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10 years in the pink

Owens-Corning Fiberglas of Delmar celebrated its 10th anniversary in Delmar last week when it hosted two events for local community leaders and plant personnel.

On Saturday, over 700 plant personnel and their families were given tours of the plant on Rt. 32, and attended a picnic for the celebration. Normal safety rules were relaxed to allow children under 14 to tour the plant. The Pink Panther, trademark of the fiberglass company was on hand to greet the families.

Earlier in the week, a similar celebration was held for community leaders, senior management in the corporation and plant personnel no longer at the Delmar facility.

Produced for the 10th anniversary, a video was available and highlighted the Delmar plant's history.



Teri Morise, 10, of Hannacroix, waits for Maryianne Scrod, alias Jingles, to finish her face painting at Saturday's picnic.

Patricia Mitchell



The Pink Panther greets some young fans at the Owens-Corning Fiberglas plant in Delmar Saturday.

Owens-Corning started up its Delmar plant in June, 1976, to service the Northeast insulation market. Two production lines were operated then, but a few years later, one line was shut down and today's production line operates at full capacity. The plant has nearly 280 employees.

Owens-Corning was founded in 1938. The Fortune 500 company exceeds \$3.5 billion in annual sales. It has recently been the subject of an unfriendly takeover bid, but company management announced last week a restructuring plan to keep it independent.

Conrail to double Selkirk offices

By Patricia Mitchell

A proposed Conrail office building similar and next to the existing Conrail office building at the Selkirk yards has received town approval.

The Bethlehem Planning Board quickly gave site plan approval to the office building that will be the duplicate of the existing two-story office building last Tuesday. Greg Seleman, of Anderson Development, said the second building was planned when the first building was built in 1982.

Developers said they would like to start construction on the new building sometime this fall.

Don Holloschutz, of Conrail headquarters in Philadelphia, said on Monday the proposed 25,000-square foot building will house computers and will allow for any future expansion at the Selkirk yards. Holloschutz would not comment on when or what that expansion would be.

The building, like its sister

building, will be owned by Willard T. Andersen Realty of Albany, and Conrail will lease the space, Holloschutz said.

Willard T. Anderson Realty now has control of a 150-acre parcel at the Selkirk yards, and in addition to the Conrail buildings, the developer is completing a 350,000-square-foot warehouse for American Honda Motor Co., Inc., of Gardena, Calif. Billed as the largest warehouse facility in the Capital District, the Honda warehouse will be used as a distribution depot for Honda motorcycles and power products throughout New York and New England.

When plans for the Honda warehouse were announced in January, representatives from Anderson Realty said the area had been promoted and developed as an industrial park at the Conrail yards. However, Jeff Ward, Anderson's vice president for

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Maywood School fate in hands of voters

By Patricia Mitchell

Voting will take place in three area school districts next Wednesday on a proposal to purchase of the Maywood School for the Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES).

BOCES will be polling 24 of its member districts to approve the \$1,335,760 needed to purchase the school from the South Colonie School District and renovate it.

Polls will be open from noon to 9 p.m. Voting places will be at the Bethlehem Middle School on Kenwood Ave. in Delmar, the Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School in Voorheesville and the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Senior High School.

Boards of education for Voorheesville and RCS have formally endorsed the purchase of the school. The BC school board has taken no position on this issue, but hosted an informational presentation with representatives from BOCES at its meeting last Wednesday.

Costs of the project are \$650,000 to purchase the building from South Colonie and \$685,000 for renovation. Purchase costs of the Maywood School will be spread out over five years and renovation costs are expected to take four years.

BOCES districts will each be responsible for a fraction of the purchase and renovation. BC's

share will equal 6.4 percent or \$84,907, RCS's share will equal 4.4 percent or \$58,727, and Voorheesville's share is equal to 2.7 percent or \$32,898.

Custer Quick, superintendent of the Albany-Schoharie-Schenectady BOCES, said 30 to 40 percent of the purchase and renovation will come back in state aid.

"The total cost of this is BOCES-aidable," Quick said.

Reaction to the proposed purchase has been quite positive so far, Quick said, adding that he knows there is some difference of opinion over the proposal. Most of the debate has been between parents of handicapped children over the wisdom of centralizing services in one building rather than "mainstreaming" the children.

"We have felt that the response has been basically positive," Quick said.

The Maywood School, located on Central Ave. in Colonie, houses about 120 handicapped students. BOCES has been renting the school since 1979. The last two-year lease with the South Colonie district, expiring June 30, 1987, requires that an option to buy must be exercised by BOCES before the lease ends, or the building be vacated.

BOCES will still be renting various classroom space from around its district even if the purchase is approved.

'Citizen power' in Bethlehem

By Theresa Bobear

Tuesday, Sept. 9, and Wednesday, Sept. 24, are two significant dates for neighborhood associations and other special interest groups in Bethlehem.

Tuesday's primary election could signal a new era of political involvement for neighborhood and citizen organizations in the town. But the Sept. 24 public hearing will probably be the more significant date — a step toward ratifying two years of cooperation between neighborhood representatives, merchants and town officials on the Delaware Ave. Task Force.

After the smoke has cleared

who opposed the site for the proposed Northeast Psychiatric Hospital, do against Bernard Kaplowitz, who remained neutral on the issue?

While the size of that vote may or may not affect the town board's decision on the hospital, it should provide a clue as to the ability of citizen organizations in the town to translate their numbers into votes. Activists have attempted to make the proposed hospital site an issue in the primary election. George Kaufman, chairman of Concerned Citizens of Bethlehem, has gone so far as to publicly endorse Swan.

While Kaufman did not identify

the proposed hospital site, his move is still a departure — until now, neighborhood association activists have made a concerted effort to stay out of the political arena.

The fruit of that effort is the legislation coming up for review on Sept. 24 before the town board, which makes a number of zoning changes for commercial properties along Delaware Ave. and Rt. 9W. The legislation, which was the result of numerous meetings over two years between the various interest groups, provided the first real chance for the neighborhood leaders to work with the other major groups in town. By most

accounts, the cooperative effort has been a success.

There is no question that in the

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In addition to providing a sense of community that is missing from many developments, neighborhood associations have brought Bethlehem residents together as effective participants in town zoning and planning.

from the Republican primary in the 102nd Assembly District, one of the things political insiders will be looking at is the vote in Glenmont. How did Gary Swan,

himself as the leader of the coalition of neighborhood association members, parent-teacher association members and other individuals who are opposed to

How the associations grew

With the exception of a few groups, such as Slingerlands Homeowners, most of the town's neighborhood associations have been formed within the past five years. In many cases, neighborhood residents organized so that their collective voice would be heard in opposing a particular application before the town.

The Upper Delaware Avenue Association of Delmar Inc. was formed four years ago by six or seven families who were opposed to an application for a use variance at 399-401 Delaware Ave. Law offices were proposed for the residential-zoned structure.

Today, four years later, approximately 40 families belong to the organization of residents living along Delaware Avenue, cross streets and adjacent parallel streets from the old town hall to Cherry Avenue. Margaret Adkins recently took office as president of the organization.

According to Sandi Hackman, former president of the Upper Delaware Avenue Association, the objectives of her group are: to monitor town boards, especially with regard to planning and zoning; to establish a network of communication and make a cohesive neighborhood in a place where it didn't exist, and to set up a mechanism for neighbors to get to know each other. Hackman

said a goal of the association is the education of its members with regard to zoning and planning. Hackman said one role of neighborhood associations is to assist town government to know how a sizable percentage of the population feels about things.

"It's still a minority of the residents that know about it; but, still, we're growing and we're learning," said Hackman.

Prospective development along Rt. 9W has led the Bicentennial Woods Neighborhood Association in Glenmont, which was also organized for social purposes, to educate its members about zoning laws and issues.

"It was originally set up just to enhance the sense of community in Bicentennial Woods," said Daniel Foro, president of the Bicentennial Woods Neighborhood Association.

The Glenmont neighborhood association, which was formed in the summer of 1983, now has some 126 member families. The group was also formed to "have a voice with the town on any issues we felt affected us," according to Foro. The association has filed papers for incorporation with the state Department of State, according to Foro.

The first meeting of the Central Delmar Neighborhood Association

Inc., which covers an area from Adams St. to the Delaware and Hudson tracks to Elmsmere Avenue, was held in August of 1983. The residents, who were concerned about commercial interests encroaching on their established residential neighborhood, organized to oppose an application to permit offices in a residential building on Kenwood Ave. The group now has approximately 80 member families.

While the Slingerlands Homeowners Association was formally organized in 1972, the neighbors in the area were vocal on planning issues as early as the 1950's, when they successfully opposed a proposal to extend the Slingerlands Bypass. The organization, which was not incorporated as of 1985, has approximately 200 member families who live between Helder-vale and Font Grove Rds. and the intersection of New Scotland Rd. and the Slingerlands Bypass over to Cherry and Delaware avenues.

The Colonial Acres neighborhood association was formed in 1962 and incorporated in 1964 to provide for the maintenance of the Colonial Acres golf course and swimming pool. An original pool was replaced with a larger pool 15 years ago; and, the golf course was sold 10 years ago, according to president Helen Eaton.

Today the association has approximately 115 member families. The objectives of the association, according to Eaton, are to maintain the colonial atmosphere of Colonial Acres, to maintain the neighborhood pool, "which is a drawing card," and to try to keep abreast of town affairs as they affect the neighborhood.

Each year the neighborhood women gather to make a quilt, which is raffled off at their

Community Center meeting

A public meeting of the Bethlehem Community Center organization has been set for Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Bethlehem Public Library. The group will be preparing a proposal to be presented to the Bethlehem Town Board at its Sept. 24 meeting.

The Community Center organization has been meeting throughout the summer in an effort to secure a building, define its uses and programs and assess community support. Chairpersons of the committees will report on their progress and make recommendations at the meeting Thursday.

Mother's Day garage sale and country market. This year their quilt will be displayed at Albany's Tricentennial quilt show. The neighborhood association also sponsors an annual dinner dance and a Fourth of July barbecue and parade. On Father's Day the

teenagers serve their fathers brunch by the pool. "If you want to be involved in it you can; and, if you don't you're not pressured to," said Eaton. "The people in the area are very caring about other people in the area."

Theresa Bobear

□ Citizen power

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past five years neighborhood associations have become an important force in Bethlehem. Most are of recent vintage and were organized around a single issue, but remained to take on a broader range of issues.

In addition to providing a sense of community that is missing from many developments, neighborhood associations have brought Bethlehem residents together as effective participants in the process of town zoning and planning.

Neighborhood representatives have learned the in's and out's of town zoning law and familiarized themselves with the concerns of merchants and professional developers. While taking a non-partisan stand on issues, the organizations have become ac-

quainted with the officials and politics involved in municipal affairs.

As a growing portion of voters in Bethlehem join neighborhood associations, town officials have recognized their voice and opinion on issues.

The psychiatric center proposed for Glenmont, the problem of congestion related to the commercial development of Delaware Avenue, the proposed development of Rt. 9W and long-range town planning are issues that the town's neighborhood associations have focussed their attention on.

Approximately two and one-half years ago the Council of Neighborhood Associations, formerly non-incorporated, loose affiliation of neighborhood associations in Bethlehem, was formed. The officers of the member associations rotate in observing the planning board, the board of appeals and the town board, according to Sandi Hackman, former president of the Upper Delaware Avenue Association. Some members of the associations also watch for official action on particular issues.

"We're not involved in politics, Democratic or Republican; but, I guess it's political if you're trying to get something done," said Daniel Foro, president of the Bicentennial Woods Neighborhood

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Auto dealer hit

Service equipment and a 1979 BMW were damaged during a break in at Capitol Cities Imports on Rt. 9W in Glenmont between Saturday, Aug. 30, and Tuesday, Sept. 2, Bethlehem Police said.

No estimate on the damage was available, police said.

The BMW was moved from its parking spot inside the garage and it hit the service equipment, police said. Entry was gained through the rear garage door, police said.

Trooper in training

Trooper William L. Stine stationed at Selkirk has completed training that qualifies him as a defense tactics instructor at the State Police Academy in Albany.

Stine will be periodically assigned as a defense tactics instructor at the academy for in-service training of division members and for recruit classes attending the state police basic school.

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construction and engineering, said Monday those plans have not gone any further because of other projects.

"We are so back logged with work. We don't really have the time to do the spec work on our own," Ward said. "We really haven't been putting the fire on it."

The company will wait to do site work and applications when a firm tenant is interested in a site at the Conrail yards.

"We have interested parties. We have been talking to a few. We are just waiting for them to jell," Ward said.

Future plans for development at the site will hopefully jell before the end of the year, but Ward said there will probably be a project for the site in 1987.

However, the second building for Conrail will move ahead. Seleman said the new building will increase the size of offices to 65,000 square feet and 203 parking spaces. About 140 to 160 employees will occupy the two buildings plus visitors, and approximately 27 acres of green space will be completed. A designated visitor parking area exists along the front of the building, and an elevator exists in the first building. Seleman said all services are adaptable to a second building. Town engineers have already approved designs when the first building was proposed.

The planning board declared a negative State Environmental Quality Review Act statement, and gave its stamp of approval subject to the Albany County Planning Board.

Anderson Realty controls the parcel in the Selkirk yards formerly owned by the Penn Central Railroad Co. The land is bounded by Feura Bush Rd. on the west, the rail yards on the north, Bell Crossing Rd. on the southeast, and the old West Shore Railroad line (no longer in use) on the south.

Pelham in concert

In celebration of her newly-released album, *Look to the People*, Ruth Pelham will present a concert to benefit the Music Mobile at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 20, at the First Presbyterian Church, State and Willett Sts., Albany.

Tickets are \$6 and \$7 for adults and \$3 and \$4 for children. For information call 462-8714 or 434-1703.



Parents at the Glenmont Elementary School signed up for PTA committees during Thursday's orientation. Ginny Bourguignon, left, of the PTA's bakers' committee, signs up for duties for daytime special

events for Lynne Carlson, right, as Linda Sinuc of the writers' project waits her turn. Right, one-year-old Tiffany Consentino has a few years to wait before going through orientation at the Glenmont School.

Patricia Mitchell

Opening of relocatables delayed

By Patricia Mitchell

Delays in putting in foundations for relocatables at the Glenmont Elementary School have pushed back their expected use to sometime later this fall.

At last Wednesday's meeting of the Bethlehem Central School Board, Superintendent Lawrence Zinn said a subcontractor for Williams Mobile Offices of Highland Park, N.J., never showed to place the foundations. Zinn said the subcontractor visited the site two weeks ago, and said he would be back to start work on Monday, Aug. 25.

"We are still waiting. The units are ready," Zinn said.

When the bid was awarded in June, the school board anticipated that the classrooms will be in use by October. With the relocatables ready for delivery and the foundations anticipated to be started the last week in August, that date, while not guaranteed, could have even been moved up to the third week in September.

Board President Bernard Harvith said the classrooms will be ready sometime this fall, but not the third week in September.

"Nothing is new. We may have them sometime in the fall," Harvith said.

After the meeting, Bruce Houghton, building and grounds administrator, said he received a phone call from the company that will transport the relocatables two weeks ago, and the company said they can begin moving the classrooms immediately.

In other BC school board action, high school Principal Charles Gunner said a report from the Middle States Visiting Committee will be available about Sept. 15.

The committee recently visited the high school for three days for the school's accreditation. The report, Gunner said, gave the school 128 commendations and 148 recommendations. In 1976, the last time the school was evaluated, 99 commendations and 173 recommendations were given.

Out of the 148 recommendations, Gunner said 35 are in the process of being rectified, 72 are immediate, and 12 are long-range actions.

"Throughout it, it says we are an excellent district," Gunner said. "It says so right at the beginning."

Harvith said he was surprised most of the recommendations did not concern the high school's curriculum.

Board member Robert Ruslander said a commendation was even given for exceptional course preparation of teachers.

"This is not an internal report. It should be brought to the attention of those who do criticize," Ruslander said.

Evaluation by Middle States is voluntary, Gunner said, and only about a third of the state's schools belong to the organization. Benefits of membership include an educational audit, a direction for self-study, and an opportunity to direct changes.

Gunner said he will release the report after members of the school's steering committee of the evaluation receive the report. Then, copies of the report will be available at the school and at the Bethlehem Public Library about Sept. 15.

Members of the steering committee and the board of education will have about three years to study the report and begin action on the report's recommendations.

The board also received a presentation from representatives of BOCES on a proposal to purchase the Maywood School for \$1.335 million. A vote on the bond proposal will take place among BOCES' districts on Wednesday, Sept. 17.

Even though the school will be used by about 120 handicapped students, BOCES will still contract with BC for the use of nine classrooms for handicapped classes if the bond issue is approved. Classrooms at Clarksville, the middle school and the high school are rented out to BOCES.

The school board appointed Lisa Finkle kindergarten teacher for a new section at the Glenmont School, Teresa A. Orlando as a temporary English teacher at the high school for one year to replace James Guiliano and for the EXCEL program, and Karen Cole received a temporary increase in assignment to also

assume some of Guiliano's courses.

Extra-duty coaching appointments approved by the board include Kenneth Neff as girls' varsity swimming coach for \$906 and Michael Fitzpatrick as assistant girls' swimming coach at \$642.

The BC school board is scheduled to meet in a special executive session at 8 p.m. Wednesday (tonight). The next regular meeting of the school board is scheduled for 8 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 17.

Quilters catch up

Quilters United In Learning Together (QUILT) will meet at the First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, on Friday, Sept. 12, from 9:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. The program will include a presentation of wearable art from the Fairfield Company and a show of summer works.

