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TOP STORY



David DeCancio, with his wife and family by his side, takes the oath of office as he is sworn in as Bethlehem's newest Town Board member. Town residents voted him in last November. His election, along with incumbents Maureen Cunningham and Town Supervisor David VanLuven, brings the Town Board to an all-Democrat legislative body.

Provided photo

History honored

David DeCancio first Latino elected into Bethlehem town office

By MICHAEL HALLISEY
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BETHLEHEM — Newly elected Town Board member David R. DeCancio took his oath of office on Monday, Jan. 3 on a Bible dating back to the early days of the Town.

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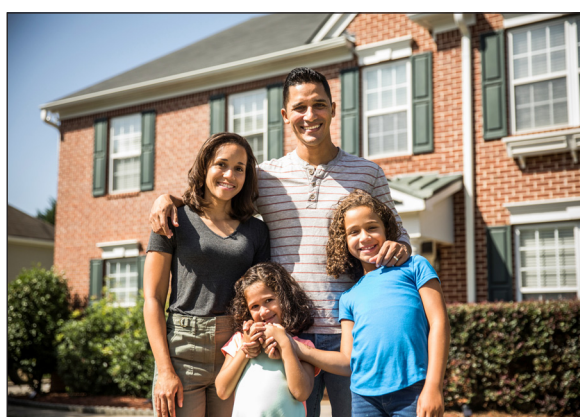


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■ POLICE, FIRE and EMERGENCY CALLS

Arrest made after grand larceny of impounded auto

ALBANY — A Latham man was arrested by Albany County Sheriff deputies on Sunday, Jan. 2 for allegedly driving a car stolen from a Bethlehem business.

On Nov. 14, a neighbor of Louck's Auto Body reported a black Hyundai sedan idling in the parking lot of the business and then saw a Toyota Camry speed out of the parking lot with no plates affixed.

Bethlehem police responded as did the owner of the towing company that leases space from Louck's to store impounded vehicles. They found the lock and chains cut in the fenced storage area and the impounded car missing.

Detectives traced the driver of the car when it was impounded and found that it was Robert Campbell, 48. Detectives failed to locate him at that time.

On Jan. 2 a Sheriff Department road patrol stopped Campbell in Albany in the Camry and arrested him.

He was charged with two counts of grand larceny, felonies, as well as the misdemeanors of criminal trespass, criminal mischief and misapplication of property.

He was arraigned in Albany City Court on Monday, Jan. 3 on additional charges and picked up by Bethlehem police and transported back to the police station where he was issued appearance tickets. He is scheduled to be in Bethlehem Town Court on Tuesday, Jan. 18.

Grand Larceny

GLENMONT — Two men were detained after leading Bethlehem police officers in a foot chase that ended at Walmart on Route 9W on Sunday, Jan. 2

Loss-prevention employees at the store said they observed Jeffery Simonds, 46, and an unidentified minor allegedly placing \$1,259.40 worth of electronic devices from a locked case into a backpack.

Bethlehem police were present at the store for another call at approximately the same time and assisted the employees when trying to stop the two suspects beyond the point of purchase. After a brief foot chase, Simonds was located laying in a wooded area near the store.

He was charged with grand larceny, a felony, and resisting arrest, a misdemeanor. Simonds also had an outstanding parole warrant. He was arraigned by Judge Ryan Donovan and sent to the Albany County jail.

He was scheduled to return to Bethlehem Town Court on Tuesday, Jan. 4.

Credit Card Theft

An investigation into the use of credit cards in Delmar that

were reported stolen on Nov. 16 in North Greenbush led to the arrest of two Rensselaer residents.

After receiving her monthly statements in the mail, the victim reported to police that her two stolen cards were used to buy gift cards at the CVS on Delaware Avenue.

Police contacted the store and acquired video of the pair purchasing the gift cards worth \$405.90.

North Greenbush police identified Derek Hirsh, 30, and Sabrina Lacoy, 44, from the Bethlehem video, because they were suspects in another theft there.

Bethlehem police filed an application for and received a warrant for their arrest on Dec. 28. Hirsh and Lacoy were picked up by State Police on Jan. 1 in Saratoga Springs and transferred to Bethlehem police. They each were charged with conspiracy using a credit card, a felony, as well as the misdemeanors of two counts of conspiracy and petit larceny.

Hirsh and Lacoy were arraigned and released to face charges in other towns.

They were scheduled to be back at Bethlehem Town Court on Tuesday, Jan. 4.

Felony Hate Crime

SELKIRK — An altercation between neighbors on Christmas Eve resulted in the arrest of two residents, including one charged with a hate crime.

Bethlehem police responded to the King Court neighborhood for a report of a dispute over dogs. Upon arrival, the responding officer spoke with Adam Salvatore, 36, of Selkirk. During the interview, the officer witnessed him repeatedly shouting racial epithets at an adjacent neighbor.

According to reports, Salvatore told the officer the neighbor walked his dog by his house and purposefully had the dog defecate on his lawn. According to Salvatore, the behavior antagonized his dogs by the man standing in front of the house. The officer terminated the rant emphasizing the man's race and walked to the neighbor's house for further information.

The neighbor told police Salvatore allegedly threatened the neighbor with what appeared to be a pipe and that another resident of the house, Stephanie Smith, 32, of Selkirk, allegedly shouted multiple racial epithets at

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COMMUNITY

Was that thunder in the sky?

Local residents mystified by rumbling sound in afternoon skies

By MICHAEL HALLISEY
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ALBANY COUNTY — The loud, mysterious rumble local residents heard from the skies on Thursday afternoon was from training missions by the Vermont Air National Guard.

The 158th Fighter Wing unit out of the Burlington Air National Guard Base in Vermont has been conducting training missions of the F35 Lightning military jet. According to a statement from Col. Daniel Finnegan, 158th Fighter Wing vice commander, the unit started nighttime takeoffs on Tuesday, Jan. 4 in addition to afternoon takeoff and landings.

“An important part of our ability to complete both our state and federal missions is the ability to work in all conditions with the expertise that our nation expects and deserves,” said Col. Daniel Finnegan, 158th Fighter Wing vice commander.

Capital District residents are familiar with the sound of roaring jets as they fly to and from Albany International Airport in Colonie. However, the uniform flight patterns of commercial jetliners provide a sense of familiarity that made Thursday afternoon’s rumbles feel out of place.

“I was at the hair salon in Guilderland,” Peggy Rising shared online. “I was frozen to the chair, scared to death. I didn’t know if I was going to get my hair cut or have it blown off.”

Both the Albany International Airport and the U.S. Bureau of



A F35 Lightning is captured in flight during a recent air show. Last week, residents observed as many as three F35s flying over local skies as part of training exercises out of Vermont Air National Guard. U.S. Air Force

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Transportation capture data to record noise produced by air traffic. Residents who live near the airport — even those just north of the Mohawk River in Clifton Park — can commonly hear the roar of jet engines. The 2014 Noise Exposure Map, which resembles a typography map, confirms a t-cross pattern quantifying the impact air traffic noise has on surrounding communities. Residents wondering about the mysterious rumble were outside of the map.

According to social media posts, the jet engine roars were heard throughout the Capital District, including Thacher Park, Ravena and New Baltimore.

The Vermont Air National

Guard was federally recognized in August of 1946 with the 134th Fighter Squadron. Known also as the Green Mountain Boys, the unit began its first flying mission with the F-47 and historically became the first Air National Guard unit to base the F-35A Lightning II, the most advanced and capable weapon system in the U.S. Air Force, in September 2019.

According to its website, the Vermont Air National Guard has roots as a small militia led by Ethan Allen in 1775. Today, the all-volunteer force continues to serve Vermont and combatant commanders around the world. Most notably, the unit delivered support to the state with the

ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, provided emergency response efforts during Tropical Storm Irene and flew F-16 jets over New York within hours after the 9/11 attacks.

The 158th Fighter Wing said nighttime training was scheduled to end on Saturday, Jan. 8.

Bethlehem seeks IDA Member

BETHLEHEM — The Town Board has sent out a help wanted ad as it considers candidates for appointment to the Bethlehem Industrial Development Agency board.

The IDA is an independent agency authorized under state law, and its board members serve without compensation and at the pleasure of the Town Board.

The Town requires that candidates be residents and either possess or can develop a general knowledge of Bethlehem’s development patterns and economic development goals.

General qualifications would include personal and professional integrity, good independent business judgment, demonstrated commitment to the community, and relevant experience and skills which will enable the agency to carry out its mission of enhancing economic development.

Further information on the Bethlehem IDA is available online at www.townofbethlehem.org.

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David DeCancio stands with an 1825 Bible lent by Bethlehem Historical Association President Karen Beck for his Town Board swearing in ceremony last week. Provided photo

From page 1 ... David DeCancio

The Bible was maintained by Anna Clapper and William Vanderpool and dates back to 1825. Now part of the Bethlehem Historical Association collection, it was presented by association president Karen Beck specifically for DeCancio's oath ceremony.

"It is powerful to think that Mr. DeCancio, whose election is historic, took his oath of office on this Bible, which dates back to the early days of the Town of Bethlehem," Beck said. "The Clappers, Vanderpools and Schoonmakers were hard working families who helped make this town what it is today. I am sure they would be very proud."

DeCancio, the son of Cuban refugees who arrived at the United States in 1962, is the first Latino to be elected to the Bethlehem Town Board.

"Our heritage makes us who we are today. We should honor our histories. I chose to take my Oath of Office on a family Bible that dates back to the early days of our great town. I want residents to know that I will do my best to honor our history and move Bethlehem forward for all the residents of Bethlehem."

— David DeCancio, newly elected Bethlehem Town Board member



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the life and times of Anna Hoffman who married Abraham Clapper in 1902. To learn more about the Historical Association and the exhibits visit <https://bethlehemhistorical.org>

Tax Office temporarily closed

DELMAR — The officer for the Bethlehem Receiver of Taxes is temporarily closed until further notice.

News of the office's closure was shared in an online statement on Wednesday, Jan. 5. No details were revealed on the Town's website.

The statement did say that payments can still be placed in the dropbox outside of Town Hall. Other means of depositing payments, either online or by mail, can be found at <https://bit.ly/BethPropTax>.

No parking on town roads

BETHLEHEM — Local motorists are asked to refrain from parking on town roads from Nov. 1 through April 15.

The Town has a parking ordinance in effect each year whereby no vehicles are allowed to be parked on any town roads between the hours of 1 to 7 a.m. regardless of the weather.

For more information on the ordinance, visit the Justice Court web pages at <https://bit.ly/townparking>.

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The Bethlehem Historical Association is presently showcasing a new exhibit at the museum, located on 1003 River Road in Selkirk, focusing on

■ COURTS

Groping charges against Cuomo dropped

Soares sets the stage by opting not to prosecute

By **JIM FRANCO**
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ALBANY — The groping charge against former Gov. Andrew Cuomo was officially dismissed and the case is sealed.

Last week, Albany County District Attorney David Soares said he would not prosecute Cuomo for allegations he groped a staffer in the Executive Mansion.

“While many have an opinion regarding the allegations against the former governor, the Albany County DA’s Office is the only one who has a burden to prove the elements of a crime beyond a reasonable doubt,” Soares said in a statement. “While we found the complainant

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— David Soares,
Albany County district attorney

in this case cooperative and credible, after review of all the available evidence we have concluded that we cannot meet our burden at trial.”

Cuomo made an brief, virtual appearance in Albany City Court on Friday, Jan. 7, and Judge Holly Trexler agreed with Cuomo’s lawyer and Soares to dismiss the case.

“Superior courts in the state of New York have long and consistently held that courts may not and should not interfere with the discretion of a district

attorney,” she said while agreeing to dismiss the misdemeanor charge of forcible touching.

The charge was technically filed by Albany County Sheriff Craig Apple in October. It set off a wave of confusion that washed over the public as well as Soares’ office, which at the time had not agreed to prosecute the charges brought by staffer Britany Commisso when Apple’s office filed them in court.

Commisso went on national television to tell the world the governor



these cases are sometimes limited, I encourage victims of workplace harassment and abuse to continue to come forward and bring these issues to light so that these important discussions can continue.”

The Times Union was the first to report Soares was dropping the charges.

Commisso’s attorney, Brian Premo, told the newspaper his client had no control over or say in the DA’s decision.

“She had no authority or voice in those decisions,” Premo told the Times Union. “The only thing she has any power over is her resolution to continue to speak the truth and seek justice in an appropriate civil action, which she will do in due course.”

“My disappointing experience of re-victimization with the failure to prosecute a serial sexual abuser, no matter what degree the

crime committed, yet again sadly highlights the reason victims are afraid to come forward, especially against people in power,” Commisso told the newspaper in a statement.

She has indicated through her attorney there will be a civil suit brought against Cuomo.

Cuomo’s attorney, Rita Glavin, said of the decision: “Today, reason and the rule of law prevailed. Not politics, rhetoric or mob mentality.”

Cuomo has maintained he did not sexually harass any women.

Two other district attorneys, in Westchester and Nassau counties, have also dropped criminal sexual harassment charges against Cuomo. The Manhattan District Attorney dropped criminal charges related to how Cuomo handled and disseminated the number of deaths in state run nursing homes.

■ COUNTY LEGISLATURE

Joyce reelected Chair of County Leg

ALBANY — Before the organizational meeting of the County Legislature could officially begin Thursday, Jan. 6, it had to take care of an important piece of business – the biannual tradition of electing the person who would lead the body for the next two years.

