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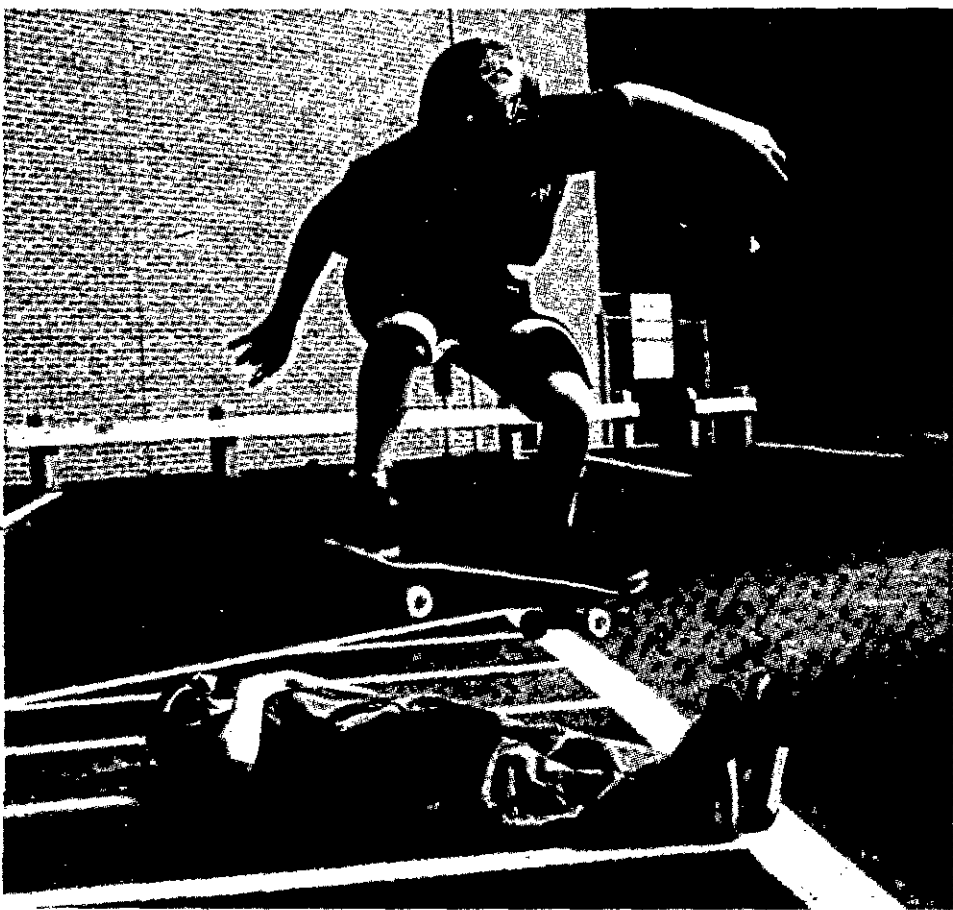
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Billy Coyner jumps over Brendan McCann Saturday while riding his skateboard in Bethlehem Saturday.
Jim Franco

Board OKs \$17M water upgrade

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

A design concept on a \$17 million upgrade project to the town's water treatment plant in New Salem is set to begin with the approval of a resolution by the town board last Wednesday night.

Water has been an issue since the early 1990s, and, with new growth in the town, the quality of water has come into question.

The town's water distribution system, with the New Salem Water Treatment Plant built in the 1950s, is old with no fixed maintenance plan, Supervisor Theresa Egan said.

"It's very old, very archaic. Repairs happen when things break," Egan said.

The upgrades consider a 30-year plan for consumption needs. Renovations will take place on the actual facility and a new transmission line will move water from the New Salem plant to a holding tank and then to a distribution center on Fisher

Boulevard will be built.

The volume of water the facility has the capacity to pump — about 6 million gallons per day — seems to be sufficient for now, said Department of Public Works Commissioner George Leveille, though he noted possible long-term concerns about quantity.

"The problem really is quality. The content of iron and manganese in the

water is much higher than what the plant was designed to treat," Leveille said.

Members of the town board noted the best fix would be to do the upgrades all at once, rather than phase them in.

The town already has a resolution approving a \$13 million project, but a miscalculation that wasn't caught and increases in prices of the necessary materials, along with a change in the general scope of the project, Leveille said, has upped that number to just over \$17 million. The vote for the bond increase won't happen until the improvements are imminent and plans finalized, Egan said.

While town officials cannot guarantee taxpayers that there will be no increases on their tax bills, Egan said any tax bill increases will not be "a result of the improvements." Costs for the project had already been figured into the budget.

The town has two sources of water: the New Salem Water Treatment Plant,

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V'ville appointment raises concerns

Superintendent says Baron best qualified

By MARTIN J. BANNAN

Does legal always mean right? That's the question in New Scotland and Voorheesville that has the community divided. The fireworks began Aug. 16 after the Voorheesville School Board hired Deborah Baron, a New Scotland town board member and wife of school board president Robert Baron, to a part-time job as receiver of taxes.

The four to three decision included a vote by Robert Baron some people say he had no right to cast. Also, the board voted on the measure in a late-night public session that followed an executive session held after the regular board

meeting was adjourned.

"I don't think it's proper for a board member to vote on any personnel matter involving their family," said board member Richard Brackett, who opposed the hiring. "I always abstain from any vote regarding my wife who is a nurse in the elementary school."

In addition to Brackett, board vice president James Coffin and newly elected trustee Paige Macdonald also voted no. Board members John Cole, Thomas McKenna and Joseph Pofit voted with Baron to approve the measure.

"I have to trust the superintendent's

choice that Baron was the best choice," McKenna said. "Everyone offered their views. It was a difficult decision for the board, but I respect all positions voiced in the meeting."

Coffin disagreed. "I don't believe we should appoint the wife of the board president or any other board member to an administrative position in the school district's main office. It compromises the superintendent, board president and board. I don't believe it's what the public expects from us."

In January, Baron was the center of another debate when she continued to

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Local contingent heads to Big Apple

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

On a Sunday morning where fog was both heavy and light in parts of the Capital District, a bus of 48 area residents set off from the Delmar Park and Ride for New York City, where politics, both conservative and liberal in parts, was

sure to cover the city like a blanket this week.

Five buses took off from Albany and Delmar around 7 a.m., carrying several hundred Capital District residents and some out-of-towners.

Rather than fly into the busier New York City airports, people from five different states, including Texas and Illinois, flew into the less busy Albany International Airport to catch buses down to the United for Peace and Justice-sponsored protest that was expected to bring up to a half-million marchers protesting George Bush's

presidency and the "Bush agenda."

The Delmar bus was headed to Albany to pick up a few non-native New Yorkers, said Paul Tick, member of the Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace, a local organization formed in March.

Last Wednesday, Cheryl Bellus, coordinator for the Capital District "Get on the Bus" effort, said she expected little problem filling up the buses and noted plans for carpooling for anyone who couldn't fit on the buses.

Buses left from two places in Albany,

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Police nab Selkirk couple on drug charges

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

After a six-month investigation and a number of drug sales conducted in front of minors, Bethlehem police have arrested a Selkirk woman and her live-in boyfriend, who face a series of felony charges.

Three young children, including one that wasn't theirs, were living with Carmita Figueroa, 27, of 44 Skyridge Lane, while she allegedly conducted sales of marijuana and crack cocaine. Also arrested was Ghirmay Ghidei, 27, of Troy.

"All the stuff was done in the presence of underage people, which is bad," said Detective Chris Bowdish.

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V'ville man arrested for porn, drugs

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

Executing a search warrant for marijuana, Albany County Sheriff's detectives were shocked to allegedly have found stacks and computer files of child pornography in a Voorheesville residence.

Complaints from citizens sparked a month-long investigation which culminated last Wednesday with the arrest of Michael J. DeRenzo, 31, of 134 Altamont Road, by the Sheriff's Department Drug Interdiction Unit.

"It took us completely by surprise," said Inspector John Burke, referring to the amount of child pornography that was found. "We're just a narcotics unit. When we saw it, it was unbelievable. These pictures

show actual sexual acts."

Burke said Monday investigators were still going through DeRenzo's computer, which had more child pornography on it, police said.

Whether any children depicted are local remains to be seen, Burke said.

"It's just one of those things, where we have to put the information out there and wait for somebody to react," Burke said. "We can't put the kids pictures in the paper. It's awful hard because these kids were actually exploited, so we can't show their faces."

Police found and seized about \$50,000 worth of marijuana, or 20 plants. In DeRenzo's residence, investigators found two growing rooms that contained 40 pounds of marijuana, either being grown

or dried and some already bagged. DeRenzo also was in possession of a gravity knife, for which he faces a misdemeanor weapons charge.

DeRenzo was arrested on felony and misdemeanor drug charges, including criminal possession of marijuana in the first degree, a C felony; criminal possession of a weapon in the fourth degree, an A misdemeanor; and unlawfully growing cannabis without a license, an A misdemeanor.

DeRenzo also faces federal child pornography charges.

DeRenzo was arraigned before New Scotland Town Judge Margaret Adkins and sent to Albany County Correctional Facility without bail.

Police make DWI arrest

The Bethlehem Police Department made one driving while intoxicated arrest this week following a personal injury accident in Glenmont.

Peter J. Moloney, 43, of 20 Bellevue St., Selkirk, was arrested for DWI after he lost control of his vehicle and crashed into a utility pole on Feura Bush Road.

On Aug. 21, police responded to a report of a vehicle on a utility pole at 3:30 a.m. Moloney was standing by his vehicle when police arrived, according to police.

Police said they detected strong odor of alcohol of Moloney's breath. Moloney then indicated he was on his way home from an Albany bar, where he had consumed about five beers.

Moloney failed field sobriety tests and then later tested positive for alcohol. Moloney, who suffered a minor cut on his head from the accident, refused medical treatment. He then was processed without incident and driven home.

Moloney is due in Bethlehem Town Court on Sept. 7.

BCHS student completes course in government in D.C.

Anna Scaife, a student at Bethlehem Central High School in Delmar, has completed a three-week Junior Statesmen Foundation summer school, learning how government works — from the inside, in coordination with the Junior State of America, in Washington, D.C.

Part of a contingent of high school students from around the nation, Scaife attended classes in government and politics at Georgetown University in Washington, D.C.

The course compresses in three weeks what university students cover in a full semester through a combination of lectures, class discussion and political simulations.

In addition, she participated in a Congressional workshop and heard from members of Congress, White House officials, journalists, lobbyists, trade association executives and other non-government organizations reflecting a range of views on issues and politics.

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YMCA takes over BIG Arena

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

Aside from a new sign that's similar to what can be seen in 10 towns around the Capital District, there's not much difference right now between the officially-defunct BIG Arena and the new Bethlehem YMCA, in which a number of hockey players and fitness gurus will soon grit it out.

Come Sept. 15, the transformation will be certainly official, if not complete, upon the acceptance of membership applications.

The Capital District YMCA officially took over the arena last Tuesday, formally closing on the BIG and beginning on renovations and additions that will make the Bethlehem Y the largest in the association at 95,000 square feet.

The YMCA's ice rink will open Sept. 15, on time, for all groups that have made plans to practice there, said the newly appointed Executive Director of the facility, Scott Lewis.

The Y has entered into rental contracts with Bethlehem Youth Hockey, Bethlehem High School, local adult hockey leagues, the Albany River Rats and several figure skating organizations.

"It's not quite a YMCA, yet," Lewis said, noting that work is being done "all over the building" to ensure an opening for teams with ice rental contracts will happen Sept. 15.

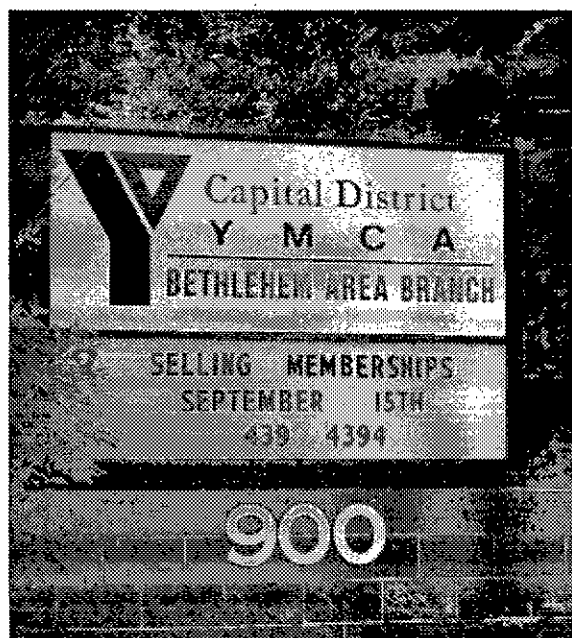
In June, at a public hearing where the Bethlehem Industrial Development Agency considered backing the project through bonds, no resident, out of about 75 in attendance, chose to speak out against the prospect of a YMCA in town.

Still to come around Oct. 1, Lewis said, are the health and fitness facilities, along with locker rooms. Memberships are being accepted as soon as Sept. 15, Lewis said.

The capital campaign project is slated to begin in September, Lewis said. The capital project will serve to support the expansion project, which includes plans for a pool and a gymnasium and is expected to be completed within two years.

For residents who buy memberships, the cost will be a bit lower than if they were to buy one at another area Y, Lewis said.

"The rates will be lower than those of the other suburban YMCAs because it's still lacking a gym and a pool," Lewis said. "But because they are members of this Y, they can use the facilities at all of the branches within the association without being charged more."



The YMCA put up a sign at its newest facility on Delaware Avenue. Libby Schirmer

Adults can buy a membership fee at the Bethlehem Y for \$35 per month, plus a one-time joiner's fee at \$100. The family rate is set at \$53 for two adults and any number of children in that family.

Lewis said that once the facility has completed renovations and additions, the rates will probably increase.

