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## Decisions, decisions



Rebecca Stern of Slingerlands picks out some fancy new footwear at Saratoga Shoe Depot in Delmar during tax-free week. Constance Lupe

## Candidates scramble for additional lines

Endorsements can put pols over the top

By JOSEPH A. PHILLIPS

Primary day in New York is Tuesday, Sept. 14, but no major party showdowns are on the ballot in either Bethlehem or New Scotland — at least involving their own ballot lines.

But there are secondary skirmishes aplenty next Tuesday involving major-party candidates seeking to wrest third-party endorsements from their opponents.

Tuesday's primary ballot features the entire Republican slate in New Scotland battling to take the Independence and Conservative Party lines from their Democratic opponents; two Bethlehem town races and several local county legislative races with ballot lines at stake — and one head-to-head contest in Bethlehem with Conservative endorsement as the prize.

Republicans out-enroll Democrats in Bethlehem 8,026 to 6,185, according to the most recent figures from the Albany County Board of Elections, but there are also 5,506 non-enrolled voters, more than a quarter of the electorate — to say nothing of the 422 Independence voters and 593 Conservatives enrolled in the

town. (There are also 93 Liberals, 39 Right-to-Life party members, and a single enrolled Green Party member).

"For many people in a November election, they may want to vote on another line, rather than Democrat or Republican," said incumbent Bethlehem Supervisor Sheila Fuller, who is running for re-election unopposed this November.

"You might have a Democrat who says, 'I want to vote for Sheila Fuller, but I'll be darned if I'll vote Republican.' The second line gives them an opportunity."

Sheila Fuller

In New Scotland, the bulk of enrollment is evenly split three ways: 1,984 Democrats, 1,934 Republicans, and 1,918 non-enrolled. So the 101 Independence members and 163 Conservatives offer the key to second ballot lines that can be crucial, as demonstrated two elections ago by the re-election of Herb Reilly as supervisor without a major line — and Independence backing. Forty-two Liberals and 23 Right-to-Lifers round out New Scotland's electorate.

The one head-to-head primary on the local ballot Tuesday is in the race for Bethlehem's receiver of taxes, where the Albany County Conservative Party declined last spring to choose between Anthony J. Cornell Jr., who will carry the Democratic line in November, and incumbent Republican Nancy Mendick, who ran two years ago with Conservative backing.

Cornell is a registered Conservative and therefore entitled to a shot at his party's support, but the party committee opted to authorize both to petition for the line. Both have done so, and the voters will choose next Tuesday which will carry the line on Election Day. Mendick

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## Braverman files lawsuit against district

By JOSEPH A. PHILLIPS

The controversy surrounding Jesse Braverman wound up on a court docket last week as the Bethlehem varsity baseball coach charged that the Suburban Scholastic Council and the Bethlehem Central School District violated his federal civil rights.

In making the charge, Braverman sought to block the school district's July effort to enforce council guidelines for coaches, demanding he either quit an outside coaching position or lose his school coaching job.

At a special school board meeting on Sept. 1, the district, Superintendent Les Loomis and individual members of the school board were served with summonses in a federal civil rights action filed Aug. 31 on Braverman's behalf. On the advice of its counsel, attorney Roger Fritts, the board declined to discuss the matter, or to permit several individuals to address the subject during the meeting's public-comment portion.

Filed by attorney Matthew J. Kelly before U.S. District Court in Albany, the suit seeks a jury trial against a long list of defendants including various district and council officials. All defendants have 20 days from the date of service to respond to the suit, which has been assigned to the docket of Judge Thomas McAvoy.

The suit is asking the court to rule that

Suburban Council guidelines governing Braverman's out-of-school activities are unconstitutional, and issue an injunction against their enforcement. It also seeks punitive damages in the amount of \$1.75 million, to be assessed against all defendants.

Braverman said that any damages awarded would be used to build a lighted ball field in Bethlehem for the town's youth groups.

Also named as defendants in the suit were Suburban Scholastic Council president Robert McGuire; Bethlehem Central High School principal Jon Hunter, named in his capacity as president of the council's principals group; Thomas McCarthy, secretary to the council's athletic directors; Frank Crowley, chairman of the council's ethics committee; and BC athletic director Frederick Powers, the source of the original complaint against Braverman.

The suit stems from the school board's July 14 vote requiring Braverman to step down as volunteer coach of a Bethlehem Mickey Mantle



Braverman

team, more than half of whose members are also involved in the varsity baseball program — which put him in acknowledgment violation of a Suburban Council rule barring coaches from such situations.

Powers reported the violation to the council in June, and the council's ethics committee then recommended the school board take action against Braverman and another Bethlehem coach similarly in violation.

But the lawsuit contends that the action against Braverman violated his "property and liberty interests, as protected by the 14th Amendment" — specifically, his right to freely participate as a Mickey Mantle coach in his out-of-work time while also coaching the high school team.

Moreover, the suit contends that his due-process rights to be notified of action being considered against him, and to defend himself before the ethics committee and the school board, were denied.

"I very, very politely requested in writing to each school board member on July 19 to have an opportunity to present information on this issue," Braverman said. "I never got a response."

The board has since met twice and reaffirmed its stand. Braverman said a

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## V'ville moves ahead with building plans

By JOSEPH A. PHILLIPS

The Voorheesville school district is finalizing plans for a proposed \$16.9-million middle school expansion project, hoping to put it before the school board at its Oct. 5 meeting, in time to set a Nov. 23 bonding referendum.

One additional hurdle remains, however, before setting the referendum date: acquiring the necessary property for the

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# Bethlehem police report four DWI arrests

By Joseph A. Phillips

Following what had been a fairly quiet August for driving while intoxicated (DWI) cases in Bethlehem, police faced three accident-related DWI's in the closing days of the month.

The first, on Tuesday, Aug. 24, involved a vehicle that according to the police report struck several others in the parking lot at Normanside Country Club in Elmsere. Officer Scott Anson responded at about 9:45 p.m. to a complaint and found Jeffrey M. Sperry, 56, of 101 Euclid Ave., Albany, seated in his vehicle.

Sperry, police said, claimed to have been attempting to use his cell phone at the time of the accident, and admitted to drinking after an afternoon of golfing at the club. After Anson administered

field sobriety tests, he arrested Sperry on a DWI charge. He was ordered to appear in Bethlehem Town Court on Sept. 21.

Another accident-related DWI in the pre-dawn hours of Sunday, Aug. 29, occurred at about 1:30 a.m. near 261 Kenwood Ave. in Delmar. Officer Brian Hughes found Karen Kimbel Michelena, 38, of 8 Woodville Ave., Albany, standing near the rear of her vehicle, which had smashed into a tree. Hughes summoned Albany County paramedics to the scene.

In view of her injuries, Michelena did not undergo field tests, but consented to a blood sample. She was arrested, charged with DWI. She is scheduled to appear in Town Court Sept. 21.

An incident the next day, Aug. 30, led to the arrest of a Glenmont

man on DWI charges, and his wife on disorderly conduct and resisting arrest, after an altercation that briefly halted traffic.

Responding at about 7:20 p.m. to telephone complaints of an erratic driver on Kenwood Avenue near Pine Street and of a street sign knocked down by a vehicle near Dumbarton Drive, Officer Regina Cocchiara stopped a vehicle with two passengers near 405 Delaware Ave. Officer Scott Anson, on patrol nearby, also responded.

The driver, Joseph DiTomasso, 49, of 1 Winne Place, Delmar, was apparently injured in the face and mouth in colliding with the sign.

DiTomasso agreed to take a pre-screening test. But according to police reports filed by both officers, as Anson continued nor-

mal DWI arrest procedures, Beverly DiTomasso became verbally abusive and attempted to pull away when Cocchiara sought to restrain her. Ambulance personnel who had been summoned to the scene and a bystander assisted Cocchiara in wrestling DiTomasso to the ground.

Joseph DiTomasso was arrested for DWI and for leaving the scene of a personal damage accident; his wife Beverly was arrested for disorderly conduct and resisting arrest. Both are due in Town Court on Sept. 21.

A fourth DWI arrest occurred on Wednesday, Sept. 1, at about 4:15 a.m. in Glenmont. Observing a vehicle with a burned-out headlight southbound on Route 9W, Officer Christopher Pauley pursued and saw it braking and swerving near Frontage Road. Catching up with it at a traffic light, Pauley stopped the vehicle and arrested Charles Louis Bianchino, 23, of 316 Elmsere Ave., Delmar, for DWI and with the equipment violation.

He was ordered to appear in Bethlehem Town Court on Sept. 21.

## Storytime registration set at Delmar library

Registration for Bethlehem Public Library's fall storytime sessions will be on Monday, Sept. 13, at the library at 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

In-person registration starts at 9 a.m., and phone registrations will be accepted starting at 1 p.m. Voice mail registration will not be accepted.

Story sessions begin Tuesday, Sept. 14, and run through Thursday, Nov. 18, except for Veterans Day, Nov. 11.

For information, call 439-9314.

## Early BCHS classes to meet for lunch

Bethlehem Central High School's classes of 1934 through 1942 will be joined by former Delmar High School classes of 1929 to 1933 for a noontime reunion on Saturday, Sept. 18, at Normanside Country Club in Elmsere.

If you are in this group and have not heard from organizers or sent in your reservation, contact Dorothy Butler Brown at 439-1817 or by e-mail at gmal1817@aol.com.

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# Safety Awareness Day set at park

By Lorraine C. Smith

Elm Avenue Park in Delmar will be the site for Safety Awareness Day on Saturday, Sept. 18, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The day is staged and sponsored by Bethlehem's major industries: Air Products, BOC Gases, CSX, GE Plastics, Owens Corning and Selkirk Cogen.

Now in its 12th year, this year's safety awareness displays and demonstrations are backed up by more than 20 safety vehicles. Together, they illustrate everyday safety issues, from home and hobby to work and play. The emphasis will be placed on getting safely where you're going, whether by bike, boat, car, train or tractor-trailer.

Guests will be invited to use a Safety Passport to explore the large number of displays, exhib-

in air is invisible, what does liquefied nitrogen look like? What color is oxygen? Visit BOC Gases to see its continuous display as employees freeze fresh carnations and find out what this process has to do with safety.

A separate area will be set up for certified inspectors to check out child car seats. Each year in the Capital District an average of 700 children are killed or hospitalized because of unintentional injuries including automobile accidents, according to the Capital Region SAFE KIDS Coalition.

Allow up to an hour, plus any waiting time, for individual car seat safety checks. WHALE identification packages for child seats will also be available. The program involves simple stickers and labels.

Children who have outgrown

There will be information on EDITH: Exit Drills In The Home, and on school bus and hotel-motel safety.

In the sky, look for the helicopter from Albany Medical Center Med Flight. This vehicle provides medical transport to 50 counties. See it in action as a mock medical evacuation (medi-vac) from the helicopter to a local hospital.

On Saturday, the helicopter will fly out the victim of a mock automobile accident. The accident will demonstrate fire, medical emergency and rescue procedures used at the scene of a personal injury auto accident.

Other vehicles in this safety squad roundup include an array of emergency apparatus such as the Albany County paramedics' Fly Car, "Beat the Heat," Bethlehem Police Department's DARE car, and town of Bethlehem emergency services vehicles.

Adults and children can sit in the driver's seat and check out the controls.

There will also be demonstrations of CPR and the Heimlich Maneuver as well as continuous blood pressure checks and a coloring contest.

Hot dogs, soda and popcorn will be served throughout the day.

Bethlehem industries sponsoring Safety Awareness Day will share their myriad safety skills, resources and continual training to directly benefit community residents.

Other organizations have also added their expertise to present this community safety day. They include Bethlehem Parks and Recreation Department, police and recycling office, and Bethlehem Fire Officers Association, State Farm Insurance, AAA Hudson Valley and Amtrak.

For an education for all ages on safety for everyday activities, or an in-depth look at headline making accidents, bring your family and friends to the safety tents at Elm Avenue Park.

The day is free and plenty of prizes will be awarded. The event will be held rain or shine and everyone is invited to attend.

For information, call Lorraine Smith at Selkirk Cogen at 475-5773, ext. 118 or Eddie Walker at GE Plastics at 475-5454.



Many exhibits like this will be set up for Safety Awareness Day.

its and demonstrations. Those completing the passport will be eligible for prizes including child safety car seats, fire extinguishers, bicycle safety helmets and other safety related items.

All events will be in tents to the right of park entrance and individual Safety Passports will be available at the gate.

For information about railroad safety, check out Operation LifeSaver. At this set of actual crossing railroad gates, visitors can operate the gate, ring the bell and set the lights flashing.

CSX, whose northeast rail operations (formerly known as Conrail) are located in Selkirk, will also feature continuous videos on safe railroad crossings, illustrations of the dangers of trespassing on railroad property, and information on general train dynamics.

Participants can also find out whether or not the driver of a tractor-trailer can see cars in adjacent lanes while negotiating fast-moving traffic. Climb in the driver's seat and experience the driver's limitations from the "No-Zone," courtesy of Air Products of Glenmont.

If nitrogen, the gas we breathe

child seats and are not quite sure about using a seat belt or a opt to tumble along with the Rollover-Convincer. It's guaranteed to convince them of the importance of buckling up.

Whether walking for exercise or transportation, pedestrians can benefit from guidelines and materials offered by two local pedestrian safety committees active in the Bethlehem community. Reflective vests, safety materials, magnets and other safety items will be on hand.

If you would like to crawl through smoke, the kind experienced in a real fire, it is the principal feature of the Fire Safety House.

Participants can also pose with Good Neigh Bear and receive a photo and a safety coloring book.

## First Columbia announces office groundbreaking date

By Joseph A. Phillips

Developer First Columbia Associates wasted little time setting a Sept. 22 groundbreaking for a two-story, 40,000-square-foot medical office building in Slingerlands, having won a green light on Aug. 25 from Bethlehem's town board for the project.

First Columbia hopes to have the building ready for spring occupancy. The building's principal tenants will be assorted medical practices affiliated with St. Peter's Hospital Ambulatory Care Network, which will occupy the building's first floor.

The unanimous site-application approval last month from the town board came on the recommendation of the Bethlehem planning board the previous week, following review of final revisions to the site plan regarding parking and temporary screening.

"We look forward to working

with St. Peter's as well as the other tenants who will occupy the building," said Supervisor Sheila Fuller.

"First Columbia did an excellent job of meeting the expectations of the town of Bethlehem town board and planning board."

"We're very pleased with the action the town board has taken," said Pat Waniewski, coordinator of the Ambulatory Care Network. "We think the service St. Peter's will be bringing to the community will certainly enhance the services we're already providing there. And the new building will be a nice gateway to the community."

"We're going to be planning very closely with the developer to begin moving once the building is practice ready ... once the building is completed and there's a certificate of occupancy, we plan to move our programs in one at a time, within about a month," she said.

# Your OPINION

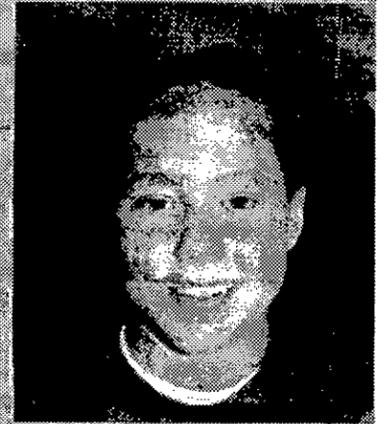
## Question

What are you looking forward to this school year?