Picnic in Glenmont

A fall picnic for Glenmont students and their families will be held at Glenmont Elementary School on Friday, Sept. 12, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Highlighting the evening will be a balloon launch and a parent-teacher kick ball game.

Ermie LaBarge and Barbara Evans are coordinating the event for the Parent Teacher Association.

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Memories inside Coughtry home

The people who boarded passenger ships in the Old World in the 18th century, simple wooden chest on their shoulder and cloth or leather bag in their arms containing their few possessions, never dreamed that they would be honored today as founding fathers of a great nation. For the most part they were humble, worthy laboring kind of life for themselves and their children that would be better than what they knew at the time in their native land.

On a ship's passenger list of emigrants that sailed from the Parish of Girtham, Galloway, Scotland, to America in May of 1774 we find several persons from the family of McCoughtry, sailing on the ship Gale of Whitehaven. The adult males listed their reason for sailing as "want of employment." Two were farmers, one a mason and one a laborer. Their ancestor was Richard, son of William McCaughtrie and Janet Dowell, who was baptized at

TIMES REMEMBERED

Allison Bennett



Whinne Hill, Scotland, on May 28, 1706.

Richard McCoughtry, aged 68, and his son John, born at Tanajad, Scotland, circa 1732, sailed away from Scotland together. John and his wife Mary had with them eight children, all born in Scotland. The family settled in America in the region around New Scotland, where their descendents still reside today on ancestral lands. Without doubt they heard of this New Scotland region from other relatives or friends who had come and settled there before them giving the name New Scotland to their little village. Over the years the name of McCaughtries evolved into the more simple spelling of Coughtry.



The Coughtry farmhouse as it looks today on Hilton Rd. in New Scotland.

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One of John and Mary's children, William, married Arriane Moak, the daughter of Jacob Moak, a soldier in the Revolution. Jacob Moak had a farm directly behind the New Scotland Presbyterian Church. It is their descendent, Howard C. Coughtry, who now resides on the McCoughtry property on what is now Hilton Rd. that was settled in the

18th century. Howard Coughtry has built a new residence on the family property, but he maintains his woodworking shop in the original frame house that was built a new residence on the family property, but he maintains his woodworking shop in the original frame house that was built about 200 years ago by the first settler, John Coughtry or his son Alexander Coughtry.

resided one wall, using the native pine lumber from his own acres, and realizes that he will soon have to do more work if the building is to be preserved. He feels very strongly that the building should be preserved and not restored. The little house is in such a pure state that he does not intend to do anything that would destroy its authenticity.

This quaint and picturesque little house has never been furnished with electricity or running water and is still in virtually a pristine state since its erection so long ago. The highest section of the house is the original cottage, built by an honest farmer to shelter his family from the elements. It has never been painted and is built from the native pine that abounded in the surrounding woods. The one-inch thick siding has so eroded in some places over the long span of years that parts of it are in great need of repair. Mr. Coughtry has already

Originally the house contained two small rooms with a sleeping loft above. The wide pine floor boards are still intact and the two main rooms have a wooden chair rail plastered into the wall. There is a hand split lath and the walls are covered with plaster bound together with animal hair. A room that served as a kitchen was added a few years later on the side of the building nearest the road, and a sloping roof covered an open porch on the original section. This porch was enclosed in later years to add more living space.

Mr. Coughtry remembers the

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A charcoal drawing of the Coughtry farmhouse and outbuildings, done by A.T. Bailey in 1882. A

previously unpublished, but very noteworthy, example of folk art.

hearty farm-style noontime meals served in that tiny kitchen. The porch room contained a simple wooden bench, upon which rested a bucket of water where the farmer and his helpers could wash up before entering a low wooden door to the kitchen.

In all of the rooms the exposed ceiling beams have been carefully smoothed and beaded by the builder. In the room that served as a parlor there is an early wooden mantel on the wall, but it was put there merely as a decorative accent. There was a central chimney that has been removed, when the house was heated by stoves, and Mr. Coughtry says he

has found no evidence of fireplaces. There is a small cellar beneath the original house and a spring within it that supplied water to the first settlers. In later years there was a well in the yard and all water for the house was carried from there.

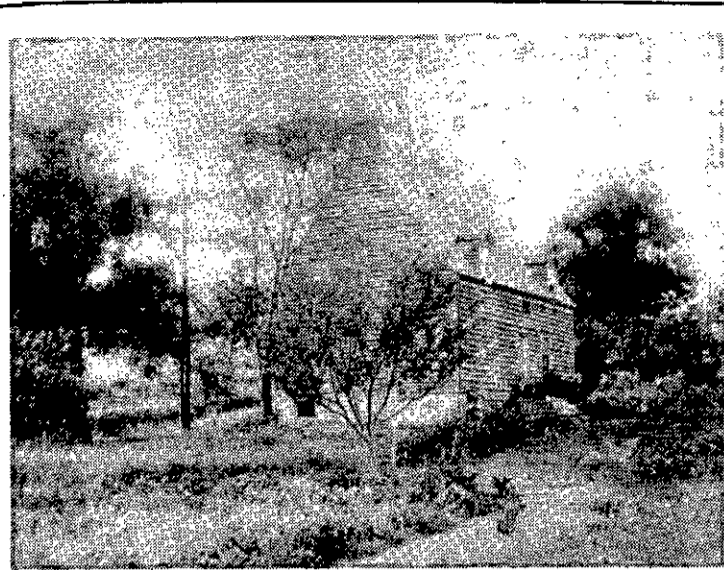
The outside privy is now gone,

but the huge lilac bushes attest to the desire of the farmer's wife for a bit of fragrance and beauty. The low and wide wooden front entrance door boasts long wrought iron strap hinges.

This precious little bit of Early Americana is treasured by the Coughtry family and is a

landmark for the Town of New Scotland. Howard Coughtry has given many years of community service as leader of a Boy Scout troop. Because of his appreciation of his heritage and also of the bounty of nature, he has posted a sign on the door of the little workshop-house, inviting any

who care to do so, to walk over his acres with care, and understanding and appreciation of nature and what it has to give to us with its beauty and tranquil peace. The little house has been a haven also for two hundred years, and a small treasure in the plastic world of today.



This Dutch Colonial farmhouse stood somewhere in Albany County, perhaps in the Clarksville area. If anyone has any remembrance or information about it, please contact Allison Bennett, care of *The Spotlight*.

Hockey registration

The Troy Academy Youth Hockey Association has announced registration dates and locations for skaters wishing to participate in the program for the 1986-87 season.

Registration will take place at the Albany Academy fieldhouse on Hackett Blvd. on Friday, Sept. 12, from 7 to 9 p.m., and again at the same location on Saturday, Sept. 13, from 9 a.m. to noon.

Skaters may also register at the RPI fieldhouse, Peobles Ave., Troy, during the same hours on Friday, Sept. 19, and Saturday, Sept. 20.

Registration is open to new and experienced skaters age four through seventeen. Games and practices are held at rinks located at RPI, Frear Park in Troy, Watervliet and Albany Academy.

Registration fees are \$50 for Termites (new skaters ages four through six), \$150 for Mites (ages six through nine), and \$160 for others. Players who participate in travelling teams will pay an additional fee.

For information call John Oliver at 235-8644.

Lord's Acre auction

The Lord's Acre auction, fair and chicken barbecue will be held at Trinity United Methodist Church, Rt. 143, Coeymans Hollow, on Saturday, Sept. 13. The fair will begin at 10 a.m., and the auction will begin at 1:30 p.m. The barbecue will be served from 4:30 to 7 p.m. Admission is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12.

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Chadwick issues uncommon

By Patricia Mitchell

Common areas in Chadwick Square could become a matter of interpretation when the Bethlehem Planning Board considers the final section of the development.

A public hearing will be held on the fourth and final section of the development off Wemple Rd. in Glenmont on Tuesday, Oct. 21, at 7:30 p.m.

The development was originally proposed with walking trails, bicycle paths and tot areas, but the board learned at their Tuesday, Sept. 2, meeting that most of those amenities had been removed. Common areas, including yards in between houses, and space on corner lots have also been modified.

Daniel Butler, of C.T. Male Associates, said the tot areas have been removed because there are no tots in the development. Walking trails and bicycle paths were originally proposed, but residents decided they didn't want

them. Butler said common areas were originally intended to mean the development's parks, swimming pool and tennis court.

Board member Neal Moylan said the board approved common areas around the buildings so residents in the middle of a townhouse unit would be able to move equipment around to their back yards.

"It was a part of this discussion on Chadwick," Moylan said.

Board member John LaForte said an amendment may be added to the planned residential development during the public hearing to keep the common areas of yards open for everyone's use.

"That is the first thing on the agenda, John," Moylan said.

Butler said common areas of Chadwick Square have been park areas. He suggested that the board check with the statement filed with the state attorney general on what constitutes a common area.

No common ground that was originally proposed exists, said Ruth Phillips of 35 Commonwealth Dr. in Chadwick Square. Living in the middle of a group of townhouses, she said to mow the backyard, she has to carry her lawn mower through the living room.

"We were misled," Phillips said. "I never heard one person say they didn't want paths."

Also missing from the development on the original mapping is spaces or alleys between the townhouses, Phillips said.

Building Inspector John Flanigan said the board only approves envelopes of townhouses. The developer can mix around the envelope as long as the dimensions or the number of units are not changed.

"We are always living within that envelope," Flanigan said.

At the June 25 meeting of the town board, Flanigan was given permission to approve decks at Chadwick Square and Eastmount developments. The developments were originally approved with patios instead of decks, but most were built with decks.

The Chadwick Square Park Association asked at the June 25 meeting to defer development of tot lots in the area because there are few children in the units.

The fourth section of Chadwick Square will add 61 townhouse units, bringing the total up to 211 units in the planned residential district.

In other planning board business, a pre-preliminary presentation for Patroon Village was tabled. The subdivision is proposed for off North St. and Hudson Ave. in Elmsere with four single-family units and 16 four-unit apartment buildings. Engineer Lindsay Boutelle said there are problems with a sanitary sewer and traffic in the area.

The planning board recently asked that a traffic study be commissioned by the town board between McCormack Rd. leading to the town's Normanskill border. The traffic study would aid in comprehensive planning in that area. However, that proposal has been tabled, and planning board members said they are anxious for action on it.

"This whole thing ties down with McCormack Rd. and New Scotland," said board chairman John Williamson. "We have asked the town board to do a traffic study. When are we going to get action on that? Should we just keep doing this piece by piece?"

The board took action on two other subdivisions. Preliminary approval was granted to the Quail Hollow subdivision on Glenmont

and Jolly roads. With about 70 lots, only two lots will have direct access to Glenmont Rd., a concern of the Bethlehem and Albany County planning boards. In granting preliminary approval, the board decided to overrule the Albany County board on its recommendation that no lots front on Glenmont Rd. A negative State Environmental Quality Review Act was declared on the subdivision, but the board noted that a soils report, particularly around the perimeter, will have to be completed.

Conditional final approval was granted to the Kilworth subdivision. Owned by D. Lee and Sharyn Miller, the five-lot subdivision is located on the rear of the lots on Liberty Court in Bicentennial Woods.

The planning board also:

- Set a public hearing for Tuesday, Oct. 7, at 7:30 p.m. for the proposed Windham Hill subdivision on Wemple Rd. and Bryn Mawr Dr. The 12-lot subdivision is proposed by Morache-Keneally Development Group, Inc.

- Tabled a site plan application on Murrin Dr. and Bender La. to extend the parking area to Murrin Dr.

Epilepsy workshops

The Epilepsy Association of the Capital District has announced a series of workshops to assist families whose lives are affected by epilepsy.

Beginning at 7 p.m., the first workshop will be held on Thursdays, Sept. 11, 18, and 25, at the Center for the Disabled on Manning Blvd. in Albany. A November series will be held at the Community Health Plan, 100 Latham at 7 p.m. on Mondays, Nov. 3, 10, and 17.

The workshop will cover issues related to epilepsy including the nature of the condition, medications used for treatment and legal, vocational and social concerns. After the workshop is completed, support services will be available for participants.

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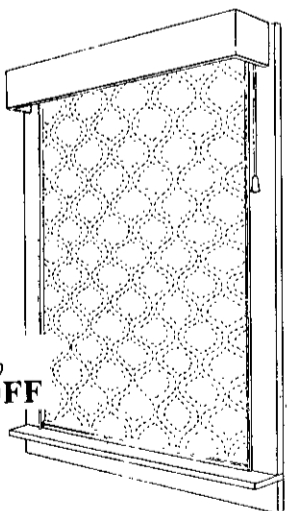
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Now that summer's over more (or less) formal wear may be in order, but patrons at the Handy Andy store at the Four Corners in Delmar still get a reminder of the store's dress code. R.H. Davis

Drive-through plan returns

Dan and Andrea Formica, owners of McDonald's of Delmar, 132 Delaware Ave., Delmar, have again applied to the Bethlehem Board of Appeals for permission to install a drive-through service window at their Delmar store. A public hearing has been scheduled for 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 17.

The owners of the McDonald's are requesting a use variance to permit construction of a speaker/menu board, new cash booth and drive-through booth at their Delmar store. After a lengthy hearing last year, the board of appeals rejected a similar application from the Formicas. The board concluded that the area of the site was insufficient to accommodate the proposed use.

"It's exactly the same proposal," said Bethlehem Building Inspector John Flanigan, following the meeting. Flanigan said an applicant may resubmit a proposal that has been rejected after waiting one year.

In other business, the board:

Smash and grab

A couple living above a Delaware Ave. liquor store were awakened to the sound of breaking glass at 2:45 a.m. Sunday, and when Bethlehem Police officers arrived on the scene four bottles of liquor were discovered missing.

The four bottles were taken from a window display at Fowler's Liquor Store, police said. The liquor is valued at \$35, and the broken window at \$350.

The couple told police they saw an unidentified person running down Groesbeck Pl. after the break-in.

- Scheduled a public hearing at 8:30 p.m. to consider Elaine Spear's application for a variance to permit an existing six-foot, rear-yard stockade fence at 488 Monroe Ave., Albany, Town of Bethlehem.

- Scheduled a public hearing at 8:45 p.m. to consider Mr. and Mrs. William T. Cunningham's application for a variance from the allowed percentage of lot occupancy to permit an addition to an attached garage at 11 Pinedale Ave., Delmar.

- Held a public hearing on George Philip Puthamana's application for a variance to permit construction of a four-unit apartment house on Feura Bush Road, southeast of the intersection with Rt. 9W. No action was taken.

- Held a public hearing on Wayne Van Wormer's application for a variance to permit the housing of landscape equipment and operation of a landscape business at the former gasoline and auto repair station, located near the corner of Cherry and

Delaware Aves. No action was taken.

- Held a public hearing to consider Leon W. Lussier's application for a special exception to permit a private kennel for housing up to eight or ten show dogs at RD 1, Lyons Rd., Cedar Hill, Selkirk. No action was taken.

- Held a public hearing to consider an application from Carolyn Brisky for a rear yard variance to permit construction of a six-foot fence at 22 Eton Dr., Slingerlands. No action was taken.

- Discussed an application from Paul Nelson and Joseph Painter for amendment of a special exception to permit fuel storage in excess of 15,000 gallons at Upstate Petrol Inc., Rt. 9W, Glenmont. No action was taken.

The next meeting of the Bethlehem Board of Appeals will be held at Bethlehem Town Hall on Wednesday, Sept. 17, beginning at 8 p.m.

Collides with the law

A Slingerlands woman and a Bethlehem Police officer received minor injuries last week after a vehicle driven by the Slingerlands woman struck the police officer's vehicle, police said.

J. L. Bockstahler, 69, of Slingerlands, was taken to St. Peter's Hospital for head pains following the collision and released later that day, a hospital spokesman said. Bethlehem Police Sgt. Joseph Sleurs, was taken to Albany Medical Center Hospital for back pains, and also released later that day, a hospital spokesman said.

Police said Bockstahler pulled out of a parking lot on Hallwood Rd. near Becker Terrace in Delmar at 10:20 a.m. Tuesday and pulled into the path of Sleurs' vehicle.

Bockstahler's vehicle received left front end damage, and the police vehicle received front end damage, according to police reports.

Bockstahler was ticketed for failure to yield the right of way following the incident, police said.

4 nabbed for pot

Four Delmar residents will appear in Bethlehem Town Court on Tuesday, Sept. 16, on misdemeanor charges of unlawful possession of marijuana, Bethlehem Police said.

One suspect, a 20-year old Delmar woman, was charged with two counts of criminal possession after police said they searched through her purse and found small bags of marijuana and cocaine. Other suspects are a 23-year old Delmar man, a 17-year old Delmar boy and a 16-year old Delmar boy, police said.

Police said they first observed the vehicle with the suspects when the vehicle was backing unsafely onto Hudson Ave.

A Bethlehem Police officer stopped the vehicle on suspicion of driving while intoxicated. Instead, police said they found a small bag of marijuana.

Attends arson course

Trooper James A. Trotta, stationed in Selkirk, attended the fire and arson investigation course conducted by the Office of Fire Prevention and Control at the state Academy of Fire Science in Montour Falls on Aug. 18 to 29.

The course was attended by both police and fire officers, and was designed to improve the capability of local officers in the investigation of fatalities following fires and suspected arson cases.

4 bikes taken

Bethlehem Police reported four bicycles were taken last week.

An Elsmere youth reported his bicycle was taken from his yard on Burhans Pl. at 2 p.m. Sunday, police said. The bicycle, valued at \$35, was discovered missing at about 12:30 a.m. that day.

At 6 p.m. Friday, a 10-speed boys-bicycle, valued at \$125, was discovered taken from an unlocked shed on Brookman Ave. in Elsmere, police said.