Beyond the menial painting and cleaning any new tenant can expect, and aside from all the renovations the Y had planned on making, "a lot of work has to be done," Lewis said, on the cooling

units, to make sure the chillers, which keep the ice, well, icy, are set to go. Lewis said the mechanical work that had to be done was "surprising."

Aerobics and fitness facilities should be ready to go by early October, said Lewis, who has plans to move to the Bethlehem area in October.

The Albany River Rats have announced that the club will host an American Hockey League pre-season game Oct. 9 at 7 p.m. at the new Bethlehem Y. The contest, between the top affiliates of the New Jersey Devils and the St. Louis Blues will cost \$5 per person. The River Rats are playing against the Worcester Ice Cats, with all proceeds going to the facility's capital improvement campaign and campaign. Children 10 and under will get free admission.

The Bethlehem-area YMCA's phone number is 439-4394.

New Scotland buys land to access Miller Road

By MARTIN J. BANNAN

A permanent solution for access to Miller Road is in place.

At a special meeting Aug. 24, the New Scotland town board voted to purchase 9 acres of land from Robert and Jennie Furbeck for \$100,000.

"We will have a road and never need another bridge," said Councilman Scott Houghtaling. "In 70 years the town fathers will have one less thing to worry about."

On June 21, nine New Scotland residents were cut off from access to and from their homes as a result of a bridge collapse on Miller Road. The bridge, located off New Scotland's South Road (County Route 308), gave way that morning after a gravel truck attempted to cross it.

Highway Superintendent Darrell Duncan closed the road after inspecting the site and deemed the bridge unsafe. Since then, the town paved a temporary route while considering options.

With this purchase, the temporary route will now be owned by the town and be the permanent access to Miller Road. In addition, the town has nine extra acres of land.

We're not in the real estate business but at least we don't have to build a bridge. That would cost

us more than \$100,000 just to construct let alone maintain," Supervisor Ed Clark said, adding the collapsed portion of the old bridge will eventually be removed.

As for further surfacing to be added to the new road, Clark said the town would keep an eye on the road to see if more work is needed. "It is a very low traffic road," he said. As part of the agreement, the town is restricted from erecting municipal buildings within 300 feet of the road as well as developing park and recreational facilities on the land. "This is a sunset clause that is only in effect as long as the Furbecks and their children own the property," Houghtaling said. "In the mean time, all we may do is rent to farmers who already grow corn on the parcel."

In other news, the town agreed to extend the contract with Pollard Excavating, the company contracted to remove trash and recyclables.

"Pollard asked us to consider compensating him for increased fuel costs but we told him we wanted to stay with the contract," said Clark. "Making such a change would require us to go back out to bid." Instead, the town will honor a clause in the existing contract that compensates Pollard \$6.50 per month for every new home. "That's not bad for refuse removal and curbside recycling. They have been good partners to the town," Houghtaling said. "We took the option for a one-year extension."

IDA presents development plan

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

To put \$53 million into a project that could reap almost \$700 million over a period of 30 years seems like a no-brainer.

But the ideas behind a Hudson River Harbor and Hamlet Center aren't just about money.

With the town entering the fifth month of a town-wide moratorium and with traffic congestion problems not easing up, and with the town still up as one of three finalists for a dewatering facility for the \$500 million Hudson River dredging project set to begin in 2006, it's time the town had a local waterfront revitalization plan (LWRP), said Supervisor Theresa Egan said.

The extremely preliminary plans for a 10-mile riverfront hamlet include a mixed-use zoning area that could house commercial businesses next to office and technology space next to residential homes over three stages of development. The plan would be a way to solve traffic congestion on 396 and a way to control economic development in town, Egan and Bethlehem Industrial Development Agency representatives said.

The plan considers a new Thruway interchange that would line up with Clapper Road

The IDA worked with some town residents and the Bethlehem Planning Advisory Committee (BPAC) to come up with the plan. A formal presentation was made at last

week's board meeting.

Focus group meetings are set to begin Sept. 2, with the riverfront focus group up first.

Expounding on experiences she's had through her law practice, people do better with a concept in front of them, Egan said, rather than spouting ideas from the tops of their heads, which tends to produce vague visions.

"There's something out there, and that way they can react. What do you like, what don't you like," Egan said.

Brian Hannafin, executive director for the IDA said the plan, offered up to some residents and town officials, had been received enthusiastically.

"The anchor of the whole project is to get a new Thruway interchange," Hannafin said, "and to utilize the waterfront as an asset."

The plan would develop about 500 acres along the waterfront.

"It's the largest area of vacant land around town," Egan said. "I've had (since the beginning of the year) four groups approach me with plans to develop that area."

This hamlet would abut a 94-acre site owned by OG Real Estate. That piece of land is being considered for two projects: the Hudson River dredging project could plant a dewatering facility

there or Victor Gush, proprietor of OG Real Estate, has plans for a multi-million dollar mixed use marina and harbor called Beacon Harbor.

One of the reasons Bethlehem remains a finalist for a site, even though the heaviest concentrations of PCBs lay miles upstream, is because it lacks a LWRP.

While Egan admits this plan could be too little, too late, to affect that project, "it was something that needed to be done, anyway."

A 30-year plan like this would enable the town to identify types of growth and plan for economic development and avoid the "hodgepodge" development along Route 9W and Delaware Avenue.

"It's a way for the town to be proactive," Egan said. "It gives us an opportunity for good, solid economic development in town in a controlled way, to stabilize the tax base."

And with nearby towns, like Malta, getting in on the Tech Valley initiatives, Egan said she'd "be more than happy with an offshoot" of support businesses to the high-tech industry.

Egan has noted that the zoning codes are outdated and do not account for high-tech industries. One of the goals in developing a new master plan, is to consider that industry and its needs.

The riverfront focus group meeting will be held Sept. 2 at town hall, from 7 to 9 p.m.

"I've had (since the beginning of the year) four groups approach me with plans to develop that area."

Theresa Egan

Plum Fest to feature V'ville

Mark your calendars. On Saturday, Sept. 25, the village of Voorheesville, in conjunction with the New Scotland Historical Association, will host the 2004 Plum Fest.

The all-day schedule of events will include an antique car show, craft fair, area tours, a dog show and K-9 demonstration, 4H activities for the children, breakfast, lunch and dinner at different venues and an afternoon concert.

A horseshoe tournament will begin at noon in Nichols Park. Participants must pre-register by Sept. 15 by calling Dennis Sullivan at 765-2468, doubles teams only please.

The historical association will be running a raffle with the proceeds designated toward the purchase of a computer for the office so that they can better maintain and catalog their historic records and inventories.

This year's raffle will include three monetary prizes of \$500, \$200 and \$100. Tickets may be obtained at village hall, and at many of the venues the day of Plum Fest.

The drawing will take place that evening at 6 p.m. at the firehouse.

For information on the Plum Fest, contact Carole Stevens at 765-4350.

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After all those years, blood's still thicker than water

By DONNA J. BELL

My baby brother turned 40 this week. My mother called me. "Forty," she sighed. "It doesn't seem possible. It just seems so, well, old."

"Thanks, mom," I said.

"You know what I mean," she said. "Danny was the baby. The littlest one."

I did know what she meant. It seemed strange to me, too.

My brother and I were the only children in our family. My father was in the military and we moved — a lot. My mother's family was in England and my father's lived in Massachusetts. I never met any of them until I was well into my teens.

Moving often and having no other family weren't the only reasons we were close. When Danny was very young, he broke his leg in a freak accident. A few years later, it had to be reset and

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he had to wear leg braces for several years. That combined with the fact that he was tiny and small during his elementary years made him the target of every bully who ever went to any school (and again, there were many) we attended.

It was also a time when being bullied was a rite of passage. Everyone had to get picked on, and it was supposed to toughen you up. Children, for the most part, kept their mouths shut.

Kids learned fast, however, that you only pushed my brother around once. Because if I was around, or if I found out about it, you were going home in pain. No

one, and I mean no one, picked on my baby brother.

We grew up before there was endless programming on TV for kids, before video games and before the Internet. Since my brother couldn't do a lot of the outdoor things that the other kids did, like play tag or ride a bike, we spent a lot of time doing "projects."

My mother, who let us do almost anything, as long as it didn't involve endangering others, or ourselves, was our accomplice.

I think I was in the fourth grade, and Danny in the first, when we decided we wanted to make dinner. Betty Crocker had a children's cookbook and we made baked Spam. Yes indeed, a gourmet meal made from a can of Spam topped with a pineapple slice and a cherry, and baked in the oven. On the side was a baked potato and frozen corn.

As we got older, our projects became more elaborate. We learned how to make cheese, and together, with a library book as a guide, we made a cheese press. My mother, somehow, obtained the rennet we needed to get the

cheese to turn into curds. If memory serves me right, it was rather tasty.

We made blackberry and strawberry jam. Once we decided that it was easy to can, we also made pickles and canned tomatoes.

When my brother was 14, he learned to bow hunt from the father of a friend. Of course, that meant I too had to bow hunt.

Kids learned fast, however, that you only pushed my brother around once. Because if I was around, or if I found out about it, you were going home in pain. No one, and I mean no one, picked on my baby brother.

Lucky me, I also got to experience the pain of being struck with the backlash of the bow-string. For those of you who don't bow hunt, you have to be careful of how the string of the bow springs back and smacks you with the force of a thousand rubber band snaps.

Men usually get it on the forearm, women have to wear a vest to prevent the sensitive areas that tend to stick out and get in the string's way. The first (and only time I got hit) my brother rolled on the ground gasping with laughter while I held my chest and hopped around in pain.

"Oh," he laughed. "I forgot to tell you about that."

I went hunting several times —

Danny got a deer once when I was with him. That was the end of my bow hunting days. I don't think I ever want to see a deer gutted ever again.

I got a job working at the local Dairy Queen in high school and Danny worked for a horse farm. I finally had some wheels and our adventures started to take us places.

Once we saved for several months and went out to dinner at the fanciest restaurant in town. We dressed to the nines, me in a glittery disco dress and Dan in a wide-lapelled suit. My brother, who by that time looked like the Navy SEAL he would later become, was offered the wine list. We giggled for months over that.

I still remember the time we drew plans for a working farm we would own together with cows, sheep, pigs and horses. We would have two houses on the land for our separate families. Danny drew where the crops would be, the chicken houses, the barns and the pond where the kids and the cousins would swim.

Of course, I left home to go to college. I moved from state to state. He joined the Navy and moved around the country and the world. I ended up in New York, he in California. Life, children and jobs took up our time. We sent Christmas cards, birthday cards. I visited a few times, he saw me at Mom and Dad's house once.

We now have both lived apart from each other for more years than we lived together. But you know what, even now if anyone picked on my baby brother, they would have to answer to me.

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Protesters march in Manhattan

By FREEMAN KLOPOTT

On Sunday, five buses, including one from Bethlehem, left the Capital District, bringing 275 protesters to join the crowd of approximately 500,000 in midtown Manhattan to participate in a march opposing the Bush administration and its policies.

The march, organized by United for Peace and Justice (UFPJ), a crowd of nearly 800 local and national groups such as Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace (BNP), swept past Madison Square Garden, the site of the Republican National Convention, with signs and chants denouncing President Bush for the war in Iraq, his stance on gay rights, abortion and the environment.

The protesters from Bethlehem were members of Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace, who, led by Paul Tick, organized on 20th St. between 6th and 7th Avenues at 11 a.m. where they waited, crammed between a pro-Nader group to their front and a large green dragon created by "Don't Just Vote, Take Action" to their rear. At 12:30 they moved onto 7th Avenue, joining the march as it crawled uptown. With the protest's official focus on peace and U.S. foreign policy, BNP member Hannah Lewis, 19, expressed concern that domestic issues are not taking the

foreground in the election.

But, during the march, protesters' signs reflected concerns that reflected issues, such as "Save Social Security."

Andor Skotnes, a BNP member who chose to march with Historians Against the War for which he is the national co-chair, said, "While the protest is against the war, it is also against the collateral damage which spreads into domestic issues" such as tax cuts to the wealthy and a rising deficit.

In the week prior to the protest, a court ruling denied

As the marchers reached the garden, it became difficult to keep BNP organized between its two banners, one in front announcing the name of the group and one in the rear that said, "Bring The Troops Home Now."

Tick struggled to keep the group together but the intensity of the crowd, driven by the rhythm of makeshift drums, drove the group apart, causing BNPs to mingle and become part of a larger national community fighting for change.

Not all members of the protest agreed on the best method for creating change, but as Jim

Hudson, a BNP banner carrier said, "My attitudes are separate from Kerry, but the mission is the same, the ultimate goal is peace."

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Jim Hudson

protesters the use of Central Park for a post-march rally.

Many were prepared for the possibility of a clash between the police and the protesters, but Tick was more concerned that "so much police and military could be intended to intimidate people," and added, "I don't think that's healthy for democracy... This country was founded on dissent, and all our rights should be respected."

During the march, the police presence was evident, but for the most part the situation remained peaceful, and according to New York City Police Commissioner Raymond W. Kelly, there were 200 arrests, mostly for disorderly conduct.

Ralph Nader supporters carried signs reading, "Bush and Kerry = War, Nader and Camejo = Peace."

These signs were countered by others reading, "A vote for Nader is a vote for Capitalist Oppression."

Just past the garden, the crowd thinned, and BNP regrouped to head down Broadway to the end of the march at Union Square where, at 3:40 p.m., they shot off one last cheer when an announcement over a loudspeaker informed marchers that early estimates placed the number of protesters at 250,000.

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Graves will begin her nursing career this fall at Albany Medical Center Hospital. She plans to continue her nursing education as SUNY New Paltz.

Joyce McCampbell of Selkirk,

a 2004 graduate of Hudson Valley Community College dental hygiene program, was recently honored by the college.