After a quick vote, the Legislature unanimously re-elected District 9 Legislator Andrew Joyce to his third term as Chairman. Joyce, the youngest person to serve in the Chair’s position, has led the body through the last two years of the COVID pandemic, navigating remote meetings, vaccine efforts and most recently, mask and testing kit distribution while ensuring sound budgets and strong policies.

“Serving as Chairman of the Albany County Legislature has been one of the highest honors of my career in public service, one that’s taken me all over the world,” Joyce said. “It’s very

humbling to be yet again selected by my peers to lead the policy-making body of Albany County into the future. We will focus on mitigating the effects of this pandemic, passing strong, progressive policies and fiscally responsible budgets. I’m excited for what comes next.”

Also on the agenda

was the reappointment of Necole Chambers as Clerk of the Legislature. Prior to her appointment in 2020, Chamber worked for Albany County since 1993. Paul Devane was reappointed as First Deputy Clerk. Devane has served the Legislature since 1974, a blend of new and experienced perspective.

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REAL ESTATE

Mortgage rates up

Market survey shows rates trending up

By **MICHAEL HALLISEY**

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MCLEAN, Va. — Freddie Mac released the results of its Primary Mortgage Market Survey on Thursday, Jan. 6, showing the 30-year fixed-rate mortgage is climbing up.

“Mortgage rates increased during the first week of 2022 to the highest level since May 2020 and are more than half a percent higher than January 2021,” said Sam Khater, Freddie Mac’s Chief Economist.

The 30-year fixed-rate mortgage averaged 3.22 percent with an average 0.7 points for the week ending Jan. 6, up from the previous week when it averaged 3.11 percent. A year ago at this time, the 30-year fixed rate averaged 2.65 percent.

Within the same time frame, the 15-year fixed-rate mortgage averaged 2.43 percent with an average 0.6 point, up from an average of 2.33 percent from the previous week. Whereas a year ago, the 15-year fixed rate averaged 2.16 percent.

The 5-year Treasury-indexed hybrid adjustable-rate mortgage (ARM) averaged 2.41 percent with an average 0.5 points, unchanged from last week. A year ago at this time, the 5-year ARM averaged 2.75 percent.

“With higher inflation, promising economic growth and a tight labor market, we expect rates will continue to rise,” Khater said. “The impact of higher rates on purchase demand remains modest so far given the current first-time homebuyer growth.”

Market analysts point to an overall housing shortage that contributes to rising home prices. Realtor.com estimates a 5.2 million single-family home shortage across the nation. A strong demand from young Millennial families has been met with a dearth of affordable homes.

New York State Realtors observed pending sales climb by 11.6 percent last November, according to its most recent figures. For the year,



closed sales were up 21.1 percent in year-to-date comparisons while new listings were down 7.7 percent.

Prices of homes are going up, too. The median sales price jumped to \$370,000 last November — a 12.1 percent increase over the median price from the year before. Contributing to those prices has been the lack of inventory. The inventory of homes has been down. Only 36,822 homes were available across the state last November, a 26.9 percent drop from the year before. Months supply of inventory fell to 2.8 months in November 2021 — a 34.9 percent drop from the 4.3 months of supply in November 2020. A 6-month to 6.5-month supply is considered to be a balanced market.

The Primary Mortgage Market Survey is focused on conventional, conforming, fully amortizing home purchase loans for borrowers who put 20 percent down and have excellent credit.

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BUSINESS BRIEFS

Vaughan Baio & Partners elects Robert Smith to Partner

ALBANY — Vaughan Baio & Partners recently elected Robert S. Smith to Partner of its lawfirm.

Smith, who joined the firm last fall, focuses his practice on counseling and defending insurers, employers and third-party administrators in a wide range of workers’ compensation claims. He has extensive experience negotiating settlements, leading depositions, and writing legal memoranda. His background includes handling employment and labor cases, including discrimination claims and matters involving workers’ safety.

While earning his J.D. from Albany Law School, Smith served as an intern with the Albany County Public Defender. He was recognized by Upstate New York Super Lawyers among the Rising Stars in 2020 and 2021.

Vaughan Baio & Partners represents clients from start-ups to Fortune 500 companies, across Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia. Its attorneys provide insightful and strategic counsel to regional, national and international clients in the construction, transportation, general and professional liability, workers’ compensation, commercial litigation and employment practice areas.

GE heading to Venus

NISKAYUNA — GE researchers are aiming for Venus with breakthrough electronics and sensors on Earth, which could serve both planets in the future.

The Electronics and Sensing Team at GE Research has been awarded a three-year, \$1.7 million grant by NASA through their High Operating Temperature Technology program to develop and demonstrate a self-illuminating UV imager that can withstand Venus’ extreme temperature and pressure environment to study the composition and structure of the planet’s surface and atmosphere. Click here to see an infographic of out-of-this-world innovations GE and NASA have worked on to advance space exploration and advances here on Earth.

The agency’s HOTTech program supports the development of high-temperature electrical, electronics and electric power systems that significantly enhance space exploration and discoveries to high-temperature, harsh environments like on

Venus.

The GE Research team will collaborate with researchers at NASA’s Glenn Research Center in Cleveland to develop and demonstrate the UV imager. GE researchers will develop the imager array, which gathers information about the material and mineral composition of the planet’s surface. NASA researchers will build the imager readout integrated circuit electronics, which processes information for transmission back to Earth. The imager readout electronics are based on NASA-developed advances in high-temperature electronics that operate for extended periods in Venus surface conditions. This work will also include testing in simulated Venus surface conditions at Glenn’s Extreme Environment Rig.

“This new UV imager will not only further the frontiers of space exploration, we believe it will push a new frontier of breakthrough electronics here on Earth that can function in the most extreme operating environments,” said Jim LeBlanc, technology director for Electrical Systems at GE Research. “Technology designed to survive and operate in planetary environments can also advance the state-of-the-art in our own world. That’s what this project is helping to do.”

LeBlanc cited possible applications in the defense space including unmanned vehicles, and hypersonic platforms. In the aviation and power sectors, more ruggedized electronics could enable sensors to be embedded in engines or power turbines in areas previously not possible. This could allow those systems to have access to critical data that can provide insights to optimize for performance and reliability.

“As a leading developer and manufacturer of technology for jet engines and power generation turbines, we feel like operating on Venus falls right in our core area of focus,” LeBlanc said. “In fact, we’re already working today on developing new metals, ceramics and electronic systems that can withstand hot and harsh conditions nearly twice what would be experienced on Venus.”

The GE Research team plans to utilize its leading SiC packaging technology and 20-year photodiode production background to develop, fabricate and demonstrate a high-temperature sensor for the UV imager that operates reliably at temperatures hotter than Venus’ surface and atmosphere at 500 degrees Celsius.

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101 WARREN 1910 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/21. 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, c/o Giovanniello CPA P.C., 100 Merrick Road, Suite 206W, Rockville Centre, NY 11570. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280767

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1036 HEAD OF POND ROAD OWNER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/24/21. 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 Wexler & Kaufman PLLC, One Penn Plaza, Suite 3406, New York, NY 10119. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280704

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

1048 OLMSTEAD LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/12/21. 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, c/o Cioffe, 411 North Little Tor Road, New City, NY 10956. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280456

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

123 E 102 FUNDING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/21. 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 LLC, 309 East 108th Street, Unit 1F, New York, NY 10029. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281109

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

160 DUNE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/21. 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 LLC, c/o Seyfarth Shaw LLP, Attn: William B. Norden, Esq., 620 Eighth Avenue, New York, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282645

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

1688 WESTERN AVE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/10/21. 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, 1688 Western Avenue, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281306

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176-14 132 AVENUE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/12/21. 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, 2147 Brigham Street, Brooklyn, NY 11229. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282666

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

20 CARROLL LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 12/15/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of New Jersey 02/27/2017. 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, 683 Avenue C, Bayonne, NJ 07002. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281648

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

2341 81ST STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/19/21. 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, 23-41 81st Street, East Elmhurst, NY 11370. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280537

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

23L HORIZON, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/07/21. 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 Sanjay S. Gupta, 6119 Oakcrest Road, Dallas, TX 75248. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281020

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

243 NORTH 5TH UNIT 1A LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/21. 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, 9728 3rd Avenue, Suite 133, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280765

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

24KEXOTICS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/19/21. 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, 110 Mercer Street, 3B, New York, NY 10012. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280538

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

2624 E PRESTON LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/12/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as

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agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 141-51 71st Road, Flushing, NY 11267. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281024

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

2898 LAUNDROMAT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/07/21. 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, 85-17 218th Street, Queens Village, NY 11427. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281023

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

30 PARK HOLDINGS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/21. 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, PO Box 689, Southern Pines, NC 28388. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280764

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

30 PARK PLACE GARAGE OWNER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/23/21. 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, 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280641

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

30 WEST 63RD STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 02/12/19. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 20 Aquarium Drive, Harnburg, NJ 07094. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280713

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

30-16 STEINWAY STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/13/21. 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, 30-16 Steinway Street, Astoria, NY 11103. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281341

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

346 FRANKLIN REALTY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/24/21. 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 Shirley Henegan, 660

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Pine Street, Brooklyn, NY 11208-4509. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280710

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

355 E 149TH STREET, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/21. 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 LLC, 112-41 Queens Boulevard, Suite 201, Forest Hills, NY 11375. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281116

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

42A HORIZON, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/07/21. 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 Sanjay S. Gupta, 6119 Oakcrest Road, Dallas, TX 75248. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281021

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

453W141 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/02/21. 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, 453 W. 141st Street, New York, NY 10026. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282643

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

519 HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/23/21. 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, 29 West 36th Street, Suite 403, New York, NY 10018. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280642

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

55 EAST 87TH STREET GARAGE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/29/21. 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, 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280721

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

641 DEKALB AVENUE A LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/24/21. 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 Wexler & Kaufman PLLC, One Penn Plaza, Suite 3406, New York, NY 10119. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280707

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

641 DEKALB AVENUE B LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/13/21. 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, c/o Wexler & Kaufman PLLC, One Penn Plaza, Suite 3406, New York, NY 10119. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281323

Supplemental Summons and Notice of Object of Action SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF ALBANY

Action to Foreclose a Mortgage INDEX #: 907118-21 BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. Plaintiff, vs MICHAEL ANZALONE AS HEIR TO THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA D. ANZALONE, TONI ANZALONE AS HEIR TO THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA D. ANZALONE, KATHRYN LISOSKY AS HEIR TO THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA D. ANZALONE, DAMIEN ANZALONE AS HEIR TO THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA D. ANZALONE, KATHRYN ANZALONE AS HEIR TO THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA D. ANZALONE, MATTHEW ANZALONE AS HEIR TO THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA D. ANZALONE, SPENSER ANZALONE AS HEIR TO THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA D. ANZALONE, UNKNOWN HEIRS OF PATRICIA D. ANZALONE IF LIVING, AND IF HE/SHE BE DEAD, ANY AND ALL PERSONS UNKNOWN TO PLAINTIFF, CLAIMING, OR WHO MAY CLAIM TO HAVE AN INTEREST IN, OR GENERAL OR SPECIFIC LIEN UPON THE REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THIS ACTION; SUCH UNKNOWN PERSONS BEING HEREIN GENERALLY DESCRIBED AND INTENDED TO BE INCLUDED IN WIFE, WIDOW, HUSBAND, WIDOWER, HEIRS AT LAW, NEXT OF KIN, DESCENDANTS, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, DEVISEES, LEGATEES, CREDITORS, TRUSTEES, COMMITTEES, LIENORS, AND ASSIGNEES OF SUCH DECEASED, ANY AND ALL PERSONS DERIVING INTEREST IN OR LIEN UPON, OR TITLE TO SAID REAL PROPERTY BY, THROUGH OR UNDER THEM, OR EITHER OF THEM, AND THEIR RESPECTIVE WIVES, WIDOWS, HUSBANDS, WIDOWERS, HEIRS AT LAW, NEXT OF KIN, DESCENDANTS, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, DEVISEES, LEGATEES, TRUSTEES, COMMITTEES, LIENORS, AND ASSIGNS, ALL OF WHOM AND WHOSE NAMES, EXCEPT AS STATED, ARE UNKNOWN TO PLAINTIFF, PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH THE IRS, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ACTING THROUGH THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SPRING MEADOWS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION JOHN DOE (Those unknown tenants, occupants, persons or corporations or their heirs, distributees, executors, administrators, trustees, guardians, assignees, creditors or successors claiming an interest in the mortgaged premises.) Defendant(s). MORTGAGED PREMISES: 67 Harvard Road Watervliet, NY 12189 To the Above named Defendant: You are hereby summoned to answer the Complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the Complaint is not served with this Supplemental Summons, to serve a notice of appearance, on the Plaintiff(s) attorney (s) within twenty days after the service of this Supplemental Summons, exclusive of the day of service (or within 30 days after the service is complete if this Supplemental Summons is not personally delivered to you within the State of New York). In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint. The Attorney for Plaintiff has an office for business in the County of Erie. Trial to be held in the County of Albany. The basis of the venue designated above is the location of the Mortgaged Premises. TO UNKNOWN HEIRS OF PATRICIA D. ANZALONE AND UNKNOWN HEIRS OF CHRISTOPHER AN-

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to collect a debt. Any information obtained by them will be used for that purpose. 70462 D-281293

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76 CRABAPPLE LANE REALTY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/23/21. 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, c/o Katie M. Carey & Michael A. Carey, 225 Winter Street, Troy, NY 12180. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282933