Photos by Constance Lupe

Swimming on the swim team.

Becky Corson, 15  
Delmar



American history and lunch.

Richard Bailey, 16  
Delmar



Seeing all my friends.

Kara Kaplan, 16  
Delmar



Playing with friends.

Nick Piliero, 6  
Delmar



Reading lots of new books.

Brittany Bugbee, 10  
Glenmont



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# Kids' 'lasts' slip by like fading summer

By Donna J. Bell

I have spent a lot of time this summer celebrating my younger children's "firsts," from Jolie's first steps to Skyley's first day of kindergarten — each one eagerly anticipated and duly celebrated.

And while those milestones of our children's lives are heralded, others slip away from us, unnoticed and unannounced.

One of these moments snuck up on me the other night. Kyle, my 7-year-old, fell asleep on the couch. And after flipping off the TV, I went to carry him off to bed — a task I had performed countless times before. Only this time I

realized I couldn't lift him. Suddenly I was trying to remember the last time I had picked him up. Surely my baby couldn't have gotten that big that fast?

But then some of the events of the last few months nudged at me. Just a few days before, I had gone to give him a cuddle only to have him slip out of my grasp, shrugging me off. This from my little clinging vine of a toddler who used to wrap his arms around my knees begging for just one more "mommy snuggly bunny."

Weeks ago, my husband and I had exchanged amused glances when he refused to get out of the tub until we turned our backs as he wrapped himself in a towel — it was just last year that we were positive that we were raising a future nudist. And my feelings were only slightly bruised the day he refused to sing our favorite song in the grocery store — in-

stead looking over his shoulder and tugging on my hand — saying "shhhhhh."

When was the last time we had gleefully sung "I've been working on the railroad," at the top of our lungs or the last time I'd playfully tapped his little white bottom while insisting that "yes, he needed to get dressed before we went to the store." And as I sat at his feet on the couch — I wondered when was the last time I had lifted him up asleep, the baby fuzz of his cheek against mine and his soft exhale warm against my neck.

It's the "lasts" that sneak away like the gradual easing of summer into fall. It's the "lasts" that you wish you had back — just one more time.

While you are spending all that time encouraging them to learn new skills, become more mature and take on additional responsibilities — the baby moments of yesterday are quietly disappearing, fading away until they are just sweet moments hidden away in corners of your memory.

Once, as the harried mother of a 4-year-old and a 2-year-old, a

gentleman, who had been watching my children run rings around me, gave me a hand opening a door.

"Celebrate them while they are young," he said wistfully as he gestured over his shoulder to two 6-foot teen-agers. "These are my little ones. They grow all too quickly."

And while you know that in your head — your heart insists that, no matter how old they get and no matter how many "lasts" get away from you — they will always need you for just one more "mommy snuggly bunny."

*Special sections editor Donna Bell is filling in for Katherine McCarthy, who is on vacation.*

## Breakfast dates set

Onesquethaw Volunteer Fire Co. has set dates for its monthly breakfasts at Clarksville firehouse on Route 301.

Breakfasts start on Sunday Sept. 26, from 7 a.m. to noon.

Additional dates are set for Sundays, Oct. 24 and Nov. 26.

Admission is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children.

## Walk to Cure Diabetes seeks volunteers

Bethlehem Cares, a townwide walk team that will participate in the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation's Walk to Cure Diabetes, is looking for individuals and school, church, fraternal, youth and Scout groups to join their team.

The walk is scheduled for Sept. 26 at Corporate Woods in Albany.

The first 175 people who register as members of Bethlehem Cares and turn in at least \$25 for diabetes research, will receive free team T-shirts.

Anyone who wants to join the team can call 439-6894 or register using walk brochures found at many Bethlehem businesses.

If you can't participate but would like to make a donation, mail checks made payable to the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation to Bethlehem Cares, 65 Boylston Drive, Delmar 12054.

## New Scotland GOP plans fall roast

New Scotland Republicans will hold a roast on Sunday, Sept. 26, at Picard's Grove to raise funds for the fall campaign.

Lunch begins at 1 p.m., with a raw bar from 2 to 4 p.m. and a chicken barbecue at 5:30.

Tickets are \$34 for adults and \$17 for children ages 6 to 12.

To purchase tickets, call 482-3765.

## Writer's group seeks new members

The Delmar Writer's Group, an organization for published and soon-to-be-published writers of fiction, nonfiction and poetry, has openings for new members.

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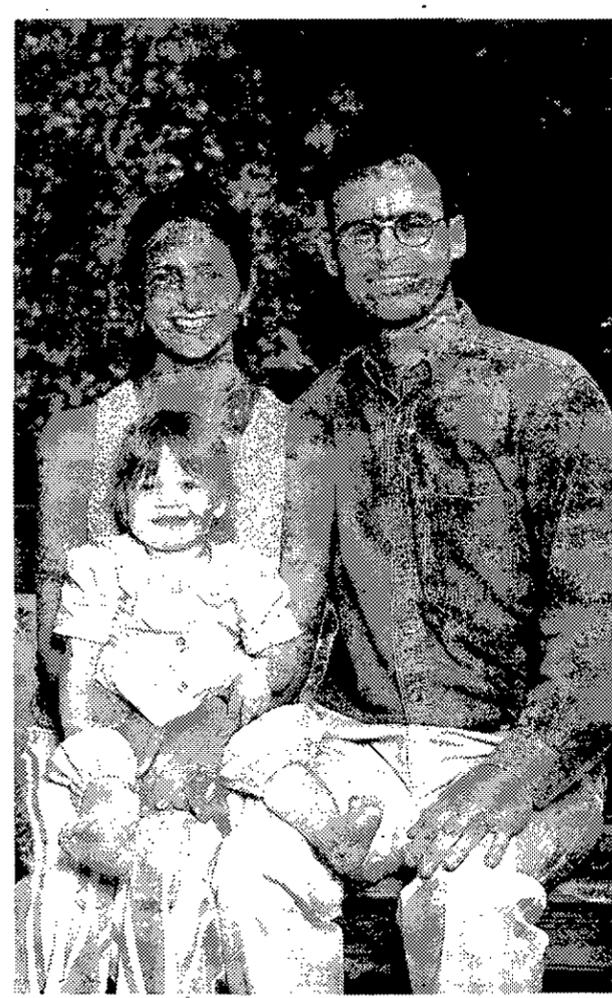
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## Physically Speaking




by Nick Valenze, P.T.

### ICE MASSAGE

If you suffer a sprain or a pulled muscle, the immediate application of ice can spell the difference between a quick or prolonged recovery. The key factor is getting ice on the injured tissue as soon as possible. The ice not only acts as a local anesthetic, but it also reduces blood flow, muscle spasm, and inflammation. Recent research from Georgia Southern University in Statesboro indicates that the quickest way to cool an injury is with an ice massage. This involves moving an ice pack gently over the injured area. This ice application should last for ten to twenty minutes. After that, ice should be reapplied every two waking hours for the next 48 to 72 hours.

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# Land

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addition, adjacent to the existing high school on Martin Road.

The school district's architectural consultants, Collins & Scoville Architects, are readying revised plans for a \$15.5-million building project, including new classroom capacity and a new 800-seat auditorium.

The new wing would accommodate moving the sixth grade from the elementary school to the middle school to join existing seventh- and eighth-grade classes.

Also under consideration is a \$1.4-million proposal for a new pool at the site, to be considered separately from the main project.

John J. O'Connell, the owner of the parcel needed for the project, has refused the price offered by the school board for his farmland, and eminent domain proceedings have been launched by the district to acquire it.

"Until we do, we can't have a referendum to borrow money to buy something we can't buy," said Superintendent Alan McCartney.

## St. Thomas sets picnic date

The Church of St. Thomas the Apostle in Delmar will hold its annual parish picnic on Sunday, Sept. 12, from 1 to 6 p.m. at Elm Avenue Park.

There will be sand art, games and Mr. Bouncety Bounce for the children, and food, music and fellowship for adults. There will also be a giant drawing with prizes donated by local merchants, and a bake sale.

Admission is free and newcomers to the parish are especially welcome. For information, call Pat and Candice Stellato at 439-7767 or Dan and Diane Colacino at 439-5213.

According to Melvin Osterman, the attorney representing the district in the eminent domain proceedings, the school board attempted for months to negotiate a fair price for O'Connell's property before launching eminent domain proceedings.

Archaeological and property surveys and an appraisal of the property are required before the formal condemnation process can move forward.

O'Connell had refused to permit district personnel on his property to complete those studies until ordered to do so on Aug. 4 by state Supreme Court Judge James Canfield.

"I believe the survey is now done, and the archaeological stuff," Osterman said. "A formal appraisal is being done this week."

The district has also filed no-

tice of intent to purchase the property with the state Department of Agriculture and Markets, and "most of that review has been completed," he said.

Efforts to reach O'Connell were unsuccessful.

Environmental impact statements on the proposal have also been filed with the state Department of Education, but O'Connell has not attempted to block the project through that agency.

"We have told his lawyer the ball's in his court now," Osterman said. "He says the issue isn't money, he simply doesn't want to sell the land. It's tough to bid against that. We have to offer him whatever the appraiser thinks the property is worth, but we would be delighted to reach some reasonable accommodation with him. But we have the right to condemn

(the property)."

As the district awaits the outcome of the eminent domain procedure, architect Richard Peckham of Collins & Scoville is revising project plans.

They call for a new classroom wing to be attached to the existing high school complex, as well as a new 800-seat auditorium. The existing auditorium would be converted to classroom space. The plans also call for a new gymnasium and locker rooms, and renovation of laboratories at the current middle school.

These renovations, McCartney said, would not only allow the district to move the sixth grade into the middle school, but also accommodate growing class sizes

in all three middle school grades.

"We looked at split sessions, we looked at crossover (after sixth grade)," McCartney said. "There were several other options, but none of them really fit our profile except expansion."

McCartney said the urgency to conduct a referendum in November derives from changes in state and federal aid formulas that would increase the district's portion of construction costs if the project is not in motion by next February.

Peckham said if the voters approve the project in November, construction could begin in earnest next spring, with a tentative completion date by September of 2001.

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## Stranger danger

Last week, we wrote about how important it is for kids to follow the rules of the road. This week, we feel obligated to caution parents and children about a more sinister threat to children's safety — stranger danger. School's open this week and kids once again need to be reminded of basic safety tips to keep in mind when strangers are involved.

Kids should know that if a stranger approaches, they should not speak to them. Parents should caution kids about the different ruses strangers use with children. They need 'directions,' they've lost a puppy or a kitten or they want to show a child something. Tell your kids never to go near a car if a stranger beckons. Never!

Strangers can be tricky. Kids should know enough not to respond to a stranger even if he knows the child's name. A stranger may have seen the name on a T-shirt or backpack.

Kids should tell their teachers and parents about any incidents involving a stranger.

## Vote on primary day

Don't forget Tuesday, Sept. 14, is primary day. This year there are no major battles on deck for Bethlehem and New Scotland candidates, but a number of political hopefuls are scrambling for additional lines on the ballot in November.

Candidates with more than one line definitely hold an edge over those who don't in many races.

Independence and Conservative lines are particularly coveted and in the last decade have brought candidates to victory, so in essence, primaries can determine who'll come out ahead on Election Day.

So check the calendar for the 14th and be sure to vote.

## Don't miss festival

Another date to mark on your calendar is Saturday, Sept. 18, when Five Rivers Limited and Five Rivers Education Center present the annual Fall Festival from noon to 4 p.m. at the center.

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Five Rivers is a wonderful place to visit at any time in any season, but it would be a shame to miss out on the special fall event, which is free to boot.

The festival will be held rain or shine.

## Editorials

## Rosh Hashana, how sweet it is

By Cecelia Garfinkel

The writer is a member of Congregation Agudat Achim in Niskayuna.

Rosh Hashana, the head or beginning of the year, is a holiday which may bring back many warm memories, mostly having to do with food.

\*Years ago, the holiday meant buying a new fall outfit, complete with a new hat. But as society became less formal in the '70s and '80s, new outfits became less noticeable. Of course one dresses for the holiday, but today, it is all right to be more casual.

Food is another matter — it never goes out of fashion. That means shopping for round challahs made with raisins, apples, honey, honey cake and taiglack, a hard, confection shaped pyramid with honey drizzled over the top.

Rosh Hashana is also a birthday celebration. It is the birthday of the world. Thus the symbolism of the round bread loaves. The honey, the raisins, and the cakes are sweet symbols, so that the year to come will be a sweet one.

I am fond of saying that we Jews are lucky. We get to wish each other a happy new year twice in any calendar year. We are also lucky in that we can stop to take stock of our lives, make resolutions to do better, to make a new start, twice in the calendar year. But there is a difference between Rosh Hashana and Jan. 1, and that difference is a religious component.

I do not in any way mean to imply that our Christian neighbors are not mindful of God in making New Year's resolutions to lead better lives, but Rosh Hashana is not just a day or two holiday — it is part of a whole penitential season. To talk only about Rosh Hashana is a little like concentrating on one corner of a puzzle but never really finishing the whole picture.

Jewish people rarely speak of

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"the holiday" Rosh Hashana. They are more likely to speak of "the holidays," plural. Thoughts of Rosh Hashana are incomplete without thinking of Yom Kippur, the holiest day of the year, the day of fasting and repentance. The two are spoken of as the High Holy Days, not ordinary holidays but special ones. To talk about one without the other is like mentioning one glove, one shoe, something is missing.

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I begin thinking about Rosh Hashana at the beginning of the Hebrew month of Elul, the month preceding "the holidays." Elul ushers in the penitential season. If there is one theme for the High Holy Days, that theme is redemption, a return to God. One begins to prepare for this return by thinking more deeply about one's own spiritual guide.

For Jews, the spiritual guide stems from the Pentateuch, the Five Books of Moses, or Torah. Help for soul-searching can be found in the readings of the week. Right before Rosh Hashana, the readings at Sabbath services come from the Book of Deuteronomy — Moses' last sermon, a retelling of the other four books.

The Ten Commandments are reintroduced as the Israelites are admonished to pursue justice and be faithful to the Lord before they enter the promised land. Rehearing the Ten Commandments and the call for justice helps prick my conscience. The ancient Israelites may have been preparing to live in the land of Canaan, and I must prepare myself to live as a better person in upstate New York.

The beginning of next month, the Hebrew month of Tishrei is Rosh Hashana. At services, a whole new prayer book is used instead of one used every Sabbath

of the year. This book is filled with special prayers tailored to the season. The congregation is reminded once and again of the rulership of God, because the Divine Ruler will soon judge us. The shofar, a shrill horn, is sounded to wake us up to that fact.

From Rosh Hashana for 10 days, called the Days of Awe, the congregation should be preparing itself for Yom Kippur. On Rosh Hashana, according to tradition, the Book of Judgment is opened by God. At the end of Yom Kippur, your name will be inscribed into God's book, hopefully in the Book of Life. At the end of Yom Kippur, the book is sealed.

It is during these 10 days, the Days of Awe, that we are required to make amends; to make peace with any person whom we may have harmed during the past year. We are obliged to ask forgiveness of our fellow men as a first step before asking forgiveness of God on Yom Kippur, the Day of Atonement.

The Sabbath, which comes between Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur, is called Shabat Shuvah in Hebrew, the Sabbath of Return. The return, of course, is to God. The redemptive, the penitential theme is continued. Yom Kippur is approaching.