A boys bicycle was discovered missing from the front of the Kay Bee Toy Store in Delaware Plaza at 5 p.m. Friday, police said. The bicycle is valued at \$200.

A Delmar woman reported her bicycle was taken from the front racks of the Bethlehem Central High School between 7 a.m. and 2 p.m. Thursday. Police said it is a 10-speed boys bicycle with a chain lock, and is valued at \$190.



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Window broken

A front plate glass window at the empty Grand Union building in Voorheesville was discovered broken last week, Albany County sheriff's deputies reported. The broken window was discovered at 9:30 a.m. last Tuesday, and damage was estimated at about \$400.

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Mining law repealed

By Patricia Mitchell

The New Scotland Town Board has unanimously repealed a zoning amendment that allows mining in designated zones.

A public hearing on a proposed amendment at the Tall Timbers Country Club will continue, probably in the near future, said board attorney Fred Riester following last Wednesday's public hearing. Voorheesville Sand and Stone, doing business as William Larned and Son, applied for a special use permit to mine about 27 acres at the former country club in early 1985.

At the public hearing, the board repealed a May, 1984, amendment that allowed the removal of fill, gravel or soil in low density residential or industrial zones with a special use permit granted by the planning board.

About 35 people attended the public hearing, including Mayor Edward Clark and Trustee Daniel Reh of the Village of Voorheesville, and Chairman Richard Stickley and Annick Belleville of the planning board.

No one at the public hearing spoke for keeping the zoning ordinance on the books. The attorney for Concerned Citizens of New Scotland, a group opposed to the mine at the country club, and Clark spoke in favor of repealing it.

Attorney James Linnan and Clark read passages of a letter from Hans Klunder of New Hampshire. Clark wrote Klunder earlier this summer because Klunder was president and chief planner of the Environmental Consulting Group, Inc., during 1970 and 1971 when the firm prepared the master plan for New Scotland.

In the letter, dated Aug. 4, 1986, Klunder said the town is an area

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predominately oriented towards accomodating residential development.

"It was for this reason that 'soil mining' was not a permitted use, either in the Land Use discussions, or in the implementing zoning ordinance," Clark read from Klunder's letter. "This use was discussed and was not allowed for being in direct conflict with the desired residential growth for New Scotland and its hamlets and the Village of Voorheesville.

"I, too, would encourage you to repeal this provision in the law," Clark said.

Linnan interpreted Klunder's letter to say that the master plan didn't have the special use of mining when it was developed, and the 1984 amendment was a divergence from that plan.

"To allow a 'mining operation' would undermine the quality of New Scotland's residential environment, generally, and specifically the ones impacted, not to mention undermining the faith people have placed in zoning as a method of protecting property," Linnan read from Klunder's letter.

Mining is now permitted only in residential-forestry districts.

After the meeting, Bob Morrison, chairman of Concerned Citizens of New Scotland, a group opposed to the proposed Larned mine, said his group was pleased overall with the action.

"They basically went back to the law five years ago. We are very encouraged by that," Morrison said.

Concerned Citizens will wait and see what will happen next,

and Morrison said the group is still preparing its case for the public hearing.

In May, a public hearing on a special use permit to mine about 27 acres of the former Tall Timbers Country Club off Hilton Rd., was adjourned to a later date until more information on the effects of the mine could be gathered. Fred C. Hart Associates, Inc., of Albany, has been hired by the town to study the area of the proposed mine and possible effects on the groundwater.

A preliminary report from Hart Associates has been received, and Stickley, Riester and members of the water resource committee are expected to review the report. Once the final report is received, the planning board is expected to conclude the public hearing.

When the amendment to mine in low density residential and industrial districts was approved in May, 1984, two small-scale mines were proposed for operation, and the town needed a procedure to consider the mining applications.

Students honored

The Tawasentha Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, recently presented American history medals to Karen Rosewater, a student at Bethlehem Central High School, and Laura Martin, a student at Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School. Rosewater is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rosewater of Delmar. Martin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Martin of Slingerlands.

Eric Stilan of Bethlehem Central High School was presented with the Tawasentha Chapter's Henry Klein Memorial Award in recognition of leadership, character, service and scholarship.



On the first day of school at Voorheesville Elementary, new Assistant Principal John Tobiassen greets students. Lyn Staff

New bus passes

The Capital District Transportation Authority has introduced a new monthly pass program for existing and prospective bus patrons.

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The five-day monthly pass is priced at \$24 and the seven-day monthly pass is priced at \$30. Both passes are available at a number of sales outlets throughout the Capital District.

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Rabbi retires

On Aug. 31, Rabbi Hayyim Herman Kieval retired from the position of spiritual leader of Temple Israel-Kenesset Yisrael of Albany after 32 years of distinguished service to the congregation and to the Jewish community.

He was named Rabbi Emeritus, the first in the history of the largest and most influential Conservative synagogue in the Capital District. Rabbi Kieval came to Temple Israel in 1954, after four years as spiritual leader of Congregation Beth Shalom of Pittsburgh.

Rabbi and Mrs. Kieval plan to be moving within the next few months to Boston, where much of their immediate family is concentrated. Since the Rabbi will be continuing as a member of the faculty to Siena College, he and his wife expect to be visiting Albany frequently.

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Julie Ann Fortan, and her son, Bryce, are ready for Kids Club, the new after school program that began last week at the Voorheesville Elementary School. *Lyn Stapf*

Cook to aid planners

Robert Cook, chairman of the water resource commission, has been hired as a consultant to the New Scotland Planning Board.

He will be paid \$4,500 a year in his new position.

The New Scotland Town Board approved the appointment Wednesday on recommendation from the planning board.

Richard Stickley, chairman of the planning board, said the board asks Cook's advice from time to time on engineering and geology matters.

"He works with us so much that we felt he should be a paid consultant," Stickley said after the meeting. The planning board would ask Cook's advice "if we wanted to know about anything connected with water," Stickley said.

Stickley said that Cook has extensive experience in engineering, is a former planning board chairman, and was formerly with the state Department of Environmental Conservation. Cook still does consulting work on engineering, Stickley said.

Cook will maintain his position as chairman of the water resource commission. The commission was appointed by the town board, and is currently searching for water

supplies for parts of New Scotland.

In other town board action, \$91,487 was transferred from the Clarksville Water District account to the town's general fund. The amount repays money used for searching and testing a water supply for the hamlet.

After receiving grants and loans for \$1.8 million to fund the district, the town board met Friday, Aug. 26, to float \$1.4 million in bonds to begin construction of the district and the well site at the Weisenburn Farm on Rt. 32.

The town board also received a letter from the City of Albany that it will terminate its contract with surrounding municipalities, including New Scotland, that use the ANSWERS plant in five years.

New Scotland in the process of closing its landfill under state orders. Albany is exercising a clause in the original contract with the other municipalities to terminate the agreement in five years. The system, city officials have said, is losing money because much of the solid waste processed is landfilled instead of burned, and the economics of burning processed waste have changed.

Library referendum date set

By Patricia Mitchell and Lyn Stapf

With state approval out of the way, the Voorheesville Central Board of Education has set Thursday, Nov. 13, for a referendum on the proposed \$890,000 library building on Prospect St.

The school board set the date at their meeting Monday night at the request of the Voorheesville Library Board.

School board members voiced concern over their role in the library referendum and of the proposed Prospect St. site for the library, and voted five to two in favor of setting the referendum date.

"We don't have a choice on this, do we?" said school board member Joseph Fernandez.

Board members Steven Schreiber and David Teuten voted against setting the referendum date before district voters. Their vote, they said, was to protest against the process and the library site. Schreiber said, however, that no one wants a public library for Voorheesville more than he does.

Voting in favor of the referendum date were board members John McKenna, Peter Ten Eyck, Fernandez, Mary Van Ryn and John Zongrone.

The school board has said they will be held financially responsible for the project, but that they had no active role in the choice for a library site. At a presentation on the proposed library on Prospect St. in April by the library board, school board members requested a last look at various sites in the village, but the library board turned down their request in a push to get the referendum in front of the voters as soon as possible.

The school board is required to back the application to the state Education Department on the bond issue for the library.

Polls will be open at the Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School on Thursday, Nov. 13, from 2 to 9 p.m. A meeting on the project will be held at 1:45 p.m., before the vote.

The library board learned last week that the state Education Department has approved preliminary construction plans and project descriptions. Previously, the State Environmental Quality Review Act review of the project had been accepted with no adverse comments.

The board passed a resolution requesting that the school board proceed with its portion of the project, which includes setting a date for the referendum and the required public meeting prior to the vote. The school board must

also find a bonding agent for the project.

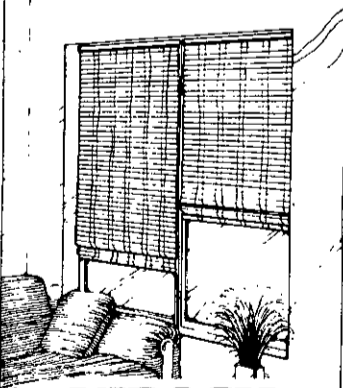
Meanwhile, the library is also working toward publicizing the upcoming vote. With the help of board members Jane Blessing and Mary Jane Ewart a group of citizens has formed to inform district residents about the project and the bond issue.

A detailed article concerning the history of the site selection process and other information on the new library will appear in *The Bookworm*, the library's newsletter, to be distributed later this month. Building Chairman Hugh McDonald said a detailed brochure is being prepared listing all the particulars, including the impact of the bond issue on property taxes. He also said he continues to be available to speak to any group on the project.

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Events in Bethlehem and New Scotland

Town of Bethlehem, Town Board second and fourth Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. Board of Appeals, first and third Wednesdays at 8 p.m. Planning Board, first and third Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m., Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave. Town offices are open 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Town of New Scotland, Town Board meets first Wednesday at 8 p.m., Planning Board second and fourth Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m., Board of Appeals meets when necessary, usually Fridays at 7 p.m. Town Hall, Rt. 85.

Village of Voorheesville, Board of Trustees, fourth Tuesdays at 8 p.m., Planning Commission, third Tuesday at 7 p.m., Zoning Board, second and fourth Tuesdays at 7 p.m. when agenda warrants, Village Hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave.

Bethlehem Board of Education meets first and third Wednesdays of each month at 8 p.m. at the Educational Services Center, 90 Adams Pl., Delmar.

Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Board of Education meets the first and third Mondays of each month at 8 p.m. at the board offices, Thatcher St., Selkirk.

Voorheesville Board of Education meets second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the district offices in the high school, Rt. 85A, Voorheesville.

Bethlehem Landfill open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Saturday, closed Sundays and holidays. Resident permit required; permits available at town hall, Elm Ave. Park office and town garage, Elm Ave. East.

LaLeche League of Delmar, meets one Thursday each month to share breast-feeding experiences, 8 p.m. For meeting schedule and breast-feeding information call 439-1774.

NEW SCOTLAND LANDFILL open 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays only. Resident permit required, permits available at town hall.

Food Pantry, Selkirk and South Bethlehem area. Bethlehem Reformed Church, Rt. 9W, Selkirk, call 767-2243, 436-8289 or 767-2977.

Project Hope, preventive program for adolescents and their families, satellite offices for Bethlehem-Coeymans, 767-2445.

Project Equinox, Delmar Satellite office, professional counseling for substance abuse problems, all contact confidential. By appointment, call 434-6135.

American Legion, meets first Mondays at Blanchard Post 1040, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, 8 p.m.

League of Women Voters, Bethlehem unit, meets monthly at the Bethlehem Public Library, 9:15 a.m. Babysitting available. For information, call Linda Marshall at 756-6421.

Welcome Wagon, newcomers and mothers of infants, call 785-9640 for a Welcome Wagon visit. Monday-Saturday 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

Bethlehem Youth Employment Service, Bethlehem Town Hall, Monday through Friday, 1-4:30 p.m. Call 439-2238.

Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Board of Education, meets first and third Mondays of each month at 8 p.m. at board offices, Thatcher St., Selkirk.

WEDNESDAY 10 SEPTEMBER

Red Men, adolsec Wednesday, St. Stephen's Church, Elsmere, 7:30 p.m.

New Scotland Democratic Social Club, all welcome, meets second Wednesdays at Meads Corners, Rt. 32, 8 p.m.

Bethlehem Elks Auxillary, meets at lodge, Rt. 144, Cedar Hill, second Wednesday of month.

New Scotland Elks Lodge, meets second and fourth Wednesdays, Voorheesville Post Office, 8 p.m.

Second Milers, meeting of organization for Tri-Village retirees, with Dr. Ian Porter speaking about on today and tomorrow at Albany Medical Center, First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, noon.

New Scotland Senior Citizens, meet every Wednesday, old schoolhouse, New Salem. Information, Martha Navilia at 439-4039.

Half Moon Button Club, program subject, "Dreams," Bethlehem Public Library, Delmar, noon.

Farmer's Market, area's only late afternoon farmer's market, open Wednesdays through harvest season, First United Methodist Church, 421 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 3-6 p.m. Information, 439-1450.

Bethlehem Senior Citizens, dinner at Red's Seafood Restaurant, pick-ups at 4 p.m., sign-up at Bethlehem Town Hall, room 110, or call 439-5770.

Tri-Village Welcome Wagon newcomers and new mothers are invited coffee at home of Pat Bush, 18 Sussex Rd., Glenmont, 10 a.m. Information, 439-4686.

Self-protection Workshop, for people of all ages and levels of fitness, led by Kate Willyard, Bethlehem Public Library, 7-9 p.m. Free; registration, 439-9314.

Bethlehem Garden Club, first meeting of season, with Phyllis Howell leading program about "Autumn Harvest," Bethlehem Town Hall, 1 p.m.

Glenmont Community Church, men's breakfast and study, 7 a.m.; prayer and hymn sing, 7 p.m. Information, 436-7710.

THURSDAY 11 SEPTEMBER

Bethlehem Community Center organization, informational meeting, Bethlehem Public Library, 7:30 p.m.

New Scotland Kiwanis Club, Thursdays, New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Rt. 85, 7 p.m.

Bethlehem Senior Citizens, meet every Thursday at Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m. Call 439-4258 for more information.

New Scotland Democratic Social Club, second Thursday, 8 p.m.

Delmar Fire Dept. Ladies Auxillary, regular meeting second Thursday of every month except August, at fire house, 8 p.m.

Bethlehem Memorial V.F.W. Post 3185, meets second Thursday of each month, post rooms, 404 Delaware Ave., Delmar. Information, 439-9836.

Elsmere Fire Company Auxillary, meets second Thursday of each month at firehouse, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, 8 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous, meeting every Thursday at First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 7 p.m.

Introduction to Square Dancing, sponsored by Silver Bullets Square Dance Club, Bethlehem Town Hall, Delmar, 7-9 p.m. Free; information, 439-3689.

Women's Bible Study, at Glenmont Community Church, 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont, 10 a.m. Information, 436-7710.

Book Discussion Group, will review *The River* and *A Circle in the Fire*, by Flannery O'Connor, Bethlehem Central High School, 7 p.m. Information, 439-4921.

Pen Pal Club, new members welcome, Bethlehem Public Library, 4 p.m. Registration, 439-9314.

"Grandparenting in the 80's," program for grandparents and grandchildren, Bethlehem Public Library, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

Dance, Silver Bullets Square Dance Club, two free nights of dancing, Sept. 11 and 18, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave, Delmar, 7-9 p.m.

Fall Meeting, Albany Area Retired Teachers' Association, Bethlehem Public Library, refreshments, 12:30 p.m.; meeting, 1 p.m.

FRIDAY 12 SEPTEMBER

Recovery, Inc., self-help for those with chronic help symptoms, First United Methodist, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

Youth Group Meetings, United Pentecostal Church, Rt. 85, New Salem, 7 p.m. Information, 765-4410.

Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by Bethlehem Community Church, 4:30-6:30 p.m. Reservations, 434-0818.

Blood Pressure Clinic, Brooks Drug Store, Delaware Plaza, Elsmere, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Free.

Farmer's Market, baking fresh home-grown produce, baked goods and homemade jams, St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Family Picnic, Glenmont Elementary School, 4:30-6:30 p.m. Information, 439-3650.

QUILT, Quilters United In Learning Together, meeting at First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

The Magic of a Campfire, (program) featuring environmental songs and tales of outdoors, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm, Rd., Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Free; information, 457-6092.

SATURDAY 13 SEPTEMBER

Registration, for Bethlehem Central School District continuing education program, Bethlehem Central High School auditorium, 9 a.m.-noon. Information 439-3650.

Chicken Barbecue, sponsored by New Scotland Kiwanis Club, at New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Rt. 85, \$3.75 and \$5.75 admission, 4-7:30 p.m. Take-out orders, 439-6454.

Grandparents' Gala, celebration in song, stories and film, for grandparents and grandchildren, Bethlehem Public Library, 1 p.m.

area arts

A capsule listing of cultural events easily accessible to Bethlehem-New Scotland residents, provided as a community service by the General Electric Co. plastics plant Selkirk.

THEATRE

"Pippin," musical, starring Ben Vereen, Proctor's Theatre, Schenectady, through Sept. 15 Tues. and Sat., 2 p.m.; Fri-Sat., 8 p.m.; Sun., 2 and 7 p.m. Tickets, 346-6204.

"My One and Only," musical, Woodstock Playhouse, Woodstock, Sept. 10-14, Wednesday-Saturday, 8:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7:30 p.m.; matinees, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 2 p.m. Information, (914) 679-2436.

"Evita," Woodstock Play House, Woodstock, Sept. 17-21, Wednesday-Saturday, 8:30 p.m.; Sunday, 7:30 p.m.; matinees, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 2 p.m. Information, (914) 679-2436.