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

8676 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/01/21. 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, 155 Brazilian Avenue, Palm Beach, FL 33480. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280763

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

8723 26TH AVE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 01/05/21. 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, 6 Alden Place, Hartsdale, NY 10530. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280830

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

AERIAL DATA SOLUTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/16/21. 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, 8801 Shore Road, Apartment 4D-South, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281697

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

ALLISON KOBREN DESIGN LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/21. 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, 115 4th Avenue, Apartment 5A, New York, NY 10003. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280539

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

ANZHEN LOVE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/17/21. 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, 1505 Circle Drive, San Marino, CA 91108. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282731

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

B HOSPITALITY VENTURES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/15/21. 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, 122 Duane Street, New York, NY 10007. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280442

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BAILEY BEAN LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/14/21. 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, 300 Elm Street, Apartment 2, Northampton, MA 01060. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281407

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BBW-ESA NYC LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/15/21. 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, 783 Wood Street, Swansea, MA 02777. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281573

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BEEHIVE PROPERTIES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 02/26/20. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 42 West 48th Street, Suite 707, New York, NY 10036. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281592

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BLUSTONE CONSULTING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/09/21. 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, 950 Third Avenue, 25th Floor, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281153

NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

BRIAN BASSIRI-TEHRANI MD PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/17/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 308 East 79th Street, #1DEF, New York, NY 10075. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Medicine. D-282768

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BROOKLYN DUMPLING SI LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/29/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC

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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-280719

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

BUILT PRODUCTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/21, with an existence date of 01/01/2022. 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, 400 W. 45th Street, #3D, New York, NY 10036. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282634

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

CJIMENEZ LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/18/21. 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, 6448 230th Street, Oakland Gardens, NY 11364. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281768

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

CROSS COUNTY HOME INSPECTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/17/21. 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, 251-32 61st Avenue, Little Neck, NY 11362. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282733

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

CSS SELDEN LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/25/21. 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, 80 Fifth Avenue, Suite 1101, New York, NY 10011. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280443

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

CSS WOODBURY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/22/21. 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, 8285 Jericho Turnpike, Unit 25, Woodbury, NY 11797. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282909

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

D & J HOLDING REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/14/21. 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

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S. Roopchand, 228 Swinton Avenue, Bronx, NY 10465. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282635

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

DIXEEE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/24/21. 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, 55 East 9th Street, Apartment 10D, New York, NY 10003. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281143

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

DIZBUS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/21. 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, 290 Third Avenue, Apartment PHC, New York, NY 10010. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280565

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

DUKKANI LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/07/21. 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, 33-42 9th Street, Astoria, NY 11106. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281109

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

E LAND TITLE AGENCY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/24/21. 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, 1 Schwab Road, Suite 7, Melville, NY 11747. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280662

NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

EBER GIFFUNI PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/08/21 with an existence date of 01/01/2022. 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, 20 Pine Street, Suite 1005, New York, NY 10005. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Law. D-282636

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

EMERY UPHOLSTERY SUPPLIES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/02/21. 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, 478 Argyle Road, Brooklyn, NY 11218. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281090

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FOX CHASE HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/23/21. 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, c/o Tesser, Ryan & Rochman, LLP, 15 Fisher Lane, Suite 200, White Plains, NY 10603. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280604

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

FTC FUNDING LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 11/23/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 11/17/21. 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, 214 N. 11th Street, Apt 4T, Brooklyn, NY 11211. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280654

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FUNDBERGS LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 12/13/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 12/08/21. 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 LLC, 1110 2nd Avenue, Suite 303, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281319

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

GOOD PROPERTIES 1646 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/03/21. 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, 1187 Van Nest Avenue, Bronx, NY 10461. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280898

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

GOOD PROPERTIES 1831 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/03/21. 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, 1187 Van Nest Avenue, Bronx, NY 10461. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280901

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

Grace Invest LLC. Art. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 09/21/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of the process to the LLC, 90 State Street, STE 700 Ofc 40, Albany, NY 11207. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281821

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

GREEN PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/16/21. 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, 1736 East 5th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11223. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282637

NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

HASAN MOODY, LCSW PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/23/21. 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 Licensed Clinical Social Work. D-280762

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

HEATHER BENJAMIN, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 07/03/21. 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, 475 Putnam Avenue, Apt. 1, Brooklyn, NY 11221. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282928

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

HEAVY.DEV LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/30/21. 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, One Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 11231. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280748

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

HUNT 2012 NYC LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/20/21. Latest date to dissolve: 12/31/2051. 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 East 20th Street, Unit 3E, New York, NY 10011. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282742

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

JENNIFER PACKER LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/23/21. 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, 895 Broadway Avenue, Apartment 2, Brooklyn, NY 11206. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282927

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

JPServe1 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/23/21. 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, c/o Adam D. Finkelstein, c/o Kagan Lubic Lepper Finkelstein & Gold, LLP, 200 Madison Avenue, 24th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282639

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

JURIEL GOSPEL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/21. 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, 191 Chrystie Street, New York, NY 10002. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280569

NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

LAW OFFICE OF KERI A. CHRIST PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/03/21. 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, 115 Perry Street, 2B, New York, NY 10014. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Law. D-280885

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

LITTLE WILLY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 02/11/02. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, c/o Hardware Store, 114 First Ave, Ground Floor, New York, NY 10009. Registered agent address c/o Rashida Dilaver Khanbhai, 149 W 28th Street, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280966

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

LOPOLO IRON LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/30/21. 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, 2495 McDonald Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11223. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281144

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MAGIC COLLECTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/06/21. 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, 21 Holmehill Lane, Roseland, NJ 07068. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280935

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MARQUIS KENMARE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/07/21. 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, 256 5th Avenue, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282640

NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

MEEKINS LAW PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/03/21. 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, c/o Susan L. Meekins, 437 Madison Avenue, 24th Floor, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Law. D-280887

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MISOBRAA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/17/21. 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, c/o Craig Schmitterer CPA, P.C., 30 Bridle Path, Westhampton Beach, NY 11978. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282736

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MJAM PARTNERS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/16/21. 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, 1 Rose Street, Glen Head, NY 11545. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281699

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MOTHER HUSTLER NYC LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/07/21. 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, 49 Manors Drive, Jericho, NY 11753. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281015

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MOTTZ LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/21. 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 LLC, 1110 2nd Avenue, Suite 303, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281101

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

MSI CONSTRUCTION LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

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SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 19-24 76th Street, East Elmhurst, NY 11370. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281102

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

NOI DUE GELATO, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/23/21. 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, 63 Randon Farms Circle, Chappaqua, NY 10514. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282926

NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF TAX ROLL AND WARRANT

TAKE NOTICE, that I, Alicia M. Roney, the undersigned Receiver of Taxes and Assessments for the Town of Bethlehem, have received the tax roll and warrant for the collection of taxes and will receive payments thereon Monday through Friday from 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Please place payments in the Drop Box outside. at the Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York For the properties assessed upon such roll. NO COLLECTION FEE DURING JANUARY 1% collection fee during February 2% collection fee during March TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that pursuant to the provisions of law the tax roll of the Town of Bethlehem will be returned to the County of Albany Director of Finance on April 1 2022 D-282298

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

OMAR PRODUCTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/29/21. 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, 1841 East 31st Street, Brooklyn, NY 11234. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280720

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

ONEANDNINE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/15/21. 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, 3737 Collins Avenue, Unit S1601, Miami Beach, FL 33140. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281574

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

RAM'S HOMES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/10/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-

Latham Group, Inc. to release more shares

LATHAM — Latham Group, Inc. announced Tuesday, Jan. 4 the commencement of a public offering of 12 million shares of its common stock

with intentions to grant underwriters a 30-day option to purchase up to an additional 1.8 million shares of common stock.

Latham intends to use the net proceeds from the offering to purchase an equivalent number of shares of common stock from certain stockholders,

primarily its principal stockholders, who are affiliates of Pamplona Capital Management, LLC and Wynnchurch Capital, L.P., as well as a small percentage of the shares owned by the Company's directors and executive officers.

Barclays and BofA

Securities are acting as the joint book-running managers and underwriters for the offering.

The offering will be made only by means of a prospectus which will be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission and will be available on the SEC's website at www.

sec.gov. A copy of the preliminary prospectus relating to the offering may be obtained from Barclays or BofA Securities.

Shares of the companies stock sold for \$19 at its initial purchase offer last April.

Latham Group, Inc., headquartered in Latham,

is the largest designer, manufacturer and marketer of in-ground residential swimming pools in North America, Australia and New Zealand.

Latham has a coast-to-coast operations platform consisting of over 2,000 employees across over 30 facilities.

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cess to the LLC, 461 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11216. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282641

NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

RIVER VETERINARY CARE PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/10/21. 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, 54 E. 8th Street, New York, NY 10003. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Veterinary Medicine. D-281173

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

ROBERT S. SCHNITZER, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/09/21, with an existence date of 01/01/2022. 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, 248-54 Thebes Avenue, Little Neck, NY 11362-1252. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282642

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

RODNEY STREET GARAGE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/09/21. 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, 10 E. 33rd Street, 11th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281162

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

RV FUNDING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/21. 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 LLC, 309 East 108th Street, Unit 1F, New York, NY 10029. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281108

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

RWQS PROPCO LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/30/21. 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, 130

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East 75th Street, New York, NY 10021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280747

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SADIE BEBE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/14/21. 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, 300 Elm Street, Apartment 2, Northampton, MA 01060. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281408

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SANOPET HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/10/21. 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, 531 1st Street, Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281305

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SDJD EQUITY HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/21. 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, 240 East 39th Street, Apartment 36B, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280573

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SDL REALTY SERVICES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 10/07/21. 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 Razis & Ross, P.C., 23-09 31st Street, Astoria, NY 11105. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280831

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SEVENTEEN TRUCK LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/09/21. 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 Law Offices of Michael Michael PLLC, 1795 Coney Island Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11230. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281163

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NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

SHANE METHAL DDS PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/16/21. 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, 252 18th Street, Apartment 3B, Brooklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Dentistry. D-282730

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SHEPHERD GLENMORE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/20/21, with an existence date of 01/01/2022. 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, 1207 Broadway, Suite 907, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282743

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SHEPHERD GLENMORE PARTNERS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/20/21, with an existence date of 01/01/2022. 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, 1207 Broadway, Suite 907, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282744

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SIMPLE IMPROVEMENTS OF BROOKLYN LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/16/21. 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, 1736 East 5th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11223. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282638

NOTICE OF PLLC FORMATION

SODAFSKY LAW PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/17/21. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the PLLC, 43-10 Crescent Street, Suite

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1410, Long Island City, NY 11101. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Law. D-282741

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SOPHIA CHABOT INTERIORS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/23/21. 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, 99 Tulip Avenue, Suite 308, Floral Park, NY 11001. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280609

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

STELLARAYS DIAMONDS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/23/21. 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, 94 South 4th Street, Apartment 1F, Brooklyn, NY 11249. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280610

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

STRONG TOWER HOME INSPECTION, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/13/21. 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, 14 Sundale Ct., Smithtown, NY 11787. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282644

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SUNRISE HIGHWAY RENTALS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/08/21. 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 LLC, c/o Gerard Meagher, 320 East 49th Street, Apartment 53, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282930

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

SUSTAINABLE SONAL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/16/21. 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, 169 State Street, Brooklyn, NY 11201. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281701

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

TCF II, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/17/21. 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, 857 1st Street, Watervliet, NY 12189. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282737

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

The BurgerStage LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/19/21. 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, 519 West 139th Street, #4A, New York, NY 10031. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280532

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

TRIPLE L 9012 REAL ESTATE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/22/21. 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, 9012 5th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11209. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282912

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

UNCLE WILLIE'S BACK LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/23/21. 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, c/o Gerard Meagher, 320 East 49th Street, Apartment 53, New York, NY 10017. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282930

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

UPWISE FUND LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 12/13/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 12/08/21. 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 LLC, 1110 2nd Avenue, Suite 303, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281320

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NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

UPWISE VENTURES LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 12/13/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 12/08/21. 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 LLC, 1110 2nd Avenue, Suite 303, New York, NY 10022. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281321

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

VAN LEEUWEN NEW YORK 73RD STREET LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 12/02/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 11/30/21. 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, 310 Greenwich Street, New York, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280888

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

VAN LEEUWEN NEW YORK TRIBECA LLC. App. for Auth. filed with the SSNY on 11/24/21. Originally filed with Secretary of State of Delaware on 11/19/21. 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, 310 Greenwich Street, New York, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280663

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 regularly scheduled Board Meeting on Tuesday, 01/18/2022 at 6:00 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, NY regarding a Subdivision Application, submitted by Vista Development Group, LLC, as shown on drawing entitled "Subdivision Plan for Vista Technology Campus, No. 125 Vista Boulevard, Town of Bethlehem, County of Albany, State of New York", dated 11/24/21, prepared by Hershberg & Hershberg, 18 Locust Street, Albany, NY

NOTICE OF LLC FORMATION

WEINBERG CONSTER PROPERTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/22/21. 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, 295 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, NY 11238. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-282913