Yom Kippur is a solemn day as we fast and confess in unison our sins. There is a list of sins. I am not certain what some of these sins listed in the prayer book truly are. Thinking about what they may mean, to what kinds of behavior the writer may be alluding, helps me stay on the penitential track.

The drama of the day is heightened at sundown when we image the Book of God being sealed and the congregation stands in prayer. Then the final sound of the shofar and the High Holy Days are over.

It's a long season, and services on both Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur are unusually long. Yom Kippur services at our synagogue last all day. One can leave the synagogue hungry from the all-day fast, happy and excited to be with friends and family, or quiet and reflective.

No one is forced to search his or her soul at this season, but that is the whole story of what Rosh Hashana is about. It is part of the High Holy Days and a part of the penitential season. The shofar is waking us up to the opportunity to wipe the slate clean and start fresh.

May I take this opportunity to wish everyone a Happy New Year, and may you be inscribed in the Book of Life.

## Thanks to all who helped

Editor, The Spotlight:

I recently was involved in a car accident on Route 32. I would just like to thank those who helped me, especially the Bethlehem Police Department, Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance and the fire department.

A special thanks to Jennifer Graf of Selkirk who stopped and served as a witness to the accident and to Ed Costigan who

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helped me.

I would like to commend the police department and the people of Bethlehem for their kindness and helpfulness.

Rob Shaye  
Delmar

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# Your Opinion Matters

## High school student urges support for dedicated coach

Editor, The Spotlight:

As a Bethlehem student and athlete, I am astounded by what I've read over the past two weeks concerning the Jesse Braverman issue. Though I have never been coached by him, many friends and classmates of mine have. In fact, it seems nearly every child in this town has been coached by him at one time or another. His hard work and dedication shows great character.

Every day, more than 1,000 students walk the halls of BCHS. Out of the many teachers in the building, only a small margin really stand out in the students' minds as true heroes and role models. Not just anyone fits into this category.

There is an individual who puts her heart into coaching the field hockey team, teaches English and spends her spare time running extracurricular activities. Another

spends hours drilling the boys soccer team, teaches history and oversees the student senate.

There are also basketball coaches who run clinics over the summer, a lacrosse coach who led his team to the states and a softball coach who is also a dean. The list does not end there. Not only do these people teach, they give their extra time to help make athletes of the students.

In the eyes of the students, they are incredible people, good friends and people who care. As students, we admire and look up to the teachers who go the extra mile and who want to be a part of our lives. They are people whose company we enjoy. We never hesitate to stop by the classroom after school just to talk or even to discuss a personal matter.

Sophocles once said: "To be doing good deeds is man's most glorious task." Let's show youth

living in Bethlehem that that is a good motto to live by, and something that should never be questioned. Let them see that the types of people who go out of their way for others are the kind who live happy, satisfied lives.

If a man wanting to coach two

baseball teams, simply because he loves working with kids and loves that game, is viewed as a problem by the Suburban Council or anyone else, let's stand up to this ridiculous rule and get behind Jesse Braverman 100 percent. If we don't, we are

downsizing people like him who play the most significant role in the development of our youth.

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## Foreign language clubs take step in right direction

Editor, The Spotlight:

Foreign language instruction is coming to a Bethlehem elementary school! Beginning this fall, both French and Spanish language clubs will be offered after school at all grade levels at Hamagrael Elementary. It's about time and it's the perfect time.

Much has been written recently about the learning power of children. During childhood, synapses are formed in our brains based on

our sensory experiences. The more that a child is exposed to, the more these connections will be formed. This is the time when our brain is learning how to learn.

Childhood, then, is a wonderful "window of opportunity" for acquiring many skills such as the ability to learn a foreign language. Research has shown that 1 to 12-year-olds can learn a second language much more easily than at any other time in their lives.

In addition to the obvious benefits of being able to speak several languages, evidence suggests that exposure to languages other than one's own at an early age can help build cognitive skills. In many studies, young children who have studied foreign languages have gone on to achieve higher levels of proficiency in math, music, science and English.

But according to neuro-research, this "window" is not open indefinitely. If by about age 12, a child's auditory circuitry has not been exposed to a second language, it will never be as easy for them to acquire another language. Also, all of the "mind building" benefits of early learning are lost.

Despite the growing body of research, most school districts wait until middle school or even high school to teach foreign languages — after the "windows"

have closed. Several other local districts, however, are responding to the research and are offering languages to their elementary students. Colonie will be offering after-school programs, and foreign languages are available in some Albany elementary schools.

A group of parents at Hamagrael, with the support of the PTA, have created an exciting opportunity for students to gain exposure to Spanish or French through an after-school program. Clubs will be organized by grade and will meet once a week immediately after school for about 45 minutes. The emphasis will be on learning through talking, singing and playing games.

There will be a fee, but the PTA will provide financial assistance to anyone who cannot afford the cost. Hamagrael families will receive information about the language clubs later this month.

It is our ultimate hope that eventually foreign language instruc-

tion will be integrated into the curriculum of elementary schools throughout the district.

Our committee sent a survey to Hamagrael families. More than 20 percent of the respondents said they would be willing to pay for after-school language programs. I'm sure many more families would be supportive of putting language instruction where it belongs — in our elementary schools' curriculum.

Leona Kassoff  
Delmar

### Kudos to BCHS coach

Editor, The Spotlight:

Thank you to BCHS soccer coach Bill Silverman for setting a fine example for his players.

We might not always like the rules, but if we are going to compete, it's important to play by the rules everyone else is expected to play by.

Florence Furey  
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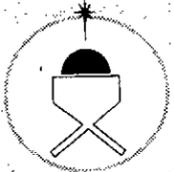
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# Tennis pose



Dr. John Balint of Selkirk, an avid tennis player, enjoys posing with Martina Navratilova in Schenectady's Central Park, where Balint received the Local Legend trophy for his work with liver patients. Navratilova was in town to play with the Electrics in a professional team competition.

# Storytime registration scheduled

Registration for storytime sessions is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 13.

In-person registration begins at 9 a.m., with phone registrations beginning at 1 p.m. No voice mail



registrations will be accepted. Storytimes are designed to suit the needs and development of children from toddlers to age 6. Children meet with their storyteller once a week.

Toddler groups are limited to 15 children, each with an accompanying adult. Preschool and advanced groups are limited to 20 children.

Storytimes are cancelled when Bethlehem schools are closed or have a delayed opening.

Children can make up the session at family storytime.

Storytimes begin Tuesday, Sept. 14 and run through Nov. 18, with the exception of Veterans Day (Nov. 11).

Call the youth services department at 439-9314 for storytime schedules and information.

Also on Tuesday, Sept. 14, at 7:30 p.m., retired Bethlehem teacher Al Restifo will reminisce about "School Days."

Restifo has chalked up hours of research and amassed a collection of photographs and other memorabilia to add to his longstanding love for Bethlehem

schools and students.

Restifo's sense of history is enlivened by his sense of humor in this presentation. Call 439-9314 to register.

Bookchat with C. Clifton Wisler's Civil War novel *Red Cap* continues on Wednesday, Sept. 15.

The discussion group is designed for students in grade five and up with an accompanying family member. Take-home questions guide discussion and are available at the youth services desk.

Regular Sunday hours (1 to 5 p.m.) resume Sept. 12.

Louise Grieco

# Garden club slates Gardens on Tour

Helderview Garden Club will kick off its 25th year with "Gardens on Tour" on Thursday, Sept. 2.

Everyone is invited to tour four diverse gardens. The group will meet at 6:15 p.m. in the large parking lot at Voorheesville Elementary School.

Fliers with direction will be available at the parking lot and also in advance at the village office on Voorheesville Avenue. For information, call 861-7469.

# Nutrition assistance resumes at town hall

A representative from Albany County's Food Stamp Division will be available at Bethlehem Town Hall on Monday, Sept. 13, as the Nutrition Assistance Program sponsored by Bethlehem Senior Services and Albany County Social Services resumes for the fall.

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# Local churches to hold Rally Sunday on Sept. 12

Three area churches will hold Rally Sunday on a Sept. 12.

The Presbyterian Church in New Scotland will hold Sunday school at 9:15 a.m. for children ages 4 and up. There will also be an adult Bible study at 9:15. Church service will return to the regular 10:30 a.m. schedule.

First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville on Maple Road will hold its homecoming Sunday at 9:55 a.m. during regular services. There will also be an 8:30 a.m. worship service.

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Mountainview Evangelical Church on Route 155 will hold its Sunday morning worship hour kickoff beginning at 9:15 a.m. The worship hour will be at 10:30.

**St. Matthew's Church returns to regular schedule**  
St. Matthew's Church on

Mountainview Road will return to its regular Mass schedule beginning the weekend of Sept. 11 and 12.

Mass will be celebrated on Saturdays at 5 p.m. and on Sundays at 8:30, 10 and 11:30 a.m.

**Girl Scouts to enjoy camping trip**

Voorheesville neighborhood Girl Scouts will go on a camping trip from Friday to Saturday, Sept. 10 to 12.

The trip, which will include more than 100 girls, will be at camp Little Notch in the Adirondacks.

A truck bringing up all labeled

and plastic-wrapped camping supplies will be packed on Thursday, Sept. 9, between 6:30 and 8 p.m. at St. Matthew's parking lot.

**PTA to hold room-parent meeting**

The PTA's first meeting of the new school year is scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 14, at 7 p.m. at the elementary school.

There will be a room-parent meeting in conjunction with the PTA meeting. All room-parents are asked to attend and pick up their packets.

The PTA meeting will follow the room-parent meeting. For information, call Bev Currier at 765-

2746 or Karen Belgiovine at 765-2194.

**Kiwanis to meet**

The New Scotland Kiwanis Club will hold its first meeting of the season on Thursday, Sept. 9, at 7 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church in New Scotland on Route 85 in Slingerlands.

**Rod & Gun Club to hold pig roast**

The Voorheesville Rod & Gun Club will hold a pig roast on Saturday, Sept. 11, at the club on Foundry Road.

Hot dogs and hamburgers will be available from 1 to 4 p.m., followed by the roast at 5 p.m.

The menu will also include baked potatoes, corn on the cob, rolls, beer and soda. The cost is \$17 per person.

Reservations are required, and can be made by calling 765-9395.

**School board to meet**

The school board will hold its regular meeting on Monday, Sept. 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the large instructional room at the high school.

**Quilters to hold show**

Voorheesville Quilters and Old Songs will present the fifth annual quilt show Sept. 9 to 12 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Old Songs Dutch Barn at the Altamont Fairgrounds.

The show will include a quilt raffle, door prizes, a quilt sale and the sale of fabric bundles. Completed and works-in-progress will be on display.

Admission is \$2 for adults. For information, call 765-2815.

**SuperValu Foods sponsors bottle return**

September's bottle return receipts at SuperValu Foods can be donated to the diabetes foundation.

October's bottle receipts can be donated to Voorheesville Public Library.

**Library to start fall story hours**

The public library will begin its fall story hours on Monday, Sept. 13.

Story times will be on Mondays at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., Tuesdays at 10 a.m. and Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

**Friends of Thacher Park slate meeting**

Friends of Thacher Park will meet Thursday, Sept. 9, at 7 p.m. at the Hailes Cave Pavilion. New members are welcome.

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# Five Rivers Fall Festival Check out projects on Web site coming up Sept. 18

Five Rivers Limited and Five Rivers Environmental Education Center are cosponsoring the annual Fall Festival at the center on Game Farm Road in Delmar.

This year's festival is set for Saturday, Sept. 18, from noon to 4 p.m. — rain or shine.

The festival is designed to celebrate more than a quarter century of cooperative relationship between a state agency and an active citizens' group, Five Rivers Limited.

The community is invited to share in hands-on crafts, environmental displays and exhibits, nature trails, refreshments, family fun and an open silent auction.

There also will be plenty of entertainment throughout the day. Peggy Eyres will perform original stories and songs inspired by the Adirondacks and the history and traditions of the region.

Stuart Lehman, director of interpretive programs at Herkimer Home State Historic Site in Little Falls, will be decked out in full Revolutionary War era garb, wool frock coat, knickers, a tricorne, ruffled shirt, buckled shoes and steel-rimmed glasses. He will also display surgical tools and herbal medicines used by physicians of the period.

The Board of Cooperative Educational Services STARLAB program's portable planetarium will give participants the opportunity to get a first-hand look at astronomical topics. Presentations will explore the autumn night sky and legends of fall constellations.

In addition, Wayne Trimm, wildlife artist, photographer and writer, and Melodee James, director of Outdoor World for Living (OWL), will explain the natural history of birds of prey, with a live red-tail hawk and great horned and screech owls.

Larry Abele, aquatic biologist, will also be on hand with his live



Peggy Eyres

aquarium of stream invertebrates. Visitors can look through microscopes to see these living water creatures.

And, Lt. Darryl Kittle, forest ranger, will accompany Smoky the Bear to talk about the importance of forests, and the need to be aware of safety measures.

For information about the festival, call 475-0291.

The Mid-Teen Summer Reading Club produced many arts and crafts this summer. Among the projects was a poetry workshop based on postcards. Read the results from the creative and talented Voorheesville poets on the library's Web site. Check out <http://family.knick.net/voorpland> click



the link for youth services programs.

The artist exhibit for the month is a mixed media display by Joan Krathaus. A collection of elephants owned by Sue Kidder is in the display case.

Fall storytimes begin again Monday, Sept. 13. Storytimes are Mondays at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., Tuesdays at 10 a.m. and Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. In addition to reading stories, fingerplays and action rhymes are offered, followed by a short movie and a craft. This is a drop-in program for all ages.

The library has many ongoing

programs for those people who like arts and crafts. Lifestories is a writing workshop designed to aid people in memory writing. Join other writers Saturdays from 10 a.m. to noon

For poetry enthusiasts, the Every Other Thursday Night Poets will meet on Sept. 9 at 7 p.m. New poets are invited to share their work.

Need a new blanket now that winter is just around the corner? Nimblefingers is a group for knitters and quilters. This week, Nimblefingers meets Tuesday,

Sept. 14, at 1 p.m. New members are welcome.

The book discussion group will meet on Wednesday, Sept. 15, at 7 p.m. This month's book is *Montana 1948* by Larry Watson. Events involving 12-year-old David Hayden's family form the framework of the story. It is a novel about courage and love, abuse of power, family loyalty and justice. Copies of the book are available at the reference desk.

Call the library for information or to register for programs at 765-2791.

Jen Rice

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## Bookchat to discuss Civil War novel

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Bookchat is open to students in grade five and up with an accompanying adult. Copies of the book and accompanying discussion questions are available for registered participants at the library's youth services desk.

Refreshments will be served. For information or to register, call 439-9314.

## Cedar Hill museum to get new flag

Assembly Minority Leader John Faso, R-Kinderhook, will present a New York state flag to the Cedar Hill School House Museum on Wednesday, Sept. 15, at 3 p.m. to mark the museum's re-opening for the fall season.

The museum, on River Road in Selkirk, is operated by the Bethlehem Historical Association. It is open Sundays from 2 to 4 p.m., or by appointment. For information, call 767-9432 or 439-2403.

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# Plum Fest scheduled in Clarksville Sept. 18

The New Scotland Plum Fest is being planned for Saturday, Sept. 18, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. in Clarksville.