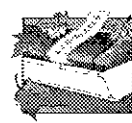
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Make the best of it

The clock is ticking. In one short week kids will return to school. Granted it's a hectic time of year for kids and for parents, what with supplies and new clothes to buy to be ready for the first day.

Parents can ease the budget bite by taking advantage of sales tax free week already under way. All Capital District residents can participate.

But perhaps more important is the brief window left to spend some quality time with the family. If you missed the Altamont or Washington County fairs, Schaghticoke will host its fair this week.

Or on a quieter note, Five Rivers and Hollyhock Sanctuary are two perfect places to commune with nature when the weather is still pleasant and warm.

The Adirondacks beckon as well with many trails for the casual or serious hiker.

The region overall is beautiful in late summer and early fall, so a daytrip might be just the thing for families who won't have much of a chance to enjoy time together once school starts and lessons, sports and other commitments eat up weekends.

Maybe a trip to Lake George would be a perfect getaway. Many of the summer crowd have left, so it is likely to be less crowded.

Or perhaps a visit to Hyde Park would be more to your liking. Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt's home, grounds and library are fascinating offering a close-up and personal view of history.

Hyde Park is also home of the Culinary Institute of America with restaurants serving a variety of tastes, including American, French, Italian and Oriental.

For die-hard racing fans, Saratoga stays open through Labor Day, and the crowds are much lighter.

But as reality sets in, it's also time for us to remember that school buses will be back on the road, and until the kids and the drivers get used to the new routine, they might be a little slower than usual, especially with kindergartners that are boarding and exiting buses on their own for the very first time. Exercise patience when "stuck" behind a school bus. Things do run more smoothly after the first two weeks. Last year, one mother called shortly after school opened saying that drivers were honking because the little ones were holding traffic up for too long.

Remember that flashing red school bus lights mean stopping behind the bus or on the opposite side of the road.

That is the law, and there are serious penalties for transgressors that are apprehended.

Editorials

So you want to be president?

By KEVIN M. BRONNER

The writer is a member of the Colonie town board and has a doctorate in public administration.

The presidential election in 2004 should be a close race if the polling is correct. President George W. Bush is facing a strong challenge from U.S. Sen. John Kerry and there will be many interesting events for us to watch this fall.

Presidential debates are scheduled for Sept. 30 at the University of Miami, Oct. 8 at Washington University in St. Louis and Oct. 13 at the University of Arizona. Vice President Cheney will also debate U.S. Sen. John Edwards, the Democratic vice presidential candidate, Oct. 5 at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland.

In addition to the debates, there will be intense news coverage for us to follow, and of course, there is always the possibility of some type of October surprise that affects the outcome. Millions, if not billions, of interested observers will be watching the outcome of our election throughout the world.

The election will be held on Nov. 2, and the president will be sworn into office next January. To date there have been 43 presidents, starting with George Washington in 1789. If you look at the institution of the president from 1789 until now, there are many remarkable and astonishing statistics that can be examined.

For instance, the only presidents to serve two full eight-year terms in a row were Thomas Jefferson (1801-1809), James Madison (1809-1817) and James Monroe (1817-1825). If President Bush is re-elected and serves a full eight-year term, he will follow President Bill Clinton, who served eight years, from 1993 to 2001. This has not happened since 1825, or about 179 years ago.

Another anomaly of the office is that from 1860 to 1960, a period of 100 years, every

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president who was first elected at the beginning of a decade died in office. This group includes Abraham Lincoln (1860), James Garfield (1880), William McKinley (1900), Warren Harding (1920), Franklin Roosevelt (1940) and John Kennedy (1960).

Ronald Reagan was elected in 1980 but did not die in office and lived to be our oldest president. He was shot in office, however, and almost died. Bush was first elected in 2000, so he is in the unfortunate position of being elected at the beginning of a decade.

One of the tests of a successful presidency is that the incumbent president is elected to a second term, thus serving for eight years, and then leaves public service to return to "civilian" society. The classic example of this type of presidency is that of Washington.

This model of the presidency seldom works, however. We have had many great and successful presidents since 1789, but most of them have had some personal tragedy or political failing. Many have died in office, others faced serious illness, some were voted out, others were not given their party nomination for a second term and others faced major political scandals such as impeachment.

These types of problems go back in history to 1837 when our seventh president, Andrew Jackson, served for eight years without such negative consequences.

1930-2001

Excluding Bush, 12 presidents have served from 1933 until 2001, and each of them has had serious problems while in office.

Clinton (1993-2001) suffered from the impeachment proceeding and Bush I (1989-2003) was voted out of office. Reagan served from 1981 to 1989, but he was almost killed by an assassin.

Carter (1977-1981) and Ford (1974-1977) were both voted out of office, and Nixon (1969-1974) resigned in disgrace. Johnson (1963-1969) could not run for a second term due to problems associated with the Vietnam War, and Kennedy was assassinated in 1963.

Eisenhower (1953-1961) suffered a major heart attack while in office, and Truman could not run for a second full term in 1952 due to Korean War issues.

Franklin Roosevelt died in office in 1945, and Herbert Hoover was voted out in 1932.

1861 to 1929

Fourteen presidents served in this era, and all of them have some type of major problem.

Coolidge (1923-1929) did not run for a second full term and Harding (1921-1923) died in office. Woodrow Wilson (1913-1921) collapsed in office and suffered from poor health.

Taft (1909-1913) was voted out of office, and Theodore Roosevelt (1901-1909) tried to run for a third term as a Progressive but lost.

assassinated in Buffalo and Benjamin Harrison (1885-1889) was voted out of office. Grover Cleveland served two non-consecutive terms (1885-1889, and 1893-1897) but was voted out of office in 1888.

Chester Arthur (1881-1885) was voted out, and James Garfield was assassinated in 1881. Rutherford B. Hayes (1877-1881) was elected with a minority of the votes and did not run for a second term.

Grant served for eight years (1869-1877) but tried to run for another term and did not even receive his party's nomination. Andrew Johnson (1865-1869) suffered through an impeachment proceeding and served only one term. Lincoln (1861-1865) was assassinated in office.

1789-1860

Eight presidents served in this time period after Andrew Jackson's eight-year presidency (1829-1837). Each of these presidents also had personal tragedies.

James Buchanan (1857-1861) was voted out of office, and Franklin Pierce (1853-1857) was not allowed by his party to run for a second term. Millard Fillmore (1850-1853) was not allowed to run for a second term, and Zachary Taylor (1849-1850) died in office.

Both James Polk (1845-1849) and John Tyler (1841-1845) did not run for a second term. William Henry Harrison (1841) died in office serving only one month, and Martin Van Buren (1837-1841) was voted out.

This brings us back 167 years to the eight-year term of Andrew Jackson (1829-1837) from Tennessee, who appears not to have suffered some type of personal tragedy or political failure. So what happened to the six presidents who served before Jackson?

Four presidents were from Virginia and all of them served eight-year terms including Washington, Jefferson, Madison and Monroe. Two were from Massachusetts and both were voted out when they tried for a second term, including John Quincy Adams who lost in 1828, and John Adams, who was defeated in 1800.

Summary

So what does all this mean? If we leave Bush out of the equation for now we can see that there have been 42 presidents and only five of them (Jackson, Monroe, Madison, Jefferson and Washington) have served a full eight-year term without some type of major personal or political problem.

These five presidents all served before 1838. No president has escaped the types of problems outlined here for over 167 years.

Looking ahead and considering the history of the institution and the failure of most presidents to serve two terms, especially when the preceding president served for eight years, the future looks problematic for Bush.

If Kerry is elected he should

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history as well. Only three presidents have come from Massachusetts (Kennedy, John Quincy Adams and John Adams) and all of them were named "John." While Kerry could be the fourth president to be elected from Massachusetts whose first name is John, he should be aware that none of them served more than one term.

We should also consider what happens to presidents who are serving under the strain of war. While Madison survived the War of 1812, all the other presidents who served during major wars did not. Lincoln died at the end of the Civil War, and McKinley died right after the Spanish American War.

Wilson of the World War I era suffered from poor health and Franklin Roosevelt died near the end of World War II.

The effects of the Korean War harmed Truman, and Kennedy, Johnson and Nixon who served during the Vietnam period did not

serve for two full terms.

Today we are fighting a war on terrorism and it will be interesting to study how that piece of history affects the outcome. Should Bush lose the election it will certainly be in part due to the war, and if Kerry wins he will be another president who must serve during wartime.

In closing, fairness dictates that mention be made that many of the presidents on the list of personal and political problems did perform well as president. Franklin Roosevelt from New York and Lincoln from Illinois are shining examples.

This article does not take a position on the performance of any of the presidents but simply provides some interesting historical context.

History shows that we should be aware of the many anomalies associated with the position of president of the United States.

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Editor, The Spotlight:

As the mother of two children, I understand the importance of being there when needed, often when I'm busy doing something else. The call to "come quick, I need you," is heard many times, daily. Sometimes the words "thank you" are not verbally spoken but the message is conveyed.

I'm writing this letter to thank

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Editor, The Spotlight:

As someone who has advocated for aesthetic guidelines and beautiful landscaping in our communities, I would like to commend the Bethlehem Garden Club on the beautiful display of plants at the junction of Kenwood and Cherry avenues.

It lifts my soul every time I pass by.

Perhaps the next step might be to landscape the strip leading to the Price Chopper with low maintenance perennials. And, how I would love to see Route 32 become a boulevard lined with trees and flowers similar to the entrance to Saratoga Springs and the Clinton Avenue exit off I-787 in Albany.

I would also like to commend the New Scotland Rental place at the junction of routes 85 and 85-A. The rehabbing of the building is great, and the hanging plants do a good job of mitigating the sight of rental vehicles parked outside by distracting our eyes away from the machinery and to the beautiful flowers.

When my husband and I were

in Germany, it was lovely to see how the municipalities place a priority on aesthetics in public places. There, the emphasis is not lawns but on flowers. At intersections, along streets, on bridges, on window sills, in most front yards, above store entrances — perennials and annuals everywhere.

Recently, I saw some of the households on Main Street in Voorheesville planted flowers in the grass strips along the road. To me that's so much more attractive than weeds, bricks or cement.

Thank goodness no one mowed the Queen Anne's lace by the housing development across from Colonie Country Club; they hide the ugly chain-link fence there. Perhaps so-called weeds, such as Queen Anne's and flax, could be used as "natural" perennials in other areas that need to be softened by flowers.

Thank you to those who are making that special effort to beautify our communities.

Edie Abrams
Slingerland's

Lions' senior picnic was a hit

Editor, The Spotlight:

On Aug. 19, the Bethlehem Lions Club held its annual Cliff Van Dyke Memorial Picnic for senior citizens of Bethlehem.

More than 150 senior citizens from all parts of the town enjoyed a delicious luncheon of

hamburgers, hot dogs, salads and watermelon at the Elm Avenue Park warming area.

On behalf of the many older community residents who enjoyed the afternoon, many thanks to the Lions Club picnic chairmen Rick Rudofsky and Dick Clark, Lions Club members and the many community senior and student volunteers who helped the day such a success.

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Matters of Opinion

Construction delays RCS opening

Editor, The Spotlight:

As the summer winds to a close, I hope everyone has had a wonderful couple of months.

For the RCS school system, it has been a busy and tremendously successful period.

Nearly a year's worth of work has been completed on the capital project since classes drew to a close on June 24, meaning that the opening of school in September will bring the start of not only a new school year, but a new era at RCS.

A truly Herculean effort by contractors during the summer months is resulting in a newly

refurbished auditorium, a new media center/library in the high school, new and/or refurbished lockers for all middle and high school students, a new band room for middle school students, and a new, more welcoming and secure entrance at the middle school.

Though this work is expected to be completed on time this week — leaving only the pool and a few other minor projects to be completed — it became clear in mid-August that more time would be needed for faculty and staff to prepare the buildings for students.

That is what led to the decision

to delay the start of classes until Sept. 13.

Please understand that this decision was not made lightly — many, many scenarios were examined before the action was taken.

The simple truth is that to ensure a healthy and successful start to the 2004-05 school year, more time is needed to restock the middle and high schools with desks, books, supplies, food and other necessities for the school year. The delayed school year should impact students minimally. Instead of days off on Nov. 2 and March 18, students will be expected to report to class. Otherwise, all previously scheduled vacations and days off are remaining intact.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused the RCS community.

We will continue to work with you as we use the opening of these newly renovated facilities as a celebration of the dedication and support that the RCS communities have provided the school district throughout the capital project and during the nearly 50-year history of RCS. Thank You.

Vicki Wright

RCS school superintendent

RCS board names interim principal

By LIBBY SCHIRMER

The Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk board of education approved last week a new interim high school principal as the district continues its principal search.

Raymond Parker is no stranger to the interim principal role, having served four times as an interim assistant principal and principal in the district since his 1995 retirement.

Pam Black, who was originally named as interim principal in June, was appointed as data and assessment supervisor by the board.

Parker, a New Baltimore resident, started in the RCS district in 1987. Parker has racked up more than 32 years in the education field, at the RCS, Glens Falls and Coxsackie-Athens school districts.

Parker started the alternative education program at RCS.

The district offered the position, left vacant by Peter Schultz' June resignation, to a qualified candidate, who then chose another career path.

A 40-member review committee made up of parents, staff, faculty, administrators and students are looking at new applications until Sept. 17, when

interviews will resume. The position has drawn interest statewide. District officials expect to fill the position later in the fall.

In other news, at the suggestion of a board member, the RCS district have ensured faculty and staff called to active military duty will receive their full pay in the weeks following the call.

RCS teachers called to active duty in the war on terrorism will receive from the district the difference in their military pay and what they were making as teachers in the district.

Board member Clifford Nooney suggested the plan after Pieter B. Coeymans Elementary School Teacher Dennis Topliffe was called to duty in the spring.

Topliffe is being deployed to Iraq.