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12203. The subdivision application is proposed to accommodate the development of the Plug Power facility at 125 Vista Boulevard. Documentation related to the application can be obtained by contacting Robert Leslie, Director of Planning at rleslie@townofbethlehem.org. Notice of Public Hearing will be mailed to property owners within 200' of the subject property. Said notice will also be published in the 01/12/2022 issue of the Spotlight Newspaper. Written comments must be submitted to the Planning Board by 3:00 p.m. on the day of the meeting, so they can be distributed to the Board, incorporated into the application file, and uploaded to the meeting agenda. Written comments can be submitted via US Mail to the Planning Office at 445, Delaware Ave, Delmar, NY 12054 or via Email to the planningboard@townofbethlehem.org. To register to participate in the Public Hearing / Zoom Meeting Webinar: Click on the link within the 01/18/2022 agenda packet and it will bring you to a registration form. Complete the registration form in its entirety and click on Register. A registration confirmation and a link to the webinar will be sent to the email you provide. On the day of the meeting, 15-30 minutes prior to the start time of the meeting, click on the link to join the meeting. Further instructions regarding meeting registration can be found in a guide featured on the Town's Website / Meeting Portal. Individuals who do not wish to participate in the Zoom meeting may view and listen to the live meeting or watch the video recording at a later date by visiting the Town's Website / Meeting Portal at <http://bethlehemtownny.igmp2.com/Citizens/Default.aspx> D-282752

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WESTBURY MADISON, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/21. 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, 15 East 69th Street, Apartment 5B, New York, NY 10021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280567

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WONDERLAND NETWORK LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/29/21. 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, 4142 42nd Street, #4K, Sunnyside, NY 11104. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281104

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WOODBURY WAY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/09/21. 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, 9 West 20th Street, 11, New York, NY 10011. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281164

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ZELIGMAN HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/21. 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, 191 Chrystie Street, New York, NY 10002. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280572

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ZLCW LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/14/21. 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 Zackary Van Amburg, 248 East 68th Street, New York, NY 10065. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281445

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WESTBURY MADISON, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/21. 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, 15 East 69th Street, Apartment 5B, New York, NY 10021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280567

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WONDERLAND NETWORK LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/29/21. 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, 4142 42nd Street, #4K, Sunnyside, NY 11104. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281104

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WOODBURY WAY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 12/09/21. 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, 9 West 20th Street, 11, New York, NY 10011. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-281164

LEGALS

ZELIGMAN HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/22/21. 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, 191 Chrystie Street, New York, NY 10002. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. D-280572

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To place your Legal Notice: Call 439-4949

Community collage

Favorite Faces, Favorite Places
We'll be creating a temporary collage at the Library celebrating our community's favorites and we'd love to include your choices! Send us a photo of your favorite faces or places (info@rcscommunitylibrary.org) and we will add it to the collage. And plan to stop by to see what your fellow community members love in our town!

RCS COMMUNITY LIBRARY

to make a soy candle. It's an easy project intended for teens and adults. Pickup begins at 9 am on Tuesday, Jan. 18. Don't forget to send us a picture of your creation- pics@rcscommunitylibrary.org

Let's get saucy!

Looking to jazz up your dinner menu? Join us Wednesday, Jan. 19, at 7 p.m. as we try a new sauce (and an accompanying recipe to serve the sauce with). In January we will make Peanut Satay sauce. Get your recipes on Wednesday, Jan. 12. Then, join us on Wednesday, Jan. 19, at 7 pm on Zoom to talk about how it turned

out! Register today through the Library's website under "Events".

Juice and Jammies

Pop the kids in their jammies and head to the Library after hours on Wednesday, Jan. 19, at 6:30 p.m. for an indoor, socially distanced after-hours storytime. This month we'll be talking about winter birds. Stuffed animals are optional! Register today through the Library's website under "Events."

— Carol Melewska



Library staff handed out a limited number of COVID-19 test kits curbside the morning of Friday, Jan. 7. The tests were made available through Albany County and the Town of Bethlehem, NY Emergency Management Office to help slow the spread of COVID-19.

Kristen Roberts

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Kindness still matters

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In the coming weeks, we'll be inviting you to share acts of kindness you've experienced or been a part of by tagging the library on social media using #BPLKindness. Those who participate in our



weekly Kindness Matters challenges in January will be entered to win some great Kindness Matters goodies.

- You might also find some special surprises in your Book or Media Bundle request, along with personal notes from library staff. Go to www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org/book-bundle-request to sign up for a Book or Media Bundle.

- Check our calendar this month and next for take and make craft kits that will be available for children while supplies last. Children are encouraged to make the craft to gift to a family member, friend or neighbor. Visit bethlehem.librarycalendar.com to see what's coming up.

- We're showing teens that we care about them

by offering Just for Me: Book Boxes filled with curated treats and books to keep. These are available to BCSD teens in grades 6-12; one per household. Sign up is open through Jan. 17. Boxes will be available for delivery or pickup in mid-February. To register for your Teen Book Box, visit www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org/teen-book-boxes.

Our Kindness Matters campaign is generously co-sponsored by the Friends of Bethlehem Public Library.

Speak up with Pronunciator

Did you resolve to learn a second language in the new year? Bethlehem cardholders can access Pronunciator on the library's Research page at webapps.bethlehempubliclibrary.org/research.asp.

— Kristen Roberts

World Needs Challenge

The teens care group will take part in the 2022 Students Rebuild: World Needs Challenge at 1 p.m., Jan. 28.

Students will become "artists," using color, images, and words, to design posters to amplify the messages they care about. For each piece of artwork shared with Students Rebuild, the Bezos Family Foundation will make a \$5 donation to support projects that carry a global impact.

Come to the library or join us on Zoom to learn about the five world needs in the challenge and find your focus issue.



Grab & Go for Adults

If you can't make it to the Craft & Chat program, don't worry, we have you covered. Register online to pick up a craft kit that you can do at home. These are easy projects that only require some creativity to bring them to life. Pick up the kit after 10 a.m., Monday, Jan. 24.

Winter Bingo

From January 1 through January 31, you can play library BINGO to win some fabulous prizes. Receive a bookmark, pin or magnet for the first 2 rows

completed. Complete the entire card to pick a prize from the prize box. You can pick up a BINGO card at the library, or print one from our website.

Holiday Hours

The library will close at 5 p.m., Jan. 17, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

If the Voorheesville School District delays school by two hours, or closes for the day due to inclement weather, storytime will be cancelled. For all other programming, please call ahead to confirm the library will be open.

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— Lynn Kohler

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Although Guilderland Public Library will not be a site for AARP Foundation's Tax-Aide services in 2022, these services are available at other locations in the greater Albany area, February through mid-April.

Please do not call the library; instead, call the phone numbers listed below starting Tuesday, January 18:

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Wednesdays, 9 am-3 pm starting Feb. 9

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Contact: 518-758-9342 for the coordinator

AARP Foundation Tax-Aide provides in-person and virtual tax preparation help to anyone, free of charge, with a special focus on taxpayers who are over 50 and have low to moderate income.

Tax help is provided in safe environments based on a number of factors, including where you are located, COVID-19 spread and volunteer availability.

Winter Reading Challenge

The 5th Annual Winter Reading Challenge for all ages sponsored by Lerner Publishing is underway!

Our goal is to read 3,000 books during January and win prizes for all to enjoy.

This year's theme is Read for a Better World, encouraging readers to explore diversity, empathy, and positive action through literature.

Join in the fun by logging all of your reading this month on Beanstack, individually or as a family. Simply sign up or login at: <https://guilderlandlibrary.beanstack.org/reader365>.

Holiday Closing

The library is closed Monday, Jan. 17 in commemoration of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. Our digital resources, online catalog and parking lot Wi-Fi are available 24/7.

Blood Drive

The American Red Cross is reporting the worst blood shortage in over a decade. We're hosting a blood drive at GPL Tuesday, Jan. 18, 1-6 p.m.

Appointments to donate blood, platelets or plasma may be made at <https://www.redcross.org/give-blood.html> (walk-ins always welcome too).

All January donors will automatically be entered to win two fabulous prizes: an all-inclusive trip to Super Bowl LVI in Los Angeles; or a cutting-edge home theater package.

Marble Maze Activity Kit

Kids in grades 3-5: try countless configurations as you construct your very own marble maze, plus complete related creative problem-solving activities. Register on the Events tab

of our website, then pick up Tuesday, Jan. 18 through Sunday, Jan. 23.

Memoirs in the Morning

Between Two Kingdoms: A Memoir of a Life Interrupted by Suleika Jaouad is the subject of our next online meetup on Wednesday, Jan. 19, at 10:30 a.m.

Call 518-456-2400, ext. 3 or email ask.librarian@guilderlandlibrary.org for assistance placing a hold, then sign up on the Events tab of our website.

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Live Virtual Storytime

Meet us via Zoom for a lively interactive storytime on Thursdays at 10:30 a.m., ideal for children ages infant-age 5. We'll read books, sing songs and enjoy a lively time together! We also have ideas on props you can create at home to make the experience more interactive.

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Business briefs

Owens Corning: 35 percent dividend increase

TOLEDO, Ohio — Owens Corning announced a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.35 per common share — a 35 percent

increase compared with the prior quarterly dividend — to be payable on Friday, Jan. 21.

The dividend payment will be for shareholders of record as of Friday, Jan. 7.

“Owens Corning has delivered outstanding results and continued strong cash flow generation,”

said Chair and Chief Executive Officer Brian Chambers. “The dividend increase demonstrates our confidence in the earnings power of the company, as well as our commitment to returning cash to shareholders over time.”

Future dividend declarations will be made at the discretion of the Board of Directors and will be based on the company’s earnings, financial condition, cash requirements, future prospects and other factors.

CSX announces date for 4Q earnings release, earnings call

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — CSX Corp. will release fourth-quarter financial and operating results after the market close on Thursday, Jan. 20.

The release is to be followed by a conference call and live webcast hosted by the company’s management team at 4:30 p.m.

the same day.

Presentation materials and access to the webcast will be available on the company’s website at <http://investors.csx.com>.

Following the earnings call, a webcast replay will be archived on the company’s website.

Edison Motors, Plug Power Inc. sign mass-production agreement

LATHAM — Edison Motors, announced that the company signed an agreement with NY-based Plug Power to develop and bring to market a hydrogen fuel cell-powered electric city bus.

Plug Power’s 125kW ProGen fuel cell engine will provide power to Edison Motors’ electric bus platform. The companies expect to have a fuel cell electric bus prototype completed by the second half of 2022 and be prepared to launch a mass-market platform by the first half of 2023.

“The fuel cell electric city bus project is just the beginning of strategic cooperation between Edison Motors, and Plug Power,” said Chairman Young-Kwon Kang of Edison Motors.

Edison Motors sold the largest number of electric buses in Seoul this year.

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Crime blotter

the man and threatened to release her dogs to attack him.

Salvatore and Smith denied the allegations.

After completing the investigation, Bethlehem Judge Andy Kirby issued an arrest warrant for Salvatore and Smith on Dec. 27. Salvatore was charged with menacing that was elevated to a felony hate crime and criminal possession of a weapon with intent to use, a misdemeanor. Smith was charged with harassment, a violation.

Salvatore was arrested at his

residence, arraigned and released to the supervision of probation with a court ordered GPS monitoring device. Smith turned herself in at the police station, was arraigned and released. An order of protection was ordered and served. Both will appear in court on Tuesday, Jan. 18.

Check Fraud

State Police arrested an Albany man on Nov. 29 for allegedly cashing fraudulent checks at six different locations in the Capital District during November.

Sean K. Bigley, 47, allegedly

cashed checks at three branches of Citizens Bank; Latham, Loudonville, New Scotland; two branches of Berkshire Bank; Guilderland and North Greenbush; and the Ravena branch of the Bank of Greene County. The checks totaled \$31,029.

Bigley was charged with six counts of grand larceny and possession of a forged instrument, both felonies and criminal use of drug paraphernalia, a misdemeanor.

He was arraigned in Colonie Town Court and released to the supervision of probation.

He was also arraigned in Guilderland Town Court and was virtually arraigned in North Greenbush Town Court and released on his own recognizance.

DWI

On Jan. 1 at 8:45 a.m State Police stopped Collin Brown, 23, of Schenectady, for a traffic violation as he traveled on Route 910F in Guilderland. When troopers spoke with Brown, they reported smelling the odor of an alcoholic beverage emanating from the vehicle and observed signs of impairment.

Brown was administered and failed roadside sobriety tests and taken into custody for DWI. He was transported to the police station where a breath sample returned a BAC of 0.16 percent. He was issued an appearance ticket and is due in Guilderland Town Court on Thursday, Jan. 20

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Have show, will travel

Opera Saratoga to hit the road with a new summer festival model

By **MICHAEL HALLISEY**
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SARATOGA SPRINGS — Technically, Opera Saratoga is not reduced to a traveling caravan of vagabond players this summer, but the romantic imagery conjured by the recent news of its upcoming summer festival is too delicious of a daydream.

Nonetheless, the opera company will indeed hit the road in spectacular fashion this summer.

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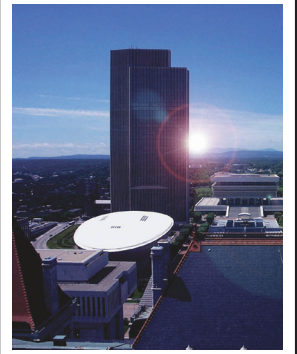
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— Lawrence Edleson, Opera Saratoga Artistic and General Director

SHAKEDOWN STREET

Hallelujah Hat Trick was recently captured while playing some Grateful tunes at Pauly's Hotel in Albany.