The day will kick off with Onesquethaw Volunteer Fire Co's famous breakfast, from 7 a.m. to noon, followed by hot dogs and hamburgers from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the firehouse.

New Scotland Historical Association will sponsor a historic drive-yourself tour. Booklets will be available at the firehouse and at Clarksville Community Church.

The historical group will also be selling T-shirts, post cards and year 2000 calendars.

Town historian Bob Parmenter will discuss Clarksville's history at the firehouse at 10 a.m., noon and 2 p.m.

There will be a tailgate sale and

bake sale at Clarksville Community Church and George Ward will sing anti-riot songs there at 1 p.m.

Participants can walk to the gorge and waterfall by special ticket at 11 a.m., and 1 and 3 p.m., and there will be a guided hike up Bennett Hill at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

In honor of the occasion, there will be a special one-day cancellation at Clarksville Post Office.

A crafts sale is scheduled next to the post office and an open house will be held at the Quilter's Studio.

And last but not least, plum cobbler will be on the menu at June's place.

For information, call Ann Eberle at 765-2071 or Marion Parmenter at 765-4652.

# Church to dish up roast beef dinner

Congregational Christian Church of Ravena on the corner of Main Street and Mountain Road will serve its annual roast beef dinner on Saturday, Sept. 11, with seatings at 5 and 6:30 p.m.

Takeouts will be available starting at 4:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$4 for children ages 5 to 12. Children under 5 eat for free.

Tickets can be purchased in advance by calling 756-8334.

## Little Red Schoolhouse slates open house

In the back-to-school spirit, the Little Red Schoolhouse in Coeymans Hollow will hold an open house on Sunday, Sept. 12, from 1 to 4 p.m.

## RCS kids are back to school

RCS schools welcome back students in kindergarten through 12th-grade today, Sept. 8.

RCS Senior High School has a new principal, Richard Rose, and the middle school has a new assistant principal, Greer Miller. Phyllis Spiegel-McGill is chair-

### NEWS NOTES

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woman for the Committee on Special Education.

Welcome to school, staff and students!

Registration for the Adult Continuing Education Program is also set for today, Sept. 8, from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Continuing Education courses are offered on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. There are also several special programs.

Some of the courses being offered this semester are: Aerobics for Women, Basic American Sign Language, Creative Scrapbooking, Introduction to the World Wide Web, Quilting and Country Line Dancing.

For information, contact Martin Case at the middle school at 756-5299, voice mail 336.

## P.B. Coeymans School to hold book fair

Pieter B. Coeymans School will hold its annual book fair the week of Sept. 13 to 17.

This is an excellent opportunity to stock up early on books for book reports, reading lists and holiday gifts.

## Five Rivers to offer butterfly program

Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar, will host a guided butterfly walk on Saturday, Sept. 11, at 2 p.m.

Discussion during the outdoor activity will center on the traits, wing patterns, imitators and habitat of the Monarch butterfly. The free program is appropriate for teachers and adults working with children.

Refreshments will be offered at 7 a.m. before each morning's walk. Participants should dress for the outdoors. For information, call 475-0291.

## Ballet sets auditions for 'Nutcracker'

Albany Berkshire Ballet will conduct auditions for the holiday classic "The Nutcracker," on Sunday, Sept. 12, at 25 Monroe St., Suite 210, Albany.

Children ages 4 and 5 will be seen at 10 a.m. for roles as reindeer; and at 10:45 a.m., children ages 6 through 8, will audition for roles as clowns and finale clowns. Auditions for 9- to 12-year-olds are at 12:45 p.m., with roles as angels and party children available.

Children 13 and up will be seen for roles as soldiers and mice at 3 p.m., and at 4:30 adults can audition for the first act party scene.

The ballet is under the direction of artistic director Madeline Cantarella Culpo. For information, call 426-0671.

## V'ville graduate completes training

Kevin Burns of Voorheesville recently graduated from the Army Reserve Officer Training Corps Advanced Camp at Fort Lewis in Tacoma, Wash.

After completing camp, Burns was commissioned as a second lieutenant to serve in the U.S. Army, National Guard, or Reserve.

Burns, a graduate of Clayton A. Bouton Junior/Senior High School, is a student at the University of Richmond. He is the son of Robert and Chris Burns.

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# Sports

## Blackbirds prove to be too much for Schalmont

By Noah Feit

On a scorching Saturday afternoon, best suited for drinking lemonade and sitting in a rocking chair, the Clayton A. Bouton High School Blackbirds defeated the Schalmont Sabres 24-7 in the football opener for both teams.

The match was a defensive struggle in its early stages. As the game progressed, the Blackbirds asserted their dominance against a scrappy Schalmont team.

Jim Nicholson spearheaded a Blackbirds defense that had Schalmont quarterback Garritt Hopper on the run. In fact, it was not until the very end of the game, when the outcome had already been decided, that Schalmont was able to score.

Hopper, whose primary targets were wideout Dan Lee, and running back Jordan Daviero, had the offense looking sharp running sweeps or dives on first down. However, incomplete passes, penalties, sacks or turnovers on the following plays resulted in many disappointing and stifled drives.

The pressure of the Blackbirds' defense and the heat had the Sabres offense evaporating into thin air.

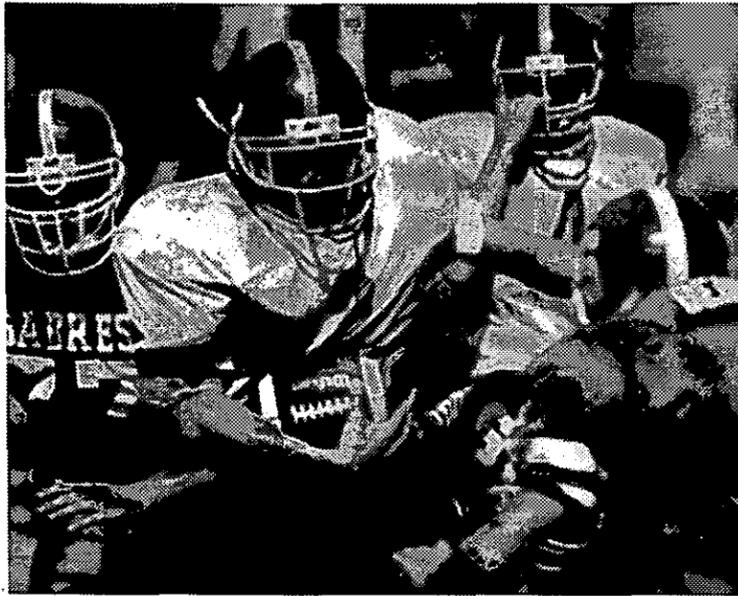
Early on, the Blackbirds' offense struggled with consistency. With new starters at left guard and tackle, coach Joe Sapienza was concerned.

"We got off to a slow start, but when we established the running game, with help from fullback John Mosley, the offense started to click. They couldn't key in on one area, which helped (quarterback) Brian Matthews," he said.

And click it did. After a 0-0 first quarter, the Blackbirds got things rolling when Matthews completed a 73-yard touchdown pass to Collin Adalian. The score was 6-0 at halftime, but those on the Schalmont sideline seemed to have the premonition that roof was about to fall in.

The Blackbirds' completely took over the game in the second half. As he had predicted, Sapienza's offensive line began to gel, creating a potent force. Using a change-of-pace running attack, the Blackbirds fluidly moved the ball.

Utilizing his diverse backfield, Sapienza's play-calling had the Schalmont defense on its heels.



Voorheesville's Joe Nelson (with ball) plows through the line. Jim Franco

The Sabres were unable to quell the knifing runs of halfback Joe Nelson or the smashing blasts of fullback Miller. In a methodical, time-consuming drive, the Blackbirds upped the score to 12-0 on a Matthews touchdown run. Schalmont was in desperate

need of a momentum shifting score. What they got instead was a turnover that led to disaster. Trying his best to turn a short gain into a breaker, Daviero had the ball stripped from him by the Blackbirds' defense. On the next play, Nelson put the game out of reach, running through the shell-shocked Sabres defense for another score.

By the time Schalmont scored, the tally was 24-7 with less than a

minute to go. The touchdown restored some of Schalmont's wounded pride, but it simply was not enough. The tough Blackbirds had too many weapons for the young Sabres to counter.

The Blackbirds left the field feeling good about their performance. This victory only served to strengthen Sapienza's belief that Voorheesville, should be among the "class of the division."

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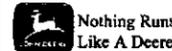
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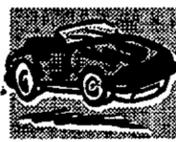
The Bethlehem Mickey Mantle baseball team will hold tryouts from noon to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 12, and Sunday, Sept. 19, at Bethlehem Central High School. Players must be from the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk or Bethlehem school districts, and must be born after July 31, 1983. For information, call 439-0895.

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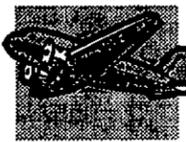
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## Bombers are a big hit in Cooperstown

In Cooperstown, the birthplace of baseball, a special group of Bethlehem 12-year-olds made waves in a national baseball tournament.

These 12-year-olds, most of whom played on the Tri-Village Little League All Star team, came two outs short of reaching the final four in the Cooperstown Dreamspark 49-team tournament.

The annual event in the town of deeply ensconced baseball tradition, brings youth travel/select teams together from throughout the country. The youngsters play for 10 weekly sessions each summer. Tri-Village players have participated since the tournament's inception in 1996.

Most Dreamspark teams are select or travel teams, drawing players from multiple townships or areas of up to a 100 mile radius. Against that competition, it was remarkable that the players from Tri-Village achieved so much.

The Bethlehem Bombers, as they were called, amassed a 5-5 record, including a four game playoff run that included a victory over the tourney's No. 3 seed.

During that run, the Bombers showed off great pitching by Cameron Brown and Daniel Felitte. The strong pitching was perfectly complemented by outstanding team defense, led by Shane Connors at shortstop, Logan Crusan at third base, Chris Morrill laboring behind the plate for all four playoff games and Shawn Bukowski manning left field.

Andrew "Yoshii" Hasselbach also excelled in the outfield and as a relief pitcher, while Paul Parker played a nifty second base and right field.

Sean Manning and Aaron Brauner shared time at first base, and their combined effort led to an error-free performance.

Bomber bats came to life led by Mike Manzione, the designated hitter. The timely hitting continued as Shane Connors (4), Paul Parker (2), Daniel Felitte (1) and Cameron Brown (1) all contributed home runs. Even the team's first base coach, Andrew Stanton, pitched in by keeping the runners alert and focused on opposing pitchers' pick-off moves.

From all reports, the Bombers were said to have advanced farther in the playoffs at the Dreamspark than any other team from New York. The Bethlehem youngsters led the sixth seeded (and ultimate runner-up) from Las Vegas by two runs going into the bottom of the sixth inning, with a final four berth on the line.

Unfortunately, the toll of four games in less than 24 hours proved too much for Bomber pitching and the boys from Nevada pulled it out in dramatic fashion with a home run.

Bomber coaches, Tony Felitte, Ken Hasselbach, Paul Parker and Jim Morrill are extremely proud of these exceptional local athletes. Future Tri-Village entries into the Cooperstown Dreamspark tournament will be measured against the success of the 1999 Bethlehem Bombers.

## BCHS schedules coaches meetings

On Monday, Sept. 13, Bethlehem Central High School will be holding its annual "Meet the Coaches Night," from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. The evening's program is mandatory for all athletes and strongly recommended for parents.

The meeting has two purposes; first is so the coaches can explain rules and procedures governing Interscholastic Athletics at Bethlehem Central. Second, it provides an opportunity for athletes, coaches and parents to meet and discuss their expectations for the season.



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# Lawsuit

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similar request to address the ethics committee in person was ignored.

The suit also maintained that the rule in question was invalid, and perhaps most explosively, that the defendants acted against Braverman, "despite their knowledge that other coaches have been coaching in a similar fashion," maintaining that this constitutes "illegal discrimination ... against this particular plaintiff by virtue of his exercise of his First Amendment rights in contesting the aforesaid rule."

Kelly said the current actions came as retaliation by the Bethlehem athletic department against Braverman for speaking out.

"They set out to punish him because he's expressed himself against the rule, and they've decided to teach him a lesson," Kelly said. "They can't do this."

As for the charge that the council has chosen to overlook other coaches who similarly violated the rule, Kelly said, "At an appropriate time we'll serve subpoenas on those individuals and bring them into court to testify" should it come to trial.

"This particular guideline is honored by all the other school

districts in the breach," he said. "Only Bethlehem moved to enforce it. This district stands alone in an attempt to intimidate a coach."

Both Kelly and Braverman said they hoped the matter could be settled without further court action.

"Jesse Braverman is open to any and all propositions for resolution," Kelly said. "There have been none."

With council officials such as Crowley publicly on record that enforcement is strictly a district matter, Kelly said he expected that "Some of the defendants, the non-Bethlehem defendants, will seek to ameliorate this situation sooner rather than later."

But he said he found the school district's actions puzzling. Noting its refusal to entertain public comment on the matter at the Sept. 1 meeting, he said, "For a public body to indicate that they didn't want to hear from the public on this is astounding to me, and reprehensible to anybody in a civil society."

Loomis acknowledged the suit as "substantial" and indicated that a formal response to the charges would be forthcoming "in keeping with the court's deadline." Otherwise, he said, he and the board had been advised not to

comment on the suit.

For his part, Braverman said, "I would hope that the Suburban Council and school board would reconsider their position and just drop it," adding that he would withdraw his legal action if they would "just leave me alone. Let me coach my teams as I have always done, and just let it be."

He said he had no objections to the spirit of the rule, which is intended to keep coaches from unduly pressuring student athletes to participate in an off-season program. But he said it unduly interferes with coaches volunteering in their communities.

## Ravena church sets roast beef dinner

Congregational Christian Church of Ravena will hold its annual roast beef dinner on Saturday, Sept. 11, with servings at 5 and 6:30 p.m. Takeouts will be available starting at 4:30 p.m.

The full-course roast beef dinner will be served family style.

The church is on the corner of Mountain Road and Main Street.

Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$4 for children 5 to 12. Kids under age 5 eat for free. For tickets, call 756-8334.

# Bethlehem chamber to host golf outing

Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce has scheduled its annual golf outing for Monday, Oct. 4, at Normanside Country Club on Salisbury Road in Elmsmere.

The event will begin at 11 a.m. with registration, practice and lunch.

There will be a shotgun start at 12:30 p.m. Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m.