The plan will be in effect for the faculty for 22 days after their call, the longest period of time allowed under public law, according to RCS Superintendent Vicki Wright.

While this plan allows for compensation to only teachers called up for the war on terrorism, other RCS employees called into active military duty can bring negotiations to the district through their respective bargaining units.

BC, RCS graduates receive awards

The Bethlehem Garden Club Award and the May Blackmore Memorial Scholarship have been presented.

Erin B. Leavitt, a 2004 graduate of Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk

High School, received the Bethlehem Garden Club Award.

A national merit scholarship finalist, Leavitt's activities in school and community programs, and participation in the New Vision Program at St. Peter's Hospital made her a unanimous choice for the award. Leavitt will major in pre-med in Dartmouth.

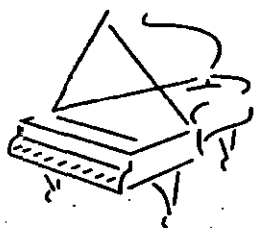
The May Blackmore Memorial Scholarship was awarded to Sarah Kathleen Lackner, of Bethlehem Central High School's class of 2004.

Active in the high school and the community, Lackner says "numbers make sense" to her. Lackner will attend Fordham University to major in finance.

Lackner hopes to pursue an MBA at Wharton School of Business.

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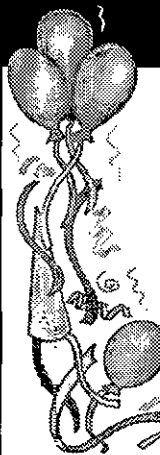
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Bethlehem man named general manager of new Ramada Inn

Albany Mayor Jerry Jennings recently congratulated Bethlehem native and resident Steven P. Pickup on his appointment as the new general manager of the new Ramada Inn on Route 9W at Thruway Exit 23 in Albany.

Jennings and other area dignitaries joined Pickup and Ramesh Bhatia, owner of the hotel and Regency Hotels, for a ribbon-cutting ceremony in celebration of the hotel's new

franchise agreement with Ramada Inn.

Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce President Marty DeLaney and Albany-Colonie Regional Chamber of Commerce President Lyn Taylor also participated in the event.

Formerly Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge and most recently Regency Inn and Suites, the 135-room hotel has just completed a \$3.5 million renovation.

Pickup assumes the general manager position of the newly designed hotel after serving as the Regency's director of sales and marketing since Nov. 1, 2003.

A Selkirk resident, Pickup brings to the position more than 20 years' experience in the hotel industry.

His work has ranged from corporate conference centers to deluxe beach resorts throughout the eastern United States. He will draw on his extensive training with such major corporations as Marriott and Best Western in helping the new Ramada Inn achieve its goals of top-notch guest service and amenities.

"Our new relationship with Ramada Inn enables us to shift into high gear in taking the hotel from a limited-service property to a full-service hotel in the very near future," Pickup said. "This will include the establishment of the Ramada Café, serving three meals daily and providing full-service catering on premises for meetings, weddings, reunions and other special events."

The Ramada Inn is hoping to attract a national restaurant franchise to occupy an additional 6,800 square feet of restaurant space, Pickup said. An indoor pool also will be installed as a complement to the current executive health club with sauna and indoor tennis courts.

Complete hotel information is available by visiting the Web site at www.ramadahotelalbany.com or by calling 462-6555.

Native son earns military promotion

Delmar native Rear Adm. Paul Higgins was promoted to Rear Adm. upper half and appointed as the Coast Guard's director of health and safety, the service's top post for physicians.

Higgins joined the U.S. Public Health Service in 1980 after graduating from Siena College and was commissioned upon entering the Coast Guard as medical officer in June 1991.

Higgins previously served as the Coast Guard's chief of health services at Coast Guard headquarters in Washington, D.C., managing 34 Coast Guard health clinics and 120 sickbays throughout the service from July 1998 to November 2003.

In his new position at Coast Guard headquarters, Higgins is responsible for the medical readiness of all Coast Guard members and administering the medical and dental care programs for Coast Guard members and their families. He is also

responsible for managing the program he previously headed in addition to the service's safety and work-life programs.

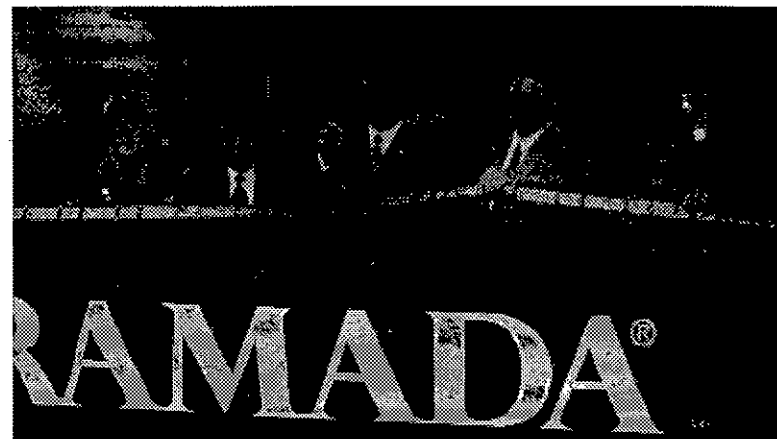
Higgins has served as chief of operational medicine, chief of the health services division at Coast Guard Support Center, New York, and as a flight surgeon at Coast Guard Air Station Brooklyn.

Higgins obtained his doctorate in medicine from Georgetown University and completed his residency in family medicine as the chief resident at the University of Virginia.

Higgins' military awards include the Meritorious Service Medal.

He and his wife Rosemary live in the Washington, D.C., area and have three children; Kathleen, 15, Robert, 12 and John 9. His parents, Frank and Grace Higgins, live in Delmar.

Frank Higgins is a retired Army Major General and veteran of World War II and Korea.



Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce President Marty DeLaney, Regency Hotels, owner Ramesh Bhatia, Albany Mayor Jerry Jennings, Ramada Inn General Manager Steven P. Pickup and Albany-Colonie Regional Chamber of Commerce President Lyn Taylor celebrate the new Ramada Inn on Rt. 9W in Albany and the appointment of Selkirk native and resident Pickup as general manager.

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Delmar man earns NSPE honor

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honors those active NSPE members who have demonstrated exemplary service to the profession, society and the community. Waidelich has been a member of NSPE since 1962.

HVCC honors Delmar woman

Grace Dillon of Delmar, a 2004 graduate of Hudson Valley Community College computer information systems program, was recently honored by the college.

Dillon, who was on the dean's list for four semesters, was the recipient of the Eastman Kodak Award, which is given to an outstanding student in HVCC's school of business.

She is also a member of Phi Theta Kappa.

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Drug

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The children are staying with other family members who live in the park, for the time being, Bowdish said.

"The mother is going to have a tough time getting them back," Bowdish surmised. "She has a lot of straightening out to do."

Police seized money, 17 marijuana plants, a number of bags of marijuana and crack cocaine that were divided up to sell, a stun gun and a myriad of drug paraphernalia, including a calculator-sized pocket scale, a larger scale, a device to grind up marijuana leaves, lights and chemicals to grow marijuana and a bunch of little baggies from Figueroa's residence.

"We took the stun gun; that's illegal to possess, and they're facing a weapons charge on that," Bowdish said.

The investigation included surveillance video and recordings after a number of complaints from Figueroa's neighbors, police said.

"Without the complaints, there's nothing," Bowdish said. "It originates with the residents, the citizens."

After the original complaints and a few sales that led to a grand jury indictment, Bowdish said surveillance was done on a more regular basis, and police were "able to do cocaine sales out of the residence," through an informant.

"There was enough evidence in there for intent to sell," Bowdish said. "It's an excellent

case. People would drive up to the house, go in there for a minute, come back out and then they were gone."

Figueroa faces three counts of criminal sale of a controlled substance in the third degree, a B felony; three counts of endangering the welfare of a child, a misdemeanor; criminal possession of a weapon in the fourth degree, a misdemeanor; and criminal possession of a controlled substance in the third degree, also a B felony.

"The B felony is a pretty serious charge," Bowdish said.

Ghidei faces criminal possession of marijuana in the second degree, a B felony; and one count each of illegally growing cannabis and endangering the welfare of a child, both misdemeanors.

Figueroa and Ghidei were arraigned in front of Judge Paul Dwyer and sent to Albany County jail without bail. They were due back in court this week for a preliminary hearing.

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Reading club Grand Prize winners

Reading Club is over for 2004, and the statistics are in. Kids in the program read a total of 2,678 hours and a total of 2,585 books. Congratulations to all the Grand Prize Readers:

- 1 - Alexis Moore - Seventh grade
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- 12 - Casey O'Neill - fourth grade
- 13 - Rory Siy - 4th grade
- 14 - Kyungduk Rho - sixth grade
- 15 - Tyler Moore - seventh grade
- 16 - Justina Miranda - sixth grade

17 - Casey Sheridan - 11th grade

Story times resume on Sept. 14 on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:15 a.m. No signup necessary.

The September/October Bookworm will be in mailboxes next week. This season is overflowing with great programs, including the Plumfest dog show, an Ernie Williams concert and new Lapsit Storytimes. Check them all out!

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Dollars for Scholars to hold garage sale

The Voorheesville Dollars for Scholars will hold its annual garage sale/car wash in the parking lot of Nichols Supermarket in Voorheesville on Saturday, Sept. 18, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.

Donations will be accepted. For information or questions as to when and where to drop off or donate items, contact Debbie Baron at 765-9371.

Plum Fest set for Sept. 25

The New Scotland Historical Association will hold its annual

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Plum Fest in the village of Voorheesville on Saturday, Sept. 25.

The purpose of the Plum Fest is to highlight and celebrate the history and community assets of a hamlet or village in the town of New Scotland. This all-day event will feature many activities, including food, concerts, antique car show, craft fair and a raffle.

The village of Voorheesville is also taking orders for commemorative bricks to be added to the Hotaling Parks Walk of the Century, established in 1999. Order forms are available in the village office.

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New Scotland Seniors plan outing

The New Scotland Seniors have an Aqua Duck Trip in downtown Albany planned for Tuesday, Sept. 14.

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New Scotland Seniors meeting features cartoonist

The next meeting for the New Scotland Senior set for today, Sept. 1, will feature cartoonist and humorist Stan Burdick of Silver Bay.

He will present a program titled Tall Tales and Riotous Rhymes.

Middle School locker night

The Voorheesville middle

school has set aside Tuesday, Sept. 7, from 4 to 7 p.m. for the students to locate their lockers and set them up.

Thacher to present hawk program

Will Aubrey will lead the third annual hawk migration program at Thacher Park overlook on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 11 and 12, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Experts will be on hand to spot and identify hawks, and binoculars will be available to borrow.

The program is free and open to the public. For information, call Thacher Park at 872-1237. On Saturday, Sept. 11, experienced wood-carvers Walt LeClair and Ernie DLassando will be on hand displaying hand-carved songbirds, loons and birds of prey.

College program on deck Sept. 14

High school seniors should set their calendars for Tuesday, Sept. 14, at 7 p.m. to meet with Sally Ten Eyck, certified educational planner.

This program will be held at Voorheesville Public Library and can help students get organized to show their strengths to prospective colleges through essays and in interviews.

Five Rivers program

A free outdoor study of berry-producing shrubs will be offered Saturday, Sept. 4, at 2 p.m. at Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar.

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Participants should dress for the outdoors. For information, call 475-0291.

Program to feature Glenn Miller's life

Bethlehem Public Library presents "Glenn Miller: the Man, the Music, the Era," on Friday, Sept. 10, at 2 p.m.

Jack Hotchkiss of the Scotia-Glenville Traveling Museum will use slides, narration and clips of original recordings to trace the life of the famed bandleader from his Midwestern childhood to his heyday in the Swing Era and the war years.

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On Thursday, Sept. 23, the topic is Responding to Life Stresses with Relaxation and the presenter is Diane Bossung, a certified social worker and physical therapist.