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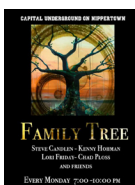
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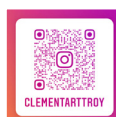


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Winter at Lake George

Guests can enjoy a frosty family-fun event at Six Flags Great Escape Lodge

LAKE GEORGE — Six Flags Great Escape Lodge & Indoor Waterpark, Lake George's premier family resort, is bringing back their chilling family-fun event — Snowed Inn.

An arctic adventure awaits guests during their next weekend getaway at the Six Flags Great Escape Lodge. Guests will be transported to a one-of-a-kind frozen fairyland, where they can enjoy a kid-friendly scavenger hunt, creative cookie decorating, cool crafts, chilly challenges, candy bingo, dance parties, an enchanting light show and special winter games in White Water Bay.

Guests can combat subzero temperatures during this icy

event by making s'mores or enjoying fresh-made hot cocoa. This mesmerizing event will be available for guests on select weekend dates through February 27.

"The winter season is officially here! We love celebrating the colder temperatures at the Six Flags Great Escape Lodge & Indoor Waterpark with frosty family fun, heart-racing winter games, and warm sweet treats," said Resort President Rebecca Wood. "We're enthusiastic about our event, which perfectly complements Lake George's additional winter-themed attractions and events this season," added Wood.

Just in case all of the heated challenges and hot beverages don't keep guests warm, the Six Flags Great Escape Lodge's always balmy 82-degree indoor waterpark, White Water Bay,

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The Arts Center of the Capital Region announces its final Meg Jala's project

TROY — The Arts Center of the Capital Region announces the final project of Meg Jala's residency at the Fish Market Project entitled Dear Human.

Dear Human is both an exhibition and performance, taking place at the Fish Market Residency at 2952 6th Ave, Troy.

The Dear Human Project began as a performance art piece, in which the artist invited people to interact with her on a one on one basis to investigate and discover what they needed at moment. Taking place primarily on the streets, its purpose was to remember our humanity and our need for authentic connection.

Dear Human has since evolved into a comprehensive installation, composed of different immersive experiences. Participants will have the option of participating in stations such as The Catch & Release, The Breathe Box, Move with Me, Play with Me, & Sit with Me while also viewing art that the artist has created. The installation includes large scale environments, paintings, photography, film, and the written word.

As part of the interactive experience, participants will select a card from a pile to choose the interaction that they want to have with the performer. At the end of the interaction the participant receives an original letter. No two letters are the same. Dear Human was created to bridge the gap between what we say and what is left unsaid that we need to communicate. The intention of this performance art piece is to connect us as humanity.

Staged readings augment the interactive experience. They feature the artist's personal letters from various times in her life from childhood through adulthood. It chronicles the writer's experiences through disability, motherhood, abuse, racism, finding herself, romance and healing. The cast includes Meg Jala, Nikki Rogers, Eliana Rowe, Annarosa Mudd, Morgan Heyward & Ashley Whiteside.

The staged readings touch on topics that may be triggering and are not suitable for children. Teenagers are welcome with adult supervision.

The exhibition is interactive and performative and open to the public at these times:

Dear Human Installation and performance:

Thurs. January 13:

Doors Open at 5:30 p.m

Staged Reading Starts at 6:30 p.m.

Fri. January 14:

Doors Open at 5:30 p.m.

Staged Reading Starts at 6:30 p.m. with Reception to Follow

Shows will be held at the Fish Market Community Engagement Project at 2952 6th Ave. in Troy. Tickets are sold on a pay what you can donation basis. Donate what you feel called to give and can afford. Community is the most important facet in this installation and your presence is appreciated above all else.

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From page B1 ... Opera Saratoga

The Capital District's opera company will take to the road this summer as its traditional playhouse, The Spa Little Theatre, tackles renovations to repair its leaky waterworks. Another of its tenants announced it had up and moved its home last September, if only temporarily, citing how it has battled against water damaging costumes and stage props. Last month the state advertised for the job and just closed out the bid process to begin resolving the issue.

Two weeks ago, Opera Saratoga announced its return to large-scale performances, embracing partnerships with multiple venues while orchestrating a new festival model.

Opera Saratoga's 2022 Summer Festival will play across the region in a list of storied venues that includes Proctors in Schenectady, The Egg in Albany, The Saratoga Performing Arts Center in Saratoga Springs, The Round Lake Auditorium in Round Lake Village, The Barn at French

Mountain in Lake George Village and The Mansion Inn in Rock City Falls.

Artistic and General Director Lawrence Edleson described that plan as its "most ambitious"



endeavor to launch its annual Summer Festival. He explained that their decision to expand its geographic footprint wasn't just catalyzed by renovations at The Spa Little Theater, it was also inspired by their increased activity across the region throughout the year.

"We began asking,

with so many remarkable theaters in our region, might we be able to better serve our mission by reconceiving our Summer Festival in a way that doesn't limit us to a single venue?" Edleson said.

He added that while they remain committed to producing in Saratoga Springs, their goal is

to provide access to our Summer Festival programming in the same way we are able to do with our year-round programs.

At the heart of the 2022 Summer Festival will be performances of Rossini's bel canto comedy "The Barber of Seville" on Proctors Main Stage, as well as his exquisite "Petite

Messe Solennelle" at The Round Lake Auditorium; the deeply moving "Sky on Swings" by Lembit Beecher and Hannah Moscovitch at The Egg, which explores the journey of two women living with Alzheimer's disease; and Stephen Sondheim's Broadway masterpiece "Sweeney Todd" on the Amphitheater

Three-time Tony Award nominee and Drama Desk Award winner Carolee Carmello is to take the stage as Mrs. Lovett in "Sweeney Todd" in her debut with Opera Saratoga.

Opera Saratoga

Stage of the Saratoga Performing Arts Center.

Additional events will include "A Broadway Cabaret at The Mansion Inn; A Juneteenth Celebration" at Proctors' GE Theater; and a series of masterclasses featuring members of Opera Saratoga's Young Artist

Program, to be announced. In addition, the 2022 Opera Gala will take place on Sunday, June 5, at The Barn at French Mountain in Lake George Village.

Edleson described the initial planning process as somewhat of a fantasy lineup; considering the strengths of each venue and matching it with a production that caters to it. For example, "Petite Messe Solennelle" at The Round Lake Auditorium, will take advantage of its historic 1,900-pipe Ferris Tracker organ. "Sky on Swings," which Edleson said Opera Saratoga was preparing to produce last year before the pandemic, will now benefit from The Egg's acoustic environment.

"It's an extraordinary piece," he said, adding that Opera Saratoga is only the second production company in the world to bring it to stage. "They've created in music the sound of memory — and the sound of memory loss and confusion. ... What music can do, beyond spoken word, it puts you right in the middle of it."

Tickets for the 2022 Summer Festival will be available through Festival

Passes and Single Tickets. Festival Passes, which provide a 20 percent discount on single ticket prices and priority seating for all productions and events, will be available beginning Tuesday, Feb. 1. Single Tickets will go on sale Tuesday, March 15.

Audience members will be required to show proof of vaccination against COVID-19 for all performances, and masks will be required based on prevailing conditions at the time of the Festival. All policies may be adjusted in response to changing conditions and based on the specific requirements of each venue.

"We are incredibly excited by the opportunities of this expanded festival model, and grateful for the opportunity to partner with so many like-minded organizations across the region to make it possible," Edleson said.

Additional details about ticketing and safety policies may be found at www.operasaratoga.org.



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TROY — Whether a transformer catches fire in a power grid, a species disappears from an ecosystem, or water floods a city street, many systems can absorb a certain amount of disruption. But how badly does a single failure weaken the network?

And how much damage can it take before it tips into collapse?

Network scientist Dr. Jianxi Gao is building tools that can answer those questions, regardless of the nature of the system.

“After a certain point, damage to a system is so great that it causes catastrophic failure. But the events leading to a loss of resilience in a system are rarely predictable and often irreversible. That makes it hard to prevent a collapse,” said Gao, an assistant professor of computer science at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, who was awarded a prestigious National Science Foundation CAREER award to tackle the problem. “The mathematical tools we are building will make it possible to evaluate the resilience of any system. And with that, we can predict and prevent failure.”

Imagine the effects of climate change on an ecosystem, Gao said. A species that can't adapt will dwindle to extinction, perhaps driving a cascade of other species, which eat the first, to the brink of extinction also. As the



climate changes, and more species are stressed, Dr. Gao wants the ability to predict the impact of those dwindling populations on the rest of the ecosystem.

Predicting resilience starts by mapping the system as a network, a graph in which the players (an animal, neuron, power station) are connected by the relationships between them, and how that relationship affects each of the players and the network overall. In one visualization of a network, each of the players is a dot, a node, connected to other players by links that represent the relationship between them — think who eats whom in a forest and how that impacts the overall population of each species, or how information moving across a social media site influences opinions. Over time, the system changes, with some nodes appearing or disappearing, links growing stronger or weaker or changing relationship to one another as the system as a whole responds to that change.

Mathematically, a changing network can be described by a series of coupled nonlinear

equations. And while equations have been developed to map networks in many fields, predicting the resiliency of complex networks or systems with missing information overwhelms the existing ability of even the most powerful supercomputers.

“We’re very limited in what we can do with the existing methods. Even if the network is not very large, we may be able to use the computer to solve the coupled equations, but we cannot simulate many different failure scenarios,” Gao said.

Dr. Gao debuted a preliminary solution to the problem in a 2016 paper published in *Nature*. In that paper, he and his colleagues declared that existing analytical tools are insufficient because they were designed for smaller models with few interacting components, as opposed to the vast networks we want to understand. The authors proposed a new set of tools, designed for complex networks, able to first identify the natural state and control parameters of the network, and then collapse the behavior of different networks into a

single, solvable, universal function.

The tools presented in the *Nature* paper worked with strict assumptions on a network where all information is known — all nodes, all links, and the interactions between those nodes and links. In the new work, Gao wants to extend the single universal equation to networks where some of the information is missing. The tools he is developing will estimate missing information — missing nodes and links, and the relationships between them — based on

what is already known. The approach reduces accuracy somewhat, but enables a far greater reward than what is lost, Gao said.

“For a network of millions or even billions of nodes, I will be able to use just one equation to estimate the macroscopic behavior of the network. Of course, I will lose some information, some accuracy, but I capture the most important dynamics or properties of the whole system,” Gao said. “Right now, people cannot do that. They cannot test the system, find where it

gives way, and better still, improve it so that it will not fail.”

“The ability to analyze and predict weaknesses across a variety of network types gives us a vast amount of power to safeguard vulnerable networks and ecosystems before they fail,” said Curt Breneman, dean of the Rensselaer School of Science. “This is the kind of work that changes the game, and this CAREER award is a recognition of that potential. We congratulate Jianxi and expect great things from his research.”

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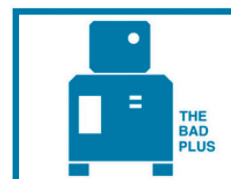
This New York Times Critics' Pick takes you into the heart of the remarkable true story of 7,000 stranded passengers and the small town in Newfoundland that welcomed them. Cultures clashed and nerves ran high, but uneasiness turned into trust, music soared into the night, and gratitude grew into enduring friendships.



FLY

theREP • January 28 - February 20

Based on the experiences of the Tuskegee Airman, this inspiring story follows four courageous young Black American pilots as they train to fly combat aircraft during World War II, paving the way for the desegregation of the military. Soaring and inventive, FLY combines live action, video and the compelling "Tap Griot," that will have you on the edge of your seat and standing up in solidarity with these brave Americans!



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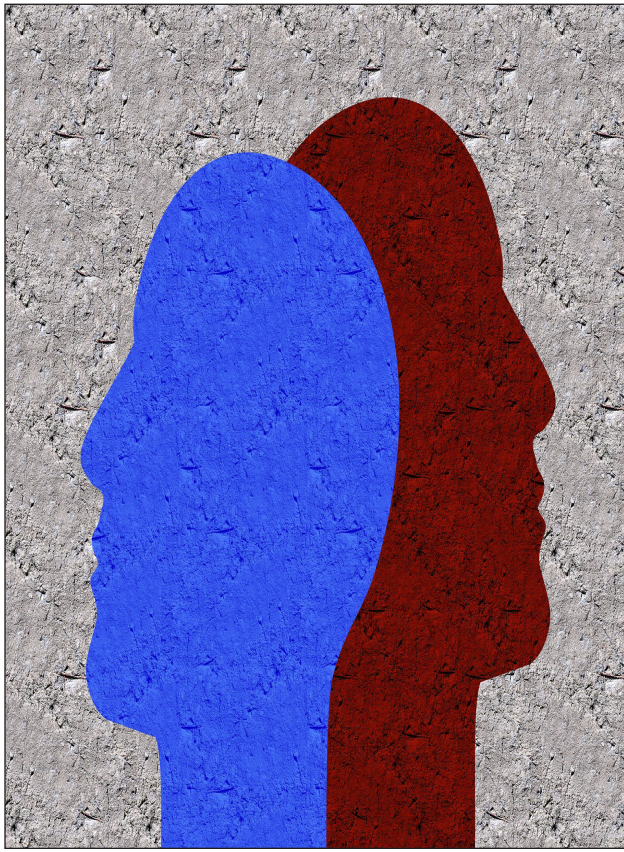
HEALTH

Connecting the dots

UAlbany study finds suicide attempts common in adults with borderline personality disorder

ALBANY – A study by a School of Public Health professor shows that people with borderline personality disorder have an elevated risk for suicide attempts, particularly if the individual experiences chronic feelings of emptiness.