MUSIC

Greatest Chamber Music, Page Hall, State University at Albany, 135 Western Ave., Sept. 14, 7 p.m.

Metropolitan Opera soprano, Aprile Millo, Siena College Music Series, Siena College, Loudonville, Sept. 14, 3 p.m.

ART

"Bitter Hope: From Holocaust to Haven," photographic exhibit, State Museum, Empire State Plaza, Albany, permanent exhibit.

"A Present from Pontypool," exhibit of floral painting, Museum of Historical Society of Early American Decoration, through September.

"From Music Halls to Movie Places," exhibit of theatre ephemera and artifacts, State Museum, Albany, through Sept. 14.

"Fire," traces events of day when fire destroyed western half of Capital, including State Library, Government Offices and State Museum in 1911, Fourth Floor Senate Corridor, State Capital, Albany, through Oct. 15.

"Under Observation," and "Separation in D Major," exhibits by James Charlton and Susan Edgar, Picotte Gallery, College of Saint Rose, 324 State St., Albany, through Sept. 28.

"Nature's Hold: 150 Years of Natural Science at the New York State Museum," State Museum, Empire State Plaza, Albany, through December.

"By Day/By Night: Four Photographers," talk with four photographers and their photo ideas, Schoharie County Arts Council, Cobleskill, through Sept. 26.

"Daniel Chester French and Chesterwood," exhibit of works by sculptor of "Minute Man" and "Abraham Lincoln," off Rt. 183, Stockbridge, Mass., through Oct. 31.

"The Iroquois Doll," exhibit at Schoharie Museum of the Iroquois Indian, through Oct. 31. Information, 295-8553.

17th and 18th Century housing and lifestyles can be seen at Bronk Museum, Coxsackie, Tuesdays through September, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

"Contemporary Sculpture at Chesterwood," Rte. 183, Stockbridge, Mass. through October 12. Information, (413) 298-3579.

"Hudson Valley Orientation," salute to Albany's Tricentennial, Museum of Historical Society of Early American Decoration, 19 Dove St., Albany, through October, Wednesday-Friday, 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.; Saturday, noon-3 p.m.

"Installation Zones," Harmanus Bleeker Center, 125 Washington Ave., Albany, through Oct. 4. Information, 463-4478.

"Saratoga: History and Horses," The Soave Gallery, Broadway, Saratoga Springs, through Sept. 27, 4-7 p.m.

"Landscape," exhibit by Eunice Agar, Greene County Council on the Arts Mt. Top Gallery, Main St., Windham, through Sept. 11, Wednesday-Sunday, 1-6 p.m.

Exhibit of ceramics and sculptures, by Andrew Roth, Hudson Valley Community College, Troy, through Sept. 13.

"Light Expressions," Vietnam Memorial Gallery, Empire State Plaza, through Oct. 8, 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

"Wings of A Dream, Paintings by Tzu-Kuey Sheu," Green County Council on the Arts Mt. Top Gallery, Main St., Windham, through Oct. 16. Information, 734-6770.

"Cycles," exhibit at Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave., Albany, Sept. 16-Nov. 1, Tuesday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

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Field Study, on "The Ecology of a Goldenrod Jungle," Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 2 p.m. Free; information, 457-6092.

Antique Fire Apparatus Muster, sponsored by Slingerlands Fire Dept., all welcome, Slingerlands Firehouse, New Scotland Rd., 1-4 p.m.

Community Garage Sale, Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware Turnpike, Unionville, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. \$8 space rentals. Information, 439-1617 or 767-2797.

50's and 60's Block Dance, sponsored by Selkirk No. 2 firehouse, rear of firehouse No. 2, Selkirk, \$10, 9 p.m.-midnight. Information, 462-1402.

Celebration, of "Burning of the Mortgage," Nathaniel Adams Blanchard Post 1040, Legion and Auxiliary members and special guests invited.

Craft, Garage and Bake Sale, Voorheesville Fire Department Auxiliary, firehouse on School Rd., Voorheesville, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Garage Sale, sponsored by Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance, Glenmont Firehouse Grove, 9 a.m.

SUNDAY 14
SEPTEMBER

Delmar Presbyterian Church, worship 9:30 a.m.

United Pentecostal Church, Sunday School and worship service, 10 a.m.; choir rehearsal, 5 p.m.; evening service, 6:45 p.m.; Rt. 85, New Salem. Information, 765-4410.

Delmar Reformed Church, church school and worship, nursery provided during worship, 386 Delaware Ave., 10 a.m. Information, 439-9929.

Bethlehem Historical Assn., "Toys of the Past Exhibit," Schoolhouse Museum, Rt. 144, Selkirk, through September, 2-5 p.m. Information, 436-8289.

Family Picnic, Bethlehem Central School District Home-School Association. Information, 439-3650.

Glenmont Community Church, Sunday worship service, 11 a.m.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Sunday school and Bible classes, 9:15 a.m.; family worship, 10:30 a.m.

Gold Rush, final part of Concert in Park series, Voorheesville Village Green, 7 p.m.

MONDAY 15
SEPTEMBER

Delmar Kiwanis, meet Mondays at the Starlite Restaurant, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6:15 p.m.

Al-Anon Group, support for relatives of alcoholics, meets Mondays at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar, 8:30-9:30 p.m. Information, 439-4581.

Temple Chapter 5 RAM, first and third Mondays, Delmar Masonic Temple.

Bethlehem Memorial Auxiliary Post 3185, VFW, third Monday, Post rooms, 404 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

Quartet Rehearsal, United Pentecostal Church, Rt. 85, New Salem, 7:15 p.m. Information, 765-4410.

Bible Study, Glenmont Community Church, 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont, 7 p.m.

Selkirk Fire District Commissioners, meeting at Selkirk Firehouse 1, Maple Ave., Selkirk, 7:30 p.m.

Slingerlands PTA, meeting at Slingerlands Elementary School, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-3650.

Middle School Parent-Faculty Organization, meeting at Bethlehem Middle School, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-3650.

Storyhour Registration, at Bethlehem Public Library, 1 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

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TUESDAY 16
SEPTEMBER

Delmar Rotary, meets Tuesdays at Starlite Restaurant, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6 p.m.

AARP, third Tuesday, First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

Medicare Form Aid, sponsored by AARP, first and third Tuesdays, Bethlehem Town Hall, Delmar, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Appointments required, 439-2160.

Bethlehem Lodge 1096 F&AM first and third Tuesdays, Delmar Masonic Temple.

Elsmere PTA, meeting at Elsmere Elementary School. Information, 439-3650.

Farmyard Fun for Toddlers, children under 3 and their parents may listen to stories and sing songs about the farm, Bethlehem Public Library, 10 a.m. Registration, 439-9314.

Parent's Time Out, meeting at Glenmont Community Church, 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont, 10:30 a.m. Information, 438-7710.

Tri-Village Welcome Wagon, luncheon at Albany County Club, Rt. 85A, Voorheesville, noon. Reservations, 439-8564; child care information, 439-3669.

Field Study, on "The Ecology of a Goldenrod Jungle," Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, 9 a.m. Free; information, 457-6092.

Parent's Night, Voorheesville Elementary School, grade two, 7 p.m.

Auxiliary Meeting, Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Auxiliary Post 1040, first meeting of season, covered dish supper, bring food and place settings, no deserts, 7 p.m.

Blood Pressure Clinic, Bethlehem Town Hall, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. and 7-8 p.m.

Life in Chile, Father Joseph Soletta tells of his experiences in Chile, St. Thomas Rectory, Lower Level, 35 Adams Place, Delmar, 7:30 p.m.

Meeting, Multiple Sclerosis Support Group of Albany-Rensselaer Counties, Bethlehem Public Library, 2 p.m.

Inside Your Schools, Adams-Russell Cablevision, channel 24 in Albany County, Tuesdays, 3:30 p.m.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Confirmation Classes begin, grades 7-10, 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY 17
SEPTEMBER

Glenmont Homemakers, third Wednesday, Selkirk Fire House No. 2, Glenmont Rd., 8 p.m.

Bethlehem Lions Club, meets first and third Wednesday of month, Starlite Restaurant, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 7 p.m.

Bethlehem Elks Lodge 2233 meets at lodge, Rt. 144 Cedar Hill, 8 p.m. first and third Wednesdays.

Onesquethaw Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, first and third Wednesdays at Masonic Temple, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 8 p.m.

Delmar Fire District, regular meetings third Wednesdays, Delmar Fire Station, 7:30 p.m.

New Scotland Senior Citizens, every Wednesday, old schoolhouse, New Salem. Information, Martha Navilia at 439-4039.

Farmer's Market, area's only late afternoon farmer's market until harvest ends, First United Methodist Church, 421 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 3-6 p.m. Information, 439-1450.

Slides and Lecture, about changes that affect People's Republic of China, presented by Morag Stauffer, all welcome, Bethlehem Public Library, 7:30 p.m. Free; information, 439-9314.

School Picnic, Slingerlands Elementary School. Information, 439-3650.

Glenmont Community Church, men's breakfast and study, 7 a.m.; prayer and hymn sing, 7 p.m. Information, 436-7710.

BOCES Proposal, to purchase Maywood School for \$1.335 million, for use with handicapped students, polls will be located at Bethlehem Middle School, Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk High School and Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School, Voorheesville, noon-9 p.m.

Parent's Night, Voorheesville Elementary School, grade 3, 7 p.m.

THURSDAY 18
SEPTEMBER

New Scotland Kiwanis Club, Thursdays, New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Rt. 85, 7 p.m.

Bethlehem Senior Citizens, meet every Thursday at Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

Bethlehem Archaeology Group, provides regular volunteers with excavation and laboratory experience at Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday meetings. Information, 439-4258.

American Legion Luncheons, for members, guests and applicants for membership. Post Rooms, Poplar Dr., Elsmere, third Thursday, noon.

Food Stamp Form Aid, third Thursday of odd-numbered months, Bethlehem Town Hall, Delmar, 9:15 a.m.-noon. Appointments required, 439-4955.

Overeaters Anonymous, meeting every Thursday at First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 7 p.m.

Silver Bullets Square Dance Club, mainstream class, 7 p.m., workshop, 9 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Delmar. Information, 439-3689.

Religious Program, Women's Bible Study, Glenmont Community Church, 10 a.m.

Orientation, for Slingerlands School District volunteers, 9:30 a.m.

55 Alive Driving Course, for defensive driving, Bethlehem Town Hall. Reservations, 439-3913.

Bethlehem Historical Association, slide program on Holland by Allison Bennett, Schoolhouse Museum, Rt. 144 and Clapper Road, Selkirk, 8 p.m.

Senior Citizens, distribution of cheese and commodities, Town Hall, room 106, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.; Information, 439-4955.

Meeting, Albany County Audubon Society first meeting of season, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Road, Delmar, 8 p.m.

Business After Hours, sponsored by Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce, Del Lanes Lounge, Normanskill Blvd., Delmar, 5-6:30 p.m.

Albany County League of Woman Voters, on poverty and its resulting problems, Bethlehem Public Library, public invited, 9:15 a.m. Babysitting reservations and information, 439-2550.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Bible Study, 10 a.m.

Parent's Night, Voorheesville Elementary School, grade 1, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY 19
SEPTEMBER

Recovery, Inc., self-help for those with chronic nervous symptoms. First United Methodist, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 12:30 p.m.

Youth Group Meetings, United Pentecostal Church, Rt. 85, New Salem, 7 p.m. Information, 439-4410.

Bethlehem Public Library, "Rub a Dub Dub - Let's Have Fun in the Tub," program for pre-schoolers 3 and over, stories and songs, 1:30 p.m.

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WEDNESDAY 10
SEPTEMBER

FRIDAY 12
SEPTEMBER

SUNDAY 14
SEPTEMBER

Job Search Support System, developed by Sage Associates, Albany Public Library, 161 Washington Ave., Albany, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Information, 449-3380.

National Foundation for Ileitis and Colitis, support meeting at St. Peter's Hospital, Cusack Auditorium, New Scotland Ave., Albany, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Information, 458-2517 or 439-6976.

Evening Party at Plaza, featuring Barbara Thomas in 1986 fall fashions, sponsored by Standard Furniture Company, Empire State Plaza, Albany, 6-9:30 p.m.

Farmer's Market, outdoors at Empire State Plaza, Albany, 11:15 a.m.-2 p.m. Free.

Blood Pressure Clinic, Delaware Ave. Price Chopper, Albany, 10 a.m.-noon.

Viennese Weekend, Mountain Brauhaus, Winter Clove Rd., Round Top. Information, 622-3751.

Finding Our Place: A Celebration of the Hudson River Valley, Omega Institute, Rhinebeck, through Sept. 14. Information, (914) 266-4301.

Covered Dish Supper, for Christian singles over 25, music by Jews for Jesus, Loudonville Community Church, 6:30 p.m.

September Meeting, Albany Amateur Radio Association, Albany Red Cross Center, Hackett Blvd. and Clara Barton Drive, Albany, 8 p.m.

Auditions, for ballet workshop and jazz company, hosted by Guilderland Youth Commission Classical Ballet Program, Farnsworth Middle School, State Farm Rd., Guilderland, registration, 4-5 p.m., auditions, 5-6:30 p.m.

Fourth Annual Hispanic Heritage Day, day of Hispanic foods, culture, crafts, history and entertainment, Empire State Plaza Plaza North Lobby, between LOB, Capital and Justice buildings, noon-9 p.m.

S.J. Willis Stamp Show and Sale, Empire State Plaza, Meeting Room 6, 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

"Historic Albany: Its Churches and Synagogues", tour of Cathedral of Immaculate Conception, Eagle St. and Madison Ave., Albany, 1 p.m.

Run for Youth, Rotterdam Boys Club, two and a half mile fun run and five mile race, Rotterdam Industrial Park, Rt. 7, Duanesburg Rd., Rotterdam, \$5, 10:45 a.m. Information, 356-4246.

Multiple Sclerosis Support Group, learning how to accept what you can't do, MS Chapter office, 421 New Karner Road, Shaker Park West, Albany, 3 p.m.

Blood Mobile, Regional Blood Center, Hackett Blvd., Albany, 3-7 p.m.

THURSDAY 11
SEPTEMBER

SATURDAY 13
SEPTEMBER

SHARE, support group for parents who have experienced newborn death, miscarriage or stillbirth, Board Room, St. Peter's Hospital, South Manning Blvd. entrance, 7:30 p.m.

Farmers Market, fresh fruits and vegetables for sale, across from Main Post Office, Pine St., Albany, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Concerned Friends of Hope House, support group for parents of substance abusers, in back of Christ Lutheran Church, 1500 Western Ave., Albany, 7:30-10 p.m.

The Chinese Community in Albany, slide talk, Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave., Albany, 12:10 p.m.

Workshop, on prevention of crime, awareness, assertive behavior and simple effective lifesaving techniques, YWCA, Troy, 7-9 p.m.

Transition Awareness Process, workshop on participatory management experience, Quality Inn, Watervliet Ave., Albany, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Volunteer Training, for those interested in being blood mobile volunteers, Albany Chapter House, Hackett Blvd., Albany, 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Investment Workshop, for people looking for Certificate of Deposit alternatives and want to invest money in other ways, YWCA, 28 Colvin Ave., Albany, 7-8:30 p.m.

Religious Program, Grace 'N Vessels of Christ Ministries Service, Empire State Plaza Convention Center, 7:30-11:30 p.m.

Farmers Market, fresh grown fruits and vegetables, homemade crafts, parking lot of First Congregational Church, 405 Quail St., Albany, 9 a.m.-noon.

Auditions, for local professional and non-professional actors and singers, Troy Music Hall, Remsen St., Cohoes, noon-5 p.m. Information, 235-7969.

anchors Aweigh Dinner Dance, to benefit Northeastern Association of the Blind, Albany Hilton Hotel, Albany, 6:30 p.m. Information, 463-1211.

Tricentennial Neighborhood Olympics, various races and competitions, trophies. Information, 434-5252.

Lord's Acre Auction, includes fair and chicken barbecue, Trinity United Methodist Church, Rt. 143, Coeymans Hollow, booths open at 10 a.m.; auction, 1:30 p.m. and barbecue from 4:30-7 p.m., \$6 for adults, \$3 for children.

Birding Field Trip, day trip to see migrating hawks in Heidebergs, bring bag lunch, Key Bank, Star Plaza Shopping Center parking lot at intersection of Rts. 20 and 155, 8:30 a.m.

MONDAY 15
SEPTEMBER

Audition, for Albany Pro Musica, Capital District choir, Room B-78, Performing Arts Center at SUNYA Campus, 6:30-7:15 p.m. Information, 442-4167.

Workshop, on prevention of crime, awareness, assertive behavior and simple effective lifesaving techniques, Colonie Library, Colonie, 7-9 p.m.

Literacy Volunteers of America, offers workshops for persons willing to tutor students in basic reading and English as a Second Language, Albany Public Library, 161 Washington Ave., Albany. Registration, 449-3380.

Workshop, Playing by the Rules: Ethical Considerations for Museums and Historical Organizations, designed for museum, historical society, library and cultural organization board members and staff, Federation of Historical Services, 189 Second St., Troy, \$15, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Older Women's League Meeting, slide show and refreshments, public invited, Colonie Public Library, 7-9 p.m.



Ruth Pelham will appear at the Eighth Step Coffee House, State and Willett streets in Albany, at 8 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 20. A celebration for the release of her new album, "Look to the People," the concert will benefit the Music Mobile.

Steak Roast, held by Town of New Scotland Republican Committee, Picard's Grove, New Salem, \$30, 1-9 p.m. Reservations, 765-2809 or 765-2588.