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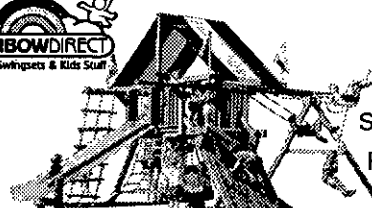
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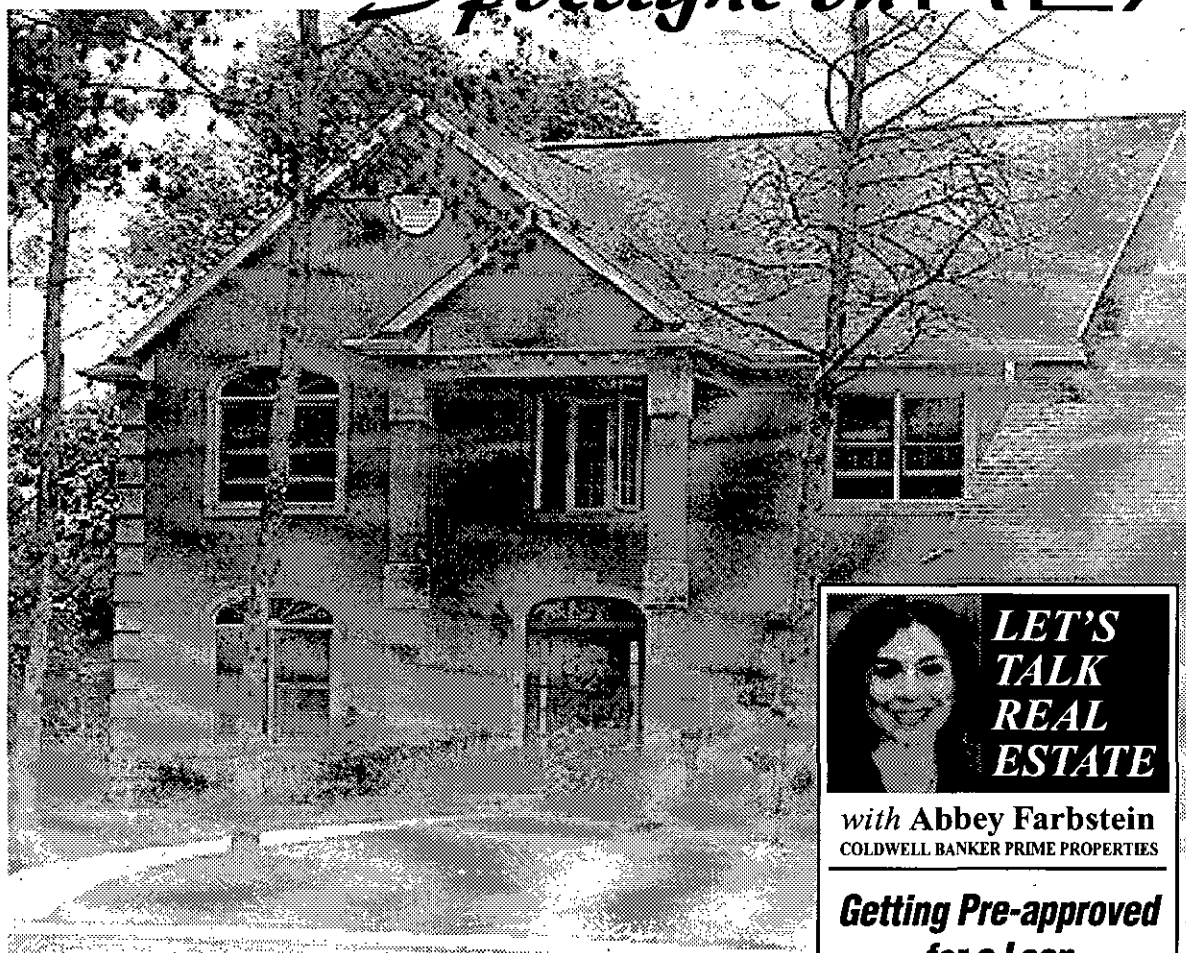
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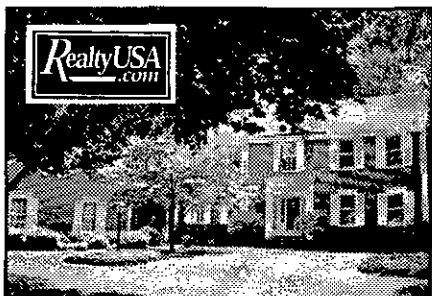
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Sports

Battaglino reluctantly leaves the Bethlehem nest

By ROB JCNAS

John Battaglino is leaving the world of high school girls lacrosse for the world of collegiate lacrosse.

The man who guided Bethlehem to six consecutive Section II titles and three straight state semifinal appearances has taken an assistant coaching position with the Syracuse University women's lacrosse team.

"It's not very often that a high school coach gets the chance to go to a highly-ranked college program," Battaglino said. "I hope it works out."

"I'm happy for him," Bethlehem

athletic director Chuck Abba said. "He's done a great job with the girls lacrosse program, and this is a great opportunity for him."

Battaglino said he wasn't actively searching for a job in the college ranks when Syracuse head coach Lisa Miller approached him with the job offer in June, following Bethlehem's loss in the state semifinals to eventual champion Fayetteville-Manlius.

"I was flattered, but at the time I said I couldn't think about it. I had too much going on," Battaglino said. "School was winding down, and I had to get the

(Bethlehem players) ready for summer tournaments."

Battaglino said he mulled over his choices for more than a month before making his decision. In the end, he said it was the possibilities of a collegiate coaching career that led him to pick Syracuse over Bethlehem.

"If I stayed here, I probably would have stayed another year and then step down and maybe help out," he said. "I don't know if another opportunity would have presented itself if I turned this one down."

Still, Battaglino said the decision was a hard one. "I didn't grow up here, but I consider this place home," he said. "That made it all the more difficult because of all the friendships I've developed in my 10 years here."

Battaglino said he is willing to help Bethlehem find his replacement.

"I'm going to sit down with (Abba) in the not too distant future, but they'll have the final say as to who they'll bring in," he said.

The Bethlehem girls lacrosse

program has become the dominant force in Section II since Battaglino took the reins in 1995. The Lady Eagles won their first Division I Sectional title in 1999 and haven't allowed anyone else to claim it since.

The 2005 Lady Eagles should be shaping up for another run at a state title. All but one player is back from this past year's team, including goaltender Emily Szelest and forwards Halley Quillinan, Theresa Ladouceur and Katie Rowan.

"It's not very often that a high school coach gets the chance to go to a highly-ranked college program."

John Battaglino

The past two years have provided watershed moments for Bethlehem. The Lady Eagles reached the state finals for the first time last year and came within a minute of claiming the title before losing to West Genesee. This past season, Bethlehem was the top-ranked team in the state for the first time in its history.

"We aren't one of the bigger schools (in Section II) and we have one of the smaller programs, but we have a bunch of hard workers," Battaglino said.

ground running," Battaglino said.

Several of Battaglino's former players have moved on to NCAA Division I programs. Carly St. Lucia and Susie Breaznell are entering their junior seasons at Boston College, a Big East rival of Syracuse, while Kristin Link is starting her sophomore season at Connecticut. Kate Metevia is starting her sophomore season at Colgate University, which is also on Syracuse's 2005 schedule.

"I've talked to Carly (St. Lucia) and Susie (Breaznell), and they're happy for me," Battaglino said. "But they're also kind of sad because, whenever they come home (in the summer), they bring their (lacrosse) sticks with them if I have a clinic going on."

Whoever takes over for Battaglino will face higher expectations from Bethlehem fans who are used to seeing their Lady Eagles win Section II titles than what Battaglino dealt with when he became the team's coach.

"We've got a good group of kids coming back, but we're talking high school sports here," Abba said. "Obviously, the expectations are very high, and we'll certainly try to find the best coach."

It may prove to be only a temporary replacement, though. Battaglino said he will assist Miller at Syracuse in 2005 and then decide whether he wants to continue in the college ranks. If he decides to go back to coaching high school lacrosse, Battaglino's first choice would be Bethlehem.

"The No. 1 thing I like to do is develop young players," Battaglino said. "If I want to do that, I can come back."

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Lady Eagles seek return to state soccer playoffs

By ROB JONAS

The Bethlehem girls soccer team is getting used to playing for Section II titles. What it wants is to make a habit of winning them.

Over the last four years, Bethlehem has been to three Sectional finals. The Lady Eagles reached the class AA finals last year, only to come out on the short end of a 1-0 score against eventual state runner-up Shenendehowa. That followed a 2002 season in which Bethlehem won the class A Sectional title, but wound up losing in the regional finals to Baldwinville. In 2000, Niskayuna defeated the Lady Eagles in the Sectional finals.

Senior forward Vanessa Patry has been part of all three Sectional finalist Bethlehem teams, and she said losing to Shen last year has motivated her and the other 13 veterans on this year's roster.

"Losing in the Sectional finals is going to kill you anyway, so you're going to work extra hard in the off-season," Patry said.

Patry will be one of the focal points on a Bethlehem offense

that must find some new goal scorers to replace graduated seniors Kristen White and Katie Fage. Among those Rogan expects to pick up the slack are junior Cate Quinlan, sophomore Theresa Ladouceur and seniors Tess McGrath and Karyn Cioppa, who is coming off an injury-plagued 2003 season.

"We lost some key players from last year, but we have some good players coming back," Rogan said. "We have some kids who can put the ball in the net."

Patry has been one of the leading scorers for Bethlehem since she was an eighth grader. Her reputation as a goal scorer, combined with the losses of White and Fage, could lead opponents to double- and triple-team Patry.

"I'm sure they'll be aware of where she is on the field at all times," Rogan said. "She's been a

dangerous player all four years." "We're working on playing off other players and trying new things," Patry said. "What we're working toward is all 11 players attacking."

The defense remains virtually intact with the return of goal-tenders Nicole Volpi and Leslie Rimer, along with defenders Catie Vincent, Lindsay Rood and Kelly Hughes. Only Ali Maher, who graduated in

June, won't be returning to Bethlehem's starting backfield. "Defensively, I believe we'll be very strong," Rogan said.

While Bethlehem won't experience much change in its starting lineup, it will be dealing with a changing Suburban Council landscape. With the addition of Ballston Spa from the Foothills Council this season, the Suburban Council has switched from two divisions to three divisions.

Bethlehem is now in the Gold Division along with Niskayuna, Columbia and Guilderland, while Shen stays in the Blue Division.

The new format also brings a new schedule. Bethlehem plays its Gold Division foes twice, but gets only one meeting with such traditional Suburban Council powers as Shen and Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake.

The only other opportunity the Lady Eagles might have to face either of those teams before Sectionals is in the newly-created end-of-season Suburban Council

tournament.

"Only seeing Shen once is a dagger because I look forward to playing Shen twice," Patry said. "Luckily, we play them at home this year."

Rogan is non-committal about the new-look Suburban Council and its tournament. "They're trying something different, and we'll see how it works out," he said.

Bethlehem begins its season Sept. 7 by hosting Averill Park. Its first Gold Division game is Sept. 9 against Guilderland.

"Losing in the Sectional finals is going to kill you anyway, so you're going to work extra hard in the off-season."

Vanessa Patry

Racing club schedules Labor Day 5K event

The Hudson Mohawk Road Runners Club is holding the annual SEFCU Foundation Labor Day Race Monday.

The five-kilometer race starts at 9 a.m. from a new location, the SEFCU headquarters building on the Washington Avenue side of the State Office Campus. A children's fun run starts at 10 a.m.

Awards are presented to the top three male and female runners, the top age group finishers

and the first three male and female SEFCU members. Awards are also presented to the top male and female teams in the high school and college divisions.

Team applications must be received by Sept. 3. Individual runners can register the day of the race from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. at the SEFCU headquarters building.

The entry fee is \$12 for the 5K race and \$1 for the children's race. The first 500 registrants receive commemorative T-shirts.

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The Bethlehem Soccer Club is sponsoring a bus trip to Foxboro, Mass., for a doubleheader Saturday.

The United States men's soccer team hosts El Salvador in the CONCACAF semifinals. The game is a qualifier for the 2006 World Cup.

Following the CONCACAF semifinal, the New England Revolution plays the San Jose Earthquakes in a Major League Soccer contest.

The bus will leave at noon from the Bethlehem Soccer Club's Soccerplex in Glenmont and return approximately at 11:30 p.m.

The bus trip costs \$65, which includes round-trip transportation and tickets to the doubleheader.

For information or to register, call Joel Rosenberg at 439-8405 or e-mail cleansheet_bsc@msn.com.

Indians stocked with veterans

By ROB JONAS

The Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk girls soccer team gets the first chance to beat the defending state class A champions.

The Indians open their season Thursday against Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, which beat them 2-0 in last year's Section II semifinals.

"They lost a lot of people," RCS coach Danielle Hummel said. "I went up and saw them play, and I feel comfortable that we will do well."

While Burnt Hills has to replace several starters, RCS has

an abundance of veterans. Not only is everybody back from last year's 14-4-1 team, but the Indians have also added Academy of Holy Names transfer Kelly McGuire.

"I think all of the girls have very high expectations, as do I," said Hummel, who is entering her second season at RCS. "The girls got a taste of what last year was like, so they want more."

McGuire, a midfielder, joins a team that's already packed with offensive firepower. Seniors Allison Poetzsch and Brittany Edelson lead a group of veteran forwards, while senior Jeannine Rider and juniors Katelyn

Matousek and Dawn Weidman are part of a talented pack of midfielders.

"The scoring was spread out among the girls last year, which made it nice," Hummel said.

The one thing Hummel is hoping her players will avoid is the habit of allowing the other team to strike first.

"Our team definitely seems to be a come-from-behind team," she said. "We'll be quiet until somebody does something (for the other team). We seem to like the challenge."

The defense is still young for RCS, as sophomore goaltender Elisha VanKampen and sophomore defender Jessica Byerwalters lead the backfield. Seniors Daisha King and Cassie Ostrander and junior Lauren Scott round out the defense.

Club schedules team tryouts

The Bethlehem Girls Basketball Club — formerly known as Bethlehem Little Lady Eagles Girls Basketball — is holding tryouts for the 2004-05 season Sept. 21, 23 and 28 at Bethlehem Central Middle School.

Girls in grades five and six have tryouts from 6 to 7:30 p.m. all three nights, and girls in grades seven and eight have tryouts from 7:30 to 9 p.m. all nights.

It is requested that players attend all three sessions with a minimum of two.

Players are asked to arrive 30 minutes early to register and check in.

The club began a "house" program (no travel) last year for fifth and sixth graders. The program may be expanded to seventh and eighth graders this year, depending on interest. A fourth grade program begins in December.

For information on the tryouts or to volunteer as a coach, contact Jeff Gillham at 439-2332 or e-mail jgillham@nycap.rr.com.

Information can also be found on the club's Web site at www.eteamz.com/littleladyeagles.

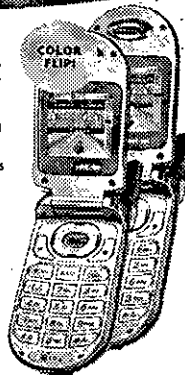
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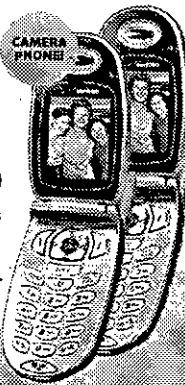
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Concerns

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to work as a court clerk for New Scotland Town Justice Thomas Dolan after taking a seat on the New Scotland town board. In response to the criticism, she opted to continue doing the job without pay.