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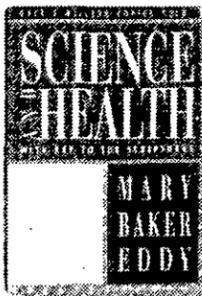


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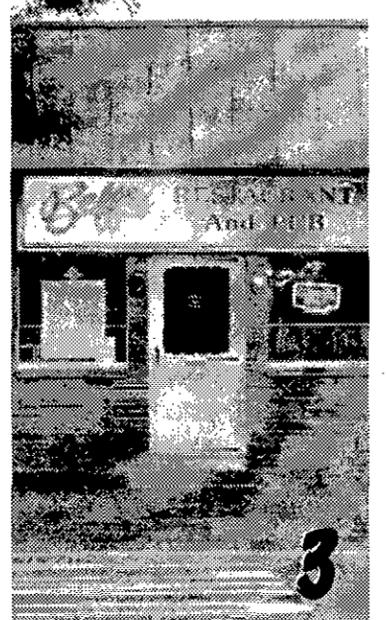
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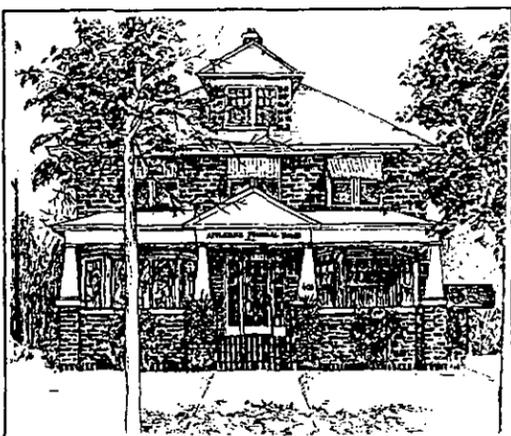
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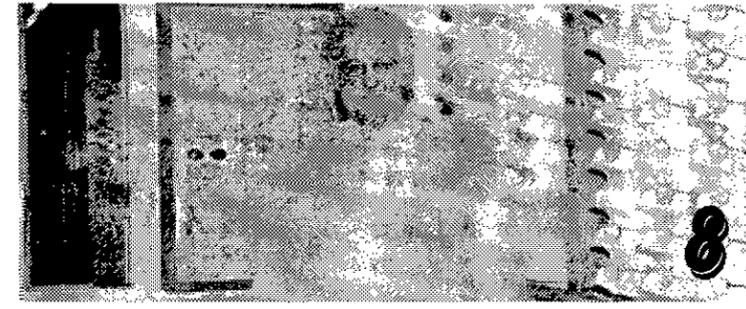
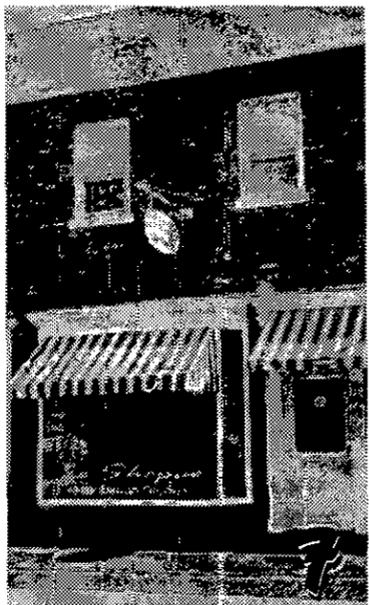
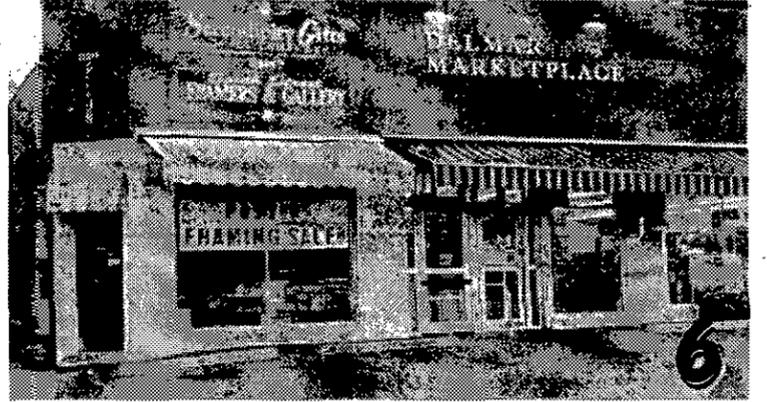
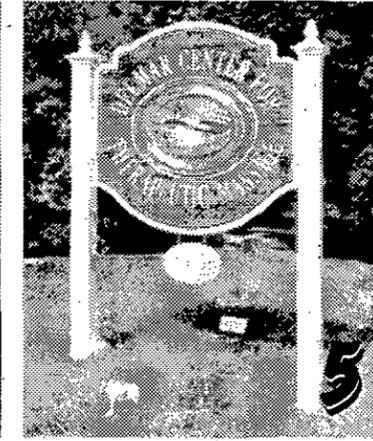
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# Lines

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supporters have also filed an "opportunity-to-ballot" petition securing her the right to mount a write-in campaign for the Independence line, awarded by the town committee to Cornell.

Mendick has so far been the most active candidate, going door to door and concentrating, she said, entirely on third-party voters.

"I've probably seen a third of the (registered) Conservatives and I wouldn't know how many Independence," she said. "It's hard finding people home, that's for sure. ... Just to get people out to vote is an uphill fight. But when my livelihood depends on it, I'm out there."

She conceded that her write-in challenge there will be "hard work," particularly instructing voters in the complicated procedure to write her name in.

Opportunity-to-ballot petitions were also filed on the Conservative line on behalf of Democratic town board candidates George Harder and Daniel Plummer, challenging the endorsements given to Republicans Doris Davis and Parker Mathusa. Davis, the lone incumbent in the race for two seats, also holds one of the two Independence endorsements, while Harder secured the Liberal line.

For the Conservative primary, Plummer is reported to be mounting a modest door-to-door effort, hoping to add their backing to his

Independence endorsement. Davis is also already campaigning door to door, and is not taking her Conservative ballot line for granted.

"I'm quite certain the Conservative line was very significant in my first election," she said. "The Conservative Party historically in our town, and certainly in the last 12 years, has made a significant difference on Election Day. And I believe the Independence Party will too."

She believes third-party enrollees are attuned to the importance of the upcoming day at the polls. "I believe that people enroll in these parties specifically so they're heard, so they have a voice, and specifically in a primary," she said.

On the county legislative level, Democrat Charles Dawson seeks to wrest the Conservative line in the 35th District from incumbent James Ross in a write-in drive. But he will also be defending his Inde-

pendence line against Ross's ballot challenge.

An Independence challenge has also been filed in the 34th District, the heart of Delmar. Republican David Young is hoping to win back by write-in the ballot line he held in his last election, an endorsement awarded last spring to his Democratic challenger, Gary Olsen.

New Scotland's Independence and Conservative voters will also decide next week on candidates for every office except town justice, where Republican incumbent Kenneth Connolly, with Independence backing, runs unopposed.

The entire Democratic slate — supervisor hopeful Martha Pofit, town council candidates Richard Reilly and Kathy Connors, town clerk contestant Diane Deschenes and incumbent superintendent of highways Darrell Duncan — won Independence Party backing last spring. Pofit, Reilly, Deschenes and Duncan won the Conservative nod as well.

That shut out all the Republican hopefuls except Connolly, including Kurt Anderson for supervisor, incumbents Michael Fields and Mark Dempf for town council, Kathryn Martin for town clerk and Joseph Iacobucci for highway superintendent. All will seek those secondary ballot lines through write-in, with that unawarded Conservative endorsement for the second town council seat.

Neither small party backed Republican incumbent Marilyn Holmberg for town receiver of taxes. Though she faces no formal opposition, she is mounting a write-in for both ballot lines.

What is at stake in these add-on-line challenges is more than just bragging rights: "You pick up up to a thousand additional votes with the extra line on the ballot," Fuller said. A secondary endorsement, she said, "can make the difference in a win or loss. They have in my race every time I've run."

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# Youth Network

A BETHLEHEM NETWORKS PROJECT

## Parent Involvement Coalition to sponsor programs

During the summer, members of the parent involvement committee of Bethlehem Community Partnership worked on the goals which they established at the annual partnership workshop.

The coalition has put together a brochure which contains an overview of many of the programs available to families during the school year. It will be distributed soon.

The group also worked on establishing a program for preschool parents. With the youth services department of Bethlehem Public Library, the coalition will sponsor a child-care panel discussion on Oct. 20 at 7 p.m. at the library.

The coalition will sponsor a Parent Survival Course for parents of juniors and seniors on Feb. 7 at 7 p.m. in the high school media center. The presentation will include information about such events as overnight trips, spring break trips and all-night parties.

The group is working on a wipe-off board which will help family members communicate.

The coalition has completed a Bethlehem version of Safe Homes/Safe Community, which includes some simple principles which will help to promote a safer community. We are seeking clever ways to distribute this information to families.

Thank you to the members of the Parent Involvement Coalition. The group will meet again on Wednesday, Sept. 15, at 9:30 a.m. at the office of Bethlehem Networks Project. Everyone is welcome. For information, call 439-7740.



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Robert and Ruth Leslie

## Webb, Leslie marry

Ruth Ann Webb, daughter of William and Lorna Webb of Canton, St. Lawrence County, and Robert P. Leslie, son of Robert and Ramona Leslie of Glenmont, were married June 26.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Michael Catanzaro at First Presbyterian Church in Canton. A reception followed at the University Inn, also in Canton.

The matron of honor was Koreen Thomas. Bridesmaids were Anita Blessing and Anne Sorg.

The best man was Kevin Lang.

Ushers were John Demerest and David Young.

The bride is a graduate of the University at Buffalo. She is a physical therapist at Bethlehem Physical Therapy in Glenmont.

The groom is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, St. Lawrence University and Albany Law School. He is a regional attorney for the state Department of Environmental Conservation in Rotterdam.

After a wedding trip to Montego Bay, Jamaica, the couple lives in Glenmont.

## Births

### St. Peter's Hospital

Girl, Margaret Mary Maney, to Ann and John E. Maney of Delmar, Aug. 17.

Girl, Noelle Catherine Reilly, to Cheryl and David Reilly of Delmar, Aug. 17.

Girl, Summer Marie Hess, to Dana and Bruce Hess of Feura Bush, Aug. 19.

Boy, Thomas Francis Kelafant, to Colleen and Todd Kelafant of Voorheesville, Aug. 21.

Boy, David John Burlingame, to Nancy and Paul Burlingame of Glenmont, Aug. 22.

Boy, Christopher Edward Spiers, to Emily and Darian Spiers of Selkirk, Aug. 23.

Boy, Michael Thomas Bartlett, Margaret and Thomas Bartlett of Glenmont, Aug. 23.

Girl, Heather Jacqueline Porter, to Roberta Vollmer and John Porter of Delmar, Aug. 25.

Girl, Sarah Nicole Rappazzo, to Becki and Joseph Rappazzo III of Glenmont, Aug. 26.

Boy, Colin Joseph Cardone, to former Delmar resident Julie Buehler Cardone and Michael Cardone of East Greenbush, Aug. 27.

### Out of town

Boy, Noah Gabriel Kotzin, to Ellen and Mark Kotzin of Clay, Onondaga County, Aug. 12. Paternal grandparents are Gerald and Dorry Kotzin of Delmar.

## Dean's List

University of Wisconsin — Joelle Rosenkrantz of Delmar.

## Bethlehem high school student attends college art program

Bethlehem Central High School student Matthew Cassidy recently participated in Massachusetts College of Art's August Studios.

August Studios is a program designed for high school juniors and seniors who would like to pursue an education in art, architecture, graphic arts or film-making.

Cassidy attended classes in 2D/3D Fundamentals, large metal

sculpture and film.

Students were expected to produce portfolio-worthy artwork.

In the large metal sculpture class, students completed two bronze castings while they explored fabrication, wax modeling, wax casting, sand molds and finishing techniques. And in the fundamentals of film class, students completed a cooperative film production.

## Slingerlands man re-elected trustee

Walter Eck of Slingerlands has been re-elected to a second five-year term as a trustee of the volunteer Firemen's Home in Hudson.

He was recently unanimously elected at the annual convention of the Firemen's Association of

the State of New York. Eck has served for almost 50 years in fire service organizations, mostly as a leader, and has been president of at least 10 departments.

## Delmar woman appointed to post

Empire State Development Chairman Charles Gargano recently appointed Katherine Loucks of Delmar as deputy commissioner of tourism.

Loucks has served since 1998 as director of Empire State Development's Division for Small Business.

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# Obituaries

## Donald MacHarg

Donald A. MacHarg, 82, of Lake Ridge, Va., and formerly of Slingerlands, who served as general counsel of the state Health Department in the 1960s, died Tuesday, Aug. 31, at Westminster Lake Ridge Health Center.

An Albany native, he was a graduate of Albany Academy and Amherst College. He received his law degree from University of Michigan.

He was an Army veteran of World War II, serving as an intelligence officer. He retired from the Army Reserves as a major.

After the war, he worked in private law practices before becoming a name partner in his firm. In 1963, Gov. Nelson Rockefeller appointed him as general counsel

of the Health Department, a position he held for more than a decade. After he retired, Mr. MacHarg was an administrative law judge for various state agencies.

He was a past master of Masters Lodge No. 5, F&AM. He was a former member of Community United Methodist Church in Slingerlands, where he was on the board of trustees.

He was also a member of St. Andrew's Society in Albany, serving as president in 1991 and 1992. He was a former president of the Monarch Club.

Survivors include his wife, Louise P. MacHarg; three daughters, Marcia L. MacHarg and Laurie MacHarg Henry, both of Great Falls, Va., and Jean V. MacHarg of Alexandria, Va.; a sis-

ter, Phyllis M. Masten of Menefee, Calif.; and two granddaughters.

Services were from Westminster Chapel in Lake Ridge.

Burial will be on Thursday, Sept. 9, in Arlington National Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Occoquan Funeral Home in Woodbridge, Va. There will be a local memorial service at a later date.

Contributions may be made to Amherst College.

## Rudolph Frank

Rudolph Frank, 79, of Pheasant Run Road in Voorheesville died Saturday, Sept. 4, at Albany Medical Center Hospital.

Born in Yonkers, he was raised in West Albany and moved to Voorheesville in 1994.

Mr. Frank was a landscaper and co-owner of Frank Bros. Nursery in West Albany before he retired.

Survivors include his wife, Marie Harper Frank; three daughters, Diane Foley of Altamont, and Patti Paraso and Marilyn Daigle, both of Voorheesville; and six grandchildren.

Services were from St. Matthew's Church in Voorheesville.

Burial was in Memory's Garden in Colonie.

Arrangements were by the Reilly & Son Funeral Home in Voorheesville.

Contributions may be made to St. Matthew's Church, Mountainview Road, Voorheesville 12186.

## Irene I. Morse

Irene I. Vrooman Morse, 82, of Willow Street in South Bethlehem died Saturday, Sept. 4, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Born in Albany, she was a lifelong resident of the Capital District.

Mrs. Morse was a homemaker. She was the widow of Harry Morse.

She was a dear friend of the Wright family.

Services will be private.

Arrangements were by the Rockefeller Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Jefferson Cemetery in Catskill.

## George T. Matuszek

George T. Matuszek, 69, of North Road in New Scotland died Thursday, Sept. 2, at his home.

Born in Albany, he was a long-time resident of New Scotland.

Mr. Matuszek was a machine operator for General Electric in Schenectady for 42 years before he retired.

He was a communicant of St. Matthew's Church in Voorheesville.

He was the husband of the late Shirley Dooley Matuszek.

Survivors include a son, George

C. Matuszek of Valatie; four daughters, Lynn A. Miller of Knox, Christine A. Marshman of San Diego, Calif., Priscilla D. Sullivan of Slingerlands and Jennifer Matuszek of Voorheesville; a brother, John Matuszek of Slingerlands; a sister, Barbara J. Heller of Towanda, Ill.; and five grandchildren.

Services were from the Reilly & Son Funeral Home in Voorheesville and St. Matthew's Church.

Burial was in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery in New Salem.

Contributions may be made to the American Brain Tumor Association, 2720 River Road, Des Plaines, Ill. 60018.