Borderline personality disorder is a psychiatric disorder that impacts a person's mood, self-image and behavior, and often results in uncertainty about how they view themselves and the world, according to the National Institute of Mental Health.



Additionally, it sometimes leads to seemingly sudden changes in values and interests.

Associate professor Tomoko Udo found that while suicide attempts are common in adults with borderline personality disorder, exhibiting self-injurious behaviors and experiencing feelings of emptiness were strongly associated increased lifetime odds of suicide attempts. In addition, those who indicated feelings of emptiness were more likely to report multiple suicide attempts.

“Borderline personality disorder is a complex and heterogeneous construct,” Udo noted. “Our findings suggest that endorsement of symptoms associated with chronic emptiness - a construct related with loneliness and hopelessness but distinctively reflects a sense of disconnection from both self and others - may indicate increased risk for suicide attempts.”

The work, done in collaboration with Carlos Grilo of Yale University, examined responses from over 36,000 people who completed a population-based national

epidemiological survey from 2012-2013, providing Udo and Grilo with an advantage to calculate population estimate of the burden of suicide attempts among US adults with borderline personality disorder, which was considered unique contribution to the literature given that the prior findings were based on clinical population.

The study also addressed a previously identified weakness of this particular data set, which was how borderline personality disorder diagnosis was derived. The study applied diagnostic algorithms that were more conservative, yet more likely to be in line with the DMS-5, the classification tool for mental disorders used by professionals in the U.S. With a larger sample size, the study also allowed investigation of the relationship between suicide attempts and specific criteria of borderline personality disorder in the U.S. adults.

“In our study, we had between 2,171 and 4,289 persons diagnosed with borderline personality disorder, depending on

the strictness of how we coded them — a much larger population than in previous research,” Udo explained. “This means that our findings on emptiness and suicide attempts can be better generalized, which is important as emptiness is an under-recognized and under-researched component of borderline personality disorder.”

The findings, published in JAMA Network Open, suggest that it may be beneficial to add questions on emptiness to suicide risk screenings to capture more accurately who may consider a suicide attempt.

“We would greatly benefit from further research in this area,” says Udo. “In particular, researchers should consider capturing populations in their work known to have high rates of suicide and self-harm behaviors, such as institutionalized, incarcerated or homeless persons.”

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Albany Capital Center

55 Eagle St., Albany.
518-487-2155

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: **TAD + Slimebubble** | 9-10 p.m.
Sat: **Loosey Goosey with the Haus of Peculiar** | 10-11 p.m.
Sun: **Minty Fresh Electronic Music** | 8-10 p.m.

Brown's Troy

Taproom & Brewery

417 River Street, Troy
518-273-2337

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
Thurs: **Brett Grigsby** | 7-9 p.m.
Fri: **Hayley Reardon** | 8-10 p.m.
Sat: **Yo Re Mi** | 10:30 - 11 a.m.

Carson's Woodside Tavern

57 NY-9P, Malta
518-584-9791
Thurs: **Jay Yager & Chris Dollard** | 6-9 p.m.
Fri: **Mike LaPoint** | 6-9 p.m.
Sat: **Two Shoes** | 6-9 p.m.

Centre Street Pub

308 Union St., Schenectady
518-393-2337
Fri: **Perennial** | 4 p.m.
Sat: **The Heaters** | 4 p.m.

Cohoes Music Hall

58 Remsen St., Cohoes
518-434-0776
Fri: **Tom Petty Tribute Band w/ Colette Pastore** | 8-10 p.m.
Sat: **Misty Blues** | 8-10:30 p.m.

The Comedy Works

388 Broadway, Saratoga Springs
877-565-3849
Fri: **Rich Vos** | 8 p.m.

Druthers Brewing Company

1053 Broadway, Albany
(518) 650-7996

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: **Laughter in a Can Comedy Show with Host Artie Treffiletti** | 8-10 p.m.

The Egg

Empire State Plaza., Albany
518-473-1845
Fri: **Colin Quinn: The Last Best Hope** | 8 p.m.
Sun: **Iron & Wine** | 8 p.m.

HOT SPOTS EVENTS CALENDAR



Filling a void with much needed blues

Misty Blues pays homage to the older blues made popular by the bold and brassy women of its time, while still paying respect to classic male artists of the 20s, 30s and 40s. The band keeps true to its own roots by performing classic rock and folk tunes infused with a healthy dose of the blues. The troupe plays Cohoes Music Hall on Saturday, Jan. 15.

Misty Blues

Emack & Bolio's

366 Delaware Ave., Albany
518-512-5100

Empire Live/Underground

93 North Pearl St., Albany
866-468-3399
Thurs: **Black Sabbath** | 8 p.m.
Sat: **Dance Cancer** | 7:30 p.m.
Sun: **Cat Power** | 8 p.m.
Empire State Plaza
Eprire State Plaza., Albany
518-474-2418
Sat: **Learn to Skate Clinic** | 10 a.m.

Fort Orange Brewing

450 North Pearl St, Albany
518-992-3103

Frog Alley Brewing Co.

108 State Street Schenectady
518-631-4800

Fuze Box

12 Central Avenue Albany
518-992-6434
Fri: **All the World's a Stage** | 8 p.m.

Funny Bone

1 Crossgates Mall Rd #K-206, Albany
518-313-7484
Fri: **Joe Machi** | 7:30 p.m.

Gaffney's

16 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs
518-587-7359
Sat: **Sydney Worthley** | 3-6 p.m.

Grappa '72

818 Central Ave., Albany
518-482-7200
Thurs: **The 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

The Hollow Bar + Kitchen

79 North Pearl St., Albany
518-426-8550

Lark Hall

351 Hudson Ave, Albany
518-599-5804
Thurs: **Donna the Buffalo** | 8 p.m.
Sun: **RCA & The New Motif** | 9 p.m.

The Linda

339 Central Ave, Albany
518-465-5233
Sat: **Harvest and Rust: Neil Young Tribute** | 8-11 p.m.

McGeary's Irish Pub

4 Clinton Square, Albany
518-463-1455
Tues: **Trivia Night** | 7 p.m.

Nashville Of Saratoga

39 Phila Street, Saratoga Springs
518-909-6274

Nanola

2639 Rt 9, Malta
518-587-1300

The Night Owl

17 Maple Ave., Saratoga Springs
518-319-2300
Thurs: **Cookout** | 7 p.m.
Fri: **Fireside Fridays** | 8 p.m.
Sat: **Supper Club Saturdays** | 6 p.m.

Olde English Pub

683 Broadway, Albany. 518-434-6533

The Palace Theatre

19 Clinton Ave., Albany
518-465-4663

Playhouse Stage Co.

Madison Ave at New Scotland Ave Albany (518) 434-2035

Panza's

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

Parish Public House

388 Broadway, Albany
518-465-0444

The Parting Glass

40-42 Lake Ave., Saratoga Springs
518-583-1916
Wed: **Celtic Session** | 7 p.m.
Sat: **Get Up Jack** | 7 p.m.

Paulys Hotel

337 Central Ave., Albany
518-426-0828
Fri: **Mike Cohen, SideB and I'm Getting The Skeleton** | 8 p.m.
Sat: **effs, Raziell's Tree, Forever Autumn and Ra-Mell** | 8 p.m.

Proctors

432 State Street., Schenectady
518-346-6204

Putnam Place

63a Putnam St., Saratoga Springs
518-584-8066
Fri: **Elephant Proof w/ Annie in the Water** | 9 p.m.
Sun: **The Martin Family Benefit Con-**

cert | 1-5 p.m.

Rare Form Brewing Company

90 Congress Street Troy
(518) 326-4303
Fri: **Mayheaven / Melatonin** | 6 p.m.
Sat: **Bummer Camp / Bruiser And Bicycle** | 6 p.m.

Ravenswood Grill & Tavern

1021 NY 146, Clifton Park.
518-371-8771
Tue: **Trivia Night** | 6:30 p.m.

The Ruck

104 3rd St., Troy
(518) 273-1872
Wed: **Trivia** | 7-9 p.m.

Rustic Barn Pub

150 Speigletown Rd., Troy
518-235-5858
Thurs: **Open Mic Night** | 6 p.m.
Fri: **Soul Provider** | 8 p.m.
Sat: **Brian Kane and The Beginning** | 8 p.m.

The Saratoga Winery

462 Route 29, Saratoga Springs
518-584-9463
Thurs: **Erin Harkes** | 5 p.m.

Saratoga National

458 Union Avenue Saratoga Springs
518.583.4653

Saratoga City Tavern

19-21 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs
518-581-3230
Thurs: **Karaoke** | 9 p.m.
Mon: **Bingo** | 8 p.m.
Tues: **Trivia** | 8 p.m.

Sand Lake Center for the Arts

2880 NY 43 Averill Park
518-674-2007

SPAC

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

Troy Savings Bank Music Hall

30 Second St., Troy
518-273-0038
Wed: **Super 400** | 6 p.m.
Sat: **The Knights with Aaron Diehl** | 7:30 p.m.

Vapor

342 Jefferson St, Saratoga Springs
(518) 584-2110
Fri: **Legend** | 8 p.m.
Sat: **Big Sky Country** | 8 p.m.

Van Slyck's

Rivers Casino & Resort
1 Rush St., Schenectady
518-579-8800
Fri and Sat: **Lecco** | 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.

Wicked

1602 Route 9, Clifton Park
518-467-8900
Fri: **Open Mic** | 7 p.m.

Wishing Well Restaurant

745 Saratoga Rd., Wilton
518-584-7640
Fri: **Rob Aronstein Trio** | 8 p.m.

EXHIBITS

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. Open: Now -Feb. 2022.

The Hudson River School: Landscape Paintings from the Albany Institute-

The Albany Institute holds a large and important collection of nineteenth-century 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

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Sydney Worthley



HOT DATE

TRMA

Trivia etiquette behooves trivia masters to move around, give others a chance to win in your absence. Except for at the Black Bear Inn where you will attend on Wednesday, Jan. 12, at 7:30 p.m.

new exhibition about Ancient Egypt. This exhibit is currently ongoing.

Traders & Culture: Colonial Albany and the Formation of American Identity- This exhibition looks at those diverse peoples who shaped colonial Albany and the objects that reflect their interests, values, commercial, and social interactions. This exhibit is currently ongoing. The Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave. Albany, 518.463.4478.

Albany International Airport

ECHO-Ginne Gardiner & Amy Talluto Recent Painting and Collage A pattern of reflections distinguishes the work of these two artists, who make paintings that are cycled into collages, which are then reinterpreted as new paintings. Amy Talluto and Ginne Gardiner both describe the earliest phases of their creative process as cloaked in associations with landscape, weather and seasons. Beginning November 20th 2021 to April 25th, 2022 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

The Clark Art Institute

Competing Currents: 20th-Century Japanese Prints - Japan's printmaking landscape underwent an unprecedented tidal shift in the twentieth century. During the Edo period (1603-1867) a new market of middle-class patrons had encouraged artists to create expressive and iconic images for mass distribution. These prints, known as ukiyo-e (pictures of the floating world), became wildly popular not only in Japan but across the globe when the country opened to international trade in the mid-nineteenth century.

By the beginning of the twentieth century, however, woodblock prints had largely fallen out of vogue. Mass-market newspapers and magazines had taken

Japan by storm, and the popular woodblock prints of the previous century seemed to many a relic of the past. Open: Now - January 30, 2022. 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. Gallery exhibits 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. Visit Salon '21 Art Show Local Artists thru Jan. Holiday Hrs. Mon-Sun, 11-6 201 Broadway, Troy. 518-2726811 or 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

Summer Bomb Pop: Collection in Dialogue- Brings together seventeen works of contemporary abstract painting from the collection of the Tang Teaching Museum at Skidmore College by artists such as Sarah Braman, Jeffrey Gibson, Rashid Johnson, Mindy Shapero, and Chuck Webster with several twentieth-century works from The Hyde Collection's renowned Feibes & Schmitt Collection by artists such as Grace Hartigan, Alfred Jensen, Ellsworth Kelly, Bridget Riley, and Andy Warhol.

Summer Bomb Pop is organized by the Tang Teaching Museum in collaboration with Jonathan Canning, Director of Curatorial Affairs and Programming at The Hyde Collection. This exhibit is currently ongoing - January 2022.

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CLUES ACROSS

- Breathe noisily
- ___ Nui, Easter Island
- Reddish browns
- Simple shoes
- Produce alcohol illegally
- Home to famed golf tournament
- Tax collector
- Famous people
- Urban area
- Units of syllable weight
- Pituitary hormone (abbr.)
- Dismounted
- Actor Damon
- Vietnamese offensive
- Retail term
- Netted
- Partner to carrots
- Witnesses
- Caulked
- Satisfy
- R&B performer ___ Lo
- Monetary units of Macao
- Give advice, explain
- Possesses
- Turn back
- Gentlemen
- One who fertilizes
- Italian monk title (prefix)
- Parties
- Type of horse
- Cuts in half
- Raises
- Expresses contempt or disgust
- Ancient Italian-Greek colony

CLUES DOWN

- Illinois city
- One of the original disciples chosen by Christ
- Young form of a louse
- Type of powder
- Finger millet
- Share a common boundary
- Assumed as a fact
- Provide clear evidence of
- Invests in little enterprises
- A way to be
- Monies given in support
- Fashion accessory
- Steal
- Becomes less intense
- Geological times
- Hooray!
- Monetary unit
- Male reproductive organs
- Earnings
- Close by
- Small integers
- Fixed in place
- Used to treat Parkinson's disease
- Large, imposing building
- A rooflike shelter
- Stiff, hairlike structure
- Print errors
- To show disapproval
- Body of traditions
- Without
- ___ Clapton, musician
- Dangerous illegal drug
- Infrequent
- Sound unit

Answers on Pg. B17

Masterpieces & Mysteries- Artistic treasures and art historical queries, drawn from its vaults. Among the great works of art that Louis and Charlotte Hyde brought to Glens Falls are delicate works on paper so sensitive to the damaging effects of light that they can only be exhibited once every few years. Out from storage come watercolors by Winslow Homer, pastels by Edgar Degas, drawings by Henri Matisse, and a pen and ink sketch by Vincent Van Gogh. This exhibit is currently ongoing- December 31st.

