test positive for COVID will isolate themselves for at least a full 10 days based on county Health Department recommendations. The time clock starts from the onset of symptoms or, if the student is asystematic, from the time they took the test. Students will also have to be 72-hours free from having a fever.

Elementary students exposed to a positive case should be tested and quarantine at home for 14 days after exposure. "So, yes, the elementary or unvacinated child would most likely be quarantined if a member of their

household tests positive for COVID-19," said District Nurse Coordinator Joann Menrath.

Last year, Bethlehem families were up in arms with the postponement of fall sports while some neighboring schools continued on with their seasons. The teams later played in the spring to a truncated "Fall 2" season. This fall, however, football and volleyball players are expected to have their respective seasons, but each athlete must be fully vaccinated. "The district is following the guidance provided by the CDC and the NYSED related to high-risk sports where there is high community transmissions," Monroe

Band and choir are anticipated to return. Singers and wind instrument players will stand 6 feet away instead of the mandated 3 feet.

The superintendent's stated plan for success was followed with respect towards the weight of reality the community will face as calendar dates approach for the near future.

"Please know that due to COVID-19 restrictions, events are subject to change and you are likely to receive updated information about some of these dates and events via email throughout the year. In some instances, cancellations may be necessary or in-person events may need to be held online," Monroe said. "We will do our best to make these important activities and events available to students and the school community."

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## BUSINESS

## Pioneer collecting school supplies

ALBANY — Pioneer announced its Charitable Foundation will be collecting school supply donations at all 22 branch locations through September 10. All donations will be provided to the Rensselaer County Department of Youth to help restock their school supply closets for their Community Backpack Program.

New items in their original packaging, such as writing utensils, art supplies, notebooks, three-ring binders, and folders, are being collected and may be dropped off at any of Pioneer's local branches during normal business hours.

Pioneer regularly provides financial assistance and employee volunteer support to hundreds of non-profits each year. Last year, Pioneer's Foundation donated more than \$300,000 to Capital Region non-profit organizations. Monetary donations were distributed to a number of community healthcare organizations, food pantries, emergency housing providers, and other services that support the well-being of local children and their families.

The charitable Foundation was created with the mission of "helping kids be kids" by giving to local non-profits that focus on the health and education of children. Those interested in contributing to the Pioneer Charitable Foundation may make a secure online donation at www.pioneerny.com/community. As always, 100 percent of contributions are distributed to local

non-profits, as all administrative costs are covered by Pioneer Bank.

## Notice to Ellis patients of third-party data breach

**SCHENECTADY** — Ellis Medicine was notified that Capture RX, a third party business associate, experienced a data breach in February.

According to the hospital's statement, the breach included limited information on 58,117 patients of Ellis Medicine. Capture RX will be notifying each individual involved in the breach with a letter.

CaptureRx is a third party administrator that provides services to FSLH regarding the 340B program which reduces prescription drug costs.

Capture Rx recently became aware of unusual activity involving certain files on its systems. Following this, CaptureRx began an investigation and worked to assess the security of its systems. The investigation later determined that certain files were accessed without authorization.

Information including name, date of birth and prescriptions was included in the data breach. For some patients, the hospital said, medical record numbers were released, too. The investigation has not identified any actual or attempted misuse of the patient information.

Ellis Hospital said it encourages affected patients to remain vigilant against incidents of identity theft and fraud, to review their account statements and explanation of benefits forms, and to monitor their free credit reports for suspicious activity and to detect errors.

## GlobalFoundries eyes "Journey to Zero Carbon"

MALTA — GlobalFoundries, the global leader in feature-rich semiconductor manufacturing, today announced its goal to reduce greenhouse gas emissions by 25 percent from 2020 to 2030, as the company expands its global manufacturing capacity.

Building on GF's history of environmental responsibility and ongoing greenhouse gas emissions reduction, this new Journey to Zero Carbon initiative reinforces the company's commitment to sustainable and environmentally efficient manufacturing operations.

To meet the goal of reducing absolute greenhouse emissions by 25 percent, GF will apply a variety of approaches and investments tailored to its global manufacturing footprint. These approaches include enhancing manufacturing emission controls, further improving energy efficiency, and sourcing renewable and lower-carbon energy. The 25 percent reduction goal encompasses all of GF's fabs and will include its newest fab currently under construction in Singapore.

"We recognize climate change is an unprecedented global challenge, and Journey to Zero Carbon is GF's commitment to growing responsibly and reducing our emissions in a meaningful way," said GF CEO Tom Caulfield.
"GF has a proven track record of environmentally responsible manufacturing and operations, and Journey to Zero Carbon is the natural next step for us to take. It's the right thing do to – for our business, for our global team, and for our planet."

GF's Journey to Zero Carbon initiative supports the aims of the Paris Agreement, which calls for significant reductions by 2030 on a path to global "Net Zero" greenhouse gas emissions by 2050. GF's announcement is aligned with the company's "Journey to Zero" efforts aimed at workplace safety and environmental responsibility.

To learn more about GF's Journey to Zero Carbon and other environmental, social and corporate governance initiatives, please view our 2021 Corporate Responsibility Report at: https://gf.com/ about-us/corporate-responsibility

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## BUSINESS

## **LafargeHolcim launches CementDirect App**

CHICAGO — LafargeHolcim in the U.S. introduced a digital solution last week it promises will transform the cement delivery process and its associated paperwork for ready mix producers.

Named CementDirect, the appand web-based solution is engineered to improve the customer experience. CementDirect enables ready-mix producers to sign off on deliveries, monitor real-time load delivery statuses and access bills of lading, proof of delivery and historical shipping documents 24/7, all in one place.

"More than ever, ready-mix producers are operating under significant constraints. CementDirect allows for easier access to delivery information and removes the daily burden of managing and storing paper," said Kristin Beck, senior vice president of supply chain at LafargeHolcim in the US. "In times when heightened safety protocols are so important, going paperless with CementDirect promotes health and safety," she added.

New users can download the CementDirect app in their smartphone's app store and register in the app or through the DirectAccess customer portal.

CementDirect's release follows the successful introduction of ConcreteDirect, which has resulted in more than 100,000 hours of customer time saved and more than half a million touchless deliveries.

"When we set out to create our digital tools, we always strive to create something that makes a real difference for those who use our products. There are so many opportunities to improve our industry, but for us, the key to success is focusing on simplicity and solving real challenges that exist in the market," said Patrick Cleary, senior vice president of sales, cement at LafargeHolcim in the U.S.

## TOWN GOVERNMENT

## Town Board meets nextThursday

**DELMAR** — The Bethlehem Town Board voted last month to move its public meeting from Wednesday to Thursday, Sept. 9, at 6 p.m.

## Comp Plan update meeting Sept. 14

**DELMAR** — The Comprehensive Plan Update Committee is scheduled to meet in person at the Delmar-Bethlehem EMS building on Tuesday, Sept. 14, at 6 p.m.

The meeting agenda will begin the review and discussion of recommendations to achieve the vision and goals of the comprehensive plan.

The Delmar-Bethlehem EMS building is located at 114 Adams Street.

## Supplies critically low

## St. Peter's Health Partners say local deficit of Type O blood

ALBANY — There is currently a nationwide blood shortage, the effects of which are also being felt here in the Capital District.

According to the American Red Cross, there is currently a deficit of available Type O blood in our area. Type O blood plays a critical role in hospitals for patients with cancer and blood disorders, trauma victims, and premature babies, among others. Without enough blood, transfusions have to be delayed, procedures have to be cancelled, and patients' health may be jeopardized.

It is important to note that all blood is important to hospitals. Your blood is desperately needed, no matter what your type may be. If you are a Type O donor, however, you play an even more significant role in helping hospitals to continue business as usual. Type O blood is universal – any person, no matter what their blood type, can receive it.

If every eligible Type O donor gave blood at least twice a year, there would be no blood shortages. That bears repeating: If every eligible Type O

donor gave blood at least twice a year, there would be no blood shortages!

Many donors give blood at annual drives. A single donation is a wonderful gift greatly appreciated by the community and the recipients whose lives you save. And multiple donations go even further, as each donation can help up to three patients.

At St. Peter's Health Partners, approximately 35 units of red blood cells are transfused each day - that's an average of 12,600 red cell units per year. In addition, more than 1,700 platelets and 2,100 units of plasma are transfused annually at SPHP.

Fortunately, our community is extremely generous, but statistics show that only five percent of those eligible actually donate; there is a huge untapped donor population.

Please consider donating blood, especially if you are Type O - there is no other source. You can have a profound effect on hospitals' blood supplies and YOU WILL save lives.

Call the American Red Cross at 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit www.redcrossblood.org to schedule your donation at one of the dozens of blood drives held throughout the Capital District through the end of this month. — Robert Webster Ir.





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## COMMUNITY



## Picturesque day at the lake

COEYMANS — Albany County Executive Daniel P. McCoy and Albany County Sheriff Craig Apple, Sr. unveiled new signage while celebrating improvements at Lawson Lake County Park on Lawson Lake Road on Wednesday, Aug. 25. They were joined by members of the Boys and Girls Club of the Capital Area who were spending their last day of camp at Lawson Lake for the summer.

## Remember 9/11

**GLENMONT** — The First Responders Honor Garden will host "20th Anniversary 9/11 Sunset Remembrance Ceremony" on Saturday, Sept. 11, at 7 p.m.

The ceremony will focus on respecting and honoring police, fire, military and first responders who lost their lives, or as a result of, responding to the events of 9/11. No political speeches will be present. Organizers wish to remember and remember the sense of community.

This is a dusk ceremony. Glow stick candles will be provided. Masks and social distancing will be practiced.

First Responders Honor Garden is located at 40 Center Lane, Glenmont. For more information, call 518-469-8772.

## **ENY Commercial Horticulture Team**

ALBANY — The Eastern New York Commercial Horticulture Team serves the educational and research needs of the commercial vegetable, tree fruit, grape and berry industries throughout the Capital District.

The team's specialists work together with Cornell faculty and extension educators statewide to address the issues that impact the vegetable, tree fruit, small fruit and grape industries.

The Eastern New York Commercial Office of Albany County Executive Daniel McCoy Horticulture Program provides educational

programs and information to growers and agri-business professionals, equipping them with the knowledge to profitably produce and market safe and healthful horticultural crops, and contributing to the viability of farms and the economic well being of New York state. Specifically, the program focuses on food safety, variety evaluation, market development, pest management and cultural practices.

Growers and agri-business professionals must enroll in the program to benefit from its many educational offerings including a newsletter, direct mailings and pest alerts.

To find out more, visit http://enych.cce. cornell.edu/.

## **Lead Education**

**ALBANY** — Cornell Cooperative Extension Albany County is committed to providing education and training on lead poisoning prevention.

Cornell Cooperative Extension Albany County offers EPA Certified Renovator Courses in Lead Renovation, and Repair & Painting Trainings. Initial and refresher courses are recommended for contractors, landlords and workers who disturb painted surfaces in pre-1978 homes or childoccupied facilities.

For more information, contact Al at ARK249@cornell.edu or call him 518-528-0627 or contact Nancy at NKL1@ cornell.edu or call her at 518-765-3521.

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## Hudson Avenue gym

The gym sent an email to its members to inform them of the situation.

"The correct authorities have been contacted and the Bethlehem police are handling the situation," the gym's statement read. "This email is not sent out to worry anyone, but rather to remind everyone to lock your vehicles, bring your valuables into the gym or leave them in a safe and secure place. We hope to see you in the facility soon."

In July, Bethlehem police reported a three-day string in "significant" activity involving vehicles with smashed windows at sporting events, shopping malls and trail heads. The agency connected the action to Felony Lane Gang activity.

According to the FBI, the Felony Lane Gang originated in Florida a decade ago, often stealing purses and using identification to commit further crimes, cashing bogus checks or going on shopping sprees with stolen credit cards. The name derives from how the alleged would wear wigs while sitting in the farthest drive-thru bank teller lane to avoid detection.

Police said culprits target vehicles to access unattended purses and wallets where they can obtain personal information, financial material, documents, credit cards and banking information. The items are "almost immediately" used at a local bank to cause "potential financial loss" using disguises, police said through a statement.

Police have asked residents to be cautious and only bring what is needed. Law enforcement has asked

people to avoid leaving these sensitive items unattended in

According to police, it is not known whether the perpetrators were on foot or in a car.

If you witnessed any activity please contact the Bethlehem Police Department at 518-439-9973.

## Man accused of attacking 74-yearold at Delaware Plaza is arrested

**DELMAR** — The Bethlehem Police Department made an arrest following the investigation into a robbery and assault behind Delaware Plaza.

Keaton G. Lauricella, 23, was arrested on Friday, Aug. 27, after Bethlehem police investigated the details behind the assault of a 74-year-old man behind the Delmar shopping mall on Sunday, Aug. 22. Lauricella was charged with felony counts of firest-degree robbery and second-degree assault. Lauricella was arraigned in Town of Bethlehem Court and remanded to the Albany County Correctional Facility in lieu of \$1,000 cash or \$8,000 bond. He is to return before the court on Tuesday, Sept.

According to the Bethlehem Police Department, the victim was first approached by a white male wearing dark clothing Sunday morning, at approximately 10:30 a.m. The culprit started speaking with the victim, but reportedly was not making sense. During the course of the conversation, the suspect threatened to steal the victim's bike. After the victim refused to relinquish the bike, the suspect allegedly pushed him to the ground.

Officers responded to the first incident where the victim was released after filing a criminal report and refusing transportation to the hospital. He proceeded to Delaware Plaza where he encountered his attacker, again.

"[The victim] asked why he pushed him to the ground," Cmdr. James Rexford shared in an emailed statement. "The suspect at that point pushed the victim down again this time injuring the victim."

According to the victim's son, the blow sent him to Albany Medical Center where he was treated for various injuries, including two cracked ribs.

It is this newspaper's policy to not divulge the names of crime victims in news stories. We have extended the same privacy to the victim's son, though he has gone public on social media.

Bethlehem police checked the surrounding area, but could not locate the attacker. The attack is still under investigation.

The son said his father rides his bicycle a few miles every day on the Albany County Helderberg-Hudson Rail Trail. The trail runs behind the popular suburban mall. A makeshift footpath between the backside of the mall and Ellsworth Avenue, which runs parallel to the

According to the son, his father's attacker was described as a white, 20-something man. He appeared "unbalanced" and spoke with a "street-talking accent."

His father, who frequently shops at the Hannaford shopping mart, was supposedly told that the grocery store had previously banned a man for having harassed and threatened both customers and staff. The son said he wondered if it was the same man.

"This person felt it fine to assault my 130-pound, 74-year-old father, walking his bike on a path," he said. "Who attacked my beautiful, kind, amazing father in broad daylight?"

— Michael Hallisey

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## OBITUARIES

## **Julia B. Strong**

FEURA BUSH — Julia B. Strong, 74, passed away peacefully on August 8, 2021. Born in Exeter, NH.

Julia was the daughter of the late Merrill Palmer Strong and Mary Moore Strong. She was a devoted and caring mom to daughter Kira Strong and aunt to nephew Alexander Tiberio, who she raised after the passing of her sister Leslie Strong Tiberio. She was a doting grandmother to her granddaughter, Willa Hollerbush.