## Joan Brehm Pittz

Joan Brehm Pittz, 68, of Delmar died Friday, Sept. 3.

Born in Troy, Mrs. Pittz was a secretary at St. Thomas School in Delmar.

She was also a pharmacist's assistant at the former Mullen's Pharmacy and Tri-Village Pharmacy. Most recently, she was a tax processor for Fleet Corp.

Mrs. Pittz was a communicant of the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle and a former president of its Altar Rosary Society.

She was a member of Bethlehem Businesswomen, Delmar Progress Club and Bethlehem Senior Citizens.

Survivors include her husband Seward J. Pittz; four sons, Larry J. Pittz of Clifton Park, Gerald F. Pittz of Delmar, James E. Pittz of Keene, N.H., and Timothy J. Pittz of Denver, Colo.; a sister, Grace Strife of Troy; and four grandchildren.

Services were from the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle.

Burial was in Bethlehem Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Daniel Keenan Funeral Home in Albany.

Contributions may be made to Community Hospice of Albany County, 315 S. Manning Blvd., Albany 12208.

## Richard C. Welter

Richard C. Welter, 73, of Delmar died Thursday, Sept. 2, at Albany Medical Center Hospital.

Born in Ridgefield Park, N.J., he was a graduate of Rutgers University.

Mr. Welter was a Navy veteran of World War II, serving as a gunner on a torpedo bomber.

He worked for Honeywell as a regional sales manager for 25 years. He and his wife started Encon Services and Supply in Delmar in 1973.

Survivors include his wife, Isabelle Webster Welter; a daughter, Wendy McConville of Loudonville; a son, Thomas Welter of Delmar; a sister, Dorothy Halbrecht; and four grandchildren.

Services were from the Applebee Funeral Home in Delmar.

Burial was in Bethlehem Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to the Mohawk & Hudson Humane Society, Oakland Avenue, Menands 12204.

## Death Notices

The Spotlight will print paid Death Notices for relatives and friends who do not or have not lived in the Towns of Bethlehem and New Scotland. The charge for a paid death notice is \$25.

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# Native American Festival comes to Glenville



Kileen Vayo, Krapp, above, and her two daughters dancing at last year's festival.

## Traditional music, dance and foods offered in regional powwow

By CASEY CANNISTRACI

**A**merican Indians from across the country will gather to celebrate their beliefs, educate the public and get together for a weekend of music and dancing at Keeper's of the Circle's eighth annual powwow, Sept. 11 and 12 from 10 a.m. to dusk on the grounds of the Schenectady County Airport in Glenville.

The American Indian cultural celebration features outstanding native artists and crafters, food, entertainment and fun for the whole family.

Costs are minimal, with admission fees at \$4 for adults and \$2 for seniors and children. Food and beverages will also be available at reasonable prices.

Grand entry, the main event of the powwow, will start at noon on Saturday and Sunday. Vince Dwyer, chairman of Keeper's of the Circle and a Tonawanda Seneca, will lead the ritual in full head dress.

He explained that the grand entry kicks off the powwow to the beat of a single large drum which is believed to be "the heartbeat of the powwow."

Native American dancing will begin by honoring different flags and all types of veterans, and continue until dusk.

The heartbeat is steady for the duration of the powwow, as well, and is kept up by the same player all day.

The public gathers around the circle during the grand entry and can join the

dancers at any time. Dwyer said that attendance averages 2,000 to 3,000 each day.

The grounds and the circle were blessed last Thursday. Kileen Vayo, secretary of Keeper's of the Circle, said this is done to make sure that everyone arrives safely, leaves safely and has a good time while they're at the powwow. She added that the blessing is to also thank the creator for the opportunity to come together.

"It is very sacred to the Native Americans," she said of the festival. "It is great for everyone involved because it is so varied and so many different types of people are represented. That is the best part about it."

Indian reservations from all over the country will be represented at the powwow. Americans Indians make up the four food vendors and 25 other vendors who work at the powwow. There will be a petting zoo, storytelling, pony rides and hair weaving.

American Indian foods will include oversized tacos, chili corn, venison and bison burgers.

"People like talking to Native Americans on a one-to-one basis," Dwyer said of why he only permits Americans Indians to sell items at the festival. Some of the vendors travel from powwow to powwow year-round.

"People enjoy it because of the ways of the Native Americans and the level of respect for all of the creatures on



Vince Dwyer, powwow chairman, during the grand entry part of the powwow.

earth," Vayo added. "We don't have a lot of those kind of festivals around here. There's no rides, you can just hang out all day and relax and it's educational at the same time. I went to one powwow out of curiosity and joined the group right away."

Vayo said that people are just drawn to what they see at the powwow.

"They want to learn more about Native Americans because they see how they are," she said. "A lot of beliefs are told through the dance and the storytelling. The music is peaceful and serene and they talk a lot about respect which something you don't hear enough about. Also, there are the older, wiser people there who can pass those beliefs on to the younger generation. Families are really brought together."

Keeper's of the Circle is an 80-member nonprofit organization that has both native and nonnative members. The group works to preserve American Indian culture and educate people in any way it can. Everyone is invited to join.

Schenectady County just leased the organization 29 acres in Rotterdam Junction along the Mohawk River to build a cultural center and administrative building. Dwyer said that the group will need to raise more than \$1 million for the center through powwows and state and federal grants.

Bring lawn chairs for seating. No alcoholic beverages or drugs will be allowed on the grounds. The event is wheelchair accessible.

# ARTS and ENTERTAINMENT

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### A TUNA CHRISTMAS

comedy, The Theater Barn, Route 20, New Lebanon, Sept. 10 to 26, \$15 to \$17. Information, 794-8989.

### PLAYWRIGHTS' SHOWCASE

staged reading of five original plays, Albany Civic Theatre, 235 Secind Ave., full-length-plays Sept. 10 and 11 at 8 p.m., three one-act plays Sept. 12 at 3 p.m., \$2. Information, 462-1297.

### ROBIN AND LINDA WILLIAMS

bluegrass, The Parting Glass, 40 Lake Ave., Saratoga Springs, Sept. 11, 8 p.m., \$10 in advance, \$12 at the door, children under 16 free with paying adult. Information, 489-2369.

### TARRYN WAZ

folksinger, Hilton Arts Center, Russell Road, Albany, Sept. 11, 8 p.m., \$10. Information, 462-4531.

## MUSIC

### STILLHOUSE ROCKERS

Old Songs concert, Old Songs Barn, Altamont Fairgrounds, Route 146, Sept. 10, 8 p.m., \$12. Information, 765-2815.

### LENNIE KRAVITZ

with Smash Mouth, Saratoga Performing Arts Center, Saratoga Springs, Sept. 11, 8:15 p.m., \$17.50 to \$30. Information, 587-3330.

### THE SAMPLES

Memorial Fieldhouse, Union College, Schenectady, Sept. 16, 9 p.m., \$15.

### ALBANY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Beethoven, The Evolutionary, Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, State and Second streets, Sept. 17, 8 p.m. Information, 465-4755.

## FAMILY FUN

### IRISH FIELD DAY

music, dancing, children's games, vendors, food and drink, sponsored by Capital District Irish Northern Aid Committee, Cook Park, Lincoln Avenue, Colonie, noon to dusk, \$5, free for children under 12. Information, 456-2002.

## VISUAL ARTS

### NEW YORK STATE MUSEUM

Looking Back: The New York State Museum in the Year 2000, through March 12; Crossroad Images: Postcard Views of Rural New York, through Jan. 2; Treasures from the Wunsch Americana Foundation, through Sept. 13; the Weitsman Stoneware

Collection, through Sept. 13; plus permanent collections, Empire State Plaza, Madison Avenue. Information, 474-5877.

### ALBANY CENTER GALLERIES

John Hampshire, Sept. 10 to Oct. 29, Allen Grindle, Sept. 10 to Oct. 22, 23 Monroe St. Information, 462-4775.

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### AUDITION

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### AUDITION

for RPI Players' November production of "Witness for the Prosecution," Academy Hall, 15th Street, Troy, Sept. 8 and 9 from 7 to 9 p.m. Information, 383-8277.

### SINGERS NEEDED

for upcoming David's Tabernacle 300-voice choir performance of Handel's "Messiah," information, 459-3152.

### 'NUTCRACKER' AUDITION

Albany Berkshire Ballet, 25 Monroe St., Albany, Sept. 12, for ages 4 to 5 -- 10 a.m., ages 6 to 8 -- 10:45 a.m., ages 9 to 12 -- 12:45 p.m., ages 13 and up -- 3 p.m., adults -- 4:30 p.m. Information, 426-0671.

## CAPITAL COMMUNITY VOICES

singers needed, rehearsals at Columbia High School, Luther Road, East Greenbush, 7 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays. Information, 477-8308.

### AUDITION FOR ZUZU

In December New York State Theatre Institute production of "A Wonderful Life," 5- to 7-year-old girl, Sept. 22, 3 to 5 p.m., at Bush Memorial Theatre, Congress and First streets, Troy. Information, 274-3200.

### SING-IN/SING-ALONG

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### Friday, Sept. 10

■ Melissa Ferrick, with Paddy Kilrain and The Staziaks, Empire State Plaza, Albany, 6 p.m.  
 ■ Singer-songwriter duo Ayé, Borders Books & Music, 59 Wolf Road, Colonie, 8 p.m.

### Saturday, Sept. 11

■ Hamiet Bluiett, with Jody Shayne and Hugh Brodie Quartet, Jerry Burrell Unity Park, Schenectady, 4 p.m.  
 ■ Lee Shaw Trio, Borders Books & Music, 59 Wolf Road, Colonie, 8 p.m.

### Sunday, Sept. 12

■ African Dimensions Collective, with Jocamo, Washington Park, Albany, 3 p.m.  
 ■ Four Shillings Short, Borders Books & Music, 59 Wolf Road, Colonie, 3 p.m.  
 ■ Carillon concert, Albany City Hall, 3 to 5 p.m.

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# The Super CROSSWORD

## Super Crossword

### ACROSS

- 1 Kinono feature
- 5 Billards shot
- 10 Come into conflict
- 15 House or sticks starter
- 19 Author/critic James
- 20 "Papa" Dionne
- 21 Actress Perez
- 22 Appraise
- 23 Hindu hero
- 24 Lawful
- 25 Its capital is Shillong
- 26 Pay to play
- 27 Bad traffic situation
- 29 Reception held by the president
- 31 Michael, of TV fame
- 33 Debussy's "Clair de"
- 34 Participating citizen
- 35 Fine-grained sharpening stone
- 36 Appetizing
- 39 Ancient residents of Great Britain
- 40 Way of marching
- 44 White linen vestment
- 45 Word with shoe or drum
- 46 Hooded garment
- 47 Samuel's

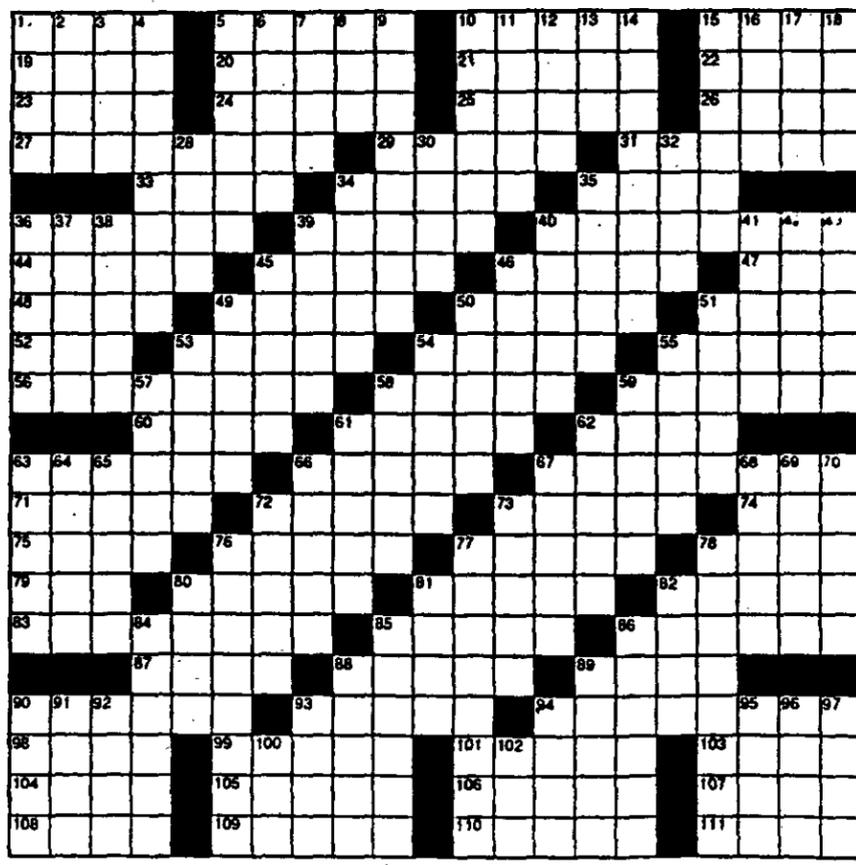
- wise mentor
- 48 Clove-scented perennial
- 49 Custard tarts
- 50 Nathaniel and Artemus
- 51 Washer cycle
- 52 Part of a bus title
- 53 Palm leaf
- 54 Cleopatra's craft
- 55 Reprove mildly
- 56 Stalemate
- 58 Cowboy gear
- 59 Small differences
- 60 Charged atoms
- 61 Gambling game
- 62 Relax in the tub
- 63 Picture holder
- 66 Famous jockey
- 67 Male witches
- 71 Bacchanalian cries
- 72 Losses freshness
- 73 Evade work
- 74 Leo "The"
- 75 Fish or brick starter
- 76 Opposite in character
- 77 Demented
- 78 Dorothy's dog
- 79 Once called City
- 80 Sheik's retreat

- 81 Young pheasant
- 82 Baseball great and TV host
- 83 In the hoosegow
- 85 Twin crystal
- 86 Showing the most pluck
- 87 Ship's steering wheel
- 88 Stoppers
- 89 "The Animal" (movie)
- 90 River in New Jersey
- 93 Friend of the Lone Ranger
- 94 Cotter pin
- 98 TV star
- 99 Fill too full
- 101 Word before shop or suit
- 103 Baker's need
- 104 Body or dot
- 105 Called
- 108 Rudely concise
- 107 Relief org.
- 108 Short clicks in Morse code
- 109 Report or rumor
- 110 Like Georgia Brown of song
- 111 Swiss abstract painter

- DOWN
- 1 Marionette maker
- 2 Temple's ex-husband
- 3 Large highway hauler
- 4 Wrestler's hold
- 5 Plymouth, for one
- 6 Lewis Carroll heroine
- 7 Actor Moran of "Ghost-busters"
- 8 Duct or form starter
- 9 Ben and daughter, of TV
- 10 Longs for eagerly
- 11 Charlie Brown, usually
- 12 Hartebeest
- 13 Keresan Indian
- 14 Short-necked evergreens
- 15 Construction-site sights
- 16 Bill or book
- 17 Preminger, of films
- 18 Hammer part
- 28 Angler's need
- 30 Kitchen follower
- 32 Paul of songdom
- 34 Article of food
- 35 Wandering tribe

- 36 Pleasingly tasty
- 37 Ammonia derivative
- 38 Flowering, woody plant
- 39 April 1 occurrence
- 40 Slow and stately, in music
- 41 Lukewarm
- 42 Suppress
- 43 Isle of —, south of Cuba
- 45 Voting groups
- 46 Analyze a sentence
- 49 Weather-map area
- 50 Squander
- 51 Military dress hat
- 53 Ice fields
- 54 Parade features
- 55 Classroom need
- 57 Drained by a ditch
- 58 Not a party animal
- 59 "Who's — Now" (song)
- 61 "Call Me —"
- 62 Canonized one
- 63 Same as
- 64 Convex molding
- 65 Baby's complaint
- 66 Dried orchid

- tubers
- 67 Sale or some starter
- 68 Biological duplicate?
- 69 Birds of prey
- 70 Golf or tennis
- 72 Ancient Roman square
- 73 Spiritual entities
- 76 Closes against entrance
- 77 Maneuvers in labor disputes
- 78 Bank vault security device
- 80 Umbel Uriah
- 81 Essential element
- 82 Green vegetable
- 84 Military uniforms
- 85 Blue day?
- 88 Gem stone
- 88 Shrink in fear
- 89 L.O.O.M. member
- 90 Peruse
- 91 Cartoonist Peter
- 92 Catcher's glove
- 93 Barcelona bull
- 94 Place or plug starter
- 95 Egg-shaped
- 96 Wax
- 97 Cap or hole starter
- 100 Bosh!
- 102 Novel



# Spotlight CALENDAR

## WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 8

### BETHLEHEM

**BUTTON CLUB IN DELMAR**  
Monthly meeting, new members welcome. Half Moon Button Club of the Capital District, Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

**YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SVCS.**  
Parks and Recreation Office, Elm Avenue Park, 2 to 4:30 p.m. *Also Tues., Thurs.* Information, 439-0503.