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+), \$10; Children, students (w/ID)/active military members and their families, free. 161 Warren St., Glens Falls. 518-792-1761 or 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-rutland-artists-space/

Mabee Farm Historic Site

Redesigning Fashion: Transgression and Identity in Women's Historic Dress-

A partnership between SCHS and the Fashion & Textiles program at SUNY Oneonta. The collaboration has resulted in an exhibition that explores the historical importance of women's clothing and fashion in the expression of cultural values and the creation of identity, and examines how those ideals change over time. Open now - November 30.

Beyond the Pines: Early Schenectady-

Explore early Schenectady: its founding, its people, and what life was like for early Schenectadians. This exhibit is ongoing.

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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.org

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Seeing Ourselves: From Silhouette to Selfie -

Imagine not knowing the look of their own face. For most people throughout history, this was the rule rather than the exception. It was only through the development of technology that we reached the modern day, where seeing yourself is as simple as looking in a mirror or pushing a button. Seeing Ourselves takes guests on a journey through the development of portraiture, photography, mirrors, and more.

Featuring approximately 55 objects, the exhibition includes more than 20 works of art, among them a collection of late 18th-century miniature portraits by Irish-born artist George Place, and a painting by Harold M. Mott Smith titled Their Last Meeting that commemorates Thomas Edison's visit to Schenectady in 1922 where he met Charles Proteus



HOT DATE

OPEN MIC

You saw Madison last weekend and felt inspired to start your signing career. It all begins at the Rustic Barn on Thursday, Tuesday, Jan. 13, at 6 p.m.

Steinmetz, another trailblazer in the field of electricity. Early prototype X-ray equipment, rare photographs, a collection of cameras, and a model of the first GE Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) machine are also be on view. Interactive activities include Capture Your Shadow, Colorize a Photograph, Get In The Scene, Face Mixer, Fool a Computer Vision System, Make Your Bones Dance,



Having tats and a strong hat game

Rich Vos is not in a biker gang, but he would be if one accepted him and his Hyundai. Catch this comedian at The Comedy Works on Friday, Jan. 14.

Rich Vos

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and more.

Model Trains Show

An exhibition of approximately fifty photographs and works of art depicting scenes from the history of the American Locomotive Company and General Electric's development of locomotives will also be on view in the Museum's newly-renovated Lecture Gallery. Highlights include an 1895 photograph by famed GE engineer, Charles Steinmetz, of New York Central's Empire State Express, a steam locomotive that was built in Albany and set a world record by traveling 112 miles per hour; a photo of Big Boy, a 1.2-million-pound locomotive that was the largest ever built; and a 1932 work of art by Walter Greene titled More Power and Speed for New Haven that was commissioned by GE to promote their line of modern streamlined locomotives.

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

New York State Museum Thomas Hart Benton

In 1956 Thomas Hart Benton 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, 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



HOT DATE

DONNA THE BUFFALO

They've opened for *The Dead and Del McCoury, whatever else you want to know you can learn by going to Lark Hall on Thursday, Jan. 13, at 8 p.m.*

Building.

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 until Dec 31. Also, "a small fort, which our people call Fort Orange." This exhibition examines the momentous discovery of

Fort Orange and the lasting impact of events occurring there 400 years ago that shaped the character of the region, state, and the nation. Select artifacts, film footage from the excavation preceding the construction of I-787, and four decades of historical and archaeological research are highlighted.

Museum hours: Tuesday–Sun, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Free admission; suggested donation of \$5/person or \$10/family. 518-474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.gov

Opalka Gallery

SHIFTING GAZE: A Reconstruction of the Black & Hispanic Body in Contemporary Art - From the collection of Robert B. Feldman. On view from October 22 - December 14th. Opening reception on Friday, October 22nd from 5:30 - 8:00 p.m. Proof of vaccination is required to enter gallery and view exhibition. Extended until February 5th 2022.

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

Ongoing: "Mapping Schenectady." 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 schenectady-historical.org

Dan Sekellic Visual Arts Gallery

Gallery hours: Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sand Lake Center for the Arts, 2880 NY Rte. 43, Averill Park. Free admission. 518-674-2007 or slca-ctp.org

Tang Teaching Museum

On Their Own Terms- On Their Own Terms is an exhibition curated by students in the Scribner Seminar "Outsiders? Folk and Self-Taught Artists in the United States" which presents works by a selection of nineteenth- and twentieth-century artists from the United States who have been variously categorized as "self-taught," "outsider," "folk," or "visionary," among other labels. Objects range in form and medium and include textiles, sculptures, relief carvings, paintings, and drawings. The exhibition aims to present the visual art and lives of these artists while also interrogating the ways that curators, dealers, and scholars have exhibited, acquired, and sometimes overlooked this important work. Although a diverse group of artists, most of them began to create work late in life, received no formal training, and share a decisive commitment to what and why they wanted to create. Exhibit starts December 4th, 2021 - April 10th, 2022.

Lauren Kelley Location Scouting- Conceived and designed for conversation, dialogue, study, and contemplation, Location Scouting is the fourth exhibition in a series that invites an artist to re-imagine what a community space in the museum can be. Artist and curator

HOROSCOPES

January 2022 Week 2

ARIES - MAR 21/APR 20

Aries, you are self-confident and know who you are, which helps you take charge of situations. Many people rely on you, and you feed off that accountability.

TAURUS - APR 21/MAY 21

Taurus, you may feel like you have to be a mediator between two sides, and that only adds to tension you have been feeling recently. Take a deep breath and a step back.

GEMINI - MAY 22/JUN 21

Gemini, perceptions can be misleading. Look at a confounding situation from another angle. A new perspective may be all you need to see things more clearly.

CANCER - JUN 22/JUL 22

Cancer, a get-together with loved ones could do everybody some good. You may need to find the secret that can pull them everyone together, even if it's only for a day.

LEO - JUL 23/AUG 23

Leo, a friend of yours may be feeling like a third wheel on group outings. Consider playing matchmaker, or make plans for a get-together with just this individual.

VIRGO - AUG 24/SEPT 22

Virgo, someone may try to burst your bubble in the next few days, but you won't let it get in the way of your lively, imaginative nature. As time goes by, others will come around.

LIBRA - SEPT 23/OCT 23

Libra, the last thing you want to do lately is slow down, but you may have to do just that or special moments may pass you by. Carve out time to spend with loved ones.

SCORPIO - OCT 24/NOV 22

Scorpio, someone is trying to stay on task this week but you are all about a less serious approach. Let others focus on the tasks at hand, even if you can't.

SAGITTARIUS - NOV 23/DEC 21

Sagittarius, technology is designed to make processes easier, but you may find you get fouled up by devices this week. Try doing things the old fashioned way for a bit.

CAPRICORN - DEC 22/JAN 20

Capricorn, others may not share your sense of humor. Play to your audience and don't get too down if some jokes don't go over well. Consider toning it down for a bit.

AQUARIUS - JAN 21/FEB 18

Aquarius, what you see in the mirror just isn't matching up to what you're thinking in your head. Look to wise friends for answers as to why this is.

PISCES - FEB 19/MAR 20

Pisces, if you are finding difficulty finding satisfaction at work, it may be time to start looking for something new to do. Put out some feelers.

Lauren Kelley reshapes the Tang Teaching Museum's mezzanine by combining meditations on travel with snapshots of everyday life in her drawings, sculpture, and stop-motion animation videos. Using plasticine, toys, and souvenirs, Kelley's videos conjure worlds that are malleable and unfixated, inhabited by robust protagonists whose quirks stem from efforts to correct the asymmetrical relationships they encounter. Accentuating the off-kilter, Location Scouting speaks to the shifts and rifts inherent in navigating today's post-pandemic landscape. Skidmore College, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Museum hours: Tuesday - Sunday, noon to 5 p.m.; Thursday until 9 p.m. Free admission; suggested donations of \$5/adult; \$3/child 13+; seniors, \$2. 518-580-8080 or tang.skidmore.edu

Union College Galleries

Alisa Sikelianos-Carter: In the Eye of Belonging- Sikelianos-Carter asserts that Black features are a manifestation of a sacred and divine technology that has served as a means of survival, both physically and metaphysically. She envisions a cosmically bountiful world that celebrates and pays homage to ancestral majesty, power, and aesthetics. Inspired by traditionally Black hairstyles, Sikelianos-Carter uses web and catalog-sourced images to construct new archetypes. Through her exploration of opulent, luminescent materials she is creating a mythology that is centered on Black resistance and uses the body as a site of alchemy and divinity. This exhibit is currently ongoing- Jan 16, 2022.

Olivier Models at Union College- Union College's Permanent Collection includes an extremely unique and priceless collection of Theodore Olivier's stringed models, used for demonstrating the

relationships and intersections of geometric shapes in space. This collection is the largest single group (forty-six) of Olivier models to be held in one collection around the world. This exhibit is currently ongoing.

University Art Museum

RONNY QUEVEDO: OFFSIDE-

Inspired by his mother's and father's respective careers—a seamstress and a professional soccer player—multi-media artist Ronny Quevedo will occupy the arched walls of the museum in a newly commissioned work with diagrammatic vinyl lines that recall both dress patterns and gymnasium floors. Throughout this exhibition, which will include artwork from 2012 to the present, Quevedo's own family's emigration from Ecuador to New York serves as a catalyst for work reflecting on socio-political issues of migration, Indigenous experiences, and sacred spaces. Gallery begins January 25 - April 2, 2022. University Art Museum is located at 1400 Washington Avenue, Albany.

THEATER

Northeast Ballet's Annual

The Nutcracker

Under the Artistic Direction of Darlene Myers. This year's production is dedicated to John Wescott and Allan Yerdon. This performance is made possible, in part, with public funds from the New York State Council on the Arts, a State Agency and Fenimore Asset Management. Northeast Ballet's Annual Nutcracker under the Artistic Direction of Darlene Myers. Making its annual return to the MainStage is everyone's favorite holiday ballet. Enter a world of Christmas dreams to the joyous music of Tchaikovsky in this annual year-end favorite. Join the Sugar Plum Fairy, the heroic Nutcracker Prince



HOT DATE

GET UP JACK!

Our favorite local band to help get your Irish up on a Saturday night plays *The Parting Glass* on Jan. 15, at 7 p.m..

and the evil Rat King in this whimsical celebration of the season. Show will run for two nights December 22nd and 23rd at 7 p.m. only at Proctors 432 State Street Schenectady.

MISCELLANEOUS

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Stirring up trouble at The Egg

Comedian Colin Quinn will perform his new show *Colin Quinn: The Last Best Hope* at The Egg on Friday, Jan. 14. This is the latest offering from the standup comedian and off Broadway favorite whose past beloved shows include *Red State Blue State*, *New York Story*, *Unconstitutional* (all streaming on Netflix), and *Long Story Short*. Colin Quinn

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Sipping some coffee at Caffé Lena

Atwood Magazine calls her an “emerging voice of contemplative thought in the contemporary folk world” while No Depression writes “Reardon is truly a treasure.” Hayley Reardon is to play Caffé Lena on Friday, Jan. 14.

Allie Krause

Saturday, October 9th from 4:00 - 6:30 p.m. Donations welcome. Please note, masks are required to enter the building. 1433 Indian Fields Rd, Feura Bush.

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

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MUSIC

TAD + Slimebubble

Come join us at Dawnbreaker with DJ Tad and Slimebubble. It’ll be a mix of music and visual splendor to rock the senses. This is happening January 14th at 9 p.m. only at The Avalon Lounge 29 Church St, Catskill.

Hayley Reardon

Hayley Reardon has an innate gift for capturing the essence of people and

personal history through song. At the age of 24, the young storyteller has been honing her craft for over a decade, sharing the stage along the way with acts like Lori McKenna, Rodney Crowell, Anais Mitchell, Jessica Lea Mayfield, and Birds of Chicago, among others. Reardon has toured extensively throughout the US and Europe and has released four recorded works to date. Show will be January 14th at 8 p.m. only at Caffé Lena 47 Phila Street Saratoga Springs.

Cat Power

Charlyn Marie “Chan” Marshall better known by her stage name Cat Power, is an American singer-songwriter, musician, occasional actress, and model. Cat Power was originally the name of Marshall’s first band, but has become her stage name as a solo artist. Performing live Sunday, January 16th at 8 p.m. only at Empire Live 93 North Pearl St Albany.