Julia spent her younger years in the suburbs of Chicago, IL and high school years in the Capital District of New York. She graduated from Albany High School and SUNY New Paltz with a degree in art education. She worked as an art teacher and then a computer programmer for nearly 20 years before pursuing a Masters Degree in Special Education at Russell Sage College.

Julia started a new career at Montessori Magnet School in Albany as a Remedial Reading and Math Teacher, where she stayed for nearly 20 years until her retirement.

Julia had a lifetime passion for arts and crafts and was an accomplished quilter. She was a valued member of the local quilting community and inspired many of her friends and family members to pursue sewing, quilting and other art

In addition to her daughter, nephew and granddaughter, Julia is survived by son-inlaw Matthew Hollerbush, her nephew's partner Kristi Haner, her sister Cathy Ann DeLisio, and a niece and nephew.

Friends and family are invited to a celebration of Julia's life on September 11, 2021 at 2 p.m. at the Charley Houghtaling Park, 63 Mathias Place, Feura Bush, NY.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in her memory can be made to http://www. thealbanyfundforeducation.org or motherbearproject.org

## **Marian E. Koch**

SO. BETHLEHEM —

Marian E. Koch, 86, lifelong South Bethlehem resident, died on Monday, August 23, 2021.

Marian was born in South Bethlehem on September 16, 1934, the daughter of the late Conrad and Anna (Laidig) Koch. She was a graduate of the NYS Teachers College and The College of Saint Rose in Albany and taught at the Albertus W. Becker Elementary School in Selkirk for 31 years. Marian dedicated her life to her students and to being the caretaker of the family farm, a duty that she cherished through her retirement and until her final days.

Survivors include her sister, Evelyn Lasher of Catskill; nieces, Marian (Kenneth) Schmitt of Shoreham, NY and Christine (Keith) Jones of Cooperstown; as well as great nieces, Adrianna and Alison Jones.

Services were private at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Delmar-Bethlehem EMS, P.O. Box 326, Delmar, NY 12054 or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis TN 38105.

## Theresa Ann Loque

ALBANY — Theresa Ann Gavin Logue was born to James and Ellen Gavin in Yonkers, NY in 1950. She attended Sacred Heart School in Yonkers through high school and later received an Associates Degree from Maria College in Albany, NY.

Theresa worked for the NYS OPWDD for over 25 years until her retirement. Theresa made the best apple pie, told the funniest Irish jokes, and enjoyed life to the fullest. She was a devout Catholic and fervently held on to her faith. She held a special devotion to St. Therese of the Little Flower.

Theresa was predeceased by her parents, eldest brother Father James Gavin O.F.M. Cap, and brother-in-law James Spellman. She leaves behind three children, Catherine (John) LaBarge, Peter (Jennifer) Logue, and Cecilia (Brian) Walsh, in addition to six grandchildren: Dylan, Brendan, Rory Sean, Brooks, Nellie Rose, and James. She is also survived by her beloved siblings: Eileen Spellman, John (Margaret) Gavin, William Gavin, Catherine (Steve) Leibowitz, Thomas (Mary) Gavin, and Francis (Beth) Gavin, as well as many cherished nieces and nephews.

Theresa's life was blessed

with many friendships. From childhood companions in Yonkers, to co-workers, colleagues, and Rosary prayer group members, "Terri" was always there to share kindness and a laugh. The world will not be the same without her smile. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions to the Arthritis Foundation at www.arthritis.org in Theresa's memory. Our family hopes they can one day offer a cure for this debilitating disease that impacted Theresa for her entire adult life.

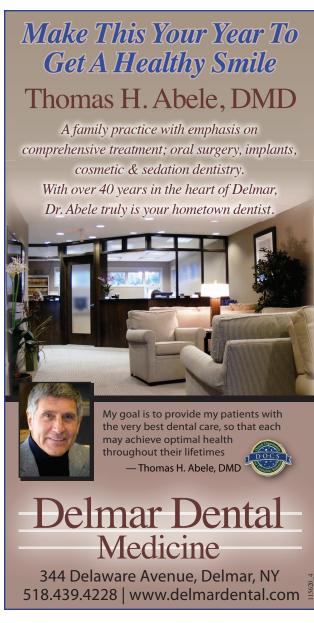




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## NOTICE OF LLC

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110 PIONEER STREET
REALTY, LLC. Arts. of
Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/09/21. 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 Diane Fargo, 110 Pioneer Brooklyn, NY Street, 11231. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273623

## **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

129 19TH STREET HOLDING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/28/21. 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 180 Prospect Park West, Garden Suite, Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272915

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1390 EAST 23RD STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/30/21. 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, 2001 Marcus Avenue, Suite W183, Lake Success, NY 11042. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-273092

## **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

147-15 LLC. Arts. Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/25/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o David Hurwitz LLC, c/o David 147-15 70th Road, NY 11367. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272869

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170 EEA 1011E PROP-ERTIES LLC. Arts. Org. filed with the SSNY 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, c/o Gordon & Petkos LLP, 1790 Broadway, Suite 710, New York, NY 10019. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273682

## **LEGALS** NOTICE OF LLC

**FORMATION** 196 RUTLEDGE ST. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/29/21. 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, 196 Rutledge Street, Brooklyn, NY 11211. Purpose: Ánv lawful purpose.

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

RIVERSIDE GARAGE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/03/21. 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-273206

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

KNICKERBOCKER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed the SSNY 08/11/21. 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, 238 Starr Street, Brooklyn, NY 11237. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273777

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

20XX LLC. App. Auth. filed with the SSNY on 08/11/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 05/08/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be copy of process to the LLC, 815 Greenwith Street, 5A, New York, NY 10014. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

## **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

210 WEST 17TH STREET OWNERS 26, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/03/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Y Capital Group, 420 Madison Av-Y & LLC, Suite 1001, New NY 10017. Purenue. pose: Any lawful pur-D-273041

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

210 WEST 17TH STREET OWNERS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/19/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 420 Madison Avenue, Suite 1001, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273040

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220 REMSEN STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on

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08/30/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Donald T Russell, 241 Remsen Street, Cohoes, NY 12047. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272433

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

CAMPBELL ROAD ASSOCIATES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/06/21. Of-Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 5901 10th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11219. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272524

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2323 DAVIDSON BRONX REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/17/21. 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, 68-01 Main Street, Flushing, NY 11367. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274083

## **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

24 5TH AVE 818 LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/20/21. 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, 24 Fifth Avenue, Unit 818, New NY 10011. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274399

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WESTCHESTER AVE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/26/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 3515 E. Tremont Av enue, Bronx, NY 10465. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272805

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**FORMATION** 2472 CHESTNUT AVE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/10/20. 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, PO Box 127, Lake Grove, NY 11755. Purpose: Any lawful p D-272509

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2476 86TH ST LLC.
Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/15/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-

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cess to the LLC, 1393 Dahill Road, Brooklyn, NY 11204. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272359

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2647 BROADWAY OWN-ER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/13/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Aulder Capital, 88 Broad Street, Suite 28-088, New York, NY 10004. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272387

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2724 E 65TH ST LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 01/19/21. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2120. 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, 249 Mayfair Drive Brooklyn, 11234 Purnose: lawful purpose. D-272325

## **PUBLIC HEARING** NOTICE, TOWN OF BETHLEHEM. ALBANY COUNTY, NY.

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing as part of its scheduled Board Meeting on Tues-day, 09/7/2021 at 6:00 regarding a Special Use Permit and Site Plan Application, submitted by Eamon Murphy and Alexandra Von Stackelberg, as shown on draw-ing entitled "Special Use Permit Site Plan Ground Mounted Solar System, Eamon Murphy Ground Mounted Solar Installation Project, Sheet 2 of 4, 28 Halter Road, Glenmont, NY, 12077, Residential Dwelling: 1,311 Sq. Ft., Attached garage; Patio-flg/cn, prepared by Kasselman Solar LLC, 20 Walker Way, Albany, NY 12205"

As of the time of this notice, the Public Hearing is expected to be held at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Ave, Delmar. Due to the increasing level of COVID-19 transmission in Albany County, residents interested attending the public hearing should check the Town website to see if the meeting will still be held in-person or if it will be held via remote video conferencing (i.e. Should meeting be held via Zoom, the Town will provide updates on the Town website prior to meetina townofbethlehem.org).

(www. Documentation related to the application can be viewed in the Planning Office at Town Hall, M-F, 8:30 AM-4:30 PM. Notice of Public Hearing will be mailed to proper ty owners within 200' of the subject parcel. Said notice will also be published in the 09/1/2021 issue of the Spotlight Newspaper. All interest-ed persons are invited to

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and be heard. attend Written comments can be submitted via US Mail to the Planning Office at 445. Delaware Ave. Delmar, NY 12054 or via Email to the planning-board@townofbethlehem.org

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KINGSLAND AVE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/30/21. 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 932 Atlantic Avenue, Brook-lyn, NY 11238. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273043

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

REGENT CIR LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/15/21. Office: Albany County. designated agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 29 Regent Cir, Staten Island, NY 10312. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272384

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328 BK ATLANTIC LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 07/26/21. 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 East Group Capital, 110 East 31st Street, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273142

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

357 ASSOCIATES, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/28/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Edward F. White, Esq., 218 N. Wellwood Avenue, Suite 1, Lindenhurst, NÝ 11757. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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380 HOOPER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/25/21. Office: Albany County. designated agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 380 Hooper Street, Brooklyn, NY 11211. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274627

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383 BRADFORD LLC. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/21.
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, 383 Bradford Street, Brooklyn, NY 11207. Purpose: Áný lawful purpose. D-272503

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430 89TH STREET RE-ALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/11/21. 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, ATTN: Robert G. Sabbagh, 8801 Fourth Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273044

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

430 ST. MARKS PLACE PARTNERS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/20/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 30 Howard Circle, Staten Island, NY 10301. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274417

## NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION 467 40TH STREET AS-SOCIATES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/06/21. 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, 5901 10th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11219. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272525

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

5901 10TH AVENUE AS-SOCIATES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/06/21. 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, 5901 10th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11219. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272527

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62-64 READE STREET EC OWNER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/09/21. 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, 345 7th 23rd Floor, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272777

### **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

62-64 READE STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/24/21. 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 Bruce H. Lederman, Esq., 345 Seventh Av-enue, 23rd Floor, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272778

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651-653 MONTGOMERY STREET REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/19/21.

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710 MACON LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/21. Of-Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon SSNY whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Dolgetta Law, PLLC, 4 West Oak Lane, Suite 335, White Plains, NY 10604. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272679

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

AVE R PROPERTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/13/21. 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, 711 . Avenue R. Brooklyn, NY 11223. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273897

## **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

729 QUENTIN LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/09/21. Of-Albany County. designated agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 1544 East 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Brooklyn. NY 11230. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273786

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79KNAILS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/26/21. 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, 1732 1st Avenue, #21041, New York, NÝ 10128. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272919

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79SEA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/26/21. 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, 1732 1st Avenue, Avenue #21041, New York, NÝ 10128. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272920

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79VAPE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/26/21. 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, 1732 1st Avenue, #21041, New York, NY 10128. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272923

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**FORMATION** 79YORKNAIL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/26/21. 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, 1732 1st Avenue, #21041, New York, NY 10128. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272924

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86 FLEET PLACE GARAGE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/04/21. 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-273341

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918 HAVEMEYER AV-ENUE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/09/21. 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, 918 Havemeyer Avenue, Bronx, NY 10473. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-273624

## **NOTICE OF PLLC** FORMATION

AA ENGINEERING PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/11/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 701 Rhinelander Avenue, Bronx, NY 10462. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Professional Engineering. D-272560

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AD SERVICES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/23/21. Of-fice: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY

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shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 39-44 24th Street, Long Island NY 11101 pose: Any lawful pur-D-272734

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ALTALENA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/10/21. 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, 145 East 48th Street, #6G, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273677

## **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

ANLG NYC, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/04/21. 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 Gregory Charles, 336 East 25th Brooklyn, NY 11226 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273365

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

ArtsOrium LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/23/21. 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, 7 Dekalb Avenue, Brooklyn, NY Purpose: Any 11201. lawful purpose. D-274447

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

AULDER PROPERTY MANAGEMENT App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 08/04/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State on 12/08/2020. 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, 85 Broad Street, Suite 17-007, New York, NY 10004. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273832

## **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

BEACHWOOD FAM LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/29/21. Office: Albany County. designated agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 127 West 83rd Street, Box New York, NY 10024. Any Purpose: lawful purpose.

### **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

BEACHWOOD RFM LLC. Arts. of Ora. filed with the SSNY on 07/29/21. 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, 127 West 83<sup>rd</sup> Street, Box 1052, New York, NY 10024. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273047

## **LEGALS**

**LEGAL NOTICE** BEACON COLONIAL II LLC (the "LLC") filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State of New York "SSNY") on 7/16/2021. York LLC office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process served to c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St, Albany, NY 12207-2543. Purpose: any lawful activity.

## NOTICE OF LLC

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BERLESTE, LLC. Arts. of
Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/16/21. 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 Bedford Street, New York, NY 10014. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272388

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BETTER NUT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/14/21. 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, 85 Broad Street, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, NY 10004. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272326

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BIGGER BADDER BULLYS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/11/21. 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, 540 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Watervliet, NY 12189. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

## **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

D-273755

BLOSSOM BLEU TABLE-CLOTHS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/09/21. 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, 1587 East 26th Street, Brooklyn, NY Purpose: 11229. Any lawful purpose D-273600

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BRADVILLE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/21/21. Of-Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Beth Rabbach, PO Box 541105, Flushing, NY 11354. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BUSY BEE CONSULTING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/06/21. Office: Albany

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County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 97-77 Queens Boulevard, Suite 1120, Rego Park, NY 11374. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273522

## **NOTICE OF LLC**

FORMATION BX CAPITAL HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/02/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, West 36th Street, Suite 1100, New York, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273147

## NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION BX CAPITAL SERVICING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/02/21. 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, BX Capital Holdings LLC, 29 West 36th Street, Suite 1100, New York, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273148

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

PIERANGELI LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/20/21. Office: Albany County, designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 44-12 Avenue, Sunny-NY 11104. Pur-43rd side. Any lawful pur-

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION CARDIO MARKETPLACE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/10/21. 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 Kevin Lustig, 351 East 84th Street, Apartment 7B, New York, NY 10028. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

## **NOTICE OF LLC**

FORMATION MONARCA DE-SIGNS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/14/21. 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, 326 . 65th Street, P.O. Box 354, New York, NY 10065. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272327

## **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

CAUSE CONSULTING GROUP, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 07/14/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Massachusetts on 07/15/2004. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom pro-

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cess against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC. 52 Salisbury Road. Newton, MA 02458. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-272392

## NOTICE OF PLLC **FORMATION**

CHIOMA OKAFOR-MBAH GOMEZ, MD PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/17/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the PLLC, 200 Boulevard, Apartment 20I, New York, NY 10069. Purpose: For the practice of profession Medicine. D-274094

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

CHIP AUSTIN ST LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/04/21. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 15-32 127<sup>th</sup> Street, College Point, NY 11356. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-273315

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

CHRYSTAL ENERGY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/29/21. 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. 5308 13th Avenue, Suite Brooklyn, 11219. Purpose: lawful purpose. D-273088

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

HAWK LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/21. Of-Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 8 Shore View Circle, Pelham Manor, NY 10803. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-272459

LEGAL NOTICE COLONIAL II ASSO-CIATES LLC (the "LLC") filed Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on 7/16/2021. LLC office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSŃY shall mail a copy of any process served to c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St, Albany, NY 12207-2543. Purpose: any lawful activity. D-272681

## NOTICE OF LLC

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DAY ONE STUDIO LLC.
Arts. of Org. filed with
the SSNY on 08/20/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it

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be served. SSNY mav shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 442 Lorimer Street, Suite D. PMB 5035, Brooklyn, NY Purpose: lawful purpose. D-274393

### **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

DBD PROPERTY MAN-AGEMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/14/18. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Donald T. Russell, 241 Remsen Street, Cohoes, NY 12047. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272432

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

DEERFIELD FIVE ASSO-CIATES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 01/31/13. 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 Island Muscu-loskeletal Care M.D., P.C., P.O. Box 360, 1512 Broadway, Hewlett, NY 11557. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274490

### NOTICE OF FORMATION OF NEW YORK LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

 The name of the limited liability company is DJ Bunny Ears LLC. 2. The Articles of Organization creating the limited liability company were filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on August 16, 2021.