Glenmont Community Church, Venture Churches Fellowship Dinner, 6 p.m.

Bethlehem Public Library, "Independent Publishing in America and Freedom of the Press," featuring Joe Brunchac, 7:30 p.m.

Embroiderers' Guild Meeting, to welcome new members and provide mini-workshop on embroidered name tags, First United Methodist Church, Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 10 a.m.

Educator's Open House, tour of center and discussion on how to get as much out of Five Rivers as possible, Five Rivers Environmental Center, Game Farm Road, Delmar, 7 p.m.

Glenmont Community Church, Parent's Time Out, 10:30 a.m.

MONDAY 22
SEPTEMBER

Open House, Glenmont School, 7 p.m.

Microwave Cooking, demonstration of food preparation in two types of microwaves, William Rice Extension Center, Martin Road, Voorheesville, \$4. Registration, 765-3550.

Bethlehem Channel, "The Job Board," 5 p.m.; "To Your Health: Racquetball," 5:30 p.m.; "A Children's Storytime," 6:30 p.m.; "Carte Blanche Mime Theatre," 7 p.m.; "Astrology: Libra," 8 p.m.; "Hudson-Mohawk Journal," 8:30 p.m.

Bethlehem Public Library, Health Series, "Signs and Risks of Heart Attacks," with Mary Ellen Rafferty, RN, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY 23
SEPTEMBER

Delmar Rotary, meets Tuesdays at Starlite Restaurant, Rt. 9W, Glenmont, 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY 24
SEPTEMBER

Farmer's Market, area's only late afternoon farmer's market, open Wednesdays through harvest season, First United Methodist Church, 421 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 3-6 p.m. Information, 439-1450.

Lecture, "Fall Garden Clean-up," sponsored by Albany County Cooperative Extension, Bethlehem Public Library, 7:30 p.m. Register, 765-3510.

Bethlehem Channel, "To Your Health: The Older Generation," 4:30 p.m.; "Astrology: Libra," 5 p.m.; "The Job Board," 5:30 p.m.; "Capital Close-up," 6 p.m.; "To Your Health: Racquetball," 7 p.m.; "Birdnest Identification," 8 p.m.; "Understanding Economics: The Real Value Makers," 8:30 p.m.

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Former Smokers, support group sponsored by American Lung Association, American Lung Association building, 8 Mountain View Ave., Albany, 7-8 p.m. Information, 459-4197.

Fibrositis Support Group, on how to conserve muscle energy, St. Peter's Hospital, Staff Dining Room A, Manning Blvd. entrance, 7:30 p.m.

Snow White on Ice, skating performance by Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs, Glens Falls Civic Center, Sept. 16-21. Information, 798-0202.

Dinner Meeting, Cash Management Association of the Capital District, Century House Latham. Information, 471-5330.

Garden Lecture, on dividing perennials, Albany Public Library, 12:10 p.m.

Blood Mobile, Regional Blood Center, Hackett Blvd., Albany, 3-7 p.m.

Seminar, "Legal Issues in Divorce," presented by Timothy M. Tippins, Esq., Hudson Valley Community College, 7-9:30 p.m.

The world premiere of a Broadway-bound historical drama will open Capital Repertory Company's 6-play, 1986-87 season. Producing Directors Bruce Bouchard and Peter H. Clough noted that the second consecutive year, Cap Rep will be one of a handful of theaters across the nation that will present a season in which half of the season's plays will be world premieres. Also, for the first time Capital Rep will embark on a co-production with other regional theaters. And for the first time the theatre's budget is projected to hit the \$1,000,000 mark.

"This is no small accomplishment for a theater which just five and a half years ago opened its first season of four plays at the Market Theatre with a budget of \$175,000," declared Bouchard.

"Our subscribers have adopted the logic that they are buying a season of work, not individual titles," continued Clough. "We appreciate and applaud our audience."

Opening with the world premiere of Granville Burgess' historical drama *Dusky Sally*, the season will continue with a second world premiere, the romantic comedy *Community Property* by Dalene Young; a four-theatre co-production of Arthur Miller's *A View From The Bridge*; Charles Ludlam's funny Off Broadway hit, *The Mystery of Irma Vep* (a penny dreadful); and a third world premiere, the engagingly offbeat comedy/drama by Gram Slaton, *Jupiter and Elsewhere*.

Closing the season will be Neil Simon's award-winning comedy *Brighton Beach Memoirs*.

The 186-performance season, which opens Oct. 18 and runs through May 17, will again be at the Market Theatre in downtown Albany's newly created Theatre Arts District.

Set against the contrasting backdrops of Colonial Virginia and pre-revolutionary France, Granville Burgess' *Dusky Sally*, is a stunning romantic drama that explores the passionate affair of Thomas Jefferson and his slave, Sally Hemings.

Opening October 18 and continuing through November 16, the drama also takes a fascinating look at race relations in the early days of our country's history.

Dusky Sally first came to the attention of Capital Rep when it was submitted to the theatre via the 1985 FDG/CBS New Plays Program, in which playwright Burgess was chosen by Capital Rep to receive a runner-up award. *Dusky Sally* as considered for premieres by New York's WPA Theatre, and Vermont's Dorset Theatre Festival, and a premiere was scheduled by the Cincinnati Playhouse in the Park, but was withdrawn when that theatre underwent a change of artistic leadership.

Subsequently, Capital Rep met with Burgess, and director/designer Jack Chandler and proposed that *Dusky Sally* premiere in Albany.

According to Bouchard and Clough, New York producers will stage *Dusky Sally* on Broadway later in the 1986-87 season. The producers are considering a subsequent regional production and a commercial tryout prior to the Broadway opening.

Granville Burgess is also the author of *The Freak*, a play about Edgar Cayce which enjoyed a successful run at the WPA Theatre and San Diego's Old Globe Theatre.

Each play in the 1986-87 season will run 4 1/2 weeks. Performances will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesdays through Fridays and opening nights, 4:30 and 9 p.m. Saturdays, and 2:30 p.m. Sundays. This schedule is the same as in the previous two seasons.

The theater is currently winding down the renewal portion of its subscription campaign, and will launch the new subscription campaign next week. The goal for the 1986-87 season drive is 4,350 subscribers, a projected increase of about 13 percent over last season's total of 3,851.

Subscription prices until October 1 range from \$64.50 to \$87.00 in the center, and \$54 to \$76.50 in the side section. Senior citizens and students are offered lower subscription rates for many series.

Until Oct. 1 the subscription rates enable subscribers to see six plays for the price of five. After Oct. 1 the subscription rates will go up.

For information about the

New season at Cohoes

Heritage Artists, Ltd., will open their season with the regional premiere of "Strider," on Thursday, Oct. 23.

The curtains will lift at the Cohoes Music Hall in Cohoes at 8 p.m.

Other performances for the season include, "Little Shop of Horrors," opening on Thursday, Nov. 27, "I'm Getting My Act Together and Taking it on the Road," opening on Thursday, Jan. 15, "Yours, Anne," opening on Thursday, Feb. 19, "Working," opening on Thursday, March 26, and an unannounced final show opening on Thursday, April 30.

Symphonic tribute

The Albany Symphony Orchestra will be in tune with Albany's birthday when it opens its new season Friday, Sept. 26, at the Troy Music Hall.

The orchestra will move over to the Palace Theatre in Albany on Saturday, Sept. 27. Both concerts will begin at 8 p.m.

Debuting at the 56th season of the orchestra will be Symphony No. 3 "The Tricentennial," a commissioned piece by composer Lester Trimble in honor of Albany's Tricentennial. Other works on the program include a tone program written by John Carabella, the orchestra's founder, entitled "Albany," a tribute to the city's 250 birthday.

An Evening of Classical Music, Empire State Outdoor Plaza, Albany, 7:30-9:30 p.m.

Business After Hours, Turf Inn, 205 Wolf Road, Albany, 5-6:30 p.m.

Data Communications Environment Trends, discussion with Morton S. Davis, Albany Marriott Hotel, 6 p.m.

Literacy Volunteers of America, offers workshops for persons willing to tutor students in basic reading and English as a second language, Albany Public Library, 161 Washington Ave., Albany. Information 449-3380.

First Meeting, Albany Branch of the American Association of University Women, Mayor Thomas Whalen will open meeting, Marriott Hotel, Wolf Rd., Albany, 6 p.m., dinner at 6:15 p.m.

Bicentennial Celebration, of signing of United States Constitution, with tour of Peebles Island, Sassy Swede Restaurant, 5 Bridge St., Cohoes, 11 a.m.

21 Year Celebration, Woman's Press Club of New York State, Inc., Channel 10 Studios, 431 Northern Blvd., Albany, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Minerva Committee of Union College Lecture, featuring Pat Riley, head coach of L.A. Lakers, graduate of Linton High School, 11:30 p.m.

Senior Aid, two foot screenings to help seniors stay on their feet, Westview Senior Service Center, 680 Central Ave., Albany, 10 a.m.-noon.

National Hispanic Heritage Week, with guest speaker Olga Mendez, first Puerto Rican woman to be elected to any state legislature on mainland, Roger Bacon Hall 202, Siena College, 7:30 p.m.

Rehearsals begin

The Mendelssohn Club of Albany begins its 78th concert season by rehearsing on Wednesdays at 7:45 p.m. at the United Fourth Presbyterian Church, Western Avenue at Rt. 85. Interested tenors and bases are welcome to sit in and sing along with the men of Mendelssohn on Wednesdays, through Oct. 1, and meet with membership chairman and vice president Bill Carmello. Harold Bauer and Drew Mills will be available to discuss audition procedures. Auditions will be held on Oct. 8 at 7:00 p.m.

The Club will be rehearsing for the two major subscription concerts held at Chancellor's Hall and several benefit concerts. Music ranges from contemporary to classical, folk, spiritual and show tunes. The Mendelssohn Club, the oldest performing arts group in the Capital District performs under the baton of Myron E. Hermance and is accompanied by Stan Muraski.

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Chicken barbecue

The Kiwanis Club of New Scotland invites everyone to their chicken barbecue, to be held this Saturday, Sept. 13, from 4 to 7:30 p.m., at the New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Rt. 85, New Scotland Rd.

Dinner will include chicken prepared by Brookes of Oneonta. Proceeds from the event will go to support activities sponsored by the Kiwanis Club, including youth soccer, baseball and softball, pee wee wrestling, monthly blood pressure clinics, a children's Halloween party, holiday food baskets, summer band concerts, the Human Concerns Committee, the Albany County Emergency Food Task Force, the New Scotland Substance Abuse Task

Force and the Clayton A. Bouton Junior-Senior High School Key Club.

Tickets are available from any Kiwanis Club member or at the door. Admission is \$5.75 for adults and \$3.75 for children under 12. Take-out orders may be placed by calling 439-6454, after 4 p.m. on Saturday.

Elementary school open house

Now that students are back to school, their parents will also be given a chance to return to the classroom. Parents will have an opportunity to find out what their children will be learning this year during open house sessions, scheduled from Sept. 16 through Oct. 22.

On five separate evenings,

parents of elementary school students will be welcomed by faculty members and administrators who will offer information about programs and curriculum. The programs will include presentations by teachers of special area subjects, such as music, art, library and physical education.

Open house sessions have been scheduled on Tuesday, Sept. 16, for grades 2 and 4; on Wednesday, Sept. 17, for grades 3 and 6, and on Thursday, Sept. 18, for grades 1 and 5. On Wednesday, Sept. 24, parents who have children in kindergarten will meet at 7 p.m., and parents of children who attend classes in the learning lab or resource room will meet at 7:30 p.m. Parents of children in the gifted and talented program will meet on Wednesday, Oct. 1.

Open house programs for parents of students at the junior-senior-high school will be held on Thursday, Oct. 16, for grades 9 through 12 and Wednesday, Oct. 22, for grades 7 and 8.

A special information program for parents of high school students who are enrolled in supervised mathematics, supervised reading, supervised writing, special learning and speech, or language development will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 18, at the junior-senior high school.

The meeting, which will be held in the library, will feature presentations by Philip Davis, PSEN writing coordinator; Sally Dobris, PSEN math coordinator; Laurie Lysenko, school psychologist; and Linda Wolkenbreit, PSEN reading coordinator.

After a brief discussion of the various programs, parents will have an opportunity to ask questions. The education professionals will offer information about how each student may best be helped at home. For information call Wolkenbreit at 765-3314.

Sale at firehouse

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Voorheesville Fire Department will sell crafts and baked goods during a garage sale scheduled for this Saturday, Sept. 13, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. The sale will be held at the Voorheesville Firehouse on Altamont Rd. in Voorheesville. All are welcome.

Proceeds from the fund raiser will be used when Voorheesville hosts the 1987 Albany County Fire Convention.

End of summer concert season

The concert in the park series, sponsored by the Village of Voorheesville, will officially close this Sunday, Sept. 14, after Gold Rush presents an evening of music from the 50's and 60's. The free concert, which begins at 7 p.m., will be held in the park behind the Voorheesville Village Hall. All are welcome.

Continuing ed registration

For those who missed the registration sessions held this week, there is still time to sign up for the Voorheesville Central School District continuing education courses by mail. According to program director Jim Hladun, mail registration will continue until Sept. 15. Applications, along with the registration fee, may be sent in care of the continuing education program to the high school. Many of the classes will begin during the week of Sept. 15.

Brochures may be obtained by calling the high school at 765-3314.

Ladies of legion meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Voorheesville American Legion will hold its first meeting of the year on Thursday, Sept. 11. The dinner meeting will begin at 7 p.m. at the Chariot Restaurant in Guiderland.

CCD registration closes

This week is the last week of

registration for CCD classes at St. Matthew's Church. Parents who do not register their children in grades N through 12 after Mass this weekend must sign up through Father Toole. For information call Mary McKenna at 765-4826 or Lyn Stapf at 765-2451.

Cub registration

Voorheesville Cub Scout Pack 73 will hold registration for new boys on Thursday, Sept. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the high school. According to Cub Master Bob Panthen, the date is set council-wide to sign up new scouts. All boys in second through fifth grade are welcome to join. Those boys who participated in the Tiger Cub program last year must re-register at this time.

Weeding out

The Voorheesville Public Library is continuing the weeding out process for the book sale scheduled for Sept. 27 and 28. The sale will be conducted on the front lawn of the library and rain dates of Oct. 4 and 5 have been set.

All are invited to take advantage of the low prices on books and albums. Also, a fine-free day will be held on the Saturday of the sale.

Fall programs planned at Heldeberg Workshop

A fall nature walk is one of the features of the Heldeberg Workshop's fall program on Saturday, Sept. 20.

Beginning at 10 a.m., and open to pre-schoolers to adults, the nature walk will cover the workshop's forests and orchards in their fall colors.

Rain date for the fall program will be Sunday, Sept. 21.

Other courses at the Heldeberg Workshop's fall program will be introduction to caving at the Clarksville caves for age four to adult; an introduction to making miniatures for ages three to adult; fun with clay for grades four and up; and introduction to maps and map making for grades seven and up.

For information, phone Michael Nardacci, fall program chairman, at 482-9121.

Defensive driving

The Safety and Health Council, 875 Central Ave., Albany, will hold a two-part Defensive Driving Course on Thursday, Sept. 11 and 18, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Upon completion of both sessions, students will receive a 10 percent discount on their automobile liability insurance premium for a three-year period and a three-point reduction of traffic violations incurred in the past 18 months.

To register or obtain information, call the Safety and Health Council at 438-2365.

Conference on aging

"Movement and aging" will be the theme for this year's Fitness After Fifty workshop conference at the Rensselaerville Institute in Rensselaerville.

Sponsored by the Center for the Study of Aging in Albany, the conference will be held Friday to Sunday, Sept. 26 to 27.

National authorities will present news in research and practice techniques on exercise, movement and dance therapy.

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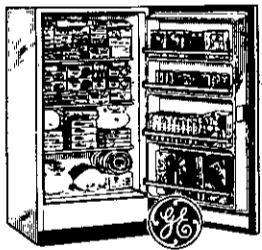
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RCS to study impact of enrollment growth

By Patricia Mitchell

The possibility that growing enrollments could impact on the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk School District has prompted a study of population trends and future building needs.

At their, Tuesday, Sept. 2, meeting, the board of education asked Superintendent William Schwartz to form the committee to study population trends in relation to present facilities and future needs and to report their findings to the board. Board members were concerned that the housing starts could impact more on enrollments as early as next year.

"It looks like there is a great deal of housing starts," Schwartz said after the meeting. "It looks like our enrollment has grown this year."

Schwartz said he hopes the committee can come up with some alternatives next year.

Schwartz said enrollment has increased about 40 to 50 students over last year's 2,450 enrollment. In the last 10 years, student enrollment has been on the decline.

"We did not anticipate this," Schwartz said.

The increased enrollment also prompted the school board to add an extra half-time kindergarten section. This will keep kindergarten classes to the desired 20 or 21 students.

The committee will be made up

of anyone from the board, district personnel or the community interested in serving.

"I have some thoughts in my mind about possibilities," Schwartz said.

In other RCS school board action, the board agreed to send a letter to City of Albany officials requesting talks on a bill signed by Gov. Mario Cuomo that gives a tax-exempt status to water properties located outside city boundaries.

Under the tax-exempt status, the RCS district could lose about \$370,000 in tax revenue. When signing the bill, the governor said that school districts and municipalities should be protected from loss in revenue. City officials have said they are willing to negotiate payments in lieu of taxes at the amount that would have been paid if the city was still paying taxes.

"I am hopeful and encouraged over what the governor has said," Schwartz said.