**SOLID ROCK CHURCH**  
evening prayer and Bible study, 7 p.m., 1 Kenwood Ave. Information, 439-4314.

**TOWN BOARD**  
town hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955.

**TRAVELOGUE PROGRAM**  
"The Himalayas and Lowlands of Nepal," slide program presented by Dan Welch, Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 355-5615.

**BETHLEHEM TOASTMASTERS**  
The Clubhouse, Adams Station Apts., 1 Juniper Drive, Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-0871.

**BINGO**  
Blanchard American Legion Post, 16 Poplar Drive, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9819.

**BOY SCOUT TROOP 58**  
Elsmere Elementary School, 247 Delaware Ave., 7:30 to 9 p.m.

**RED MEN**  
St. Stephen's Church, Elsmere, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-3265.

**DELMAR FIRE COMMISSION**  
firehouse, Adams Place, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-3851.

**TESTIMONY MEETING**  
First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 8 p.m. Information, 439-2512.

### NEW SCOTLAND

**MOUNTAINVIEW EVANGELICAL-FREE CHURCH**  
evening service, Bible study and prayer, Route 155, 7:30 p.m. Information, 765-3390.

**FAITH TEMPLE**  
Bible study, New Salem, 7:30 p.m. Information, 765-2870.

**NEW SCOTLAND SENIORS**  
Wyman Osterhout Community Center, New Salem, call for time. Information, 765-2109.

**AA MEETING**  
First Methodist Church of Voorheesville, 68 Maple St., 8 p.m. Information, 489-6779.

**AL-ANON MEETING**  
First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville, 68 Maple St., 8 p.m. Information, 489-6779.

## THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 9

### BETHLEHEM

**EARLY BIRDER WALK**  
Participants should dress for outdoors and bring binoculars. Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar, 7:30 a.m., refreshments at 7 a.m. Information, 475-0291.

**BETHLEHEM COMM. CHURCH**  
women's Bible study, 9:30 to 11:15 a.m. In a local home, children's program and nursery provided for morning session, 201 Elm Ave. Information, 439-3135.

**RECOVERY, INC.**  
self-help for chronic nervous symptoms, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., 10 a.m. Information, 439-9976.

**BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS**  
town hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 12:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955

**HOMEWORK HELP CENTER**  
Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., 6 to 8 p.m. Information, 439-0503.

**CHP DELMAR HEALTH CENTER**  
open house, 250 Delaware Ave., 6 and 8 p.m. Information, 783-1864.

**CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP**  
Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, 35 Adams Place, 7 p.m. Information, 439-7387.

**DELMAR FIRE DEPT. LADIES AUX.**  
firehouse, Adams Place, 7:30 p.m.

**ELSMERE FIRE CO. AUX.**  
firehouse, Poplar Drive, 7:30 p.m.

**BOOK DISCUSSION**  
Great Books Discussion Group to focus on a selection from, Thucydides' "History of the Peloponnesian War."

Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

**BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN**  
children's choir, 6:30 p.m., senior choir, 7:30 p.m., 85 Elm Ave. Information, 439-4328.

**CLASS IN JEWISH MYSTICISM**  
Delmar Chabad Center, 109 Elsmere Ave., 8 p.m. Information, 439-8280.

**BETHLEHEM MEMORIAL VFW**  
Post 3185, 404 Delaware Ave., 8 p.m. Information, 439-9836.

**AA MEETINGS**  
Slingerlands Community Church, 1499 New Scotland Road, noon, and Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., 8:30 p.m. Information, 489-6779.

## FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 10

### BETHLEHEM

**QUILTERS UNITED**  
Quilters United in Learning Together meeting, "show and share" summer projects; visitors, new members welcome. United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Avenue, Delmar, 9:30 a.m. Information, 456-0552.

**"LIBRARY BABIES"**  
Program for children 15-21 mo., parents and caregivers; Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10 a.m. Information 439-9314.

**AA MEETING**  
First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, Route 9W, 7:30 p.m. Information, 489-6779.

**CHABAD CENTER**  
Friday services, discussion and kiddush at sunset, 109 Elsmere Ave. Information, 439-8280.

### NEW SCOTLAND

**YOUTH GROUP**  
United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New Salem, 7 p.m. Information, 765-4410.

## SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 11

### BETHLEHEM

**BUTTERFLY WALK**  
Focusing on the traits and habitat of the Monarch butterfly and its imitators; participants should dress for outdoors and bring binoculars. Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar, 2 p.m. Information, 475-0291.

**AA MEETING**  
Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 489-6779.

### NEW SCOTLAND

**PIG ROAST IN V'VILLE**  
Hot dogs and hamburgers, 1-4 p.m., pig roast 5 p.m.; sponsored by Voorheesville Rod and Gun Club. \$17 per person, reservations required; 765-9395.

## SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 12

### BETHLEHEM

**ST. THOMAS THE APOSTLE**  
Masses — Saturday at 5 p.m. and Sunday at 7:30, 9, 10:30 a.m. and noon, 35 Adams Place. Information, 439-4951.

**ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL**  
Holy Eucharist, 8 and 10:30 a.m., coffee and fellowship, nursery care provided, church school, 9:25 a.m., Poplar Drive and Elsmere Avenue. Information, 439-3265.

**BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN**  
85 Elm Ave., Delmar, worship services 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Sunday School and Bible classes 9:15 a.m., infant and nursery care, assistive listening devices, handicap accessible, coffee/fellowship. Information, 439-4328.

**DELMAR REFORMED**  
Sunday School and worship service, 9 and 11 a.m. T.G.I. Sunday contemporary worship at 5:30 p.m. with children's program. Nursery care Available at all worship times. 386 Delaware Ave. Information, 439-9929.

**SOUTH BETHLEHEM UMC**  
Sunday school, 9:30 a.m., worship service, 11 a.m., followed by coffee hour, 65 Willowbrook Avenue. Information, 767-9953.

**DELMAR FULL GOSPEL**  
Sunday service, 9:30 a.m., with Sunday school and nursery, home groups, women's Bible studies and youth group, 292 Elsmere Ave. Information, 439-4407.

**FIRST REFORMED OF BETHLEHEM**  
Worship service, 10 a.m., child-care provided, Vespers 7 p.m. Wednesdays, Route 9W, Seikirk. Information, 767-2243.

**FIRST UMC OF DELMAR**  
Sunday school and worship service, 9:30 a.m., adult classes and fellowship 11 a.m., child-care provided, 428 Kenwood Ave. Information, 439-9976.

**MOUNT MORIAH MINISTRIES**  
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m., morning worship, 11 a.m., youth group, 6 p.m., evening service, 7 p.m., Route 9W, Glenmont. Information, 426-4510.

**UNITY OF FAITH CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**  
Sunday school and worship service, 10 a.m., 436 Krumkill Road. Information, 438-7740.

**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST**  
Sunday school and worship service, 10 a.m., child-care provided, 555 Delaware Ave. Information, 439-2512.

**BETHLEHEM COMM. CHURCH**  
Sunday school and worship service, 10 a.m., nursery provided, 201 Elm Ave. Information, 439-3135.

**BETHLEHEM CONGREGATION OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES**  
Bible lecture, 10 a.m., Watchtower Bible study, 10:55 a.m., Elm Avenue and Feura Bush Road. Information, 439-0358.

**SLINGERLANDS COMMUNITY UMC**  
worship service and church school, 10 a.m., fellowship hour, nursery care provided, 1499 New Scotland Road. Information, 439-1766.

**DELMAR PRESBYTERIAN**  
worship service, church school, nursery care, 10 a.m., fellowship and coffee, 11 a.m., adult education, 11:15 a.m., family communion service, first Sunday, 585 Delaware Ave. Information, 439-9252.

**GLENMONT COMM. CHURCH**  
Sunday school and worship service, 10:30 a.m., child-care available, 1 Chapel Lane. Information, 436-7710.

**SOLID ROCK CHURCH**  
worship service, 11 a.m., 1 Kenwood Ave. Information, 439-4314.

### NEW SCOTLAND

**ST. MATTHEW'S RC CHURCH**  
Masses Saturday at 5 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 and 10:30 a.m., Mountain View Road, Voorheesville. Information, 765-2805.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST**  
early worship, 8:30 a.m., worship celebration, 10 a.m., church school classes for nursery through high school, 10 a.m., choir rehearsals, 11:15 a.m., 68 Maple Ave., Voorheesville. Information, 765-2895.

**BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday school, 9:15 a.m., worship service, 10:15 a.m., Auberge Suisse Restaurant, Route 85. Information, 475-9086.

**UNIONVILLE REFORMED**  
Sunday school, 9:15 a.m., worship service, 10:30 a.m., followed by fellowship, Delaware Turnpike. Information, 439-5001.

**CLARKSVILLE COMM. CHURCH**  
Sunday school, 9:15 a.m., worship service, 10:30 a.m., followed by coffee hour, nursery care provided, Route 443. Information, 768-2916.

**MOUNTAINVIEW EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH**  
worship service, 9:30 a.m., nursery care provided, Route 155, Voorheesville. Information, 765-3390.

**ONESQUETHAW REFORMED**  
worship service, 9:30 a.m., Sunday school, 10:45 a.m., Tarrytown Road, Feura Bush. Information, 768-2133.

**FAITH TEMPLE**  
Sunday school, 10 a.m., worship service, 7 p.m., New Salem. Information, 765-2870.

**JERUSALEM REFORMED**  
worship service, 10:30 a.m., followed by coffee hour, child-care provided, Route 32, Feura Bush. Information, 439-0548.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN NS**  
worship service, 10:30 a.m., Sunday school, 9:15 a.m., nursery care provided, Route 85. Information, 439-6454.

**UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
Sunday school and worship service, 10 a.m., choir rehearsal, 5 p.m., evening service, 6:45 p.m., Route 85, New Salem. Information, 765-4410.

**FAMILY WORSHIP CENTER**  
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m., nursery and Sunday School available, Thursday night prayer and praise at 7 p.m. Information, 768-2021.

**NEW SCOTLAND HISTORICAL ASSOC.**  
in the Wyman Osterhout Community Center, New Salem, 2 to 4 p.m. Information, 765-4446.

## MONDAY SEPTEMBER 13

### BETHLEHEM

**NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**  
Representative of Albany County Food Stamp Division on hand to assist seniors, permanently disabled in completing applications and recertifications. Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m.-noon. Information, 439-4955, ext. 173.

**STORYTIME REGISTRATION**  
In person registration for sessions through Nov. 18 begins 9 a.m.; phone registrations, 1 p.m.; no voice-mail registrations. Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

**MOTHERS' TIME OUT**  
Christian fellowship group for mothers of preschool children, Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., nursery care provided, 10 to 11:30 a.m. Information, 439-9929.

**DELMAR KIWANIS**  
Days Inn, Route 9W, 6:15 p.m. Information, 439-24377 or 439-6952.

**INDOOR PISTOL SHOOTING**  
Albany County Pistol Club, Winne Place, 7 to 9 p.m. *Also Tuesday.* Information, 439-0057.

**LIBRARY BOARD**  
Monthly meeting, Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

**DELMAR COMM. ORCHESTRA**  
rehearsal, town hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-1603.

**TEMPLE CHAPTER 5 RAM**  
Masonic Temple, 421 Kenwood Ave.

**AA MEETING**  
Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 8:30 p.m. Information, 489-6779.

### NEW SCOTLAND

**QUARTET REHEARSAL**  
United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New Salem, 7:15 p.m. Information, 765-4410.

## TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 14

### BETHLEHEM

**TREASURE COVE THRIFT SHOP**  
First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

**TAKE POUNDS OFF SENSIBLY**  
Glenmont Community Church, Weiser Street, 6 p.m. weigh-in, 6:30 p.m. meeting. Information, 449-2210.

**ELSMERE FIRE COMMISSION**  
firehouse, Poplar Drive, 7:15 p.m. Information, 439-9144.

**LIBRARY TALK**  
"School Days, School Days In Bethlehem": Retired teacher Al Restifo shares memories, research and memorabilia. Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9314.

**A.W. BECKER PTA**  
Becker Elementary School, Route 9W, 7:30 p.m. Information, 767-2511.

**BINGO**  
at the Bethlehem Elks Lodge, Route 144, 7:30 p.m.

**SLINGERLANDS FIRE COMMISSION**  
firehouse, 8 p.m. Information, 439-4734.

### NEW SCOTLAND

**STORY HOUR**  
Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School Road, 10 a.m. Information, 765-2791.

**NIMBLEFINGERS/QUILTERS**  
Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School Road, 1 to 3 p.m. Information, 765-2791.

## WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 15

### BETHLEHEM

**YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SVCS.**  
Parks and Recreation Office, Elm Avenue Park, 2 to 4:30 p.m. *Also Tues., Thurs.* Information, 439-0503.

**BETHLEHEM LIONS CLUB**  
Days Inn, Route 9W, Glenmont, 7 p.m. Information, 439-4857.

**BETHLEHEM ELKS LODGE 2233**  
Route 144, Cedar Hill, 8 p.m. Information, 767-2886.

**SOLID ROCK CHURCH**  
1 Kenwood Ave., evening prayer and Bible study, 7 p.m. Information, 439-4314.

**ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**  
town hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955.

**BINGO**  
Blanchard American Legion Post, 16 Poplar Drive, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-9819.

**BOY SCOUT TROOP 58**  
Elsmere Elementary School, 247 Delaware Ave., 7:30 to 9 p.m.

**BC SCHOOL BOARD**  
district office, 90 Adams Place, 8 p.m. Information, 439-7098.

**ONESQUETHAW CHAPTER, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR**  
Masonic Temple, 421 Kenwood Ave., 8 p.m. Information, 439-2181.