3. The principal office of the limited liability company is in Albany

4. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served and the post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail any copy of process against it is: Olde Coach Road, Glenmont, New 12077.

5. The limited liability company is formed for the purpose of engaging in any business purposes permitted by law. C-273945

## **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

DOWNTOWN CONDO-MINIUM LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/21. 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 Bruce Fenton, Esq., 48 Wall Street, Suite 1100, New York, 48 Wall Street, NY 10005. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272464

## NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION
EAGLES LANDING
APARTMENTS LLC.
Arts. of Org. filed with
the SSNY on 08/11/21. Office: Albany County.
SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY

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shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Peter Luizzi, 857 Watervliet, Street. 12189. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273756

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

ECOVATING HOLDING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on with the SSNY on 07/26/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, Sara Rudin, 51 Cuyler Avenue, Albany, NY 12209. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274491

## NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

EK MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/15/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 22-49 76th Street, Apartment 3, East Elmhurst, NY 11370. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Mental Health Counseling. D-272787

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

ELITE EXCELLENCE MANAGEMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/03/21. 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, 4610 Crain Street, Apartment 415, Long Island City, NY 11101. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273203

## NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION EMERALD HAUS LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/04/21. 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, 40 Alan Avenue, Glen Rock, NJ 07452. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273316

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

EMPIRE APPAREL GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/21/21. 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 Broadway, Unit 9A, Brooklyn, NY 11249. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272571

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

ENTERPRISE VALUE MANAGE-CAPITAL MANAGE-MENT, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 07/15/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 07/08/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the

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LLC, c/o Corporation Service Company, 251 Little Falls Drive, Wilm-Little Falls Drive, Wilmington, DE 19808. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272386

## **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

CONSULTING COACHING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/19/21. 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, 68-36 108th Street, B47, Forest Hills, NY 11375. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272435

## **NOTICE OF LLC**

FORMATION ESTIA INTERIORS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/15/21. 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, 160-14 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Beechhurst, NY 11357. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274120

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FIVE Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/07/21. 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 Arista Coffee, 59-01 55th Street, Maspeth, 59-01 55th NY 11378. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272730

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

FOSTER BERSIN PROP-ERTIES, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/21. 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 Herzog & Sheffield, P.C., 59 John Street, Suite 9B, New York, NY 10038. Purpose: Any lawful purpose D-272591

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FOUST CAPITAL 1. LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/30/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 422 Carlton Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11238. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273138

## **NOTICE OF LLC**

FORMATION Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/30/21. 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, 422 Carlton Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11238. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273139

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## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

FOX LAIR FARM NYC BRANCH LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/27/21. 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, 40 East End Avenue, Apartment 7A, New York, NY 10028. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272866

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

FTKS HOLDINGS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/05/21. 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 60 42<sup>nd</sup> Street, Suite 2450, New York, NY 10165. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274266

## NOTICE OF PLLC **FORMATION**

GARBER LEGAL PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/29/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the PLLC, 143 West 29th Street, 5th Floor, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Law. D-272917

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

GEORGE CORTINA UN-LIMITED LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/25/21. 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 Steven P. Goldglit, CPA, Goldglit & Company LLP, 499 Seventh Avenue, Floor 14 South, New York, NY 10018. Purpose: lawful purpose. D-274607

### NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

**GOLD COAST RENTALS** LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/21. 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, Sandeep Jain and Pritti Jain, 42 Stirrup Lane, Roslyn, NY 11577. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

GREENBRIAR GARAGE HOLDING COMPANY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/28/21. 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 Kagan Lubic Lepper Finkelstein & Gold, LLP, 200 Madison Avenue, 24th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273050

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HARLEM CMA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/03/21. Office: SSNY Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, c/o Joseph Froman, Morris Avenue, Rockville Centre, NY 11570. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-273204

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

HAWK SMITH LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 07/16/21. Originally filed with Secreof State Wyoming on 07/15/21. 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, 626 1st Avenue, Apartment 3EJ, New York, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272385

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES LLC. Arts. Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/21/21. Of-Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Iris Lior Posternack, 101 Central Park West, New NY 10023. pose: Any lawful purpose. D-273141

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

LEAGUE DREAM Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/19/21. 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, 24911 Avenue Stanford, Santa Clarita, CA 91355 Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-274279

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

JAMAICA EDMS REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/23/21. 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, 68-01 Main Street, Flushing, NY 11367. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274447

## **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

JANHC LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/21. 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, 1 Schindler Court, Somerset, NJ 08873. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272492

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

JBJJ 120 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/25/21. Office: Al-

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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 7715 Dogwood Road, Germantown, TN 38138. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274608

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

JDB PROVISIONS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/15/21. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 330 Coster Street, Bronx, NY Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273042

## **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

JG848276, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/15/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the c/o Jose Garcia. 163 West Hoffman Avenue, Lindenhurst, NY 11757. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

REEFER'S LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/21. 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, 746 Nicholas Avenue, Suite 58, New York, NY Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272495

## NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

JOHANNA STEINBERG LAW PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/19/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, c/o Registered Agents Inc., 90 State Street, Ste 700, Office 40, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Law. D-274303

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

Kaylabelle223 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/13/21. Of-Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 20 West 64<sup>th</sup> Street, Apartment 27K, New York, NY 10023. Purpose: Any D-273891

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KGW LLC. Arts. of Org.
filed with the SSNY on 07/15/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 495

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Broadway, 5th Floor, New York, NY 10012. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272383

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION KHALIL & KANE USA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/24/21. 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, 154 Scott Avenue, Suite 101, Brooklyn, NY 11237. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274606

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

KLove & Huds, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/28/21. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, One Stewart Court, Old Tap-pan, NJ 07675. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273045

### NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

LAVI CAPITAL LLC. Arts Org. filed with the on 08/11/21. Of-SSNY Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Lassar & Cowhey LLP, 730 Third Avenue, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-271346

## **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

LAYNG LLC. Arts. Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/16/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Gordon & Petkos LLP,1790 Broad-Suite 710, New NY 10019. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-273990

## NOTICE OF LLC

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LENOX HILL GARAGE
LLC. Arts. of Org. filed
with the SSNY on
08/03/21. Office: Albany
County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273205

### NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

41, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/16/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 30-36 34th Street, Astoria, NY 11103. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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VICES, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/23/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC nogu whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 33-42 9th Street, Astoria, NY 11106. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-27330

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MAASAI PROPERTIES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/12/21. 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, 45 West 62<sup>nd</sup> Street, Apartment 3B, New York, NY 10023. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273841

## **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

MAD FOR CHICKEN AS-TORIA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/16/21. 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 Clinton Oh, 21 Kettle-pond Road, Jericho, NY 11753. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

## **NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION**

MAD FOR CHICKEN CHELSEA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/14/21. 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 Clinton Oh, 21 Kettlepond Road, Jeri-cho, NY 11753. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272347

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MAJTLS HOLDINGS with the SSNY on 08/03/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 244 West 123<sup>rd</sup> Street, New York, NY 10027. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-273207

## NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION MAYOOSA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/20/21. 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, 159 Duane Street, Apartment 4. New York. NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MIKEL 31 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/02/21. Amended to 2236 LLC on 07/26/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat-

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ed as agent of the LLC whom process upon against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC 22-36A 31st Street, Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274485

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MONTROSE EAST LLC Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/16/21. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Wexler & Kaufman PLLC, One Penn Plaza, Suite 3406, New York, NY 10119. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272390

## NOTICE OF PLLC **FORMATION**

NEW YORK ORTHODON-TICS PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 06/03/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, Stockholm Street, Brooklyn, NY 11237. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Dentistry. D-274458

### NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

NFM SPG LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/09/21. 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, 200 East 61st 200 East 61st Street, Apartment 8B, New York, NY 10065. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-273613

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION APEX MANAGE-

MENT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/20/21. 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 Broad Street. Suite New York, NY 2005, Purpose: lawful purpose. D-274428

### NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

OAKBROOK CONSULT-ING SERVICES, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/26/21. 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 Vikas Singhal, 201 East Street, Apartment New York, NY 5. Purpose: Any 80th 3AB. 10075. lawful purpose. D-272804

### NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

OCEAN SURF PROPERTIES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of

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process to the LLC, c/o Sandeep Jain and Pritti Jain, 42 Stirrup Lane, Roslyn, NY 11577. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272674

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

OFF THE BOOKS CLOTH-ING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/23/21. 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, 159-37 85th Street, Howard Beach, NY 11414. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272754

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

PARKSIDE GROUP OF BROOKLYN LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/04/21. 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 650 Vanderbilt Brooklyn, NY Purpose: Any Street. 11218. lawful purpose. D-274267

## NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION PELHAM PARK TRANSIT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/17/21. 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, 2199 Holland Avenue, #3N, Bronx, NY 10462. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274080

### NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

PICASSO STYLES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/11/21. 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, 4076 Hylan Boulevard, Store Staten Island, NY 10308. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274077

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

PRECIOUS BLESSINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on with 07/30/21. 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, 107 Pine Circle, Berne, NY 12023. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273089

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/01/21. 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, 3422 Avenue M, 3R, Brooklyn, NY 11234. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272323

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**NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION** 

TRAINING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/20/21. Of-Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 23-65 38th Street, Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274392

## **LEGAL NOTICE** Rent A Nephew NY LLC

Notice of formation of Rent A Nephew NY LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on NY (the "SSNY") on 7/23/2021. Office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC, 2093 Delaware Clarksville, New York 12041. Purposes: Any lawful purpose. D-272680

## Res # 2021-34 RESOLUTION AND **PUBLIC NOTICE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem in the County of Albany, State of New York has on the 25th day of August 2021, adopted, subject to a permissive referendum, a resolution as follows: WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem has determined that the Town of Bethlehem Volunteer Fire Officers Association is responsible for the maintenance of the Fire Training Center; and WHEREAS, the Town of Bethlehem Volunteer Of-

ficers Association has determined that it is necessary to fund the replacement of the existing pavement; and WHEREAS, the Town maintains a capital re-

serve fund for the purpose of fire training ground improvements, which is made up of contributions from Town fire districts and the City of Albany; and

WHEREAS, it is estimated that the costs of said pavement 75,000.00; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of these needs. funds for such purpose are in the Municipal Training Facilities Reserve Fund: and. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that it is in the public interest to complete the purchase of the replacement im-

provements as scribed above; and IT FURTHER RE-SOLVED, that the Town Board authorizes the expenditure of the reserve moneys to fund this project up to a maximum amount of

\$75,000.00 and, BE IT FURTHER RE-SOLVED, that the Town Comptroller is authorized to expend from the Municipal Training Facilities Reserve Fund the funds necessary up to \$75,000.00 in said re-

serve fund; and This resolution shall be

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subject to a permissive referendum, as permitted by law.

The motion to adopt the resolution was made by Councilperson seconded by Councilperson Cunningham and duly adopted by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisor Van-Councilperson Luven. Becker, Councilperson Coffey, Councilperson Cunningham, cilperson Foster NÖES: none

ABSENT: none DATED: August 12, 2020 D-274652

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on 08/25/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the ignated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, c/o Fishlin & Fishlin, PLLC, 118 North Bedford Road, Suite 100, Mount Kisco, NY 10549. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Certified Licensed Social Work. D-274690

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SUPPLIES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/09/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 15 Ottavio Promenade, Staten Island, NY 10307. Purpose: lawful purpose. D-272324

## NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION SIGMA LINK REHAB, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 08/05/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State Florida 06/05/2009. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the ĽLC upon w̃hom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 1413 38th Ct Brooklyn, NY 11218. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-273450

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

SMALL WORLD DEN-TISTRY PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/04/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 180 E. Post Road, White Plains, NY 10601. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of D-273940

## NOTICE OF LLC

FORMATION SNEAKERS ON DECK LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 07/14/21. Originally filed with Secretary of Children with with Secretary of State of Florida on 01/11/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 47-15

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## STATE

## Goose hunting season starts today

DEC announces Sept. 1st opening of Canada goose hunting season

ALBANY — New York State Department of Environmental Conservation announced that Canada goose hunting season opens Wednesday, Sept. 1, throughout most of the state.

"Resident Canada goose populations are high in many parts of New York, offering goose hunters significant opportunities to help DEC manage their populations," Commissioner Basil Seggos said. "The September Canada goose season is an opportunity to focus harvest on overabundant resident Canada geese when less abundant migratory Canada geese have not yet arrived in New York."

The September goose hunting season is designed to help reduce or stabilize resident Canada goose populations. Resident Canada geese are those that breed in the United States and southern Canada,



unlike migratory populations that breed in northern Canada. Typically, resident geese are the birds commonly associated with nuisance situations in urban and rural areas. Over the past 25 years, New York's resident Canada goose population has grown from an estimated 80,000 birds in 1995, to more than 340,000 today.

As the population has grown, season lengths and bag limits have been liberalized and hunters

have successfully stabilized the population. The September season is an important opportunity for hunters, as regular Canada goose seasons have been restricted to 30 days and bag limits reduced to one bird in most areas to protect the more vulnerable migratory geese. Resident geese look the same as migratory geese, making it difficult for the public to distinguish between

information on the differences between migratory and resident geese and how these birds are managed, read the article "Canada Geese in New York-Residents or Visitors?" in the Aug. 2019 issue of DEC's Conservationist magazine or download the PDF version on DEC's website.

The September Canada goose season occurs in all goose hunting zones except the Western Long Island zone. All upstate areas are open from Sept. 1 through Sept. 25. Canada goose seasons in the Central and Eastern Long Island zones begin on the Tuesday following the Labor Day holiday (Sept. 7 this year) and run through Sept. 30. In the Western Long Island zone, the season opens Oct. 9. The September season includes liberal bag limits (eight to 15 birds/day depending on zone), extended shooting hours, and other special regulations to maximize hunter success. Additional details on waterfowl hunting regulations, season dates, hunting area boundaries, and bag limits can be

## License Requirements

To participate in the September Canada goose hunting season, hunters must:

- Possess a 2021-2022 hunting license now on sale at all license issuing agents and many town halls and sporting goods stores;
- Be registered for the 2021-2022 New York Migratory Bird Harvest Information Program (HIP);
- Hunters 16 years of age and older must have a 2021-22 federal duck stamp signed across the stamp's face in ink.