The board appointed Mildred Stahl as a part-time music teacher at the high school, Dale Hester as a part-time art teacher at the high school, Carol Fullan as senior account clerk at the board offices, Diane Swanson as a stenographer at the junior high school, Lois Beck as a telephone operator, and Diane Wood as a probationary special education teacher.

The next meeting of the RCS school board is slated for 8 p.m.,

Monday, Sept. 15. At 6:30 p.m., before the meeting, board members will meet at the A.W. Becker Elementary School on Rt. 9W to take a tour of a recently completed nature trail.

Charged with theft

Three members of a Selkirk family will appear in Bethlehem Town Court on Tuesday, Sept. 16, on the felony charge of grand larceny, Bethlehem Police reported.

Arvonda Hanlon, 42, of Beaver Dam Rd. in Selkirk, her son, Wade Hanlon, 19, also of Beaver Dam Rd., and his wife, Andrea Hanlon, 21, are charged with felony grand larceny after they attempted to take money from a Glenmont woman after finding her missing purse Thursday, police said. They are being held at the Albany County Jail pending further action, police said.

contained credit cards, \$90 in cash, a checkbook and a plane ticket, police said. She discovered it was missing at 7 a.m. Thursday after she left her home. Police said she placed her purse on the roof of her vehicle, and as she left her home, she heard a noise but did not stop.

Auxiliary meets

The Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Auxiliary 1040 has planned a meeting and covered dish supper for Tuesday, Sept. 16. The dinner will begin at 7 p.m.

View of Holland

Allsion Bennett, a member of the Bethlehem Historical Association, will present "Another Look at Holland" at the 8 p.m. meeting of the association on Thursday, Sept. 18, in the Schoolhouse Museum, located at Rt. 144 and Clapper Rd. in Selkirk. All are welcome.

A lifelong resident of Bethlehem, Bennett has had two books published and is well-known as a writer of travel and historical articles. Recently she toured the Netherlands with a group from the Albany Institute of History and Art, which was led by Dr. Charles Gehring, translator of Dutch records at the State Library in Albany. The group visited areas from whence came several early Bethlehem settlers whose descendants still reside in the town.

Dinner and dancing

One of the most enjoyable and popular events sponsored by the Ladies of Bethlehem Elks Lodge 2233 of Selkirk, the 50's and 60's night, will be held on Saturday evening, Sept. 27, at the lodge, Rt. 144 and Winnie Rd.

The fun begins at 7:30 p.m. with a full roast beef dinner. Dancing will follow from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., with music provided by Dust to Dawn. Tickets may be purchased at the lodge.

Ambulance garage sale

This Saturday, Sept. 13, the Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance Service will hold a garage sale at the Glenmont Firehouse Grove, next to the K-mart store in Glenmont. If you'd like to help support the ambulance service and take advantage of some really good bargains, then be sure to attend. The sale begins at 9 a.m. at the Selkirk Fire Company No. 2 and continues throughout the day. In addition to the may bargains to be had, you'll find a delicious assortment of freshly baked homemade "goodies" to purchase.

Contributions for the sale are still being accepted and are appreciated. Donations may be made by speaking with Arline Wiggand, Linda Schacht or George Swift.

Women's bowling league

The Reliables, a women's bowling league which meets every Tuesday morning at Del Lanes in Elsmere, is looking for new members. If you would like to bowl and enjoy making new friends, you're invited to contact Mary Arlington, league secretary, at 439-4453.

The league attempts to accommodate mothers of young children by following the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk and Bethlehem Central school calendars. No bowling is held during school breaks, holidays or snow days. The women begin bowling at 9:30 a.m. Child care for pre-schoolers is provided by the lanes.

Benefit car wash

Volunteers from the Glenmont Job Corp will wash cars on Saturday, Sept. 20, in an effort to help the Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance Service. The car wash will be held at the Selkirk Firehouse No. 2, next to the Town Squire Shopping Center in Glenmont. The "wash" is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m.

Community supper

The Venture Churches, consisting of the Glenmont Community Church, the Faith Lutheran Church, the First Reformed Church of Bethlehem and the South Bethlehem United Methodist Church, have begun making plans for the fall. The first activity on their schedule is another fellowship dinner, set for Sunday, Sept. 21, at the Glenmont Community Church, 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont. Host of the covered dish dinner will be the Faith Lutheran Church. Members of all congregations are invited to attend. A meeting will follow the meal.

Task force members for the Venture Churches are David Koonz, Gary Dickson, John Macholtz, David Anderson, Carl Leuning, Hazel Lonnstrom, Allan Janssen, Toni Lasher, Karin Hudspath, Dolores Arneiter, Robert Mayo, Claudette Schubert, Robert Entin, Pat Lattimer and Lorrie Vaber.

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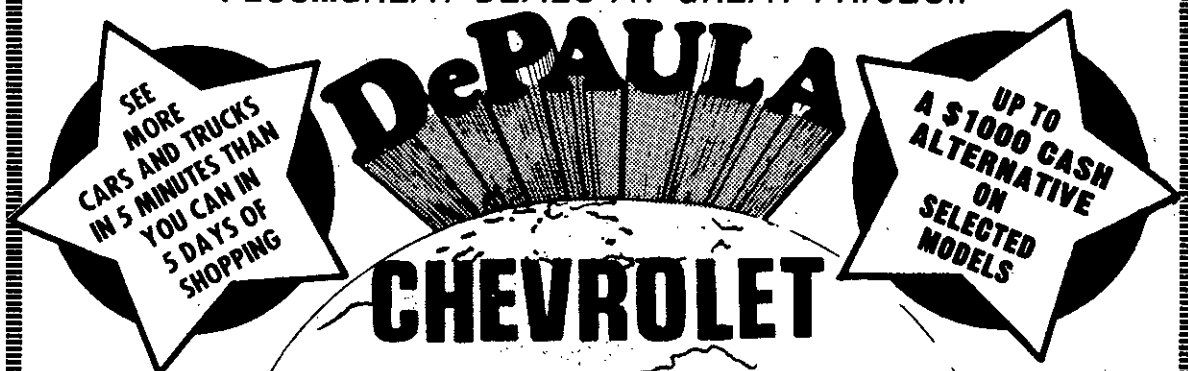
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Soccer teams begin season of competition

Bethlehem hopes to attract college scouts

By Dave DeCecco

School in the Capital District has been in session for one week now, but the Bethlehem boys' varsity soccer team has been rigorously practicing since late August. The early hard work may pay off, for head coach Gene Lewis has high hopes for '86 booters.

Senior co-captain Toby Dunmore, a first team Suburban Council All-Star who scored nineteen goals last year, should lead the squad. "He is definitely one of the premier athletes in the section," says Lewis. His solid performance as a junior could bring college scouts to the BC campus this fall.

Dunmore is the only sure starter on the line, as Geoff Ekstein, Eric Lee, Tim McDermott and Mike Hofer will have to fight for the remaining starting positions. Ekstein, a senior, has transferred back to Bethlehem after spending two years at a private school. "He should be a big help," remarks Lewis. Lee, a junior, is up from the JV and looks strong in early season practice. Just a sophomore, McDermott will skip the JV ranks and move right up to the varsity. Hofer is a senior German exchange student who also shows promise.

Senior Paul Doyle, the other co-captain, moves from wing to halfback. Dave Cunningham, a senior, and Chris Boyd, a junior, fill the remaining halfback slots. All three midfielders were varsity lettermen last fall.

Lewis has decided to add some speed to the defense this year. Senior Pete Lewis, who, according to Coach Lewis (no relation), "has good speed and pretty good ball control," starts at the right fullback position, while seasoned veteran Chuck Henrikson, also a senior, starts at left fullback. Junior Jason DeWitt, who saw quite a bit of playing time as a sophomore, assumes the duties as stopper. Senior Jon Peterbridge, along with juniors Brian Saelens and Dave Belfort should compete for the sweeper position.

The goaltending job is still up for grabs, with senior Bill Liddle and junior Blake Hannan the leading candidates. "I trust either one of them," says Coach Lewis. The two split the keeping duties on the '85 JV team.

"This has been the best turnout in all of the years that I have been coaching. We have had to cut players for the first time I can recall, and I know that some of the players who were cut could have played on teams in the past," Lewis says.

The roster consists of 24 players now, and Lewis is proud of the team's depth. "I know that if I replace a starter during a game, we won't be any weaker."

Filling the shoes of Paul Stracke, Todd Smith, Joel Keens, and Jeremy Manning, who all have graduated, is no easy task. Senior Rick Ramsby has chosen not to play this year, and junior Eric Oberheim has transferred to Albany Academy. Both were

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standouts last year and would be assets to the team. Despite this, Lewis continues to project an optimistic attitude, and barring bad luck and injuries, feels that the Eagles have a legitimate shot at the Section II Class A crown.

Saturday, BC has a non-league season opener against Schenectady, and perennial powerhouse Niskayuna visits Delmar on Tuesday, Sept. 16. The Eagles then travel to Burnt Hills, a tough team that Bethlehem knocked out of the Sectionals in a thriller last year. That game is slated for Thursday, Sept. 18. Lewis believes that these two early tests will determine whether Bethlehem's billing as a Sectional contender is a valid one.

Swim classes begin

The Albany Red Cross 13-week fall swim program will begin Sept. 12 at the State University at Albany pool. The program, which includes courses ranging from beginner to advanced lifesaver, will run through Dec. 12 on Friday mornings, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. The program also includes courses in basic water safety and basic rescue.

Registration for \$13 will be held at the pool on Friday, Sept. 12, at 9 a.m. For information call 462-7461.

By Rick Leach

1985 was one of the greatest years in the history of the Voorheesville soccer program and definitely the best season coach Bob Crandall has ever had. The Blackbirds finished with a 14-6 overall record and their 12-4 league record was good enough for second place in the strong Colonial Council. The group also charged to the semi-finals of the Class CC Sectionals before suffering a heartbreaking loss to first-seeded Catskill.

A season like that is hard to duplicate but Crandall feels his 1986 squad has enough talent to be very competitive. The Birds have five starters returning from last year's team, including senior tri-captains Dave Dunning, Dan McKenna and Jon Chapman. Chapman has been playing varsity since his sophomore year. The youngster played center-midfield last year but he may be moved, depending on how a couple of other key performers come along. Dunning is a wing or outside fullback, while McKenna plays the stopper position.

Eleventh graders Mike Race (midfield) and Andy Rockmore (line) are two others who saw a lot of starting time a year ago, as did tenth-grader Brian Tracey and senior Sean Wilbur. However, they have missed much of summer practice with injuries and will probably miss the first week or two of the season. Other returners who should see a considerable amount of playing time are

halfback Jon Flanders and defenseman Kevin Berry.

There are a number of tenth and eleventh graders who had solid years at the JV level in '85 and should contribute to this year's team. The juniors are Jeff Smolen, John Corcora, Chad Smith, Chan Yol Park, Matt Bates, Kevin Reeth and Chris Jeffers. The sophomores are Keith Fragomeni, Ken Adriano and starting goalkeeper Kevin Davis. Many of those bright newcomers should start and all of them will see some playing time.

With this large group of underclassmen the squad faced a little bit of uncertainty as they headed into their first game against Cobleskill in the Leatherstocking Invitational. The inexperience showed right from the start when Colby scored in the first 13 seconds and then struck twice more in the half for a 3-0 lead at intermission. The second half was played pretty evenly with each team scoring a goal but Cobleskill ended up with the victory.

"We just can't give the type of goals up that we gave in the first half," said Crandall. "An experienced team doesn't make those kind of mistakes."

This week the Birds scrimmage Cobleskill home on Tuesday and at Scotia on Thursday before playing the consolation game of the Leatherstocking Invitational versus Schalmont on Saturday. Then on Monday, Sept. 15, the Birds open their league schedule by hosting Cohoes. If the Blackbird booters play up to their potential they should be able to finish near the top of the league and gain another Sectional berth.

"Albany Academy should be very tough, but I think if we mesh as a team we should be right up there again," Crandall stated.

Apple deadline

The second annual Apple Festival at Stuyvesant Plaza has been moved up to Saturday, Oct. 4, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Deadline entry for the Application Competition is now Monday, Sept. 15.

The festival was originally scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 11, and recipe deadline was Wednesday, Oct. 1.

Perennial problem

A lunchtime garden lecture on "dividing perennials" sponsored by the Albany County Cooperative Extension will be held at the Albany Public Library Sept. 16 at 12:10 p.m. There will be a slide presentation followed by questions and answers.

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BC girls set for winning

By Lisa D'Ambrosi

The ingredients and there — enthusiasm, drive, strength and experience for Bethlehem's girls' varsity soccer team. The goal — to make the ingredients work by making Sectionals this season.

And these ingredients will be put to the test next week when they encounter Niskayuna and Burnt Hills, two tough rivals from last season.

Last year, BC lost 1-0 in the second game to Niskayuna and 1-0 in the first and 2-1 in the second games against Burnt Hills. The key to winning this year will be forgetting about last seasons' losses to those schools.

"We're ready to go," says Coach Kelly Keller.

The new strength is accounted for by a returning young team. Returning players are Lynette Stracke, Margo Downs, Alison Dorman, Caroline Jaczko, Shelley Miller, Cindy Riegel, Colleen Smith, Heather Smith, Wendy Vogel and Regina Wahlen.

Kimelberg 12th in Boise

For the Labor Day weekend, area cyclist Dave Kimelberg traveled to Boise, Idaho, to compete in the National Cycling Championships.

Racing in the Junior (14-15) age division, he placed 38th out of 120 entrants in the grueling 20-kilometer Individual Time Trial on Sept. 31. On August 2, Kimelberg took part in the 30-mile Road Race, where he placed 12th, again in a field of 120 riders from all over the country. He was the highest finisher in New York's northern district, and he also accounted for the highest placing ever by a Down Tube team member in the Nationals. His 12th place finish in the Road Race means that he is ranked 12th in the United States for 14 and 15-year-old riders.

The following weekend, it was on to the Empire State Games in Buffalo, where Kimelberg worked for other Adirondack team members instead of trying for a good individual showing. He contributed 30 points towards the Adirondack Cycling Team's overall silver medal. The Scholastic team from the Adirondack region was the top Scholastic team in points.

The 15 year-old Kimelberg now hopes to get into the Olympic Training Center December Cycling Camp for Juniors. With his excellent showing in the Road Race stage of the Nationals, he has a good chance of doing so.

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Eagles will tackle Shaker

By John Bellizzi III

The countdown is on. Two days from now, the Bethlehem Central varsity football team will take on Shaker to open its first season of non-league play in over 25 years. The action begins Friday night at 7:30 p.m. under the lights at B.C.H.S.

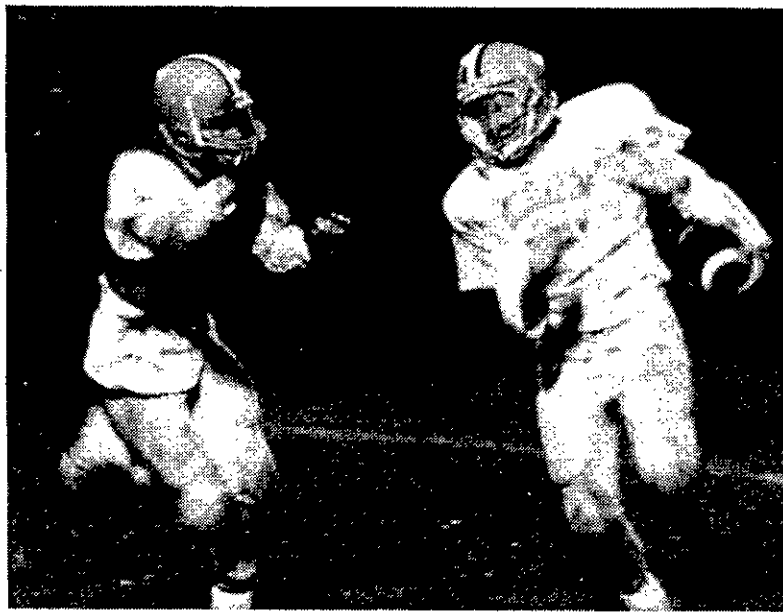
Head Coach John Sodergren feels strongly confident about the abilities of his squad, and expects a good showing on Friday. "I think that we'll be very well prepared for the game," Sodergren reported. "We learned a lot of things in Saturday's scrimmage which have been put to use in practice this week."

Last weekend scrimmage with Ravena, Mechanicville and Taconic Hills may well be a preview of things to come for the Eagles. BC's defense allowed no score by any of the three opponents, and the offense, led by quarterback Ed Perry, a three-year veteran of the varsity team, "proved that we have the potential to do it right," according to Sodergren.

The Bethlehem junior varsity team, coached by Carl Freitag, will travel to Shaker for its first game on Saturday, while Sept. 26 marks the starting date for the freshman team, under the tutelage of John DeMeo and Bob Salamone, which will play its opener Niskayuna.

Golf tournament

The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation will hold its Pro/Am Invitational Golf Tournament at the Shaker Ridge Country Club on Tuesday, Sept. 23.



The Bethlehem football team gets some practice in under the lights.

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Study fall flowers

A field study of the natural history of goldenrods and other fall flowers will be presented at Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, on Saturday, Sept. 13, at 2 p.m. and again on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 9 a.m. For information about the free program call 457-6092.

MS support group

The Multiple Sclerosis Support Group of Albany and Rensselaer Counties will meet on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at the Bethlehem Public Library, beginning at 2 p.m. For information call 452-1631.

Baird team wins tri-race

Justin Baird, 14 year-old Bethlehem Central varsity swimmer and a member of the Albany Starfish Swim Team, combined talents with Andy Ruiz, 22 year-old cyclist from South Bethlehem, and J.R. Gage, a 23 year-old runner from Saratoga, to win first place in the open men under 35 in the Albany Tricentennial Triathlon last Saturday.