"Robert and Debbie Baron keep getting the town embroiled in conflicts that divert attention away from what we should be doing," said Douglas LaGrange, a New Scotland planning board member who narrowly lost to Baron for a seat on the town board, last year. "I think Debbie is a nice person, but she is always being led in a wrong direction," he added.

Deborah Baron said that Dolan is looking for a daytime replacement, and that she is helping him with the transition. "For 12 years, I was the only clerk during the day. The other court clerk had a full-time job and another part-time job. This is nothing new" she said adding that Sue Gruss, another court clerk, is also working in the office.

One parent, Fran Gorka, who works as a substitute teacher for the school district said she is perplexed that the matter was discussed in a private session held after the board meeting. "This is plain wrong. Nobody had a chance to be heard."

According to School Superintendent Alan McCartney, all personnel matters are discussed in executive session. Voting, however, takes place in public session, as was the case this time.

Gorka said that doesn't make much of a difference if the public session follows the executive session late at night after everyone has gone home.

"If anything good comes out this, maybe we will see more discussion on how the school should deal with nepotism and if a new policy ought to be adopted."

Peter Belenchia, the New Scotland Republican Party chairman at the time Deborah Baron was elected, accused the Barons of abusing the power of their elected positions.

"They have an ethical

responsibility to the people who put them in office. This is a blatant disregard for common decency," he said.

Both McCartney and Coffin voiced dismay that this debate has turned into a political battle outside the school district*.

"This is our issue, and it should not be taken any farther than it is," Coffin said. McCartney agreed, saying that petty town politics is seeping into his school district. As for Baron voting on the matter, Coffin defended his colleague's right to vote emphasizing that by abstaining he would be neglecting to do his job.

A resident of the district since 1986, Deborah Baron said she had already planned to search for a job in the school district after her children finished school. "I love this school," she said. "The people are professional, friendly and cooperative. It never crossed my mind that anybody would make this an issue."

According to McCartney, there were three or four typing positions to be filled and in each case, all new people hired were placed where they would serve the district best. He said the main office called people on the civil service lists, and advertised in local newspapers as well as the district newsletter. Many people, he added, weren't interested because they preferred applying for a 10-month position common in school districts.

"Debbie Baron was the best qualified," he said adding that the school district has no policy discouraging nepotism.

"She was executive secretary for the Bureau of Public Affairs with the U.S. State Department and had the highest security clearance, which is important in this job. In addition, she has an accounting background," McCartney said. "In this job she neither evaluates nor supervises anyone. She reports to the school district business official, Sarita Winchell"

Deborah Baron earned an associate's degree in secretarial science from Morrisville State Agricultural and Technical College where she finished as an honor graduate.

As a parent and volunteer,

McCartney said, Debbie has a long history with the district. "She has been active with the PTA, a member of the school's site based team and a room mother who introduced a new yearbook program for the elementary school."


Deborah Baron's husband Robert agreed, "There is no conflict of interest," he said. "It's only a conflict of interest when a candidate is unqualified. What some people are trying to do is

create a perception conflict of interest. I vote on every decision, many of which involve people I know. During this vote I raised my hand at the same time as everyone else. I have the right to vote, and she has the right to the job. She is qualified and was recommended by the superintendent and school district business manager."

McCartney said that in a small community like Voorheesville it's

common for applicants to be related to or friendly with other employees, administrators and board members.

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Obituaries

Kenneth Roney

Kenneth Robert Roney of Glenmont died Thursday, Aug. 26, at his home.

Born in Albany, he was a graduate of the former Our Lady Help of Christians School and Cardinal McCloskey High School.

Mr Roney worked as a lather and later a carpenter for many years with Local 370 in Albany.

Survivors include his wife, Penny Jarvis Roney; a son, Kenneth P. Roney of Albany; a daughter, Melissa Roney of Raleigh, N.C.; a brother, Paul Roney of Delmar; and two grandchildren.

Services were from St. Patrick's Church in Ravena.

Interment was in Our Lady Help of Christians Cemetery in Glenmont.

Arrangements were by the Daniel Keenan Funeral Home in Albany.

Contributions may be made to Community Hospice of Albany County, 445 New Karner Road, Colonie 12205 or Albany Dialysis Center, 2 Clara Barton Drive, Albany 12208.

Carmon Audino

Carmon A. Audino, 86, of Delmar and Boynton Beach, Fla., died Wednesday, Aug. 25, at Hospice Inn of St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

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He was a communicant of Blessed Sacrament Church in Albany.

He will always be remembered for his kindness and generosity.

He was husband of the late Rose Rossi Audino.

Survivors include a daughter, Teresa Lawlor of Delmar; two brothers, John Audino and Michael Audino, both of Albany; a sister, Immaculata Lizzi of Albany; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were from the Daniel Keenan Funeral Home in Albany and Blessed Sacrament Church.

Burial was in Our Lady of Angels Cemetery in Colonie.

Contributions may be made to Good Samaritan Lutheran Home, 141 Rockefeller Road, Delmar 12054 or Hospice Inn at St. Peter's Hospital, 315 S. Manning Blvd., Albany 12208.

Alice Andrea

Alice Andrea of Delmar died Friday, Aug. 27, at Good Samaritan Lutheran Nursing Home.

Born in Albany, she lived in Rochester for many years. She worked for IBM Corp. for 30 years. After retirement, she was an active hospital volunteer.

Ms. Andrea was a longtime member of Rochester Presbyterian Church.

She traveled around the world, most notably to China, Jerusalem, Africa, Europe and the Soviet Union.

Survivors include five nieces, Marilyn Spencer, Kim Spencer, Nancy Thomas, Carrol Brewer, Janet Andrea; and two nephews, James Spencer and Tom Nicklas.

Graveside services at Bethlehem Cemetery were private.

Linda Miller

Linda L. "Linky" Miller, 53, of Feura Bush, died Sunday, Aug. 22, at her home.

Born in Albany, she was a homemaker.

She was a devoted and loving mother and grandmother.

She was the widow of Donald K. Miller.

Survivors include two daughters, Kimberly Miller and Jennifer Snyder; two sisters, Beverly Bushnell and Tina Munoz; two brothers, Floyd "Butch" Snyder and Edsel Dudley; her stepmother, Betsey Dudley; and two grandchildren.

Services were from the Cunningham Funeral Home in Greenville.

Mrs. Miller was cremated and interred with her husband in Notre Dame Cemetery in South Hadley, Mass.

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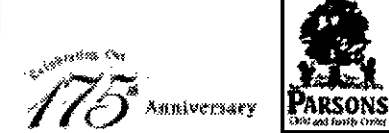
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Gerald Richardson

Gerald W. Richardson, 86, of Ravena, died Thursday, Aug. 26, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Born in Alcove, he graduated from Ravena High School in 1939.

He was a pitcher for the Alcove AC's baseball team, was one of the original Little League managers in 1950, enjoyed bowling and all sports.

He was an Army veteran of World War II, serving in the Pacific as a tech sergeant.

For 22 years, he worked for the former New York Central Railroad as a machinist, 10 years for Herbert Hamlin as an electrician and 22 years for the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk school district as a mechanic. He retired in 1983.

He was a 54-year member of the Bethlehem Masonic Lodge and a member of Congregational Christian Church in Ravena.

Survivors include his wife of 63 years, Hazel R. Richardson; a daughter, Betty Jane Millett LaPlante of Ravena; a son, William Richardson of Florida; three sisters, Selma LaBuda of Climax, Dorothy Ventura of Selkirk and Alice Smith of Delmar; two grandsons; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were from the Babcock Funeral Home in Ravena.

Burial was in Chestnut Lawn Cemetery in New Baltimore.

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Obituaries

David De Porte

David De Porte, 88, of Slingerlands died Sunday, Aug. 22, at Albany Medical Center Hospital.

Born in Ithaca, he graduated from the former Milne School in Albany and studied sculpture at Yale University School of Fine Arts and painting at the Art Students League in New York City. His early professional experience included mural painting, with commissions in Kingston and Oneonta, Los Angeles and Mexico City. He was the assistant muralist on the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's 76-foot murals at the New York and San Francisco World's Fairs of 1939.

He was an Army veteran of World War II, serving in the

Special Services unit.

After the war, he worked in New York City advertising agencies as copywriter. He also produced shooting scripts and illustrations for crime magazines, comic books and designed illustrated souvenir programs for Broadway and off-Broadway productions. In 1952, he returned to Albany where he worked in local advertising agencies and in 1959, opened his own advertising firm. In 1961, he helped found the Van de Car, De Porte & Johnson agency, of which he was president from 1970 to 1975.

He was the former director of the Hudson Valley Chapter of the Association of Industrial Advertisers. His national awards included citations from the Creative Design League, the

Award of Excellence from Standard Packing Corp. and the highest merit award from Financial World.

He later became public relations consultant to public radio station WAMC-FM. He also served on a national advisory panel in Washington, D.C. for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Katherine Thompson De Porte; a son, David H. De Porte of New York City; a daughter, Jean De Porte Wheeler of Malta; and a grandchild.

Arrangements were by the Meyers Funeral Home in Delmar.

Contributions may be made to Guiding Eyes for the Blind, 611 Granite Springs Road, Yorktown Heights 10598.

Janet Fossett

Janet Perloff Fossett, 50, of Delmar died Sunday, Aug. 29, at her home.

Born and raised in New York City, she earned a bachelor's degree from Kirkland College and master's and doctoral degrees from the University of Chicago. Before moving to Albany in 1989, she lived in Chicago, where she held research positions at the American Academy of Pediatrics and the Veterans Administration and served on the faculty of the University of Illinois.

She held faculty and administrative positions at the Schools of Social Welfare and Public Health at the University at Albany. Her last position was as professor and associate dean for research at the School of Social Welfare.

She was nationally known for her scholarly contributions in the field of maternal and child health. She co-authored a book and published more than 50 articles, book chapters and scholarly reports during her academic career, and served as a peer reviewer and editorial board member for a number of scholarly journals. After she was diagnosed with breast cancer in 2000, she became active as an advocate and spokesperson for women with breast cancer and their families.

Her leadership and dedication was recognized in 2003 when she was awarded the University at Albany faculty award of excel-

lence in academic service.

Survivors include her husband, James W. Fossett; a son, Jeffrey Fossett; her mother, Sondra Perloff; and two sisters, Linda Freundlich and Sheila Eddison.

Funeral services were from B'Nai Shalom Reform Congregation, in Albany. Burial was in Elmwood Hills Cemetery in Troy.

The family will sit Shiva at their home for three days; family and friends are invited to call.

Contributions may be made to the Janet D. Perloff Lecture/Scholarship Fund at the University at Albany. Checks payable to the University at Albany Foundation with Janet D. Perloff Fund noted in the memo can be sent to Mary Beth Nelligan-Goodman, School of Social Welfare, University at Albany, 135 Western Ave., Albany 12222.

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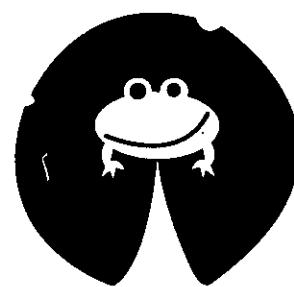


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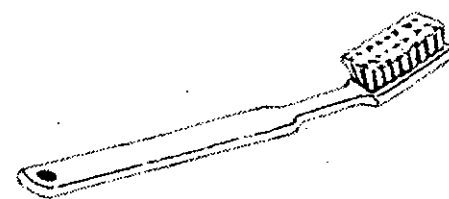
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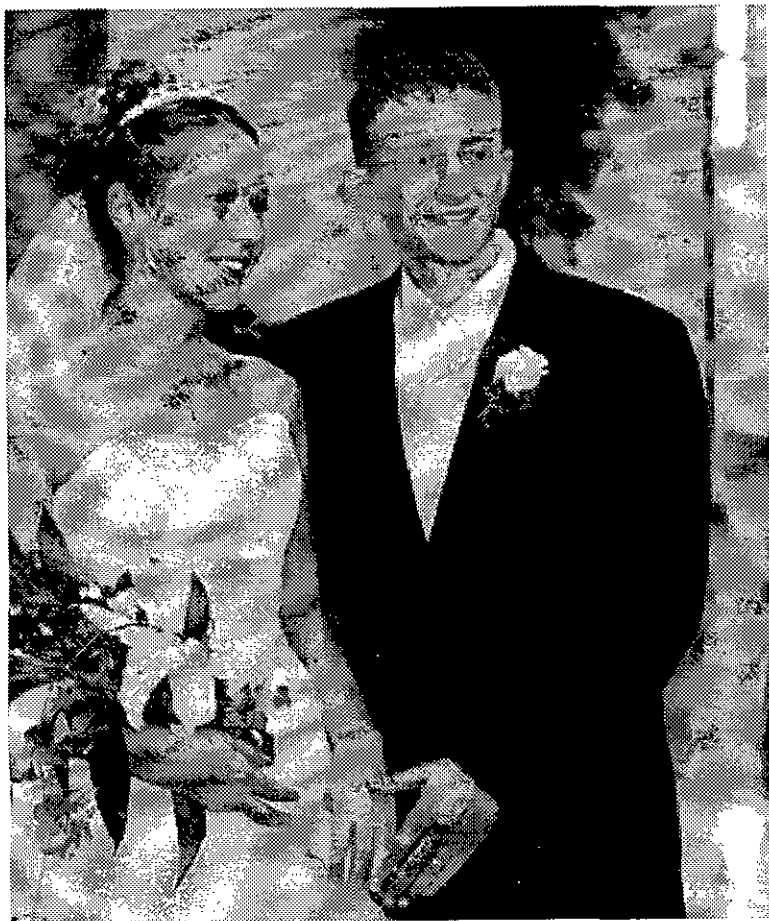


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MONDAY-THURSDAY 8-5
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Colleen and Jason Zeliph

Tripp, Zeliph married

Colleen Theresa Tripp, daughter of Terrence and Janet Tripp of Slingerlands, and Jason Edward Zeliph, son of Harvey and Loretta Zeliph of Coxsackie, were married May 21.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Kenneth Doyle at St. Catherine of Siena Church in Albany. A reception followed at Michael's Banquet House in Latham.