For more information about where to purchase a hunting license, visit DEC's website. To register with HIP, visit DEC's webpage. To purchase a Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp (leaves DEC's website), visit the local post office or the USPS webpage.

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48th Street, #4H, Woodside, NY 11377. Pur-pose: Any lawful purpose. D-272391

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FORMATION SONYC LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/21. 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, 2400 California St. NW, Washington, DC 20008. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272676

## **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

STRATEGIC CONSTRUC-Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/17/21. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 26 MacKenzie Ct, Freehold, NJ 07728. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-274078

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## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SUNNY & CAPTAIN, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/30/21. 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, 429 West 45<sup>th</sup> Street, Apartment 5FW, New York, NY 10036. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273905

## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

TEKWERX LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/09/21. 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, 317 West 93rd Street, #6D, New York, NY 10025. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273616

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SSNY on 07/16/21. Originally filed with Secreof State Wyoming on 07/15/21. 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, 45 East Street, Apartment 34A, New York, NY 10010. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

## **NOTICE OF PLLC**

FORMATION TWERSKY LAW GROUP PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/13/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 2373 Broadway, Suite 1121, New York, NY 10024. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Law. D-273929

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## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

TWONECK LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/16/21. 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 Laoui, 55 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Apartment 9D, New York, NY 10003. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272872

## **NOTICE OF LLC**

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VICTORIOUS NUTRITION, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/27/21. 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 . Victoria Costa, 23 Park Lane East, Apt #2, Menands, NY 12204. Purpose: Any lawful pur-D-272763

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## NOTICE OF LP FORMATION

VMJ HOLDING CO L.P. Cert. of Limited Partnership filed with the SSNY on 08/03/21. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2032. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LP, c/o BX Capital Holdings LLC, 29 West 36th Street, Suite 1100, New York, NY D-273367

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION WEST 116 STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/19/21. 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, c/o Fareed Properties Inc., 31-23 12th Street, Astoria, NY 11106. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272454

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## NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

WEST COAST LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 05/10/21. 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, 721 East 136th Street, Bronx, NY 10454. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272678

## **NOTICE OF LLC** FORMATION

WHITE SANDS RENTALS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the c/o Sandeep Jain and Pritti Jain, 42 Stirrup Lane, Roslyn, NY 11577. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272675

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## NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

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ZAKIEH B. KLURFELD PSYCHOLOGIST PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/14/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the PLLC, 5 Union Square West, #1032, New York, NY 10003. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Psychology. D-272295

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ZEBA SF LLC. Arts. of
Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/29/21. 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, 4502 Ditmars Boulevard, Suite 101, Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-273048

## NOTICE OF LLC **FORMATION**

ZENLAKE21 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/22/21. Of-Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 299 Riverside Drive, Apartment 6E, New York, NY 10025. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-272677

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# Understand the origins of Labor Day

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## Correction

In last week's front page story headlined "Murder at the park," the border between the towns of Coeymans and Bethlehem should state that it's south of Selkirk. Editor's Note: The author of this week's Point of View is president of the Capital Region branch of the Civil Service Employees Association headquartered in Albany. It is affiliated with the AFL-CIO. Since it was founded on October 24, 1910, it has grown to more than 300,000 members.

abor Day is a time to reflect on where we stand as members of the American labor force.

Work during a pandemic has brought the issue of workplace safety to the forefront.

Essential, front-line

and public facing workers risked the most and died in the greatest numbers while the wealthiest among us watched their portfolios expand from the comfort of their country homes.

Public services continued at great personal risk to the workers whose job it is to maintain those services.

They did this because they are responsible for the care of their community and others; sanitation, safe drinking water, infrastructure maintenance, caring for those in group homes with developmental disabilities, the elderly in a nursing home or those with mental health struggles.

"Unions brought you the weekend," is an oft-repeated phrase but truthfully we've brought a whole lot more. We pushed for safety legislation and life-saving policies so every worker could safely do their job and return home to their family.

Labor unions continue the fight for workplace health and safety legislation and we're nowhere near done fighting. Families aren't done fighting. Pandemic or no pandemic, we face numerous challenges as we strive for equity for all

workers. As a society, we must learn to value the person stocking the shelves more than CEO's stocking their wallet.

So please enjoy your Labor Day. Give a thought to those we have lost. Give thanks for those still here and commit to the fight for better conditions for all workers.

> — Ron Briggs, CSEA Capital Region President

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## LIBRARIES

## Voorheesville library's Annual Book Sale

he Friends of the Library (FOL) annual Fall Book Sale will be held Sept. 24 to 26. Friday, Sept. 24, 12 to 7 p.m. is FOL members only day. Memberships are available for as little as \$10 at the door. The doors open to the public from 10 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 25. There will be a bake sale as well as raffle tickets available for purchase for various baskets. The raffle drawing will be held at 2 p.m. on



Sunday. You do not need to be present to win. Sunday, Sept. 26 is special deals day from 11 to 4 p.m., so stop by and find a dvd, book, audiobook or video game at a spectacular discount.

## Take a Walk

Take a Walk with Village Historian, Dennis

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Sullivan

See the streets of Voorheesville as never before with Village Historian, Dennis Sullivan, on Saturday, Sept. 18, at 10 a.m.. This twohour walking tour will begin at Voorheesville Elementary School. Dennis is the author of the book Voorheesville, New York: A Sketch of the Beginnings of a Nineteeth-Century Railroad Town. Registration is required, and limited to 30 people.

Attendees must follow all current COVID safety guidelines. Please park at the Elementary School parking area. The rain date is Saturday, Sept. 25.

## Craft & Chat

Join us for an in-person program at 1:30pm, Wednesday, Sept. 22, where we will be making a fun craft, supplied by the library. Enjoy some time with fellow crafters as we gather for casual conversation and crafting fun. Registration is very limited and attendees must follow all COVID related guidelines.

## Preschool Storytime

It's back to school time. Children ages 2-5 w/ caregiver are invited to join us at 10 a.m., Tuesday, Sept. 21. Registration is required and attendees must follow all COVID related guidelines.

— Lynn Kohler

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## Stay current with us

he September/ October Footnotes has been mailed and is filled with exciting upcoming events for all ages – including the return of Coffee and Conversation, Great Give Back volunteer opportunities and a fourweek Forces of Nature series for ages 8-12. You can also find the latest issue online at www. bethlehempubliclibrary. org/about-us/librarynewsletter-footnotes.

In light of new COVID-19 safety concerns, some of these events will now be taking place outside on the Green. For the most up-to-date information on location and weather delays, please visit the library calendar at bethlehem.librarycalendar.

## **Tincture time**

Adam Elabd, cofounder of Yesfolk Tonics in Troy, will be joining us Tuesday, Sept. 14, at 6 p.m. to discuss the basics of making tinctures, bitters, syrups and several other herbal preparations using locally available medicinal herbs. Elabd has been making and teaching others how to make herbal medicine and fermented foods for the past decade. There



will be a demonstration, as well as a tasting, and you will go home with all the knowledge you need to make these tonics for yourself.

This programs will be held outside on the Green. Please dress appropriately and feel free to bring a chair or blanket. Visit our calendar at bethlehem. librarycalendar.com to sign up.

## Fall book sale

It's almost time for the Friends' fall book sale at the library! Make some space on your bookshelves and stock up on some new-to-vou books and DVDs at the Friends of Bethlehem Public Library's Pop-Up Book Sale on the library plaza Saturday, Sept. 18, from 1-4 p.m. For sale will be books and other materials that have been removed from the library collection and are in excellent condition. Many are duplicate copies of popular titles. Book donations are not being accepted.

Pricing will be cash-only by suggested donation; the

Friends will not be able to make change. The book sale is weather-permitting and a rain date of Sunday, Oct. 19, has been scheduled.

The Friends are an all-volunteer organization that supports some of the library's most popular events and activities. They've also helped fund the Library of Things, including museum passes, and have underwritten many of the library's concerts and community events.

## Summer reading wrapping up

Don't forget: The last day to log your summer reading is Sept. 3. Make sure you have all of your activities checked off and have spent all of your prize store points before the program ends. Call us at 518-439-9314 or email the Information Desk if you need help spending your points.

## **Labor Day** reminder

Bethlehem Public Library will be closed for the Labor Day holiday Saturday-Monday, Sept. 4-6.

- Kristen Roberts

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## Holiday hours Labor Day

he Library will be closed Saturday, September 4 through Monday, September 6 for Labor Day weekend. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, September 7 at 9 am.

Library Storytimes take a break during the week of August 30 to gear up for fall programming. Visit the library for a fresh supply of books and keep reading!

## Take and Make Tuesdays

Stop by the Library for the In Case You Missed It Edition of Take and Make Tuesday starting at 9 am on Tuesday September 7.

## RCS COMMUNITY LIBRARY

We will have a Potpourri of Past Kits so you can pick up a past project you might have missed or check out some kits never before offered.

## Perler Bead Craft Drop-In

Saturday, September 11, 10 am – 4 pm

Stop by the Library for a Saturday craft break! We'll have perler beads and shapes for you to create your own special design. Our staff will iron your project to set it in place and you're done. No need to

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## New Storytime Schedule

Join us after Labor Day when Preschool Storytime, Romp & Read, and Juice and Jammies return! Preschool Storytimes will meet at the Library under the tent on Thursdays at 10 am. Younger kids can get the wiggles out under our tent on Friday mornings at 10 am. Finally, on the third Wednesday of the month, Juice and Jammies will meet inside after hours for a socially distanced evening storytime. Registration is required for all storytimes via the Library's website.

— Carol Melewski

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## G'land talking reopening plans for library

e're very close to completion, on budget and 11 months ahead of schedule with our extensive construction project, which is expected to conclude in September, barring additional supply chain material delays.

More details may be found at: https://bit.ly/GPLbuildingproject. GPL is not currently open to public browsing, and masks are required upon entering our curbside room.

We are excited about the opportunity to welcome patrons back into the freshly renovated and expanded library, but evermindful of rising pandemic levels. Therefore, we are delaying a larger-scale grand reopening celebration in favor of a phased reopening.

We plan to reopen for public browsing on Monday Sept. 27, resuming regular



hours: Mon.-Thurs. 9:30 a.m.-9:00 p.m.; Fri. 9:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.; Sat. 9:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Sun. 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. Photocopying will be available, and all fines are still waived (since March, 2020).

On Monday Oct.
4, meeting rooms and study rooms will become available. Updated public computers, stalled by global microchip shortages, are expected to be accessible in mid-October. Programs will remain outdoors or virtual for the next few months.

These stated plans are subject to change as pandemic circumstances dictate. Our pandemic operations plan is accessible on first slide of the home page of guilderlandlibrary. org, or by going to https://guilderlandlibrary.org/get-to-know-us/people/board-of-trustees/.

## School Goodie Bags

It's a brand new world as children embark on their school journey entering kindergarten...or advance to the more complex world of middle school. In both cases, we've got goodie bags containing a free book and some fun age-appropriate swag to help kick off their school year. Please register on the Events tab of our website, then pick up your bag during curbside hours by Saturday, Sept. 11.

## **Holiday Weekend**

GPL's curbside

operations – both checkouts and returns – will be closed Saturday, Sept. 4 - Monday, Sept. 6 for Labor Day weekend.

We will resume curbside services on Tuesday, Sept. 7, at 9:30 a.m.

## Night Owls Online

For September's virtual book discussion, we're reading "Still Life" by Louise Penny, the first in the acclaimed murder mystery series set in the fictitious village of Three Pines, Quebec. Chief Inspector Armand Gamache suspects foul play and doggedly pursues clues to solve the case.

Please place a hold on a copy for curbside pickup, then register on the Events tab of our website for the link to participate on Monday, Sept. 13, at 7:30 p.m.

## **Poetry Workshop**

The "poetry of place" is infused with the writer's physical surroundings, reflecting established roots or transient locales. In this six-week, virtual writing workshop, we'll read and discuss works by ruralinfluenced poets Joy Harjo and Ted Kooser, contrasted with the metropolitan leanings of Frank O'Hara and Terrance Hayes. Next, we'll explore where we, ourselves, are grounded giving our familiar landand cityscapes center stage through the written word.

Susan Comninos, a seasoned published poet who has taught writing at Siena College, The College of St. Rose and The University at Albany, leads this online series beginning Tuesday, Sept. 14, at 6:30 p.m.

Please see the Events tab of our website for more information, and to register.

## Harvest Scarecrow Decoration

As the summer sun wanes, our sensibilities shift to the crisp, cozy fall harvest season. We'll meet in the large pavilion in Tawasentha Park on Friday, Sept. 17, at 2:30 p.m. to create a scarecrow autumn decoration. Using paint, straw, and terracotta flowerpots, we'll make a charming decoration to add to your fall repertoire. This program is intended for adults.

## **Dial A Story**

All ages are encouraged to unplug from technology and relax with a brief story using our Dial A Story line. Simply call 518-456-2400 and press 5, then choose 1 for an adult story; 2 for a children's story; and 3 for an international story.

— Luanne Nicholson









**Sugar** and Spice

Empire Live opens up with something nice.

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We know the names of those playing Pearlpalooza this year.

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It's a sin

Sin taxes hurt more than those they target.

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# Walking among gods

Yankees' Derek Jeter and Expos' Larry Walker among elite to be enshrined at Hall of Fame

## By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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**COOPERSTOWN** — Each year, for at least a day, this lakeside village explodes to the size of Troy. That's when the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum invites home their legends of the game to welcome in a new class.

The last induction class ushered 55,000 fans into this village of roughly 2,000 residents to celebrate the enshrinement of Mariano Rivera, Roy Halladay, Edgar Martínez and Mike Mussina. The wave of baseball hooligans caused the village population to swell beyond that of Troy, which ranks 18th among most populated cities in the Empire State.

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The plague of Troy native Johnny Evers hangs at the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum in Cooperstown.

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## RECENTLY ANNOUNCED

## Pearlpalooza is on

Timbre Coup, Glass Pony, Jocelyn & Chris to play as annual one-day music festival returns to the Capital City on Sept. 18

## By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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**ALBANY** — PearlPalooza, downtown Albany's highly-anticipated annual music festival, returns for its 12th year on Saturday, Sept. 18, from 12 to 6 p.m.

This year's event focuses on a predominately local lineup with headliners with national clout to close things out.

It starts off with MVP Health Care's YogaPalooza, a mass yoga gathering, and continues throughout with high-quality local vendors from some of downtown Albany's finest dining, retail and entertainment establishments.

All performances will take place on the Remarkable Liquids Stage at North Pearl Street and Sheridan Avenue. DJs from WEQX will spin music between sets, and attendees are encouraged to enjoy food, beverage, and retail specials and events from nearby businesses.

This year's PearlPalooza features performances from:

MVP Health Care presents YogaPalooza: Noon The Capital Region's only street-wide yoga event returns for its fifth year to kick off the activities on Pearl Street in front of the Remarkable Liquids Stage at noon. Instructors from local studio The Hot Yoga Spot will offer a free, one-hour, all-levels yoga class led from the stage. Find more information and register for Yogapalooza here.

## Timbre Coup: 1 p.m.

Timbre Coup was formed in 2007 just outside Albany in the town of Altamont. After many years and hundreds of shows alongside bands like The New Deal, Dopapod, Papadosio, Pigeons Playing Ping Pong, and Consider the Source, along with festival appearances at such events as Camp Bisco, .moedown, and Mountain Jam, Timbre Coup brings a little something for everyone. With dynamic compositions, melodic and haunting vocals, as well as slick chops, this quartet entertains with a fervor.