Baird had to swim three eighths of a mile at the 6 mile waterworks. Ruiz had to cycle 14.3 miles with Gage running 5.1 miles ending up at Albany City Hall.

Baird is ranked 3rd in the State in the 200 meter freestyle, 5th in the 1500 meter freestyle, 7th in the 400 meter freestyle. Ruiz is ranked 5th in the State in cycling.

Mortgage burning

The Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Post 1040 will celebrate the burning of its mortgage at noon on Saturday, Sept. 13. The Blanchard post has been serving veterans and the community for more than 50 years. Legion and auxiliary members are invited.

Arthritic fitness

The Albany Young Men's Christian Association, 274 Washington Ave., Albany, is now offering an arthritic exercise-aqua fitness program on Mondays, from 7:30 to 8 p.m., and on Wednesdays, from 9 to 9:45 a.m.

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Birds set starting lineup

Voorheesville will launch the new football season this weekend by lamplight, sending a strong first unit against Chatham in the Capital Conference inaugural.

Coach Pete Douglas, starting his second season as resident strategist on Rt. 85A, has enough experienced players to staff most positions on both offense and defense. The key to another successful season lies with the backups.

"I'm very pleased with our first unit, both on offense and defense," he said after a long workout against three larger schools in the annual pre-season scrimmage at Latham Saturday. "We moved the ball a lot better than I expected."

That's not so bad considering the opposition came from Shaker, a strong Suburban Council team, Troy High in the Big Ten, and Johnstown. And the Blackbirds came through without a medical casualty.

Everybody got into the skirmishing, and when it was over, Douglas said he had a pretty good feel for picking his starting lineups for the crossover game at Chatham. Meanwhile, he had a second chance to test his team's combat readiness in another controlled scrimmage yesterday (Tuesday) with Cobleskill.

At least one major decision came out of the exercise at Latham. After looking at three juniors competing for the quarterback slot, the coaches reduced the number to two by moving Darren Duncan to split end. Bruce Kinisky, a 5-11 junior who saw

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limited action as varsity backup to Vinnie Foley last year, and John Meacham, last year's starting JV quarterback, will share the duties for a while.

Bryan Smith and Kevin Kelly will be the starters at halfback Friday, but Douglas hasn't decided on a starting fullback. Until he does, Blackbird fans will see Jeff Mazzaferro, a solidly constructed 190-pounder, and John Traudt, a 160-pound junior, dividing the duty.

Up front Rich Kane, 222 pounds of muscle, will start at center. Two other experienced holdovers, Frank Donnelly, 6-0 and 206, and Chuck Gianatasio, the team's Gibraltar at 254, will operate at the tackles.

These three hulks will flank lighter and younger guards. Douglas has four of these, all juniors and all promising, and all will get playing time on offense, permitting Douglas to shuttle various combinations of Jason White, Mark DeLorenzo, Tom Hampston and Kevin Tyrell.

White at 184 is the biggest of the foursome, DeLorenzo at 5-7 and 150 the smallest, but Voorheesville fans are accustomed to having their dynamite come in small packages, and have only to look back one year to testify about people like Brian DeDe, Jamie Cohen and other mighty mites.

In the beef department the Blackbirds also have Charlie Collins, who packs 198 pounds on a 6-foot-1 frame as a backup for Donnelly and Gianatasio, and in the firecracker department they have backups named Matt Cillis, Tom Donohue and Billy Connell (pronounced Kah-nell like a

Harvard man pronouncing Cornell), none of whom weigh more than 140.

Marty Gordinier will get the opening call at tight end, and Duncan, Roger Ginder and Ed Sapienza will rotate at split end under Douglas's messenger system relaying play calls. Ginder, a senior holdover who thrives on contract, is reasonably visible at 143 pounds, but Duncan is only 134 pounds and spectators may need binoculars to find Sapienza, listed on the pre-season roster at 114.

The Blackbirds inherent enthusiasm for knocking people down should provide them with a strong defense. In the past, rival teams have had trouble trying to overpower the scrappy Blackbirds, which means that opponents will have to fool them, outrun them or capitalize on mistakes to put points on the board.

As it looks from here, the front five will be Kane, Donnelly, Gianatasio, Kinisky and White, with Traudt and Mazzaferro as linebackers, Ginder at strong safety, Meacham and Bryan Smith at the corners and Kelly at free safety. Gordinier will rotate with the linebackers and can fill in, with Duncan, at strong safety, and Cillis will add speed as Kelly's backup at free safety.

Kickoff at Chatham will be at 7:30 p.m. The Birds play two on the road before their home introduction on Saturday, Sept. 27 with Schalmont.

Nat Boynton

Continuing education registration is set

A registration session for the Bethlehem Central School District continuing education program will be held in the main lobby of Bethlehem Central High School, 700 Delaware Ave., Delmar, on Saturday, Sept. 13, from 9 a.m. until noon. Early registration by mail or in person will be accepted at the high school on weekdays, between 3 and 4 p.m.

Most courses begin during the week of Sept. 13 and meet for 10 weeks. Course fees are generally \$24 plus fees for materials. Bethlehem Central senior citizens pass holders are admitted free to most evening courses. Although Bethlehem Central residents are given first preference, out-of-district registrants are welcome with an additional \$5 charge per course.

Continuing education brochures, including schedules and registration forms, are available at the high school or the Educational Services Center, 90 Adams Pl., Delmar.

Bible study begins

Bible study opportunities this fall range from an examination of Abraham and his faith and doubts to a study of great truths of the Scriptures at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar.

The study of Abraham — A Man of God, will begin at 10 a.m. on Thursday, Sept. 11, in the church lounge. The Rev. Warren Winterhoff will lead the discussion. Nursery care will be provided.

Crossways, a survey of the Old and New Testaments, continues at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays in the church, also led by the Rev. Winterhoff.

From 7:45 to 9 a.m. on Saturday, a Bible study, led by Paul Stracke and Bob Greenman, will be held in the lounge.

Classes for ages 3 through adult are offered on Sundays at 9:15 a.m. Nursery care is also provided for the Sunday classes.

Block dance

The Selkirk Volunteer Fire Department, Company 2, is sponsoring a 50's and 60's block dance at the firehouse on Saturday, Sept. 13, from 9 p.m. to midnight. Admission is \$10 per couple. For tickets call Robert Shultes at 462-1402.

Merit semifinalists

Eight students from Bethlehem Central High School and one each from Voorheesville and Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk have been named semifinalists in the 1987 National Merit Scholarship competition.

They are among some 15,000 academically talented high school seniors who will have an opportunity to advance in the competition for about 6,000 Merit Scholarships worth more than \$21 million.

From Bethlehem Central, the semifinalists are David M. Comi, who plans to major in pre med; David M. Cunningham; Anna M. Georgiopoulos; Charles A. Henrikson; Stanley W. Lee, who plans to major in architecture; William A. Liddle, a pre med major; Gideon B. Walter, a math major; and Portia Y. Wu.

The Merit semifinalist from Clayton A. Bouton High School in Voorheesville is Laurie M. Warner, who plans to major in biology and become a veterinarian.

At Ravena, Paul J. Curley, who plans to major in social sciences and become a lawyer, is the Merit semifinalist.

Jailed for gas theft

A 20-year old New Hampshire man is being held in lieu of \$150 bail at the Albany County Jail after he allegedly drove off from a gas station in Selkirk without paying for \$10 of gas, state police reported.

The man left the Hess Gas Station on Rts. 9W and 396, and after the attendant reported the incident to state police, the man was located in Feura Bush. State police said he was arraigned before Bethlehem Town Justice Peter Wenger on petty larceny charges, and he will reappear on Tuesday, Sept. 16.

Divorce seminar

A three-session seminar, entitled "Legal Issues in Divorce" will be presented by Timothy M. Tippins, a matrimonial attorney, at Hudson Valley Community College, from 7 to 9 p.m. on Sept. 16, 17 and 18; Oct. 21, 22 and 23, and Nov. 18, 19 and 20. To register call the office of continuing education at 283-1100.

Beginning birders

A field trip for beginning bird watchers will be held at Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, Game Farm Rd., Delmar, on Tuesday, Sept. 9, at 9 a.m.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York, will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, September 16, 1986, at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, N.Y., at 7:30 p.m., to take action on the application of Agnes Good, 413 Maple Ave., Selkirk, N.Y., for approval by said Planning Board of a proposed one lot subdivision, property between Maple Ave. and Miller Ave., as shown on map entitled, "Subdivision of Lands, Owned by Agnes Good, Town of Bethlehem, County of Albany," dated July 30, 1986, and made by O.J. Meyer, PLS, Albany, N.Y., on file with the Planning Board.
John A. Williamson
Chairman
Planning Board
(September 10, 1986)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, September 17, 1986, at 8:00 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of Dan and Andrea Formica (McDonald's), 132 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York 12054 for a Variance from Article I, Definitions, of the Bethlehem Town Zoning Ordinance, to review determination by Building Inspector; if approved, request a Use Variance to construct a new combination Speaker/Menu Board, new Cash Booth and new Drive Thru Booth to premises, McDonald's, 132 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, Town of Bethlehem.
Charles B. Fritts
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, 24 September 1986 at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to consider the following AMENDMENTS to the Zoning Ordinance:
A. To Article III-DEFINITIONS, add the following definitions:
37. THROUGH LOT-An interior lot having frontage on two approximately parallel, or converging streets-other than a corner lot.
38. CORNER LOT-A lot located at the intersection of and fronting on two or more intersecting streets and having an interior angle at the corner of the intersection of less than 135 degrees.
BUFFER AREA-An area generally bordering the zoning district boundary between a Residential and Non-Residential District or use, and designated by the Town as a buffer area reserved for plantings, fencing or other similar screening devices for the purpose of creating a transition area between such abutting districts or uses.
B. To Article V-PERMITTED USES, delete the following:
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4. Funeral Home—20 spaces, plus space for all employee and resident personnel cars
5. Church or Temple—1 space for

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each 5 seating spaces in main assembly room
6. School—2 spaces for each classroom
7. Theater or other place of assembly—1 space for each 3 seating spaces
8. Nursing or convalescent home, home for the aged—1 space for each 4 beds
9. Retail store or Personal Service not otherwise listed herein—1 space for each 250 square feet of gross floor area
10. Bank—1 space for each 400 square feet of office space and customer area
11. Clubs and restaurants—1 space for each 50 square feet of gross floor area
12. Barber Shop, Beauty Salon, and similar uses—3 spaces for each work station
13. Bowling Alley—5 spaces for each alley
14. Wholesale, storage, freight terminal or utility use—1 space for each 1,000 square feet of gross floor area
15. Industrial or manufacturing—1 space for each 2 employees on maximum working shift
16. Professional use (Residence)—1 space for each 200 square feet of office space
NOTE: THE REQUIREMENTS STATED ABOVE SHALL INCLUDE HANDICAPPED PARKING SPACES AS MAY BE REQUIRED.
C. To Article V-PERMITTED USES, delete the following:
REGULATIONS RELATING TO OFF-STREET PARKING, Items #3, #4 and #5; and replace with the following:
REGULATIONS RELATING TO OFF-STREET PARKING
3. Off-street parking space shall be provided for other uses, as follows:
A. Each off-street parking space shall consist of at least 200 square feet with a minimum width of 10 feet
B. Each handicapped off-street parking space shall consist of at least 260 square feet with a minimum width of 13 feet
C. In addition, space necessary for aisles, maneuvering and driving shall be provided
4. In any Commercial or Industrial District, off-street parking shall NOT be permitted within a minimum of 10 ft. of any property line providing highway frontage to the property.
Such setback area shall be considered as a minimum; however, additional setback area may be required, if determined to be necessary by the Planning Board. In addition, such setback area shall be suitably landscaped, and where specifically required, be approved by the Planning Board in accordance with the requirements of Article V-A, Site Plan Approval.
5. Off-street parking areas, as required for any use within a

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Commercial or Industrial District, shall be located no closer than five (5) feet from any side or rear property line, EXCEPT as may be approved by the Planning Board for the purpose of providing adjacent properties-joint driveway access from the street, off-street access between properties, and shared parking areas. Where such setback is reduced, the Board may require that a comparable amount of site area be added to other setback areas on the same site.
6. Generally, off-street parking areas, with more than one hundred (100) vehicle parking spaces, shall have not less than 10% of the area used for parking devoted to landscape plantings of trees and shrubs. In the event that the Planning Board determines that for the purpose of providing access barriers, pedestrian safety, etc., in an off-street parking area with less than one hundred vehicle parking spaces is necessary, it may require that not less than 10% of such parking area be devoted to landscape plantings of trees and shrubs. Such landscape plantings shall be in addition to those required as part of the minimum 10% "green area" requirement and shall be integrated into the parking area as planted islands or other acceptable means as approved by the Planning Board.
7. For uses not specified, the Board of Appeals shall, on appeals and after recommendations of the Planning Board, establish parking requirements in specific cases consistent with those specified above
8. For any buildings having more than one use, parking space shall be required as provided for each use.
Handicapped Parking Requirement—2 percent of total required, minimum 1 space so indicated with post sign
To Article VIII-PERCENTAGE OF LOT OCCUPANCY, add the following:
8. For any site in the Town of Bethlehem, used for commercial purposes (defined as those non-residential uses requiring Site Plan Approval under Article V herein), a minimum of not less than 10% of the total site area shall be reserved as "green area." Such "green area" shall be suitably landscaped with lawn, groundcover, shrubs, and trees, as may be appropriate, and where required under Article V-A "Site Plan Approval", shall be approved by the Planning Board.
For the purpose of this Article, "green area" shall constitute that portion of a site which is void of structures, parking area and paved surfaces such as walkways, and which is devoted to lawn and/or landscape plantings.
E. To Article XI-FRONT YARD, Item 1-General, delete the following:
DISTRICT-COMMERCIAL "CCC," "CC," "C," -FROM

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C/L PVMT. 35 FT. -FROM HWY. P/L 10 FT.
and add the following:
DISTRICT COMMERCIAL "CCC," "CC," "C," -FROM C/L PVMT. 40 FT. -FROM HWY. P/L 15 FT.
F. To Article XI-FRONT YARD, Item 3-CORNER LOTS, delete the following:
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G. To Article XII-SIDE YARDS, add the following:
12. Where any Commercial Zoning District directly abuts a Residential Zoning District, there shall be provided a strip of land, a minimum of five (5) feet in width to serve as a buffer area along the entire length of such abutting district lines, with such strip being located entirely within the Commercial District unless otherwise determined by the Planning Board. In addition, the following requirements shall apply:
a. Such Buffer Area shall provide adequate screening, as approved by the Planning Board, and may include landscape plantings and/or fencing of sufficient quantity and height to provide a visual and physical separation between the two districts.
b. Where butting Residential and Commercial District lines do not coincide with a property boundary, but fall within a property's boundaries, the Planning Board shall evaluate the property, considering the District line location, use of the property, adjacent land uses, etc., and shall determine the proper location for such buffer areas.
c. Where such buffer area is placed partially or entirely a Residential District, that portion within the Residential District shall not be considered part of the abutting Commercial District for the purposes of calculation of the minimum required percentage of "Green Area."
d. Where such buffer area is located partially or entirely within a Residential District, and that portion of the site within the Residential District, is subsequently sold or subdivided from the Commercial District portion of the site, a plan for the reestablishment of such buffer area into the Commercial District portion of the site shall be submitted to Planning Board for review and approval.
All parties in interest and citizens will have an opportunity to be heard at the said hearing.
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SEPT.13 10AM-4PM. 73 Louise St., tables, sofa-sleeper with chair, bike, TV, ski's, etc.

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OBITUARIES

Mary Ruth Bragg

Mary Ruth Lindsay Bragg, 74, former owner and operator of the Cha-Mar Ceramics in Slingerlands, died Monday, Sept. 1.

She was born in Idaho, and lived in Slingerlands for 20 years. She moved to Warnerville in 1984.

She was a senior audit clerk with the state Department of Audit and Control.

Graduating from Dixon High School in Illinois, she was a classmate of President Ronald Reagan.

She was a communicant of St. Vincent de Paul Church in Cobleskill. She was also a member of the Civil Service Employees Association.

Survivors include her husband, Charles L. Bragg; four daughters, Paula Bailey of Schenectady, Yvonne Wood of Slingerlands, Dolores Bragg of Ballston Spa and Isabel Glastetter of Glenmont; a sister, Ina Fae Billeb of Illinois; 20 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Burial was in Cobleskill Rural Cemetery. Arrangements were by

Robert A. Guffin Funeral Home of Cobleskill.

Darwin P. Benedict

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 13, at the Applebee Funeral Home for Darwin P. Benedict, 74, who died on Monday, Sept. 1.

A resident of Delmar for almost 40 years, he was born in Fayetteville.

He was retired from the state Commerce Department, where he edited the vacation tourist guide to promote tourism in the state.

He graduated from the Albany Academy and Antioch College, and received advance degrees from the State University of New York at Albany and the Maxwell School at Syracuse University. An outdoorsman and conservationist, he wrote as his thesis, "The Forest Preserve."

During World War II, he served in the 20th armored division, serving in France, Germany and Austria.

He was a member of the Bethlehem Tri-Village Chapter of

the American Association of Retired Persons, the Bethlehem Historical Association, and the Adirondack Mountain Club.

Survivors include his wife, Martha Nord Benedict, several nieces and nephews, and friend, Courtney Dumas.

Contributions may be sent to an Adirondack memorial fund, William Endicott, Box 496, Keene Valley, N.Y.

Norman Boettcher

Norman Richard Boettcher, 56, of Spore Rd., New Scotland, died Saturday, Aug. 23.