The maid of honor was Elizabeth Tripp.

The bridesmaids were Jessa Engelstein, Alice Wilson, Courtney Zeliph and Jennifer Coogan.

The flower girl was Christina Coogan.

The best man was Jeffrey Zeliph.

The groomsmen were Timothy Gorts, Hank Tripp, Daniel Tripp and Zachary Coogan.

The ring bearer was Travis Zeliph.

The bride is a graduate of the University at Albany.

The groom is a graduate of the School of Criminal Justice in Albany.

After a honeymoon trip to Naples, Fla., the couple lives in Slingerlands.

Woman receives marketing award

Jacquelyn Konis of Voorheesville has received the outstanding student in marketing award at the Western New England College Academic Honors Convocation held in May.

An active member of Alpha Kappa Psi, Delta Mu Delta Business Society and Junior Achievement, Konis completed her internship with Savage Arms, Inc., where she researched and created a Partnership Program.

She has received the best paper award in a research project for Friendly's, Inc.

Class of '04

Grinnell College

Joshua Brody of Delmar (bachelor's in Russian, with honors).

New England School of Law

Rian Kathleen Kovarik of Glenmont (juris doctor).

St. Bonaventure University

William Peters of Voorheesville (bachelor's in

business administration).

SUNY Oswego

Stefanie Pivar of Voorheesville (bachelor's in English).

Syracuse University

Sarah Zimmer of Glenmont (bachelor's in public relations) and Matthew Cardamone of Slingerlands (bachelor's in civil and mechanical engineering).

Letters policy

The Spotlight welcomes letters from readers on subjects of local and regional interest. Letters are subject to editing for fairness, style and length.

All letters must include the writer's name, address and phone number.

Write to Letters to the Editor, The Spotlight, P.O. Box 100, Delmar 12054. Letters can be faxed to 439-0609.

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Dean's List

University at Albany

Kara Cady-Sawyer, Leslie DiPaolo and Rachel Sonne, all of Delmar.

University of Notre Dame

Brian Lasky of Delmar.

University of Rochester

Andrew McNamara of Slingerlands.

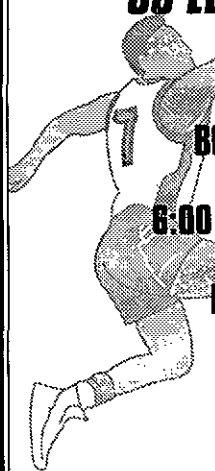
Western New England College

Lauren Schucker of Delmar, president's list, and Aniela Lupien of Voorheesville.

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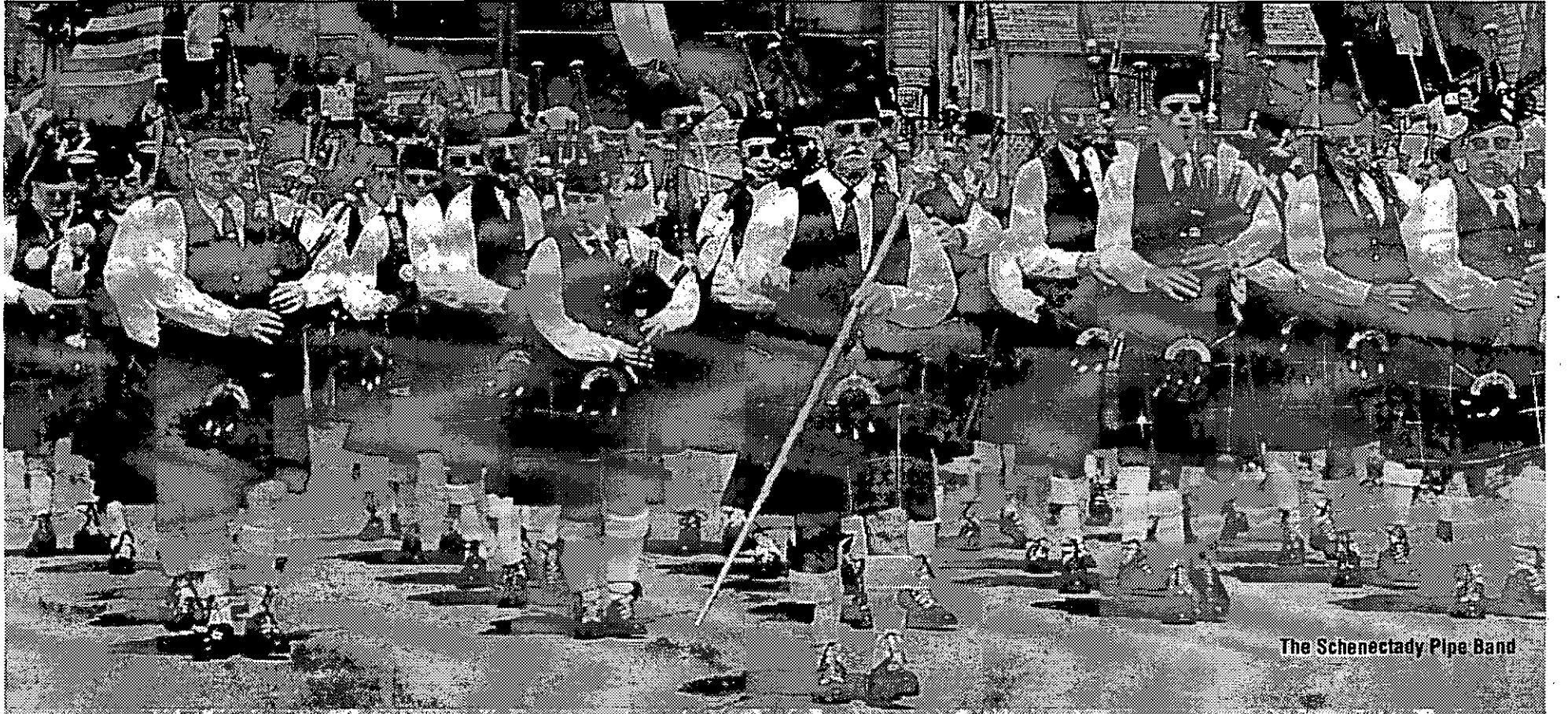
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The Schenectady Pipe Band

Scots to play games in Altamont

By MARTIN J. BANNAN

Tradition meets the present in a celebration of bagpipes, drums, kilts and culture as the Schenectady Pipe Band hosts the 27th annual Capital District Scottish Games. The two-day festival takes place Sept. 4 and 5 at the Altamont Fairgrounds.

"We have something for everybody," said Scottish Games spokesman Bob Gordon. "It's a real family event where you can go and spend a few dollars and have an entire day or two of entertainment and fun in a comfortable setting."

The games are actually a festival of everything Scottish with a little bit of other Celtic culture thrown in. Events include bagpipes, dance, folk bands, Scottish balladeers, history and genealogy.

This year's featured entertainers will be The Brigadoons, The Glengarry Bhoys, Colin Grant-Adams and (Saturday only) the McKrells. Also, writer and historian Rob Roy McGregor will return to present his popular history of the sword.

Festivities kick off with a parade led by horsemen followed by the Schenectady Pipe Band and the march of the clans.

Afterward, bagpipers and drummers compete in both individual and group events while Highland dancers kick up their feet for prizes in the dance competition.

Sunday's events include the return of everybody's favorite, the Beers and Cheers Pipe Band and Drum Corps Competition. In this contest, bands perform wearing zany costumes of their own creation.

"This event was gone for a while, but by popular demand, comes back as

colorful and hilarious as ever," Gordon said. "You see some of the goofiest getups you ever could imagine. It's great fun."

In spite of all the levity, Beers and Cheers is a serious competition where bands are judged strictly by how they play the pipes and drums, Gordon explained.

"One year we let the audience vote by applauding but it was too hard to tell who was winning," he said. "Now we have a panel of judges who decide."

As for the games themselves, the Northeastern U.S. Highland Athletics Championships take place Saturday with amateur events scheduled for Sunday. Come and see kilted athletes compete throwing the caber, a piece of timber resembling a telephone pole, or the sheaf, a burlap bag filled with 16 pounds of hay that is tossed over a bar using a pitch fork. Other events include throwing hammers and large stones for both distance and height.

When you get hungry, vendors will be on hand serving Scottish favorites such as meat pies, fish and chips and haggis, (don't ask for the recipe). Vendors will also have plenty of your American favorites too.

There will also be children's events, a dog show, the bonniest knees contest and exhibits by Scottish clans and societies, as well as vendors selling kilts, sweaters, woolens, jewelry and Scottish souvenirs.

If all of this makes you want to go to Scotland, take notice. Raffle tickets to win a trip

for two to Scotland courtesy of Icelandair, as well as a trip for two anywhere in the U.S. courtesy of Southwest Airlines, will be on sale at the games.

"When you go through the gate, no matter what part of the world your ancestors came from, we make you feel like family," Gordon said, adding that most people stay until the end each day.

According to Gordon, the 50-strong Schenectady Pipe Band was founded in 1917 and took on the challenge of reviving this event in 1978. The games are now regarded as the largest of their kind in the East.

"We have 100 or so volunteers who keep this event alive," Gordon said. "They range in age from the very young to those fully retired working all year in 50 different capacities as diverse as coordinating events to helping with parking. Everyone, though, pitches

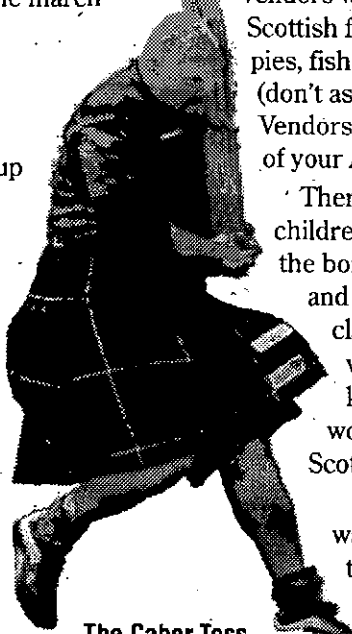
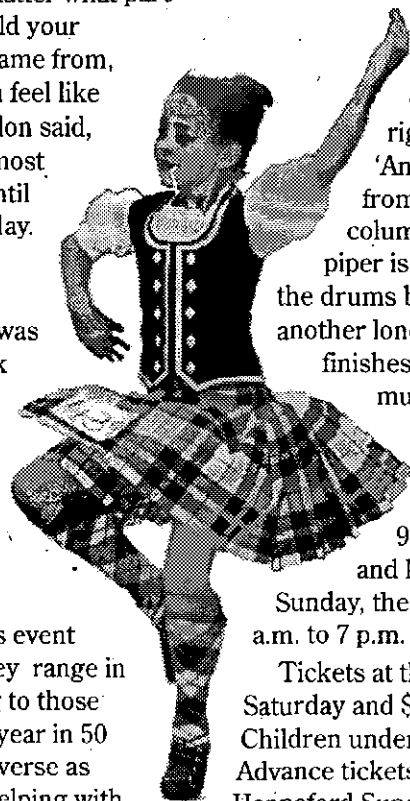
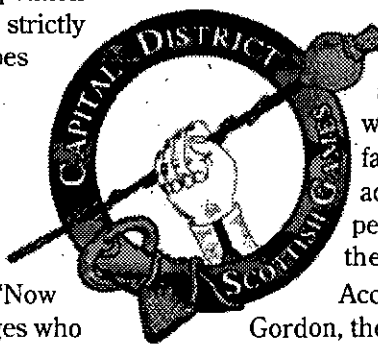
in with setup and cleanup."

The festival ends Sunday evening when more than 40 pipe and drum bands from all over the Northeast and Canada gather on the infield for a mass band performance.

"There is nothing quite like it," Gordon said. "One lone piper on the formation's right begins playing 'Amazing Grace,' then from the right, each column joins in until every piper is playing as one. Then the drums begin and finally another lone piper on the left finishes. It's a crescendo of music that never fails to bring tears to people's eyes."

Festivities begin at 9 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 4, and last until 7 p.m. On Sunday, the event runs from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Tickets at the gate are \$15 on Saturday and \$10 on Sunday. Children under 12 get in free. Advance tickets, available at most Hannaford Supermarkets cost \$12 for Saturday and \$8 for Sunday.



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THE KING AND I

Mac-Haydn Theatre, Route 203, Chatham, through Sept. 5, \$20.90 and \$22.90, \$12 for children under 12, accompanied by an adult. Information, 392-9292.

CABARET

Theater Barn, Route 20, New Lebanon, through Sept. 5, \$19, \$17 for matinees. Information, 794-8989.

Music

LAVAY SMITH AND HER RED-HOT SKILLET LICKERS

The Van Dyck, 235 Union St., Schenectady, Sept. 3, 7 and 9:30 p.m., \$40. Information, 381-1111.

TIERNEY SUTTON

WAMC Performing Arts Studio, 339 Central Ave., Albany, Sept. 9, 8 p.m., \$15. Information, 1-800-323-9262, ext. 4.

MOSE ALLISON

The Van Dyck, 235 Union St., Schenectady, Sept. 10, 7 and 9:30 p.m.,

RORY BLOCK

WAMC Performing Arts Studio, 339 Central Ave., Albany, Sept. 10, 8 p.m., \$18. Information, 1-800-323-9262, ext. 4.

COWBOY JUNKIES

The Egg at Empire State Plaza, Albany, Sept. 11, 8 p.m., \$24. Information, 473-1845.

BRUBECK BROTHERS QUARTET

WAMC Performing Arts Studio, 339 Central Ave., Albany, Sept. 11, 8 p.m., \$18. Information, 1-800-323-9262, ext. 4.