## Glass Pony: 2:15 p.m.

Encapsulating influences stretching across decades from psychedelic and jam-focused rock, to funk, post-punk, and even modern indie and post-rock, the Albany collective Glass Pony offers a sound that translates through generations, with a stylistic blend built to engage a broad listenership. With a focus squarely set on delivering the most captivating live performance possible, the band utilizes danceable grooves colored with virtuosic individual performances that deftly blend into a cohesive whole.

## Jocelyn & Chris: 3:30 p.m.

Think rock is dead? Meet Jocelyn & Chris. Two analog souls hell-bent on inciting a new rock revival. Jocelyn & Chris and their band have charted three consecutive commercial radio singles in the Billboard AAA Top 40, taken two records to No. 1 on the Relix Jambands Top 30 Album Chart, and appeared on NBC's Today Show.

Jocelyn & Chris's July release "Sugar and Spice" was lauded by American Songwriter as "pure American rock goodness" and was a Most Added US Radio Single for three consecutive weeks. The video for the track was also added to rotation on MTV

## Slothrust: 4:45 p.m.

Educated musicians all with backgrounds in classical, jazz and blues, the band's newest work, Parallel Timeline, once again sees Slothrust leaning into improvisation — something that in the past has lent itself to the infectious energy of their live shows. Parallel Timeline, mixed by industry legend Billy Bush and mastered by Heba Kadry, is a masterclass in balancing tenderness with the fierce guitar work bandleader Leah Wellbaum has become known for. With a distinct yet unified sound that blends progressive rock, acoustic and pop, Slothrust has never been more confident.

PearlPalooza is presented by SEFCU, in association with WEQX, the Downtown Albany Business Improvement District (BID), and Sugar Productions.

## **WHAT'S HAPPENING**

## Noodlin<sup>77</sup>round Lake George

Moe., Twiddle headline Adirondack Independence Music Festival in Lake George this Labor Day Weekend

LAKE GEORGE — If you are looking to see some great music this Labor Day Weekend, the Adirondack Independent Music Festival is the place to be starting this Friday.

Returning for its 6th year after taking a year off due to the pandemic, the festival will once again take place at the beautiful Charles R. Wood Festival Commons in Lake George, from Friday, Sept. 3 to Sunday, Sept. 5.

This year's festival promises to feature several of the premiere touring bands currently on the festival circuit.

Headliners include moe., who will perform two sets each night on Saturday and Sunday, and Twiddle, with two sets on Friday. A special tribute to Prince and David Bowie featuring members of Pink Talking Fish, Snarky Puppy, Kung Fu is also on the bill.

Also performing this year will be Roots of Creation, Kung Fu, Lucid, Bella's Bartok, Eggy, Neighbor, Dogs in a Pile, Annie in the Water, Baked Shrimp and Hartley's Encore.

In addition to lots of great music, the festival will also feature a variety of food and craft vendors, as well as a great view of the Lake George fireworks on Saturday evening.

Music at the festival commons is scheduled to start at 2 p.m. on Friday and 12:30 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday and will go until 11 p.m. each night. All ages are welcome to attend and children 12 and under are free.

The music continues after the festival each night at DJ's Niteclub on Canada Street, with late night performance by Strange Machines, Escaper, Marble Eyes & Friends, Swimmer and Rasinhead. Admission to the late-night shows is free with a festival wristband, however, you must be 21+ to attend.

General Admission weekend and single day festival tickets are on sale now at www.adkmusicfest.com. There is also a special VIP option available, which includes admission to all three days of the festival, a meal each night, free snacks, half-priced adult beverages, \$2 water / soft drinks, a private viewing area (with private bar) and access to private bathrooms.

Gates at the Festival Commons will open at 1 p.m. on Friday and 11:30 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

For tickets and more information, visit the festival website at www.adkmusicfest.com.

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## SCENE

## An Empire is built

"It was spectacular. We never thought that this day would come. But it's here, and we're going to build an Empire."

By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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**ALBANY** — At the end of the night, Ted Etoll was mingling among friends with his back to the bar watching over the expansive room of his new downtown club.

Jocelyn and Chris christen Empire Live

with private, pop-up show

"It was spectacular," he said, after having watched Jocelyn and Chris perform a private pop-up show at his Empire Live, the Capital City's newest live music venue. He and Stan Levinstone took what Step Up Presents and SLP Concerts respectively made out of Upstate Concert Hall for nearly 15 years and placed it into the former Capital Repertory Theatre. Like many other dreams deferred by COVID, it was supposed to open last year. We never thought that this day would come.

"But it's here, and we're going to build an Empire."

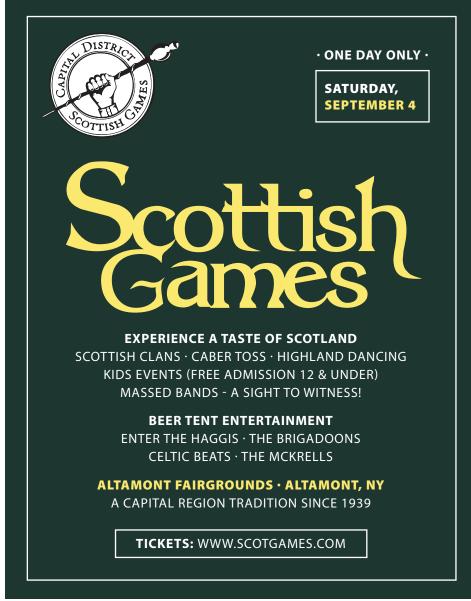
Only the stone mosaic wall art remains from the Rep, which presented its final show at 93 No. Pearl Street last March before moving up the street. The lobby of the former theatre is gone. So are the sofas, the snack bar and anything else resembling a playhouse — including its

As soon as people walk into the joint, they're looking at the 1,000-person capacity room. Patrons are introduced by a familiar sight, at least to those who spent time at Upstate Concert Hall: The bar. One of two brought down from the Clifton Park room. At the other end of the performance hall is the stage. Between it all is enough real

— Ted Etoll, Step Up Presents

A rock and roll performance from **Jocelyn and Chris was Empire Live's first show** — a private, pop-up event for an exclusive group.

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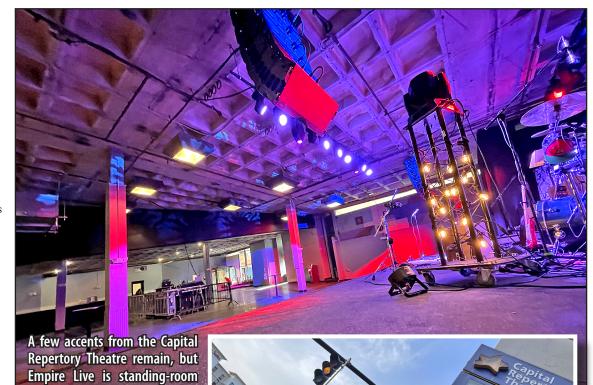
estate to rival that of The Egg.

"It looks like a club," Jeff Buell said as he congratulated Etoll on the night. It was a celebration for both of them. Buell's Redburn Development was responsible for renovating the space. There are few corners of North Pearl Street Buell hasn't touched in recent years. Between The Knick and the Kenmore Hotel, Redburn Development has rehabilitated long-vacant buildings into coveted apartments and commercial spaces. In an incredulous admission, he said, the club was the most important.

"This is going to get people here," he said. And he was right.

Within an hour, Empire Live was the epicenter of the local scene. It opened its doors on a Wednesday night to stretch out the legs on its newly installed sound system. Maybe 30 people were in attendance, but it played out like a Who's Who of Albany's music world.

Jeff Morad, of WEQX, and Vito Ciccarelli, of RadioRadioX were there. El Modernist's Will Hahn and Will Fredette were walking around — a few years before, they were performing outside the front door to start off Pearlpalooza. Jim Murphy and Sal Prizio, of Proctors Collaborative, were also in court. And, of course, Greg Bell was there, too. At one point, Wild Adriatic's Rich Derbyshire pulled



his truck up to the side of the street just to say hello. Then, Bad Mothers' Brian Chiappinelli waltzed into the room. Tomorrow the club hosts Cold War Kids. Tonight, however, was Jocelyn and Chris.

only as Albany's newest live

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music venue.

The night's guests were treated to an exclusive performance. Jocelyn and Chris just returned from a tour. Their travels were highlighted by two nights with Foreigner last weekend just as the newest single "Sugar and Spice" continues to gain traction on national radio.

"It's our homecoming," Chris said. "We haven't played Albany in such a long time." In the three years since they last played in the Capital City, the band launched off of a live, nationally televised performance on the Today Show. "We had so much planned for 2020. ... We had so much momentum going, and then the pandemic happened."

Jocelyn and Chris both talked about the 18 months in which they couldn't play in front of a crowd. They did like many other artists, they live-streamed from home. If they weren't performing from their couch, they got together with their followers, the Arndtvarks, to gather a playlist based on themes. Last weekend's theme was "wind" to pay homage to Hurricane Henri. Local Arndtvarks who made it to Pearl Street on Wednesday were treated with a teaser to the band's next radio release, "Run Away." Jocelyn and Chris performed the song from that same coach which they've since incorporated into their live acts.

"It's a beautiful venue," Jocelyn said, before saying goodnight to the crowd. "Thank you, Empire Live for allowing us to be your guinea pigs."



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## NEIGHBORHOODS

## Tranforming gateway into Arbor Hill

Partnership seeks proposals to address community priorities, create a mixeduse development including affordable housing

## By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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ALBANY — The rejuvenation effort in the Capital City's downtown continues beyond Pearl Street and Sheridan Hollow; The Albany County Land Bank and City of Albany through the Albany Community Development Agency partnered to redevelop 22 vacant properties located at the intersection of Henry Johnson Boulevard and Clinton Avenue in Albany's Arbor Hill neighborhood.

The partnership released a Request for Proposals last week seeking proposals from qualified and experienced developers or partnerships that will result in the creation of a high-quality, mixed-use development that includes affordable housing and advances community priorities for this historically underserved neighborhood.

To achieve more equitable outcomes that support community priorities through reclaiming vacant properties, the Albany County Land Bank and Albany Community Development Agency structured the RFP to incentivize respondents to develop proposals that preserve or expand affordable housing options that promote healthy, safe, and affordable housing for all family sizes and incomes, that prevent displacement and advance at least one additional community priority.

"If you want to achieve a different outcome then you need to take a different approach," said Adam Zaranko, Executive Director of the Albany County Land Bank Corporation. "Through this partnership and unique RFP structure, we hope to deliver a project that transforms vacant properties into something that serves existing residents and creates a welcoming, vibrant gateway to the capital of the Empire State."

Through this approach, proposals will be evaluated on the quality and viability of their development plan as well as the ability of the respondents to successfully implement the plan, rather than solely based on purchase

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price. The approach is part of the Land Bank's continued expansion of programs, partnerships and resources designed to return vacant properties back to productive use, address housing disparities and better serve historically underserved populations.

The City of Albany has made capital investments in the Clinton Avenue corridor and is undertaking a \$10 million investment in revitalizing nearby Clinton Square under New York State's Downtown Revitalization Initiative.

"Since taking office my administration has been laser-focused on revitalizing our neighborhoods and working with partners such as the Albany County Land Bank to create a city where every neighborhood works," said Albany Mayor Kathy Sheehan. "This joint request will help begin the process of transforming this

historically underserved gateway in Arbor Hill and turn these abandoned properties into quality housing and mixed-use retail space."

In July, both the city and state announced the completion of \$56 million rehabilitation of 70 distressed row houses along a large portion of Clinton Avenue and Ten Broeck Street. In addition, the Albany Community Development Agency and several nonprofit housing organizations have invested in rehabilitating vacant properties and creating affordable homeownership opportunities to further stabilize the neighborhood.

## Let's talk money

Kimberly Konrad Alvarez, a local preservation consultant with Landmark Consulting, said the city wasn't going far enough to attract developers. Alvarez a founding principal of Landmark Consulting established in 2002, sits on the board of directors of Historic Albany Foundation and is a past board member of both the local chapters of the Society of Architectural Historians and the Association for Preservation Technology.

"For the life of me, I'm simply amazed that throughout this entire press release," she said. "There is no mention of the potential for use of the Fed/NYS Historic Rehabilitation Tax Credit program that provides 40-50 percent tax credit back on the expenses of the rehab work." She explained that for the \$56 million spent on the buildings, nearly \$22 million is tax credits. "Add into this Low Income Housing Tax Credits via HUD for affordable

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## MUSIC

## 9 Maple Avenue

9 Maple Ave., Saratoga Springs. 518-583-CLUB Fri: Eric Walentowicz Quartet | 9 p.m. Sat: John Savage Quartet | 9 p.m.

## **Across The Street Pub**

1238 Western Ave., Albany. 518-438-1718 Thurs: **Trivia** | 6:30-8:30 p.m.

## The Avalon Lounge

29 Church St, Catskill 518-719-1640

Fri: No No Finger / Ronnie Stone & the Lonely Riders/Wheeler/Invisible Familiars | 8 p.m. Sat: Colin Rochstein and the Blues Marshals / Donny Dinero |8 p.m.

## Black Bear Inn

310 19th St., Watervliet 518-272-9486 Wed: Trivia Night | 7:30 p.m.

## Caffè Lena

47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs 518-583-0022

Wed: **Poetry Open Mic** | 7-9 p.m. Tues: Jazz At Caffe Lena: Chuck Lamb Trio Featuring Lucas Pino 7-9 p.m.

## **Carson's Woodside Tavern**

57 NY-9P, Malta 518-584-9791

## **Centre Street Pub**

308 Union St., Schenectady 518-393-2337 Thurs: **Pete Pashoukos** | 6 p.m.

Fri: **The Henchmen** | 7 p.m. Sat: **Gordon St.** 7 p.m.

## **Cohoes Music Hall**

58 Remsen St., Cohoes 518-434-0776

Sept 10: The Garcia Project | 8-10 p.m. Sept 15: The Sweet Remains | 8-10 p.m.

## **The Comedy Works**

388 Broadway, Saratoga Springs 877-565-3849

Thurs Sept 9: **Ross Bennett** | 8 p.m. Fri Sept 10: **Ross Bennett** | 8 p.m. Sat Sept 11: **Ross Bennett** | 8 p.m.

## **Eden Cafe**

269 Osborne Road #3, Albany 518-977-3771

Thurs: The Tony Loves Trixie Show auditions and rehearsal | 6:30-8:30 p.m. Fri: **Chris's Karaoke for Cash** | 6-10 p.m. Sat: **Open Stage** | 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tues: **Open Mic** | 7:30-9:30 p.m.

## The Egg

Empire State Plaza., Albany 518-473-1845

Thurs: Melissa Etheridge | 8 p.m.

## **Emack & Bolio's**

366 Delaware Ave., Albany 518-512-5100 Fri: **Jeff Lustick** 7-10 p.m. Sat: **Fred Gillen Jr** | 7-10 p.m. Sun: **Pearl** | 7-10 p.m.

## **Empire Live/Underground**

93 North Pearl St., Albany 866-468-3399

Wed: **Avatar: Going Hunting Tour** 7 p.m.