**TESTIMONY MEETING**  
First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 8 p.m. Information, 439-2512.

### NEW SCOTLAND

**V'VILLE PLANNING COMMISSION**  
village hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 765-2692.

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**LEGAL NOTICE****LEGAL NOTICE**

1. Name of the Limited Liability Company, (hereinafter LLC) is Buffalo Associates, LLC.  
 2. Date of filing of Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State is 5/3/99.  
 3. Office is located in Albany County.  
 4. Secretary of State is designated as Agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.  
 5. Post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served upon him or her is: c/o Victor Caponera, Jr., 3 Atrium Drive, Albany, New York 12205. The LLC shall not have a registered agent.  
 6. The Company has no specific date of dissolution. The LLC is formed for any lawful business purpose and shall have all the powers set forth in Section 202(a) - 202(q) of the New York Limited Liability Company Law. (September 8, 1999)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

1. Name of the Limited Liability Company, (hereinafter LLC) is Loudon Realty LLC.  
 2. Date of filing of Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State is 7/6/99.  
 3. Office is located in Albany County.  
 4. Secretary of State is designated as Agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.  
 5. Post office address to which the secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served upon him or her is: c/o Jeff Seymour, 34 Claremont Road, Stillwater, New York 12170. The LLC shall not have a registered agent.  
 6. The Company has no specific date of dissolution. The LLC is formed for any lawful business purpose and shall have all the powers set forth in Section 202(a) - 202(q) of the New York Limited Liability Company Law. (September 8, 1999)

**ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF BLUE LAGOON, LLC**

Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law  
 FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is: BLUE LAGOON, LLC.  
 SECOND: The principal office of the limited liability company is to be located in Albany County in the State of New York.  
 THIRD: The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address within or without this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served upon him or her is: Conway Lavelle & Finn, LLP, 450 New Karner Road, Albany, New York 12205.  
 FOURTH: The Articles of Organization are to be effective upon filing.  
 FIFTH: The limited liability company is to be managed by one or more managers.  
 SIXTH: The business purposes of this limited liability company are to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the Limited Liability Company Law; provide, however, that the limited liability company is not formed to engage in any act or activity requiring the consent or approval of any state official, department, board, agency or other body without first obtaining the consent of such body.  
 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this certificate has been subscribed this 2nd day of August, 1999, by the undersigned who affirms that the statements made herein are true under the penalties of perjury.  
 s/ Rosemary Weaver McKenna, Organizer  
 26 Russell Road, Albany, NY 12203  
 (September 8, 1999)

**ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF OHRD, LLC**

Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York  
 THE UNDERSIGNED, being a natural person of at least eighteen (18) years of age and acting as the organizer of the limited liability company (the "Company") hereby being formed under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York (the "LLCL") certifies that:  
 FIRST: The name of the com-

**LEGAL NOTICE**

pany is OHRD, LLC.  
 SECOND: The purpose of the Company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLCL.  
 THIRD: The county within the State of New York in which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany.  
 FOURTH: The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the Company upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company served upon whom such Secretary of State is c/o OHRD, LLC, The Arnoff Building, 991 Broadway, Suite 207, Albany, New York 12204.  
 FIFTH: The Company is to be managed by one or more members.  
 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed this certificate and do hereby affirm the foregoing as true under the penalties of perjury, this 9th day of August, 1999.  
 Vincent L. Valenza, Attorney-In-Fact  
 (September 8, 1999)

**ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF VAN WIE GROUP, LLC**

Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York  
 THE UNDERSIGNED, being a natural person of at least eighteen (18) years of age and acting as the organizer of the limited liability company (the "Company") hereby being formed under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York (the "LLCL") certifies that:  
 FIRST: The name of the company is VAN WIE GROUP, LLC.  
 SECOND: The purpose of the company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLCL.  
 THIRD: The county within the State of New York in which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany.  
 FOURTH: The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the Company upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company served upon whom such Secretary of State is c/o Van Wie Group, LLC, 31 Balboa Drive, Latham, New York 12110.  
 FIFTH: The Company is to be managed by one or more members.  
 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed this certificate and do hereby affirm the foregoing as true under the penalties of perjury, this 10th day of August, 1999.  
 Richard A. Langer, Attorney-In-Fact  
 (September 8, 1999)

**CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP OF LANSINGBURGH PARTNERS, L.P.**

UNDER SECTION 121-201 OF THE REVISED LIMITED PARTNERSHIP ACT  
 1. The name of the limited partnership is "LANSINGBURGH PARTNERS, L.P."  
 2. The county in which the office of the limited partnership is located is Albany County, New York.  
 3. The Secretary of State is hereby designated as agent of the limited partnership upon whom process against it may be served, and the office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited partnership served upon him is 482 New Loudon Road, Latham, New York 12110.  
 4. The name and business address of the sole general partner is: Shopping Center Development Co., L.L.C.  
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 5. The latest date upon which the limited partnership is to dissolve is August 1, 2099.  
 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Limited Partnership on the 28th day of July, 1999, and verify and affirm under penalties of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct as of the date hereof.  
 s/KENNETH B. SEGEL  
 SHOPPING CENTER DEVELOPMENT CO., L.L.C.  
 BY: KENNETH B. SEGEL, Member  
 (September 8, 1999)

**LEGAL NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF MILLER FAMILY REALTY, L.L.C. (UNDER SECTION 203 OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK)**

The Undersigned, being a natural person of at least eighteen (18)

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years of age and acting as the organizer of the limited liability company hereby being formed under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York (the "LLCL"), certifies that:  
 The name of the company is Miller Family Realty, L.L.C. (the "Company").  
 SECOND: The purpose of the Company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLCL.  
 Third: The county within the State of New York in which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany.  
 FOURTH: The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the Company upon whom process against the company may be served. The post office address within or without the State of New York to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company served upon such secretary of State is: Miller Family Realty, L.L.C., 277 Clipp Road, Delmar, New York 12054.  
 FIFTH: The Company is to be managed by one or more members.  
 SIXTH: The Company shall have the power or indemnify, to the full extent permitted by the LLCL, as amended from time to time, all persons whom it is permitted to indemnify pursuant thereto.  
 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed this certificate and do hereby affirm the foregoing as true under penalties of perjury, this 27th day of August, 1999.  
 s/ALAN M. JEZERSKI, Organizer  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NAME OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: PT ED SYSTEMS, LLC**

Date of filing articles of organization: August 9, 1999  
 County in which L.L.C. is located: Albany  
 The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the L.L.C. upon whom process against it may be served. The secretary of state shall mail a copy of any process against it to P.O. address 1176 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, N.Y. 12054. The registered agent of the L.L.C. is Nancy T. Farina, 1176 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, N.Y. 12054. The registered agent is to be agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The dissolution date is year 2050. The character and purpose of the business is consultation in connection with physical therapy.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION PURSUANT TO NY LLC LAW SECTION 206**

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company (LLC) is G. and G. Storage Co., LLC.  
 2. The date of the filing of the Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State was July 21, 1999.  
 3. The County within this State in which the office of the LLC is to be located in Albany.  
 4. The Secretary of State of New York has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served, and the post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against it is: P.O. Box 10, Selkirk, New York 12158-0010.  
 5. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which a LLC may be formed under the LLC Law.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

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 15, 1999, at 7:30 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York to take action on application of Stephen and Lyn Malinowski, 171 Adams Street, Delmar, New York 12054 for Area Variance under Article XII, Percent of Lot Occupancy, Section 128-66 and Article XVII, Side Yards, Required Widths, Section 128 - 73, A (1)(b) of the Code of the Town of Bethlehem for construction of porch additions which would exceed allowable Percent of Lot Occupancy and encroach into the Front Yard and Side Yard setback requirements at Premises 171 Adams Street, Delmar, New York.  
 Michael C. Hodom  
 Chairman  
 Board of Appeals  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY****LEGAL NOTICE**

**COMPANY.**  
 NAME: ADDFLEX GAMING LLC. Articles of Organizations were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/12/99. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2098. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Lawrence P. Giardina, Esq., 8910 Third Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11209.  
 Purpose: For any lawful purpose.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION/PANHORN REALTY CO LLC**

was filed with SSNY on 6/8/99 designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. The P.O. address which SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC served upon him: c/o The 321 Broadway New York, NY 10007 County of: Albany Purpose: To engage in any lawful act/activity.  
 (September 8, 1999)

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was filed with SSNY on 7/27/99 designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. The P.O. address which SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC served upon him: c/o The LLC 744 Coney Island Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11218 Purpose: To engage in any lawful act/activity.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION HEJ REALTY CO, LLC**

was filed with SSNY on 4/16/99 designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. The P.O. address which SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC served upon him: c/o The LLC 271 Hooper Street Brooklyn, NY 11211 County of: Albany. Purpose: To engage in any lawful act/activity.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is Shelter Cove, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on August 19, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 32 Corporate Circle, Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF H.T. APPAREL LLC NYS LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

Formation filed with SSNY on 8/31/99. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agt. of LLC, upon whom process to: 46 State St., 5th Fl., Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: All lawful purpose.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is FIRST COLUMBIA SLINGERLANDS, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on August 19, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 210 Washington Avenue Extension Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is MANNIX ROAD ASSOCIATES L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on June 15, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Sec-

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retary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 30 Corporate Circle Albany, New York 12203.  
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**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is Columbia Gordon Rose L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on June 17, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 30 Corporate Circle Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF BEACON CONSULTING LLC**

Under Section 206 of the Limited Liability Company Law  
 First, the name of the limited liability company is Beacon Consulting LLC.  
 Second, the articles of organization were filed with the New York Department of State on July 30, 1999.

Third, the County in which the limited liability company is located is Albany, New York.  
 Fourth, the Secretary of State of New York has been designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The principal address of the limited liability company is 20 Aviation Road, Albany, New York 12205.

Fifth, the purpose of the company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the New York Limited Liability Law.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is COLUMBIA ORANGE, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on August 3, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 30 Corporate Circle, Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is ANGEL GARDENS, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on August 3, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 30 Corporate Circle, Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is COLUMBIAMONROE, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on August 3, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 62 Hackett Boulevard, Albany, New York 12208.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is BBL-TEXAS, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on

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August 2, 1999: The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 52 Corporate Circle, Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is MFB, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on July 30, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 52 Corporate Circle, Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is BBL-FLORIDA, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on August 2, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 52 Corporate Circle, Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is COX-SACKIE II, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on July 28, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 52 Corporate Circle, Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is DEBEERS STUDIO, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on July 12, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 52 Corporate Circle Albany, New York 12203.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).**

The name of the LLC is Hackett Properties, L.L.C. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on July 12, 1999. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 62 Hackett Boulevard, Albany, New York 12208.  
 (September 8, 1999)

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

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**PUBLICATION NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**  
**FIRST:** The name of the Limited Liability Company is JMJ ENTERPRISES, LLC (hereinafter referred to as the "Company").  
**SECOND:** The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed with the Secretary of State on July 13, 1999.  
**THIRD:** The County within New York in which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany.  
**FOURTH:** The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail process is:  
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**FIFTH:** The latest date on which the Company is to dissolve is based solely on events of dissolution set forth in the New York Limited Liability Company Law (the "Law").  
**SIXTH:** The purpose of the business of the Company is to engage in any lawful acts or activities for which limited liability companies may be formed under the Law.  
 (September 8, 1999)  
**TOCCI, PARKER, & TOCCI, LLP**  
 1. The name of the Limited Liability Partnership is TOCCI, PARKER & TOCCI, LLP.  
 2. The certificate of Registration was filed effective January 8, 1999.  
 3. The office of the LLP is in Albany County.

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**4.** The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the LLP upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address to which the Department of State shall mail a copy of any process served against it is TOCCI, PARKER & TOCCI, LLP, 112 State Street, 13th Floor, Albany New York 12007.  
**5.** The LLP has a registered agent upon whom process against it may be served. The name and address of the registered agent is: Stephen W. Parker, 100 Mynderse Lane, Altamont, New York 12009.  
**6.** The purpose of the business of TOCCI, PARKER & TOCCI, LLP is to engage in the practice of law.  
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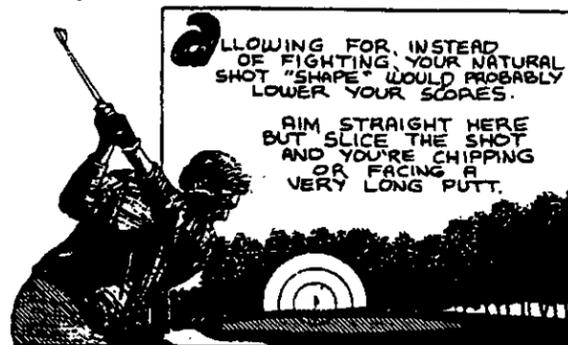
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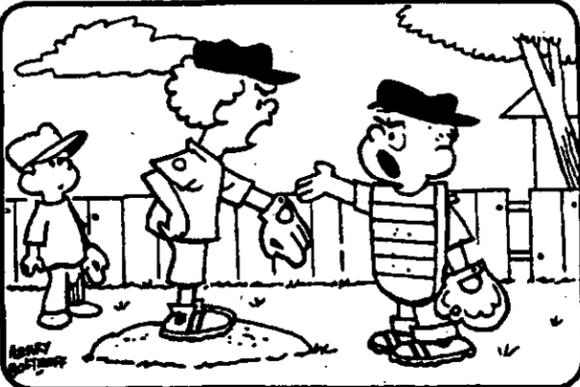
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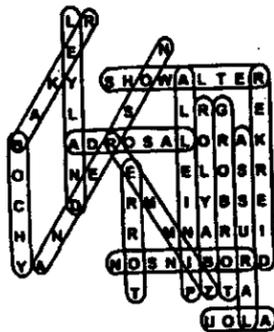
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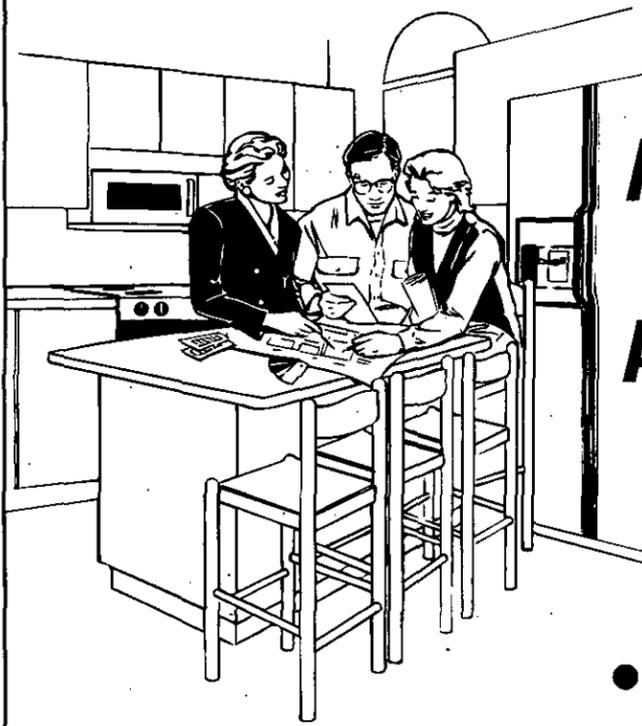
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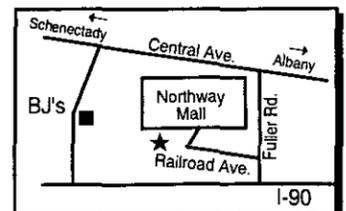
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