He was born in Norwood, Mass.

He was a pool supervisor for Paddock Pools in Albany.

He served in the Navy from 1948 to 1949.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby Ilene Boettcher; one daughter, Deborah Boettcher of New Scotland; three sons, Michael Boettcher, Bruce Boettcher and David Boettcher, all of New Scotland; his mother, Hazel H. Boettcher of New Scotland; a sister, Lynn Sickenger of New Scotland; two brothers, Robert Boettcher of Slingerlands, and William Boettcher of Los Angeles, Calif.; and one grandchild.

Burial was in Albany Rural Cemetery in Menands. Arrange-

ments were by Reilly and Son Funeral Home of Voorheesville.

Contributions may be made to St. Peter's Hospice.

Marilyn Fields

Marilyn Claudette Fields, 56, of Voorheesville, owner of the former Marilyn's Beauty Salon, died Tuesday, Sept. 2.

Born in Albany, she was a resident of Voorheesville for 33 years. She operated Marilyn's Beauty Salon in Voorheesville for 10 years before retiring in 1977.

She was a communicant of St. Matthew's Church in Voorheesville. She was also a member of the Columbiettes of Altamont.

Survivors include her husband, Michael F. Fields; a daughter, Gloria Lindsay Fields of Berne; three sons, John Mitchell Fields of Lubbock, Tx., Michael Francis Fields, Jr., of Altamont and Charles Matthew Fields of Voorheesville; her mother, Lillian DuBois Kirchner of Delmar; three brothers, Gerald A. DuBois of New Scotland, John A. DuBois of Delmar, and Paul J. DuBois of Albany; and two sisters, Michelle MacDonald and Dawn Moak, both of New Scotland.

Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Glenmont. Arrangements were by Reilly and Son Funeral Home of Voorheesville.

Contributions may be made to the Leukemia Society of America.

Ruth Abriel

Ruth Devine Abriel, 78, a longtime resident of Elsmere, died Friday, Sept. 5.

She was born in Albany.

She was a typist with the state Department of Motor Vehicles.

She leaves three daughters, Ruth A. Finnigan of Slingerlands, Joan A. Perry of Elsmere and Sally A. Castiglione of Elsmere; a brother, Frank J. Devine; nine grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in St. Agnes Cemetery in Menands. Arrangements were by McVeigh Funeral Home of Albany.

Contributions may be made to St. Peter's Hospice or St. Peter's Building Fund.

Grace Rankin

Grace Rankin, 90, a veteran of World War II, died Wednesday, Aug. 20 at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Atlanta.

A native of Raleigh, N.C., she lived in Delmar for 15 years until 1965.

She was a retired nurse. She served as an Army Medical Corps nurse in a field hospital in France during World War II. After the

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war, she was a nurse at the former Hun Memorial Hospital in Albany.

She was a graduate of St. Mary's College in Raleigh, and received her nurse's training at Children's Hospital in Washington, D.C.

She was the wife of the late John Munro Rankin, Sr.

Survivors include a daughter, Margaret Westfall of Atlanta; two sons, James Rankin of Atlanta and John Munro Rankin, Jr., of Slingerlands; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Charged after fire

A 14-year old Delmar boy, charged with setting a shed afire on Labor Day, will appear in Family Court on Thursday on criminal nuisance charges, Bethlehem Police said.

The boy was arrested following a shed fire on Wallace Rd. in Delmar at 4:40 p.m. Monday, Sept. 1, police said.

After members of the Slingerlands Fire Department responded to the fire, police said they interviewed a number of youths in the area about the cause. The Delmar boy told police officers he left the shed before the fire, but he may have left a candle burning inside that could have started the fire.

FIRE FIGHTERS CORNER

Isabel Glastetter

Date	Time	Department or Unit	Event or Type Call
Aug. 28	1:04 a.m.	Bethlehem Ambulance	Unknown
Aug. 28	6:01 p.m.	Elsmere Fire Dept.	Structure fire
Aug. 28	6:03 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Stand by
Aug. 28	7:58 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Medical emergency
Aug. 28	10:58 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Personal Injury
Aug. 29	12:04 a.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Medical emergency
Aug. 29	7:05 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Medical emergency
Aug. 30	8:52 a.m.	Delmar Fire Dept.	Alarm drop
Aug. 30	8:52 a.m.	Delmar Fire Dept.	Stand by
Aug. 30	11:11 a.m.	Onesquethaw Fire	Wire down
Aug. 30	1:02 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Personal injury
Aug. 30	7:16 p.m.	Delmar Fire Dept.	Structure
Aug. 30	7:16 p.m.	Elsmere Fire Dept.	Mutual aid
Aug. 30	7:16 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Stand by
Aug. 30	9:20 p.m.	Delmar Fire Dept.	Gas odor
Aug. 31	6:20 p.m.	Selkirk Fire Dept.	Structure fire
Aug. 31	6:20 p.m.	Bethlehem Ambulance	Stand by
Aug. 31	6:21 p.m.	Elsmere Fire Dept.	Structure fire
Aug. 31	6:21 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Stand by
Aug. 31	7:54 p.m.	Onesquethaw Ambulance	Personal injury
Aug. 31	10:58 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Personal injury
Sept. 1	2:52 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Auto accident
Sept. 1	4:41 p.m.	Slingerlands Fire Dept.	Structure
Sept. 1	4:41 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Stand by
Sept. 2	4:07 a.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Unknown
Sept. 2	8:33 a.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Medical emergency
Sept. 2	10:23 a.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Auto accident
Sept. 2	6:01 p.m.	Selkirk Fire	Vehicle fire
Sept. 2	9:36 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Medical emergency
Sept. 3	6:47 a.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Medical emergency
Sept. 3	6:47 a.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Heart attack
Sept. 3	1:34 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Auto accident
Sept. 3	2:05 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Personal injury
Sept. 3	2:54 p.m.	Onesquethaw Ambulance	Auto accident
Sept. 3	4:50 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Personal injury
Sept. 3	8:31 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Medical emergency
Sept. 3	9:33 p.m.	Delmar F.D. Rescue	Personal injury

An EMT refresher course will begin on Oct. 15 at the R.C.S. School in Ravena.

Ladies Auxiliary of the Delmar Fire Department will hold a flea market on Saturday, Sept. 27, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the firehouse on Nathaniel Blvd. and Adams St. Booth space is available for \$10 by calling Pat Carazza at 439-5004 or Jill Junco at 439-6215. Proceeds will go to the burn fund.

Bethlehem Ambulance Squad will hold a garage sale on Sept. 13 at the Glenmont firehouse.

Elsmere Fire Company and Selkirk Fire Department held a mutual aid drill on Tuesday, Sept. 2, at the training tower in Elsmere. The firemen demonstrated the use of the snorkel.

The Essentials of Firemanship course will begin on Sept. 15 at the Selkirk Fire House in Glenmont from 7 to 10 p.m. This course will run for 13 weeks.

To contribute news to the Fire Fighters Corner, call Isabel Glastetter at 439-2627.

Fire sales

A computerized inventory of used fire fighting equipment and emergency apparatus in the state has been set up by the state Office of Fire Prevention and Control.

The Statewide Apparatus Availability/Vehicle Exchange program, (SAAVE), has been implemented in cooperation with the state Association of Fire Chiefs and the state fire coordinators Association.

The program will help fire departments to purchase used equipment from other departments

in the state, and will help offset the inability of many fire departments to purchase new or reconditioned apparatus.

For information, phone the Office of Fire Prevention and Control at 474-6746.

At music camp

Laurie Alexander of Glenmont attended the New York State Music Camp recently held at Hartwick College in Oneonta. Alexander performed compositions and attended music classes.

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BC reunions?

We would like to know the names and addresses of those individuals who are planning reunions for the classes of 1981 and 1976, and the classes of 1962, 1967, 1977 and 1982 in order to answer the many calls and letters from alumni who would like to return.

If anyone in the community knows who is organizing class reunions for the above classes, we would appreciate a note or call to: Dominick DeCecco, vice-president of the Alumni Association, Bethlehem Central High School, 439-4921.

If any other classes are planning reunions, we would also appreciate knowing the organizers and any other particulars.

Thank you.

Dominick DeCecco

Delmar

New on cable

The Bethlehem Channel has announced several new shows for the year.

"Understanding Economics," is a 12-part series telecast on the channel at 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays. The series is designed to help make sense out of economics news.

"The Hudson-Mohawk Journal" will be shown on the channel at 8:30 p.m. every other Monday. With host Don Rittner, issues will be presented of concern to Capital District and the world at large.

"The Job Board" will run at 5 p.m. on Mondays, noon on Tuesday, 5:30 p.m. on Wednesdays, noon on Thursdays, and 6 p.m. on Fridays. The program is available free of charge for those looking for a job and those looking for employees.

Book group starts

All are welcome to join the Book Discussion Group at Bethlehem Public Library on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 7:30 p.m. The group will discuss *The Wapshot Chronicle* by John Cheever. Call the library at 439-9314 to reserve a copy of the book.

STEP class at Elsmere

The Community Health Plan at Delmar is offering Systematic Training for Effective Parenting (STEP), to begin on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 7:15 p.m. at the Elsmere Elementary School. The STEP program is a nine-week course which teaches a realistic and sensible approach to parenting.

STEP is based on principles of mutual respect, cooperation, and open communication between parents and children. Participants learn how best to encourage their children, how to get their children to assume more responsibility for their own behavior, how to identify the goals of their children's misbehavior, and how to redirect their children toward positive ends. The course uses techniques which are most effective with children above the age of 18 months.

The facilitator for the class will be Lynn Videka-Sherman, Ph.D., an assistant professor at the School of Social Welfare at SUNYA.

The program is open to both CHP and non-CHP members. The fee is \$25 for one CHP member, \$35 for a CHP member couple, \$30 for one member, \$50 for a non-member couple and \$40 for a CHP member/non-member couple. For information on how to register call 783-3110, extension 217, by Sept. 11.

Relaxation for kids

The Community Health Plan at Delmar is offering Cool & Clear — Relaxation Techniques for Children Ages 8-10 beginning Monday, Sept. 15, at the Elsmere Elementary School.

Children feel the stresses of everyday life and of growing up. This class will teach children relaxation and centering techniques which will help them cope with and control these tensions. Exercises such as yoga, concentration, movement, guided fantasy and music, along with discussions and sharing may help decrease over-active behaviors, aggressive-ness, moodiness, anger and hurt, and can help improve self-concept, attentiveness, communications and interpersonal relationships.

The course is taught by Dvora Zipkin, B.A., M.S., a New York State certified teacher in special education. In addition to writing a manual on the use of relaxation techniques with children, Zipkin has taught and worked with children with a wide range of abilities and handicaps from toddlers to adolescents in the Capital District and in Israel.

The course is open to both CHP and non-CHP members. The fee is \$18 for CHP members and \$25 for non-CHP members. Parents are asked to participate in some sessions. For registration information, call the Health Promotion and Education Department at 783-3110, ext. 217.

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Girl, Whitney Lynn Brandon, to Lynn and Donald Brandon, Feura Bush, Aug. 13.

Boy, Matthew Alexander, to Sandra and Charles Rodgers, Feura Bush, Aug. 17.

Girl, Darby Kendra, to Gail and Michael Benedict, Delmar, Aug. 17.

Girl, Mary Elise, to Lisa and Daniel Plummer, Delmar, Aug. 19.

Boy, Bryan Michael, to Lori Lynn and Michael Thomas Rafferty, Slingerlands, Aug. 20.

Girl, Erica Lynn to Brenda and Christopher Hazen, Slingerlands, Aug. 21.

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arrange with local groups in our communities to operate programs that will expand the availability of quality day care services. These programs will include identifying the needs of the local community for day care, and disseminating day care information to parents, and other relevant agencies and services.


Chapter 223 permits more school-aged children to receive day care services without placing a strain on the family day care provider's capacity to care for all the children in the home.

Chapters 209 and 223 are positive steps in the on going process of insuring the health, safety and welfare of our kids. State assistance should be directed to those in financial need. As your next assemblyman in Albany, I intend to be a leader in this continuing effort.

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Mrs. Michael Manning

Robin Van Wie wed

Robin Ann Van Wie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frederick Van Wie Jr. of Clarksville, and Michael Godfrey Manning, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John W. Manning, were married Aug. 23 at the Clarksville Community Church, with the Rev. Stephen Wing officiating.

Ruth Van Wie served as maid of honor, and Suzan Weber was matron of honor. Abigail Clark, Lisa Van Wie, Mary Van Wie, Lisa Busone and Mrs. Paul Robertson served as bridesmaids. Michael Moran served as best man, and ushers were Steven Lillianstein, Charles Van Wie III, Thomas Burton, Alan Joseph, Andrew Thomas and Angelo Restifo.

The bride, a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, the Memorial School of Nursing and the State University College of Technology, is employed by the Albany County Department of Social Services. The bridegroom, a graduate of Albany Academy, Boston University and Albany Law School, is also employed by the Albany County Department of Social Services.

After a wedding trip to San Francisco, Calif., the couple will reside in Albany.

Uhrik-Faulkner

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Uhrik of Slingerlands have announced the engagement of their daughter, Anne Uhrik, to Gary L. Faulkner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Faulkner of Delmar.

The bride-to-be is administrative assistant at the Bethlehem Public Library. Her fiancé is owner and operator of Gary's Landscaping. An early spring wedding is planned.



Mr. and Mrs. James M. Viviano

Margaret Cummings wed

Margaret Cummings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Cummings of Delmar, and James M. Viviano, son of Mrs. Rose Viviano of Albany and the late Joseph J. Viviano, were married July 19 at the Delmar Reformed Church. The Rev. Bruce Wierks officiated.

Susan M. Cummings, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Cathy Haker,

sister of the bride, Kim Crawford and Leah Witko. William Cooke Jr., nephew of the bride, served as best man, and ushers were Rick Femia and Jack Devine.

The bride is employed by the West Central Environmental Corp. The bridegroom is employed by the Freihofer Baking Company.

The couple will reside in Slingerlands.

Reception for Zinn

All former employees of the Bethlehem Central School District are invited to an informal reception for Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Zinn at Bethlehem Middle School on Friday, Sept. 19, beginning at 3:45 p.m.

The reception has been planned by Bethlehem Central staff members. Dr. Zinn, who has served as superintendent of schools in Bethlehem for the past 15 years, is moving to the Saratoga Springs district.

For information call 439-3650.

Missionary speaks

Father Joseph Soletta, a Mary Knoll priest and missionary to Chile, will speak about life in Chile at the St. Thomas rectory, 35 Adams Pl., Delmar, on Tuesday, Sept. 16, at 7:30 p.m. For information call Maureen Moran at 439-5439.

Genealogical Society

Charles E. Alford, a professional genealogist and chairman of genealogy for the Bethlehem Historical Society, will demonstrate gravestone rubbing and report on early records of Kingston, Ulster County, at the Sept. 13 meeting of the Capital District Genealogical Society. The meeting will be held at 1 p.m. at the Albany Public Library.

Bethlehem League to discuss poverty

The Bethlehem unit meeting of the Albany County League of Women Voters will be held on Thursday, Sept. 18, at the Bethlehem Public Library, beginning at 9:15 a.m.

During the meeting, Vicki Smith and Russell Sykes, speakers from SENSES, will discuss poverty and related problems. All are welcome.

For information or child care reservations call 439-2550.



Mrs. John J. Haggerty

John Haggerty married

Cheryl Anne Dufort, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dufort of Waterford, and John Joseph Haggerty, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Haggerty of Elsmere, were married July 12 at St. Mary of the Angels Chapel in Loudonville, with the Rev. Hugh F. Hines officiating.

The bride, a graduate of Catholic Central High School and Longwood College, is attending Siena College in Loudonville. The bridegroom, a graduate of Christian Brothers Academy and the State University College at Plattsburgh, is employed by the College of Saint Rose.

The couple will reside in Albany.

Mohawk DAR meets

Mohawk Chapter, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution will observe the bicentennial of the signing of the United States Constitution with a luncheon Sept. 17 at the Sassy Swede Restaurant in Cohoes. Following the luncheon there will be a tour of Peebles Island.

For reservations, contact Betty Hannay, 186 Lawrence St., Albany.

Blood pressure clinic

The free Town of Bethlehem blood pressure clinics will start at Bethlehem Town Hall on Tuesday, Sept. 16, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m.

The clinics will be held on the third Tuesday of each month through May.

Retired teachers meet

The Albany Area Retired Teachers Association will hold a meeting at Bethlehem Public Library on Thursday, Sept. 11, beginning at 1 p.m. A program about the Shakers will be presented by Alice Hotchkiss, an administrative assistant for the Shaker Heritage Society.

A bus trip to the Shaker Village and the Crane Paper Museum has been scheduled for Sept. 25. For reservations call Walter Guenther at 459-5801 by Sept. 11.

Officers for 1986-87 are: Anne McGuirk, first vice president; Edward Osborn, second vice president; Alma Russell, secretary, and Natalie Tinkelman.



Community Corner

Be a builder

The effort to create a community center for Bethlehem residents is moving from the dream stage to reality — and that means hard work. Volunteers are needed to work on planning the center, attend to the many financial and administrative details, and demonstrate that the support of the community is there. The meeting Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Bethlehem Public Library is an excellent opportunity to find out what has been done so far, and what needs to be done now.

A community center could provide a focus for life in Bethlehem, a place where young and old can find companionship and activities. But it needs people to make it happen.



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There are many ways to say Welcome on the first day of school, as at St. Thomas School in Delmar (above), and at Voorheesville Elementary School, where Principal Donna Grant Canavan greeted her students.