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## Let's try this again... it's Wild Adriatic

Weather didn't cooperate the first time around, so Wild Adriatic is coming back around to play at the Empire State Plaza today, Wednesday, Sept. 1, for a free performance before the Albany faithful. The boys from Queensbury will be joined by Troy's favorite band, Super 400, for a spectacular, live music event starting at 5:30 p.m. Jim Gilbert / Nippertown

Wild Adriatic and Super 400 | 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.

## **Fort Orange Brewing**

450 North Pearl St, Albany 518-992-3103

## **Funny Bone**

1 Crossgates Mall Rd #K-206, Albany 518-313-7484 Thurs: **7 For 7** | 7 p.m. Fri: **Dave Attell** | 7 and 10 p.m. Sat: Dave Attell | 7 and 10 p.m. Sun: **Steve Hofstetter** | 7 p.m.

## Gaffney's

16 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs 518-587-7359 Thurs: **BLSC** | 6-9 p.m.

## Grappa '72

818 Central Ave., Albany 518-482-7200Thurs: Hamilton Street **Jazz Trio** 5:30-8:30 p.m. Fri: Earl Davis with Peg & Bill **Delaney** | 5:30-8:30 p.m.

## The Hangar on the Hudson

675 River St., Troy 518-272-9740 Fri Sept 17: Rhett Miller Of The Old 97'S 8-11 p.m.

## The Hollow Bar + Kitchen

79 North Pearl St., Albany 518-426-8550 Sat Sept 18: **YogaPalooza 2021** | 12 p.m.

## Lark Hall

351 Hudson Ave, Albany 518-599-5804 Fri, Oct 1: Liz Cooper: The Hot Sass Tour with Special Guests, New **Madrid** | 8-11 p.m.

## The Linda

339 Central Ave, Albany 518-465-5233

Thurs, Sept 9: Justin Friello w.s.g. Richard Lovrich | 8-11 p.m.

## McGeary's Irish Pub

4 Clinton Square, Albany 518-463-1455

Thurs: **The Hawthornes** | 7 p.m.

## Nanola

2639 Rt 9, Malta 518-587-1300

Fri: **Dualing Pianos** 7 p.m.

## The Night Owl

17 Maple Ave., Saratoga Springs

## 518-319-2300

Wed: Gabby & Tall Ass Matt all vinyl **set** | 7:30-11:30 p.m.

## Thurs: **Leah Woods** | 7-8:30

Thurs: **DJ Trumastr** | 8:30-12 Fri: DJ Trumastr & Nate da Great on the patio | 7-1 a.m.

Fri: **DJ Tomb in the RedRoom** 9:30 p.m. Sat: **Leah Woods Band** | 6-8 p.m. Sat: **DJ Tomb on the patio** | 8 p.m.-1 a.m. Sat: **TSwag in the RedRoom** | 9:30 p.m. Sun: **Trumastr & guests** | 4 p.m.-12 a.m.

## Olde English Pub

683 Broadway, Albany. 518-434-6533 Wed: Irish Music | 7 p.m. Fri: Off The Record | 8 p.m.

## The Palace Theatre

19 Clinton Ave., Albany

518-465-4663

Wed Sept 15: Straight No Chaser"The Open **Bar Tour"** | 7:30 p.m.

Sun Sept 12: **Priyanka - The Taste Test Tour** Live 3 p.m.

## Panza's

129 So. Broadway, Saratoga Springs 518-584-6882

Thurs: **Roger Morris** | 7 p.m. Fri: Nick Horace Duo 7 p.m. Sat: Jeanne O'Connor Duo | 7 p.m. Sun: **Sinatra & Friends** | 6 p.m. Wed: Artie Mozeik | 7 p.m.

## **The Parting Glass**

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

Wed: Irish Celtic Session | 7-10 p.m. Thurs: **Deadgrass** | 8-11 p.m. Fri: **Seth Warden Trio** | 8-11 p.m. Sat: John Kribs Trio 8-11 p.m. Sun: **Kevin McKrell** 7-8:30 p.m. Mon: Captain Dick's Key West Island Party | 8-11 p.m.

## **Paulys Hotel**

337 Central Ave., Albany 518-426-0828 Sat, Sept 11: Matt Smith's World | 8 p.m.

## **Proctors**

432 State Street., Schenectady 518-346-6204 Mon Sept 30: Raise Your Voice for CASA Kids | 6 p.m.

## **Putnam Place**

63a Putnam St., Saratoga Springs 518-584-8066

Thurs: Bumpin Uglies /Root Shock | 8

Sat:Ride the Movies, Son of a Gun, Thanks! | 8 p.m.

Sun: Latin Night w/ DJ BoyBoy | 8

Mon: **Family Tree** | 7 p.m.

## **Ravenswood Grill & Tavern**

1021 NY 146, Clifton Park. 518-371-

Wed. Trivia Night | 6:30 p.m.

## The Ruck

104 3rd St., Troy (518) 273-1872 Wed: **Trivia** 7-10 p.m.

## **Rustic Barn Pub**

150 Speigletown Rd., Troy 518-235-5858

Thurs: **Open Mic Night** | 6 p.m.

## Saratoga City Tavern

19-21 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs 518-581-3230 Thurs: **Karaoke** 9 p.m.

Sun: MugDay FunDay | 12 p.m. Mon: Bingo | 8 p.m. Tues: **Trivia** | 8 p.m.

## SPAC

Avenue of the Pines, Saratoga Springs 518-584-9330

Sun: Alanis Morissette with special quest Garbage |7 p.m.

## **Troy Savings Bank Music Hall**

30 Second St., Troy 518-273-0038

Fri, Oct 1: Mary Chapin Carpenter • Marc Cohn • Shawn Colvin | 8 p.m.

## Van Slyck's

Rivers Casino & Resort 1 Rush St., Schenectady 518-579-8800 Fri: **David Gleason** | 7-10 p.m. Sat: **David Gleason** 7-10 p.m.

## **Waterworks Pub**

76 Central Ave., Albany 518-465-9079

Fri: Friday Night Dancing & Karaoke 10 p.m.-4 a.m.

Sat: Saturday Night Dancing & Drag 10 p.m.-4 a.m.

## **Wishing Well Restaurant**

745 Saratoga Rd., Wilton 518-584-7640

Fri: **Christine Spero** | 6-9 p.m. Sat: **Mike Purcell** | 6-9 p.m.

## **EXHIBITS**

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## **Albany Institute** of History and Art

## Romancing the Rails: Train Travel in the 1920s and 1930s

The 1920s and 30s were a kind of golden age for rail travel in the U.S., a period when railroads were portrayed as modern amenities that carried passengers to romantic getaways in luxury and comfort. Yet the story of railroads and rail travel during the period is much more complex, involving talented individuals, hardworking people, engineering accomplishments, celebrations, and momentous events. June 12, 2021-February

The Hudson River School: Landscape Paintings from the Albany Insti **tute-** The Albany Institute holds a large and important collection of nineteenthcentury American landscape paintings, works often associated with the term "Hudson River School. This exhibit is currently ongoing.

Nineteenth Century American Sculpture:Erastus Dow Palmer and His Protégés Launt Thompson, Charles Calverley, and Richard Park-Designed to showcase the museum's nationally known collection of mid- to late-nineteenth-century sculpture, This

exhibit is currently ongoing.

Ancient Egypt- Egyptologist and Guest Curator Dr. Peter Lacovara has incorporated the research and scientific discoveries revealed in the GE Presents: The Mystery of the Albany Mummies exhibition into a new exhibition about Ancient Egypt. This exhibit is currently ongoing.

**Traders & Culture: Colonial Albnay** and the Formation of American **Identity-** This exhibition looks at those diverse peoples who shaped colonial Albany and the objects that reflect their







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## You oughtta know

Alanis Morissette, star of Nickelodeon's "You Can't Do That on Television," guit acting to pursue a career in music. She's to perform at Saratoga Performing Arts Center on Sunday, Sept 5, with Garbage. Alanis Morissette

interests, values, commercial, and social interactions. This exhibit is currently

The Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave. Albany, 518.463.4478.

## **Albany International Airport** 2021 Mohawk Hudson Regional-

This fall, for the first time in its 85 year history, the Artists of the Mohawk Hudson Region Exhibition will be presented simultaneously at the Albany International Airport Gallery. After receiving 561 entries by artists from across the

region, jurors selected 143 works of art from 96 outstanding artists. There is information about every artist that will be showcased here. Not sure if it was too much info to include. Open: Sept. 10 through Nov. 8, 2021. Location: 3rd Floor, Main Terminal, 737 Albany Shaker Rd, Albany, NY. 518-242-2241 or www.albanyairport.com/arts

## **Arts Center of the Capital** Region

Fence 2021- The Fence Show is an annual celebration that pays homage to a time when members' artwork was exhibited on the iron fence surrounding Washington Park in Troy, the original location of the Arts Center. Open September-December 2021

265 River St., Troy. Gallery hours: Daily, Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, noon to 4 p.m. Free admission. 518-273-0552 or artscenteronline.org

## **Capital Repertory Theatre**

251 N Pearl St., Albany. 518-462-4531 or www.facebook.com/pg/CapitalRep/

## The Clark Art Institute

Ground/Work- A reverence for nature and a desire to further enliven the surrounding trails, pastures, and woods inspired Ground/work—the Clark Art Institute's first outdoor exhibition. Building on a history of collaboration with contemporary artists, the Clark commissioned Kelly Akashi, Nairy Baghramian, Jennie C. Jones, Eva LeWitt, Analia Saban, and Haegue Yang to create new works of art in active dialogue with this specific environment.Ground/work highlights the balance between fragility and resilience that both nature and the passage of time reveal, while offering fresh experiences with every visit. Open: Now- October 17th, 2021. Advance timed ticket reservations are required.

Erin Shirreff- This yearlong exhibition in public spaces around the Clark examines Erin Shirreff's practice—between analog and digital media, two and three dimensions, and still and moving images—and its fascination with the mythmaking behind art history. Through photographic manipulations of sculptures found in books, and ones of her own making, Shirreff asks what is left of the original experience of an artwork once it has entered the historical record, and what traces of an artist's labor might still be legible after the fact. The exhibition includes photographs on paper and aluminum that have been creased and cut, to take on sculptural dimensions, as well as the artist's video work. Open: Now- January 2nd, 2021. Advance timed ticket reservations are required.

Claude & Francios- Xavier Lalanne: Nature Transformed- The imaginative and expertly crafted art of Claude Lalanne (1925-2019) and François-Xavier Lalanne (1927-2008) reflects their belief that the human, animal, and vegetal worlds share a profound kinship. Throughout their long careers they looked to nature for inspiration, creating sculpture, furniture, and other works that morph natural objects into unexpected

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## **CLUES ACROSS**

- 1. It governs Federer and Nadal's sport
- 4. Golden apple tree
- 8. Central Mexican river
- 10. Horn
- 11. Egg-shaped
- 12. With tooth
- 13. French modernist painter
- 15. Disprove
- 16. Painful intestinal obstruction
- 17. Baby shoes
- 18. Make the grade
- 21. Type of screen
- 22. Christian fraternal organization (abbr.)
- 23. Computer giant
- 24. When you hope to get there
- 25. Corporate executive title (abbr.)
- 26. Shout of welcome or farewell
- 27. Imaginary awards for good deeds
- 34. A citizen of Iran
- 35. It can be sounded
- 36. Making dirty
- 37. Romanian city
- 38. Baking ingredient
- 39. Share a common boundary with
- 40. Succulent plants
- 41. Penny
- 42. Jr. U.S. Senator Paul
- 43. "Laurie Partridge" actress Susan

## **CLUES DOWN**

- 1. A type of bomb
- 2. Pacific island country
- 3. Earth is one
- 4. A place to gather around
- 5. Expressed opposite views
- 6. Group that lives near Siberia
- 7. Ore deposit
- 9. Language related to Eskimo
- 10. Narrative piece of music
- 12. The distance covered by normal stride
- 14. Glycoprotein hormone (abbr.)
- 15. Mathematical term (abbr.)
- 17. Popular beer
- 19. Jabbing
- 20. Historic Swedish castle
- 23. Humorous expressions
- 24. Christmas and New Year's Day
- each have one
- 25. Filled up
- 26. Nerve that serves the forearm (abbr.)
- 27. One of British descent
- 28. A way to get at
- 29. Food-related allergic reaction
- 30. Group of arteries near the pelvis
- 31. Picked up
- 32. Being three in one
- 33. Obscene
- 34. Dravidian language
- 36. Growl

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inventions that play with the boundaries between form and function. Open: May 8th - October 31st, 2021. Advance timed ticket reservations are required.

Museum hours: Daily, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday. Admission: Adults, \$20; children 18 and younger, free. 225 South St., Williamstown, Mass. 413-458-2303 or www. clarkart.edu

## **Clement Art Gallery**

Ongoing: Permanent antique print and **map room** exhibits. Gallery hours: Weekdays from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free admission. 201 Broadway, Troy. 518-272-6811 or www.clementart.com

## The Esther Massry Gallery

Massry Center for the Arts, The College of Saint Rose, 1002 Madison Ave., Albany. Gallery hours through Saturday, April 27: Tuesday through Saturday from noon to 5 p.m.; open until 8 p.m. on Thursday, closed on Sundays, academic holidays and between exhibitions. Free admission. 518-485-3902 or www.facebook. com/esthermassrygallery

## The Hyde Collection

Museum hours: Daily, Tuesday—Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sunday, noon to 5 p.m., Closed Monday. Admission: adults, \$12; seniors (60+), Children, students (w/ID)/ active military members and their families, free, 161 Warren St., Glens Falls, 518-792-1761 or www.hydecollection.org

## The Jan Rutland Memorial Artists' Space

Gallery hours (through Thursday, Feb. 28): Thursday, Friday, and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Free. Second Floor, National Bottle Museum, 76 Milton Ave., Ballston Spa. 518-885-7589 or nationalbottlemuseum.org/the-jan-rutlandartists-space/

## Mabee Farm Historic Site

Winter hours: Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. 1100 Main St. (NY Route 5S), Rotterdam Junction. Admission: Adults: \$5/person for self-guided access; or \$8/per person for tour and exhibit access; children and students (w/ID) free. 518-887-5073 or schenectadyhistorical.

## miSci

Museum hours: Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. (observatory open until 8 p.m. on Thursday); Sunday, noon to 5 p.m. 15 Nott Terrace Heights, Schenectady. Admission: Adults (13+), \$12; seniors (65+), \$10; children (3-12) \$8. Additional \$6/person for planetarium show. 518-382-7890 or www.miSci.org

## **National Museum of Dance**

Museum hours: Daily, Tuesday through Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sunday, noon to 4 p.m. 99 South Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Admission: Adults, \$6.50; seniors/students (w/valid ID) \$5; children ages 4 to 12, \$3; children ages 3 and younger, free; free admission for all patrons on Tuesday. 518-584-2225 or www.dancemuseum.org

## **New York State Museum Thomas Hart Benton**

In 1956 Thomas Hart Renton was commissioned by Robert Moses, chairman of the New York Power Authority, to create two murals for the powerhouse building of the state's first hydropower facility in Massena. They feature Jacques Cartier's explorations of the St. Lawrence River and the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Alternately titled The Seneca Discover the French and Jacques Cartier Discovers the Indians,

People like the Grateful Dead

The Garcia Project is a nationally touring tribute band that brings back the magic of the Grateful Dead, in case you didn't get that miracle you were holding out for years ago.

the murals depict the 16th-century encounters from two points of view. These life groups were on view at the Museum when it was at the State Education Build-

The original building in Massena where these murals were displayed is now closed to the public. They were removed and conserved beginning in 2018 and are on loan to the New York State Museum age from the excavation preceding the until Dec 31.