Donna the Buffalo

Donna The Buffalo is not just a band, rather one might say that Donna The Buffalo has become a lifestyle for its members and audiences. Since 1989, the roots rockers have played thousands of shows and countless festivals including Bonnaroo, Newport Folk Festival, Telluride, Austin City Limits Festival, Merle Fest, and Philadelphia Folk Festival. They’ve opened for The Dead and have toured with Peter Rowan, Del McCoury, Los Lobos, Little Feat, Jim Lauderdale, Rusted Root, and Railroad Earth to name a few. They also toured with Ben Jerry’s co-founder Ben Cohen to help raise awareness about increased corporate spending in politics. In 1991, the band started the Finger Lakes Grassroots Festival in Trumansburg, NY. The four day festival has become an annual destination for over 15,000 music lovers every year and was

started as an AIDS benefit. It continues as a benefit for arts and education. To date, the event has raised hundreds of thousands of dollars and is now one of three Grassroots Festivals; the Bi-annual Shakori Hills fest in North Carolina and Virginia Key festival in Florida. In 2016 GrassRoots Culture Camp was introduced in Trumansburg, New York as four days of music, art, dance and movement workshops, including nightly dinners and dances. Show is January 13th at 8 p.m. only at Lark Hall 351 Hudson Avenue Albany.

Harvest and Rust

It’s hard to represent the wide-array of Neil Young’s influential material in one show, but that’s exactly what the band HARVEST & RUST does. Based in Western Massachusetts, the core four members of HARVEST & RUST often augment their show with other well-known local musicians to reproduce every era of Neil Young’s music. Be it the chart-topping HARVEST material (including Old Man, Heart of Gold, etc.) to the electric explorations of RUST NEVER SLEEPS (Hey Hey My My, etc.), as well as songs from Neil’s time in Crosby Stills Nash & Young and Buffalo Springfield, you’re in for a night of “complete Neil”. The show is January 15th at 8 p.m. only at The Linda 339 Central Avenue Albany

Mike Cohen, SideB and I’m Getting The Skeleton

Side B Four-piece alternative rock band from Upstate New York consisting of drummer Dylan Trivison, bassist Eric Mitchell, guitarist AJ Horton, and vocalist Ian Justino. Our debut release “The Low Budget Romance EP” out now! The show will be January 14th at 8 p.m. only at Pauly’s Hotel 337 Central Ave., Albany.

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FOOD and VINO

Healthy eating is on the minds of many people at the start of a new year. One road block to healthy eating each January is the start of the National Football League playoffs, which culminate with the big game each February.

Appetizers, sandwiches and other game day offerings often prioritize taste over nutrition. However, by rethinking some game day staples, it's easy to put a twist on popular favorites to make them lower in calories and fat and more nutritious.

This year skip the calorie-laden potato skins for "Sausage-Stuffed Red Potatoes," which are just as delicious. Try this recipe, courtesy of "Taste of Home Healthy Cooking Cookbook" (RDA Enthusiast Brands, LLC) from Taste of Home Kitchens.

Sausage-Stuffed Red Potatoes

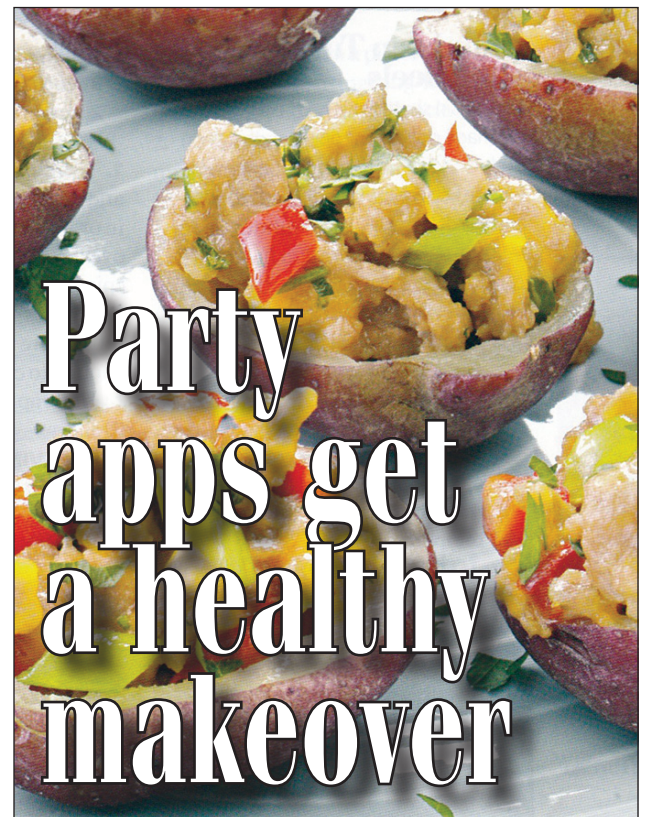
INGREDIENTS: Makes 16 appetizers

- 8 small red potatoes
- 1 pound Italian turkey sausage links, casings removed
- 1/2 cup chopped sweet red pepper

- 4 green onions, chopped
- 9 teaspoons minced fresh parsley, divided
- 1/3 cup shredded reduced-fat cheddar cheese

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Scrub and pierce potatoes; place on a microwave-safe plate. Microwave, uncovered, on high for 8 to 9 minutes or until tender, turning once.
2. Meanwhile, in a large skillet, cook sausage and pepper over medium heat until sausage is no longer pink. Add onions and 4 1/2 teaspoons parsley; cook 1 to 2 minutes longer. Remove from the heat; stir in cheese. Cut each potato in half lengthwise. Scoop out 1 tablespoon pulp (save for another use).
3. Spoon about 2 tablespoons sausage mixture into each half. Place on a microwave-safe plate. Microwave on high for 1 to 2 minutes or until cheese is melted. Sprinkle with remaining parsley.



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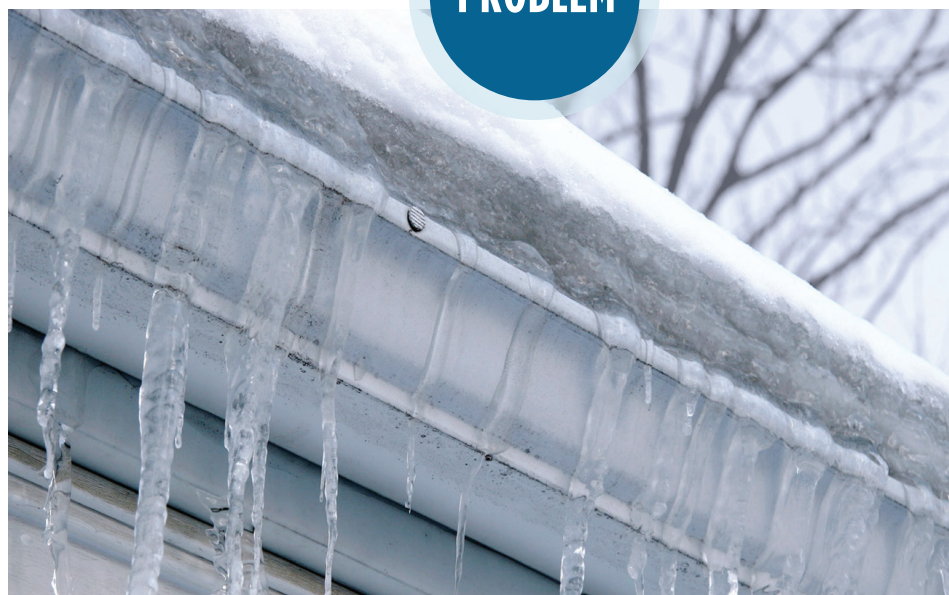
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Beat cabin fever with indoor winter renovations

When the weather outside is frightful, homeowners and renters can turn their interior spaces into something delightful. Residents can banish feelings of cabin fever by using time spent inside to make subtle or even substantial improvements to their living areas.



Brighten up interior spaces with a new coat of paint — a perfect project when cooped up indoors.

Individuals may find that winter is a great time to tackle delayed or unfinished projects or to put plans for major renovations in motion. Homeowners may find that they have some extra time on their hands when weather and early evening darkness reduces how much time they can spend outdoors. The following projects can help homeowners make the most of their time indoors.

• **Start painting.** One of the easiest ways to transform the look of a room is with a fresh coat of paint. Painting a room or rooms is an inexpensive project that can be completed over the course of a single weekend. Painting in lighter colors can help illuminate dark spaces and make a home feel more vivid and inviting, especially during the winter. And painting need not be reserved for walls only. Homeowners may want to sand and paint furniture to give items a trendy arts-and-crafts feel.

• **Reimagine flooring.** Thanks to the bevy of laminate, composite materials and vinyl flooring options, homeowners can engage in do-it-yourself flooring projects to perk up tired interior spaces. Many “floating” flooring systems are user-friendly and can instantly update spaces.

Some systems may not even require adhesives or nails to complete.

• **Redress the furniture.** New furniture can be expensive. For those who are

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■ **MUSIC REVIEW**

Peter Anello On His Upcoming Single, 'Read The Signs'

By **LUCAS GARRETT**

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AVERILL PARK – Earlier this month, young and up-and-coming singer/songwriter, Peter Anello, released his newest single, “Read the Signs.” Pairing “Read the Signs” with another song, “Avalon” – a practice that harkens back to the era of 45s; smaller vinyl records that featured one song on each side – Anello has packaged a latest release whose creativity, and production aesthetic, are almost undeniable, as is his passion for songwriting.

With “Read the Signs,” the song begins as a simple, fast-paced acoustic piece. This soon changes as the full band enters with the vocals. The propelling, repetitive drum rhythm greatly helps to propel the song forever forward. The keen sense of meticulous instrumentation for which this song consists, serves well to speak to Anello’s ear for arranging a song. At times, the ornamentations toe the line of becoming over-the-top, though they never cross that line



Peter Anello.

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for this listener. While the solo occurring after the bridge was highly anticipated, overall, it did nothing to really add or detract from the song. The final chorus incorporating an a cappella section is a nice production choice and welcomed change of pace.

“Read the Signs” by Peter Anello, which was released on January 8th.

Personally, while both tunes are enjoyable, I prefer “Avalon.” The latter tune features great arrangement choice. After the first chorus ends, the full band enters; a technique Anello utilizes well to give the song a huge lift. The piano motif after the song’s second chorus is another well-crafted addition. As this fades out, the vocals are all that remain for a bit, then the band swells and enters in again. The chords in the section before the final chorus are very well connected and clearly thought out. A song that last for nearly four-and-a-half minutes seemed to pass in less than two; a sign of a good song for this particular listener!

It was my pleasure to get a chance to sit down with Peter and go over his latest single, as well as dive deeper into other topics. To catch the interview, please

continue reading below.

Lucas Garrett: Hey, Peter! Thanks for sharing your new tunes with us! Tell us a bit about the genesis of these newest songs.

Peter Anello: These songs were born at different times but ended up complimenting each other very well. Being a single, the one thing I’d like to point out is how much musical volume they take up so-to-speak. Two songs totaling around 10 minutes combined and each taking you through a dynamic journey of melody, rhythm, and a powerful message lyrically. I started writing “Avalon” years ago in my garage while my father was working on a project. It was inspired purely by my passion for music creation, and knowing nothing could get in the way to deter me from continuing doing what I love. I believe a great song is born from both how the music composition feels and what the lyrics are trying to get across. You know, when together they’re like two peas in a pod. “Read the Signs” was motivated by another feeling, a feeling of helplessness. I, especially in my later teen years, began to have this idea I was so torn on between either being

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misunderstood or well understood. What that comes down to is being stepping away from myself and admitting what I do wrong. Whether it be relationships, friendships, professional matters, etc. This aspect of my growing has been a constant battle, but I always come out the other end a better man when I am honest with myself that it's not always them, but usually me. It's a song about slowing your roll, and really taking the time to self-reflect, which in my opinion may be a key component to a better society.

LG: While I noticed some influences – or, at

least I think I have them pegged! – I'm curious as to who really drives you creatively? Did you have a particular sound in mind when creating this new single?

PA: I'm strongly influenced by the music my parents had exposed me to growing up. These were artists like Led Zeppelin, Coldplay, Sublime, Stevie Ray Vaughan, Fiona Apple etc. Over the years, especially because of the internet, I've been introduced to so many great artists like John Mayer really taking the cake as a guitar player, singer/songwriter that I admire. His influence

on my original music is very recognizable to most. It's the number one compliment I receive, and I do take it as such, whereas for a while I didn't like being compared to someone who isn't me. In 2013 when I discovered Mayer, I was immediately infatuated with what he's built for himself because of his creative abilities.

LG: You frequently play in and around this area with other bands, such as The Tradition. Now that you're releasing your own music, how would you compare these different facets of the music industry? Is it a big switch-up for you going from hired gun to the one out and in front, so-to-speak?

PA: Playing locally for the last few years has been awesome. I've met a lot of

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great people, as you do in this industry. I started off playing open mics, went on to booking myself some solo acoustic shows. I had a little trio together who I still play with from time to time, and that was the most fun I've had playing live music. Meeting my friend, Ralph Renna, was also a blessing. Ralph discovered me through a mutual friend and invited me to sit in with The Tradition. These gigs were nothing but pure fun. I didn't need to learn any songs, I would just set up my portable rig and jam away with Ralph to make some easy cash to help me with bills, this part of adulting I'm not fond of. I've dreamed of putting together a full band of seasoned musicians to play my original music, but it just hasn't happened yet. It will.

LG: What are your plans for this single? Can we expect an album from you in the future that contain these songs?

PA: My plan with this single is to make a statement, and I'm ready to make that statement for once. This really feels like it. I'm proud of these two songs, while it's only two, they're some of my best work and display my full range of composing lyrics/chord structures, guitar playing, singing etc. I want people to take me seriously and expect a whole lot more to come. I love writing, I love sharing these songs with all of you, and my dream is to do exactly that until the day I surely rest.

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