The band is to perform on Friday, Sept. 10, at the Cohoes Music Hall.

call Fort Orange." This exhibition examines the momentous discovery of events occurring there 400 years ago that and the nation. Select artifacts, film foot-

construction of I-787, and four decades Also, **"a small fort, which our people** of historical and archaeological research are highlighted.

The Garcia Project

Museum hours: Tuesday—Sun, 9 a.m. to Fort Orange and the lasting impact of 5 p.m.; 222 Madison Ave., Albany, Free admission; suggested donation of \$5/ shaped the character of the region, state, person or \$10/family. 518-474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.gov

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## **Opalka Gallery**

Gallery Hours: Tuesday through Friday, noon to 7 p.m.; Saturday, noon to 4 p.m. Sage College of Albany, 140 New Scotland Ave., Albany. Free admission. 518-292-7742 or opalka.sage.edu

## Saratoga Arts

320 Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Free admission. Gallery hours: weekdays, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. 518-584-4132 or saratoga-arts.org

## **Schenectady County Historical Society**

Continuing: "Back in My Day: Childhood, Play, and Schenectady." Are play and childhood toys a reflection of larger social, cultural, and technological developments? This exhibition examines that question, focusing primarily on cultural and social influences on childhood in the 20th & 21st century. Admission, \$5. On view indefinitely. Plus permanent exhibits. Ongoing: "Mapping Sche**nectady."** Some of SCHS' most prominent and interesting maps are now on permanent display in the Map Gallery. Also, "Beyond the Pines: Early Schenectady," an exhibit focused entirely on early Schenectady: its founding, its people, and what life was like for the city's earliest residents. Plus permanent exhibits. Museum hours: weekdays, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Library and Museum, 32 Washington Ave., Schenectady. Admission: \$5. 518-374-0263 or schenectadyhistorical.org

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## CULTURE

## Sin tax hurts others

Non-targeted taxpayers could suffer unforeseen consequences when excise taxes are imposed

## **By JEANNE HEDDEN GALLAGHER**

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TROY — When an excise tax hike was levied on cigarettes, New York City taxi drivers who smoked were one and a half times more likely to cheat their customers by overcharging the fare than those who didn't

smoke. That finding comes from forthcoming research in Accounting, Organizations, and Society.

In the first-known study to document that sin taxes can even affect those who aren't paying them, Thomas Shohfi, an assistant professor in the Lally School of Management at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, examined detailed, ride-level data of the New York City taxicab market. He studied a four-month period in 2009, before and after the federal tax on cigarettes was raised from \$0.39 per pack to

Shohfi found that so-called sin taxes, or taxes on substances or activities thought to be sinful or harmful like tobacco use, alcohol, or gambling, resulted in a spillover effect where the individuals targeted by the tax hike — cigarette smokers defrauded other individuals.

In this study, after the federal excise tax hike was placed on cigarettes, the taxi drivers who smoked were more likely to charge riders the "out-of-town" rate for rides fully within New York City limits.

"Taxes often have unintended consequences," Shohfi said.





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## ARIES - MAR 21/APR 20

Aries, this week will challenge your flexibility. It's possible you will have to change plans on the fly to accommodate developments at work or at home.

## TAURUS - APR 21/MAY 21

Taurus, rather than trying to figure out why everyone is acting as they are, accept things and go with the flow. You will be much happier for it.

## GEMINI - MAY 22/JUN 21

You are capable of dealing with intense emotional energy most of the time, Gemini. So when someone needs a friend to confide in, you are the right person for the job.

## CANCER - JUN 22/JUL 22

Cancer, normally you are an easygoing person. But something this week has you rattled and you may be all fired up about it. Redirect that energy to some projects around the house.

## **LEO - JUL 23/AUG 23**

Leo, try to stay away from conflict this week; otherwise, you may be pulled in one direction or another. It is important to remain neutral, especially at work.

## VIRGO - AUG 24/SEPT 22

Virgo, don't worry too much about what other people consider to be right and wrong. Stick to your ideals and you won't be guided off course. You will find someone in your corner.

## LIBRA - SEPT 23/OCT 23

This is a great week to bring your mind into focus and set a firm plan for the next several months, Libra. Now is the time to make an important decision.

## SCORPIO - OCT 24/NOV 22

Scorpio, if your emotions suddenly seem more intense, you may need to change your social circle and find one that aligns better with your point of view.

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## SAGITTARIUS - NOV 23/DEC 21

Strong forces may be working against you, Sagittarius. But you won't let them derail your plans. Stay the course and things will work out just fine.

## CAPRICORN - DEC 22/JAN 20

Capricorn, keep conversations light and away from any controversial topics as you meet new people in the days ahead. Let them take the lead in conversation.

AQUARIUS – JAN 21/FEB 18
There is a great deal of opportunity and potential to follow through on some major projects this week, Aquarius. It's up to you whether you're looking for work or fun.

## PISCES - FEB 19/MAR 20

Pisces, this may be an eventful week marked by some disruptions to your normal routine. Stay calm in the face of conflict.

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"One of those unintended consequences, especially with excise taxes, is the potential for people to believe the targeted taxes are unfair, to believe someone else should pay for it, and to change their behavior to make others pay for the increased tax."

The research provided two distinct reasons for this fraudulent behavior. The first is that tax increases generally reduce the buying power of an individual. They have less money and therefore could have more incentive to cheat. The second reason is that when an individual feels they have been unfairly singled out, it becomes easier to rationalize defrauding others, even when the potential victims have nothing to do with the perceived unfair treatment.

"Fraud erodes trust in the market," Shohfi said. "Our research shows that when "One of those unintended consequences, especially with excise taxes, is the potential for people to believe the targeted taxes are unfair, to believe someone else should pay for it, and to change their behavior to make others pay for the increased tax."

— Thomas Shohfi, an assistant professor in the Lally School of Management at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

you try to dictate behavior through tax policy, there may be important negative unintended



consequences that should be considered."

This research continues Shohfi's focus on the use of alternative data as sources of creative and untapped information. Previous studies used information gleaned from earnings conference calls to observe corporate managerial behavior, examined the impact of blockholder charitable donations on market reaction, and analyzed the role of personal characteristics in angel investment decisions.

Shohfi was joined in the research — "Do Sin Taxes Spur Cheating in Interpersonal Exchanges?" — by David Kenchington and Roger White, both of Arizona State University, and Jared Smith from North Carolina State University.

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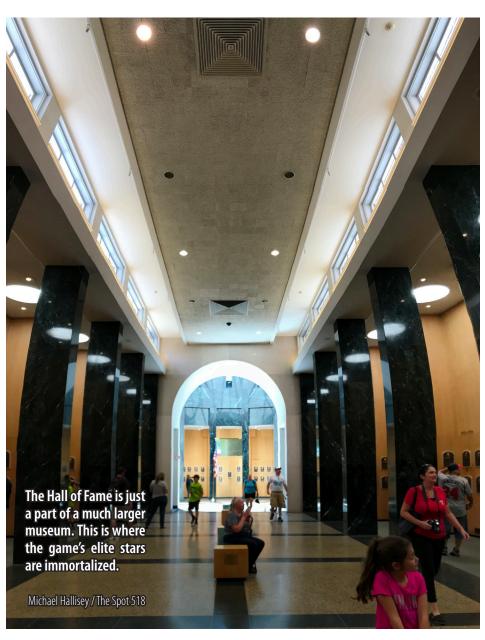








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## Cooperstown

The museum has received RSVPs from 38 past-inducted Hall of Fame members who are to celebrate the induction of the Hall of Fame Class of 2020. As of Aug. 16, 41 total Hall of Famers, including 2021 inductees Derek Jeter, Ted Simmons and Larry Walker, are scheduled to attend the Induction Ceremony in Cooperstown, held on the Clark Sports Center grounds.

The Class of 2020, which includes the late Marvin Miller along with Jeter, Simmons and Walker, will be inducted next Wednesday, with the ceremony beginning at 1:30 p.m. Jeter, Simmons and Walker will speak at the ceremony, with former Major League Baseball Players Association executive director Don Fehr speaking about Miller. Admission to the ceremony is free. Based on Otsego County, State of New York and CDC guidelines, unvaccinated individuals attending the Induction Ceremony are requested to wear masks.

Following June's announcement by former Gov. Andrew Cuomo that lifted significant COVID-19 restrictions, the ceremony returns to its standard seating format. Tickets will not be required for the event's free lawn seating area.

Since 1992, the Induction Ceremony has been held on the Clark Sports Center grounds, with estimated crowds approaching and surpassing 50,000 at five of the last six ceremonies from 2014–2019. The second-largest crowd on record – an estimated 55,000 people – attended the Hall of Fame's last ceremony in 2019.

Last year's cancelation due to the coronavirus pandemic marked the first time the Hall of Fame did not hold an ceremony in Cooperstown since 1960.

Next week's celebration will be the first for Josh Rawitch since he was named as president of the museum in June. His first, official day on the job is the following day.

Rawitch, 44, has spent 27 seasons working in baseball, including the last decade with the Arizona Diamondbacks, serving as the team's senior vice president of content and communications for the past six years. He joined the Diamondbacks after 15 years as part of the Los Angeles Dodgers' front office. He was named president in June following Tim Mead's surprise resignation in April.

"I am truly honored to join the team at the Hall of Fame, a revered institution that is fundamental to the preservation of the history of our game and its legends," Rawitch said. "Cooperstown is a special place and every baseball fan who has set foot in the village knows how powerful that experience can be, while those who haven't visited undoubtedly have it on their bucket list. My family is looking forward to being a part of the community for many years to come."

In his most recent role with the D-backs, Rawitch has overseen player and media relations, corporate communications, broadcasting, content production, social media, creative services, ingame entertainment, Spring Training business operations, team archives, alumni relations, publications and photography.

A native of Los Angeles, Calif., Rawitch joined the Dodgers' staff in 1995 and spent parts of five seasons in the team's marketing department before shifting to public relations. He left the organization to serve as a beat reporter for Major League Baseball Advanced Media from 2001 to 2002, after which he returned to the Dodgers, eventually rising to the position of Vice President of Communications.

Jeter received the second-highest plurality in the history of Baseball Writers' Association of America voting last January. Of the 397 ballots cast by select 10-year members of the BBWAA, he was named on 396, or 99.7 percent, of the total ballots. Only his former teammate, Mariano Rivera, received a unanimous selection in the Hall of Fame.

Jeter was respected

for his play on the field, but was also noted for his composure in front of the media. Joe Torre, who served as the former Yankee captain's manager and mentor from 1996 rookie season until 2007, was always "Mr. Torre" in front of reporters. He always seemed to know what to say, except when he received the phone call that he was going to Cooperstown.

"Quite frankly," Jeter said on the MLB Network, "I was pretty nervous and then when I got it I really didn't know what to say."

He hit the mute button.

Whereas Jeter was elected in his first year of eligibility, Walker made the grade in his 10th-and-final year on the BBWAA ballot. Simmons, and the late Major League Players Association executive director Marvin Miller, were elected by the Modern Baseball Era Committee.

To earn election to the Hall of Fame, players must be named on 75 percent of ballots cast by eligible members of the BBWAA. The cutoff point this year was 298 votes. Walker, a native of Maple Ridge, British Columbia, received 304 votes (76.6 percent) and became only the second Canadian-born player elected to the Hall along with Fergie Jenkins, a Chatham, Ontario, native who was inducted in 1991.

"I get the arguments, trust me, and I'm OK with them," Walker said on MLB Network moments after his election. "There's negativity to everything and I can handle it. I'm a big boy. But 76 percent of the writers didn't agree with that, and I'm as grateful as can be."

Walker, whose 22-percent jump in support from 2019 was the highest for a player in his last year of eligibility in 65 years, also becomes the first player who ever wore a Colorado Rockies uniform to be elected to the Hall of Fame.

Jeter, 47, spent all 20 of his major-league seasons with the Yankees from 1995-2014, was a member of five World Series championship teams, captained the Yankees from 2003 through the end of his career and finished with 3,465 hits, the sixth highest total in history. His other career rankings include seventh in at-bats (11,195), 11th in runs (1,923), 23rd in total bases (4,921), 29th

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in games (2,747) and 35th in doubles (544). Jeter never played a position other than shortstop in his 2,674 games in the field, which ranks second all-time at the position only to Vizquel. Jeter was the American League Rookie of the Year in 1996, was the runner-up for the AL Most Valuable Player Award in 2006 and finished third in AL MVP voting twice, in 1998 and 2009.

The 14-time All-Star was the MVP of the 2000 game at Atlanta, and later that year was also the World Series MVP in the Yankees' five-game triumph over the New York Mets. Jeter had eight 200-hit seasons, batted .300 12 times, scored 100 or more runs 13 times and won five Gold Glove Awards for fielding.

He participated in 33 series and 158 games in postseason play, both

and slugging percentage (.720) for the Rockies. The three-time batting champion won seven Gold Glove Awards for fielding and three Silver Slugger Awards as an outfielder. Walker was a five-time All-Star who ranks 12th in career slugging percentage (.565) and 15th in career on-base percentage plus slugging (.965). He batted .357 with a 1.366 OPS in his only World Series appearance, in 2004, a four-game sweep of the Cardinals by the Boston Red Sox.

With Jeter's election, there are 57 players in the Hall of Fame who have been elected in their first year of eligibility. Jeter is also the 55th Hall of Famer who played with only one club.

The Hall of Fame now has 333 elected members, including 235 players, of which 134 have come through the

Career Excellence Award winner, Dick Kaegel, and the 2020 BBWAA Career Excellence Award winner, Nick Cafardo; and the 2020 Buck O'Neil Lifetime Achievement Award winner, David Montgomery.

Hall of Fame members expected to return to Cooperstown to honor the Class of 2020 include Johnny Bench, Bert Blyleven, Wade Boggs, George Brett, Rod Carew, Orlando Cepeda, Dennis Eckersley, Rollie Fingers, Pat Gillick, Goose Gossage, Ken Griffey Jr., Rickey Henderson, Trevor Hoffman, Reggie Jackson, Fergie Jenkins, Barry Larkin, Juan Marichal, Edgar Martinez, Pedro Martínez, Paul Molitor, Jack Morris, Mike Mussina, Tony Pérez, Tim Raines, Cal Ripken, Mariano Rivera, Iván Rodríguez, Ryne Sandberg,



records, and holds postseason marks for atbats (650), runs (111), hits (200), total bases (302), doubles (32) and triples (5). In essentially the equivalent of a full regular season, Jeter in postseason play batted .308 with 20 home runs, 61 runs batted in and 66 walks. He won the Hank Aaron Award for hitting in 2006 and '09, the Roberto Clemente Award for community service in 2009 and the Lou Gehrig Memorial Award for philanthropy in 2011.

Walker, 53, batted .313 with 383 home runs over 17 seasons with Montreal, Colorado and St. Louis. He was the National League MVP in 1997 when he hit .366 with league-leading totals in home runs (49), total bases (409, the 18th -highest single-season total in history), onbase percentage (.452)

**BBWAA** ballot. The average ballot in the 2020 election contained 6.61 names, down from 8.01 last year with 20.5 percent of the voters using all 10 slots, down from 42.8 percent last year. The total of ballots cast marked a 97.1-percent return rate of the 409 ballots mailed to voters.

The Hall of Fame's Annual Awards Presentation will remain an indoor, television-only event, taking place on Saturday, July 24, with the Award Winners or their representatives being invited back to Cooperstown to be recognized at the Induction Ceremony. The Awards Presentation will honor 2021 Ford C. Frick Award winner for broadcasting excellence, Al Michaels, and the 2020 Frick Award winner, Ken Harrelson; the 2021 Baseball Writers' Association of America

Schmidt, Bud Selig, John Schuerholz, Lee Smith, John Smoltz, Frank Thomas, Joe Torre, Alan Trammell, Dave Winfield and Robin Yount.

The Induction Ceremony will be held on the grounds of the Clark Sports Center in Cooperstown starting at 1:30 p.m. ET on Sept. 8, unless severe weather forces the event cancellation. Seating is free and unlimited and the Ceremony is expected to last three hours. The Ceremony will be televised live on MLB Network and broadcast nationally on Sirius XM Radio.

The museum will be open extended hours from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Wednesday. Hall of Fame Members receive free admission to the Museum year-round, and membership information is available at baseballhall. org/join.



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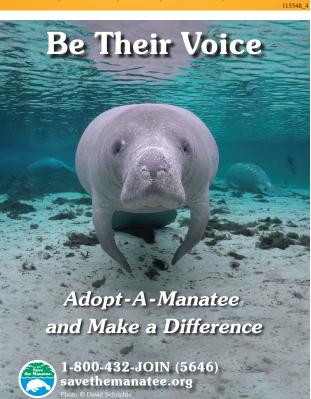
While quinoa is technically not a grain (its grains are the seeds or fruits of cereal grasses), it often is treated as a grain and classified as a "pseudocereal." Encyclopedia Britannica utilizes that term to describe non-grasses that people consume as if they were traditional grains. The Whole Grains Council even classifies quinoa as a whole grain due to its method of preparation and nutrient

Quinoa can be delicious in many forms and be an alternative to rice, pasta, couscous and other grains in cooking. Try this "Green Quinoa Salad" from "Plant-Based Gourmet: Vegan Cuisine for the Home Chef' (Apollo) by Frances Gordon.

## **INGREDIENTS:** Makes 6 servings as a side, 4 lunch portions Quinoa mix

ounces white quinoa, rinsed and dried





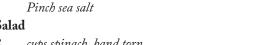
- tablespoon coconut oil
- teaspoon whole coriander seeds

## Salad

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- 3 stalks celery, diced
- stalk from a fennel bulb, diced
- green bell pepper, diced
- 1 large cucumber, diced with skin left on
- avocados, diced
- medium parsnip, peeled and diced
- white onion, thinly sliced and chopped 1/2
- cup chopped fresh cilantro 1/2
- 1/4 cup chopped fresh Italian parsley
- cup chopped fresh dill 1/4
- jalapeño, diced (with seeds if more heat desired)
- 2 garlic cloves, crushed and minced
- 2 tablespoons sesame seeds, toasted

## Dressing

avocado



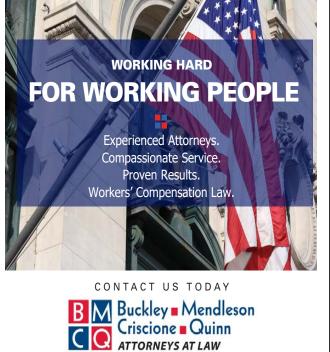
- cups spinach, hand torn

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- 10 basil leaves, chopped
- tablespoon freshly ground black pepper

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tablespoons extra virgin olive oil

1 tablespoon fresh lime juice

teaspoon salt

teaspoon ginger powder

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Combine the quinoa and coconut oil in a saucepan over medium-low heat and cook, stirring, to gently toast until the color of the grain darkens slightly, about 2 to 3 minutes.
- 2. Add the coriander seeds, sea salt, and 4 cups room temperature water and bring to a boil, then reduce the heat, cover, and simmer for 10 minutes. Uncover and simmer for another 5 minutes.
- 3. Combine all the salad ingredients in a large bowl. Let the quinoa cool for 15 minutes, then add to the bowl and toss to help wilt the salad greens. Mix well.
- 4. Combine all the dressing ingredients in a blender and pulse to combine. Then transfer to a small mason jar or salad dressing bottle with a tight-fitting lid. Shake vigorously until it looks creamy, then toss with the salad.
- 5. Let cool at room temperature, then chill for at least 1 hour before serving.

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## THEATRE

## "Buyer & Cellar" at Charles Wood Theatre

**By PATRICK WHITE** 

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GLENS FALLS — I don't know if there's a more profound satisfaction than watching an actor you've known for years take on an enormously challenging role and just kill it. Shayne David Cameris as Alex More in Jonathan Tolin's "Buyer and Cellar," presented by Lake George Dinner Theatre at Charles Wood Theatre in Glens Falls is just leaps and bounds beyond anything I've seen this fine actor do. He's always been good but this is a one-man show where he tells a fantastic story, creates half a dozen other characters that he interacts with and generally has the time of his life pouring his joy into his character's wide-eyed wonder at the world. Tolins, director Jarel Davidow and the pandemic which necessitated smaller casts have given Cameris a golden opportunity and he runs around ripping into Tolins bon mots like a kid tearing open presents on Christmas Day.

The story is that in 2010



Photo by Molly Rose McGrath

Barbra Streisand wrote a coffee table book and took the photographs about her "Passion for Design." In that book she described a cellar that she set up which had different stores featuring her collections of costumes or toys with a sweets counter that had a frozen yogurt machine and popcorn popper and a gift wrap shoppe that also trafficked in extra "p"s and "e"s. This is a work of fiction our narrator assures us. We should never believe that such a beautiful, iconic and one of the 20th Century's most legendarily talented and litigious voices would ever have an underground mall that was looking to hire an attendant for when she wanted to shop her own belongings. That would be crazy!

Our hero, Alex More, has just been fired from Disney World where he was Mayor of Toon Town for threatening to shove a churro down a kids throat for calling him a loser. He gets a referral call from another Disney "cast member" with whom he was macking on the Matterhorn and makes the hour and twenty-minute commute to the job interview in Malibu. He's instructed to hide his Jetta behind some bushes, outfitted

in a "Music Man" mercantile costume, brought down a circular staircase and told to wait. He busies himself with dusting before the front bell rings and soon he's interacting with The Customer. "Call me Sadie," she says.

What transpires is a giddy romp into celebrity culture, idol worship, our attachment to our possessions and our fragile sense of self worth and need for connection. The Wood Theater stage has four pillars upstage showcasing the different shop's wares (set and prop design by Colleen Doyle Potter), there are a couple of white chairs a bench and a rolling work table that Shayne moves himself setting up different shops or his boyfriend's apartment or the holy grail, when he enters Streisand's living room in a climactic moment and lavs his head back on her chaise while she strokes his hair. The lighting designer Rachel Budin does some really clever effects like throwing shadows on the upstage wall during nighttime scenes in the mall and using the two hanging lights on either side of the stage to create separate spaces, especially for Alex's boyfriend. It's great to see local theater artist

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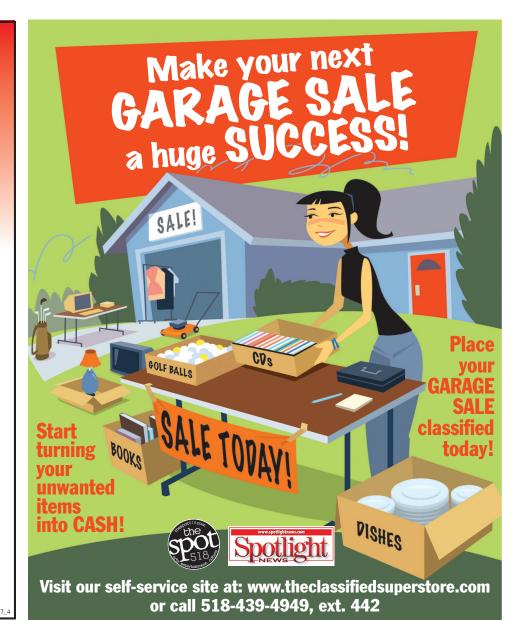
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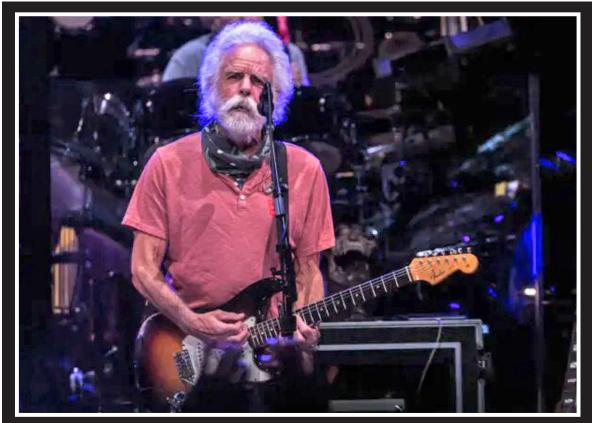
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## **Bring out your Weir**

SARATOGA SPRINGS — Dead & Company took the stage for its seventh show of its Summer Tour 2021 at Saratoga Performing Arts Center. Each show had gotten progressively better as the tour progressed, and Friday, Aug. 28 was no exception. When the Grateful Dead played their final concerts a few years back, not everyone was ready to call it quits — Bob Weir, Mickey Hart, and Bill Kreutzmann put together Dead and Co. to keep their legacy alive. They tapped virtuosos John Mayer, Oteil Burbridge, and Jeff Chimenti to round out their lineup. The result was glorious.

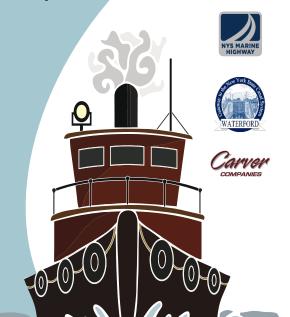
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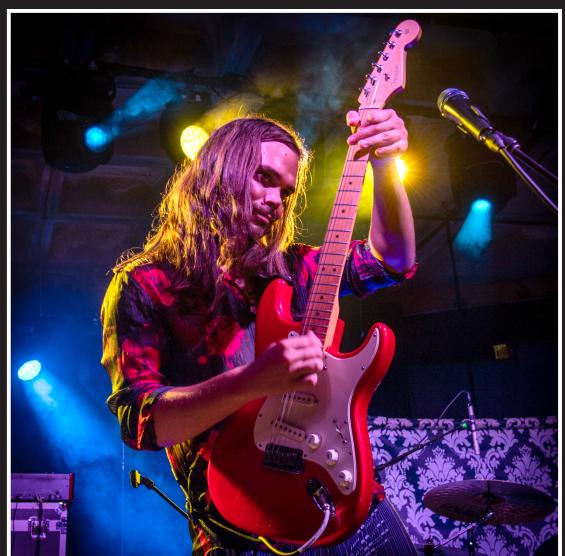
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## **Sugar and Spice**

ALBANY — Wasn't it nice? A few more pictures capturing the action on stage at Empire Live. Jocelyn and Chris performed to a private show in a pop-up show to test out the audio and lighting equipment at the new live music venue. The story can be ready on Page B4.

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## From page B6 ...

## Gateway into Arbor Hill

housing units and New Market Tax Credits given the distressed nature of the community and the project nearly pays for itself."

Alvarez has worked for the National Park Service in Washington, D.C., as a member of the technical research staff; the Boston Landmarks Commission overseeing preservation compliance in the nation's largest Victorian-era historic district; and the Massachusetts Historical Commission as a part of the grants administration staff during an incredible state surplus period with \$10 million in grant projects. Since returning to her home state of New York, her consulting projects have included several National Register nominations, historic structure reports, rehabilitation investment tax credit projects, cultural resource surveys, condition assessment reports and architectural services for State Environmental Protection Fund (EPF) projects.

"What is mind boggling is that this is intended to be a marketing pitch and yet the city and county have left out the very information that most investors and affordable housing developers are looking for," she said.

Because many of the

buildings along Clinton
Avenue are listed on either
a local or national register
for historic preservation,
Alvarez said potential
developers can't go in with
the expectation that they
can tear buildings down.
Depending on the property,
she said a review will be
required to assess the need
for rehabilitation above all
other options.

"You can't simply expect you can pull them down and replace them, regardless of whether they are vacant," Alvarez said. "Come on Albany, get it together."

## **Equitable** redevelopment

Both the Albany County Land Bank and Albany Community Development Agency stated they are committed to fostering the equitable redevelopment of vacant properties to address racial and economic disparities and create healthy, affordable, and sustainable neighborhoods that serve all residents. Community priorities were identified by reviewing existing neighborhood plans and holding a series of discussions with local elected officials, community leaders, neighborhood associations and public meetings.

Through this effort, several core community priorities emerged including the need for more affordable housing (both rental and homeownership), increased opportunities for economic advancement (such as the creation of quality living wage jobs), addressing an undersupply of services and amenities for existing residents (including access to nutritious food, pharmacies, and health/dental care), mitigating climate change, and improving public health and safety.

Fifteen of the properties are under the jurisdiction of the Albany Community Development Agency and the balance have been acquired and assembled by the Albany County Land Bank. The properties are located along two primary roadways, including Henry Johnson Boulevard — a corridor lined with several civic uses that serves as a primary entry point into New York State's capital city and is used by over 20,000 vehicles per weekday— and Clinton Avenue, which connects Albany's Arbor Hill, West Hill, and Sheridan Hollow neighborhoods with Downtown and the waterfront.

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## From page B16 ...

## Buyer & Cellar

Jeremy Beuchner's name providing the casual chic costume for Alex.

Cameris is a strong singer, a vivid stage presence and has always been a solid moment to moment believable actor in the eight years I've been watching him in a dozen shows or so but I've never seen him so loose, free and fun. He is charming and touching as Alex, a guy you empathize with when his check engine light goes on. We want good things for him. But it's in Shayne's creations when the fun takes off. His Barbra is a riot yet not campy or exaggerated, you will find yourself imitating him doing her on the trip home. Shayne scores again

and again with Shirley, his gorgon at the gate who gets immediate reactions, his one line as Arthur Laurents and Barry, his boyfriend, is a clenched fist, screeching his discontent but perhaps best of all is his understated James Brolin, all angular and flinty on a late night froyo run. Cameris not only creates these characters but then reacts in the scenes with them and that's where he excels. He pours himself into his reactions. His first encounter with Streisand and the gradual upping of the improv stakes between merchant and public in the manufactured mall is priceless. We saw the first public performance and I'm sure it will grow and refine. He trips over a few

too many words and his physical life will get sharper for all his characters.

Lake George Dinner Theatre is doing its first co-production with the Charles R. Wood Theater on this production of "Buyer & Cellar" and there are passages from Thomas More's "Utopia" which describe us all as aspirational. Barbra asks Alex what he wants in life and he answers that he wants to have the talent and resources to make things for himself and others to enjoy. "Buyer & Cellar" is a thoroughly enjoyable fable about divisions and our creative reaction that overcomes them.

Production closed with its last performance on Sunday, Aug. 29.

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