RIVERFRONT JAZZ FESTIVAL

with Curtis Stigers, Ann Hampton Calloway, The James Carter Organ Trio, Sensemaya con Mundo Novo and Sonya Kitchell, Riverfront Park, Albany, Sept. 12, noon to night, free. Information, 434-2032.

DAVID BROMBERG QUARTET/SAM BUSH BAND

The Egg at Empire State Plaza, Albany, Sept. 18, 8 p.m., \$26. Information, 473-1845.

Visual Arts

NEW YORK STATE MUSEUM

Spirit of the Woodstock Generation: The Photographs of Elliot Landy, through Sept. 6; Lost Cases, Recovered Lives: Suitcases from a State Hospital Attic, through Sept. 19; plus permanent collections on the 9/11 recovery effort, New York state history and geography, Empire State Plaza, Madison Avenue. Information, 474-5877.

ALBANY INSTITUTE OF HISTORY AND ART

exhibits on Hudson River School painting, American sculpture, Egypt and the history of Albany, 125 Washington Ave. Information, 463-4478.

SCHENECTADY MUSEUM

Factory Bands to Funk: Music in the Capital Region, 1900 to the Present, through Sept. 12; plus Spirit of Schenectady, collection highlights and planetarium, Nott Terrace Heights. Information, 382-7890.

LOCAL COLOR ART GALLERY

961 Troy-Schenectady Road, Latham, Shades of Summer exhibit of original paintings by member of the Colonie Art

League, through Aug. 31. Information, 786-6557.

Call for Artists

DELMAR COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

openings in the string, horn and percussion sections. Information, 439-7749.

COLONIE TOWN BAND

several openings, rehearsals on Mondays at 7:30 p.m. at town hall, Route 9, Newtonville. Information, 783-2760.

COLONIE CENTENNIAL BRASS CHOIR

openings for brass players, rehearsals on first Thursday and third Tuesday of the month, at 7:15 p.m., town hall, Route 9, Newtonville. Information, 783-2760.

SUBURBAN SOUNDS COMMUNITY CHORUS

openings in mixed chorus, rehearsals Sundays at 7 p.m. at Lynnwood Reformed Church, Route 146, Guilderland. Information, 861-8000.

FRIENDSHIP SINGERS

openings in women's singing group, focusing on old favorites and show tunes, rehearsals Tuesday mornings at Community United Methodist Church 1499 New Scotland Road, Slingerlands. Information, 439-2360.

A CAPPELLA

new, informal, coed a cappella group in Delmar, for adults and teens 16 and older. Information, 439-0130.

SIENA CHAMBER ORCHESTRA AND CHOIR

rehearsals Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. for orchestra, Wednesdays at 6 p.m. for choir, Siena College, Route 9, Loudonville. Information, 783-2325.

THE ORCHESTRA ON THE COMMON

openings in the string section, rehearsals Friday at 9 a.m., Shenendehowa Senior Center, Clifton Common, Clifton Park. Information, 372-5146.

FIRST NIGHT ALBANY

musical artists wanted for New Year's Eve event, submit tape/CD, biography, reviews, etc., to Albany Office of Special Events, City Hall, Eagle Street, Albany 12207.

Information 434-8069. Information, 785-4807.

ELECTRIC CITY CHORUS

male singing group, training provided, rehearsals at Faith United Methodist Church, Brandywine Avenue and Eastern Parkway, Schenectady, Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. Information, 785-4807.

RIVER VALLEY CHORUS

Sweet Adelines group, based in Scotia-Glenville area, rehearsals on Tuesdays, 7 to 9:30 p.m., call for location. Information, 399-9480.

MONDAY MUSICAL CLUB WOMEN'S CHORUS

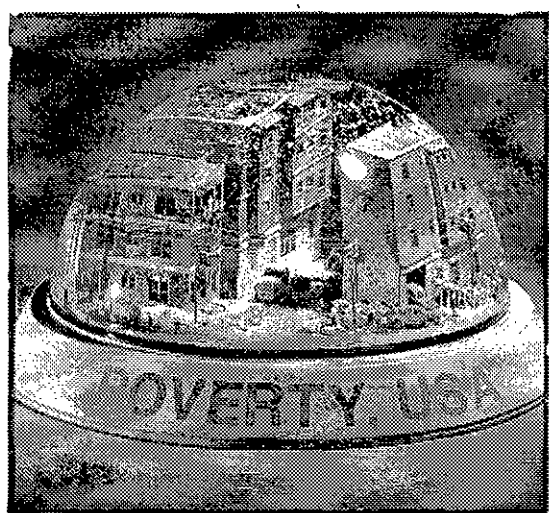
invitation for new members to join in singing classical and popular songs, Third Reformed Church, 20 Ten Eyck Ave., Albany, Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. Information, 477-4454.

CAPITAL COMMUNITY VOICES

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

ARTISTS WANTED

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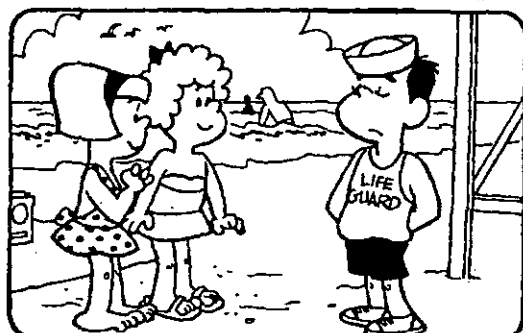
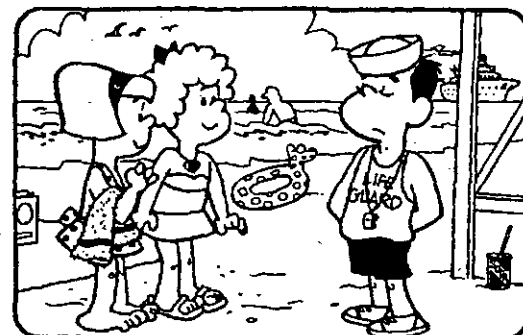
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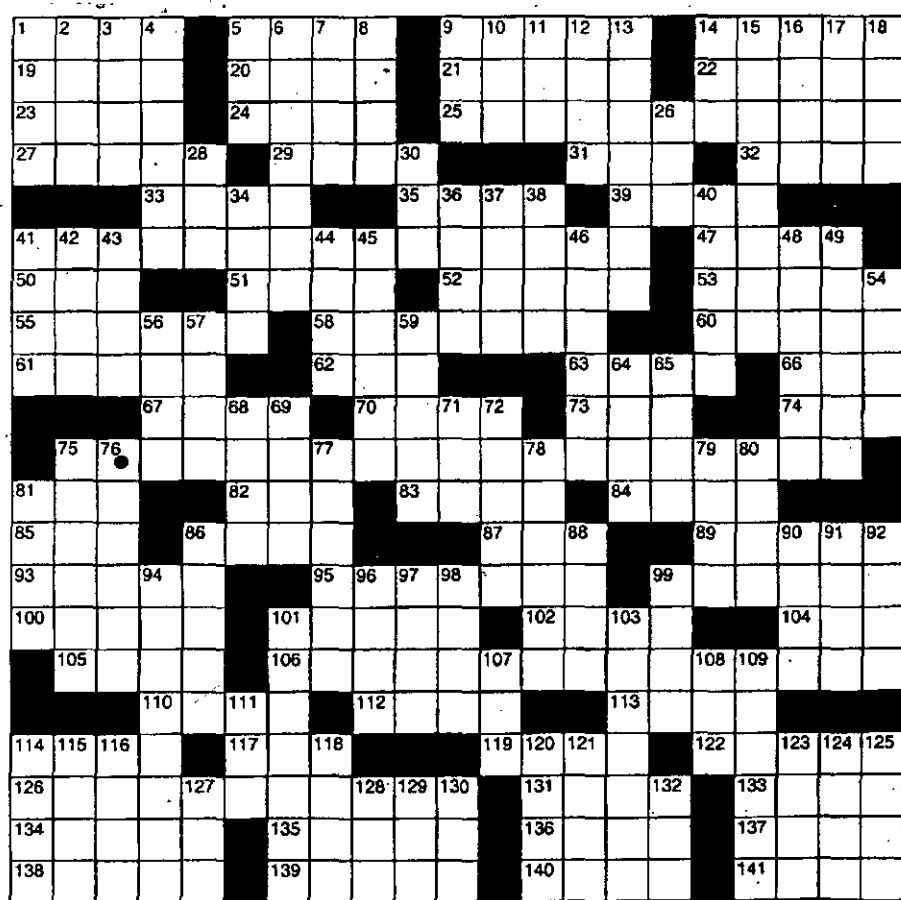


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Differences: 1. Towel is missing; 2. Life preserver is missing; 3. Ship is missing; 4. Whistle is missing; 5. Ship is missing; 6. Can is missing.

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The Super CROSSWORD



Super Crossword

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| ACROSS | 53 Clified | 104 Foster's "Dog Tray" | 5 Pecs' partners | 46 Loosen the ropes | 94 It's all in your head |
| 1 Stromboli | 55 Like a dachshund | 105 Half-baked? | 6 "The Stomp" ('61 hit) | 48 Conductor Claudio | 96 Angered |
| 5 "Waterloo" rockers | 58 Cozy cloth | 106 End of remark | 7 Part of Indonesia | 49 Fat stuff | 97 Location |
| 9 Envelops | 60 Marten | 110 McGregor of "Train-spotting" | 8 Out of control | 54 Shipshape | 98 Comic Mort |
| 14 Gaiters | 61 — bear | 112 Creme — creme | 9 Twisted | 56 Unfashionable | 99 Mediocre |
| 19 Mideastern muck-a-muck | 62 Asian holiday | 113 Bathday cake? | 10 Rock's — Speedwagon | 101 Superintendant | 103 Basutoland, today |
| 20 Spooky Stoker | 63 Skilled | 67 Rubberneck | 11 — Dhabi | 57 Wild child | 107 Acorn, eventually |
| 21 Disprove | 66 Scottsboro's st. | 70 Morlocks' prey | 12 Purple hue | 59 Reference volume | 108 Welcome item? |
| 22 Let | 67 Rubneck | 73 Mexican Mrs. | 13 Lawyer's concern | 64 Soft cheese | 109 "Silkwood" screenwriter |
| 23 General Bradley | 74 Point | 74 Point | 14 Bando of baseball | 65 Arrive at Kennedy | 111 Flag on filler |
| 24 Rustic tower | 75 Part 3 of remark | 81 Crone | 15 Excess | 69 Singer James | 114 Very long time |
| 25 Start of a remark by 126 Across | 82 R-V hookup | 83 Head for the clouds | 16 Jai — | 71 Lennon's lady | 115 Flat rate |
| 27 Athenian sage | 83 Head for the clouds | 84 Actress Purviance | 17 Haynes or Rundgren | 72 "My Own Private '91" | 116 Excellent |
| 29 Indian sectarian | 85 Khan | 85 Khan | 18 Fluctuate | 75 Endangered feline | 118 Musical finale |
| 31 Airport abbr. | 86 EH exclamation | 87 Minify a midi, maybe? | 26 "Unforgettable" name | 76 Kampala's country | 120 Where to speak Farsi |
| 32 Good-sized | 88 Top-drawer | 89 Top-drawer | 28 Born | 77 Sheriff's quarry | 121 Last name in publishing |
| 33 Author Jessamyn | 93 Feeling | 95 Like a gymnast | 30 Torrid | 78 Aftershock | 123 Frenzy |
| 35 With 81 Down, '44 chemistry | 95 Like a gymnast | 99 5 Across' home | 34 Corset part | 79 Had no doubts | 124 Creole |
| 114 Nobel | 100 Michael of "Dynasty" | 101 Schell or Shriver | 36 Aquatic bird | 80 Patriot Nathan | 125 Freeway sound |
| 115 Nobel | 102 European capital | 102 European capital | 37 '82 Jeff Bridges film | 81 See | 127 "Platoon" extras |
| 116 Nobel | 102 European capital | 102 European capital | 38 Hautboy | 35 Across | 128 "Father Knows Best" kid |
| 117 Nobel | 102 European capital | 102 European capital | 40 Liplash? | 86 Creature for taming? | 129 Author Umberto |
| 118 Nobel | 102 European capital | 102 European capital | 41 Door hardware | 88 Kid's creation? | 130 Actor Carou |
| 119 Nobel | 102 European capital | 102 European capital | 42 In the know | 90 Matinee — | 132 Lady lobster |
| 120 Nobel | 102 European capital | 102 European capital | 43 Julia of "Havana" | 91 Reveal | |
| 121 Nobel | 102 European capital | 102 European capital | 44 Float | 92 They may be split | |
| 122 Nobel | 102 European capital | 102 European capital | 45 In the arms of Morpheus | | |
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The Spotlight CALENDAR

Wed. Sept. 1

BETHLEHEM

DELMAR ROTARY

Normanside Country Club, 7:30 a.m., Information, 767-2930.

OPPORTUNITIES UNLIMITED

Board meetings first Wednesday of each month, open to public. Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 4 p.m.

BETHLEHEM BUSINESS WOMEN

Normanside Country Club, Salisbury Road, Elsmere, 6 p.m.; dinner 6:30 p.m., program and meeting to follow dinner. Information, 439-7237.

SOLID ROCK CHURCH

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

BETHLEHEM ELKS LODGE 2233

1016 River Road (Route 144), Cedar Hill, 7 p.m. Information, 767-2886.

TESTIMONY MEETING

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-2512.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Bethlehem 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.

BC SCHOOL BOARD

district office, 90 Adams Place, 8 p.m. Information, 439-7098.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

Onesquethaw Chapter, Masonic Temple, 421 Kenwood Ave., 8 p.m. Information, 439-2181.

NEW SCOTLAND

V'VILLE ZONING BOARD

Village Hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave., 7 p.m. Information, 765-2692.

NEW SCOTLAND SENIORS

Wyman Osterhout Community Center, New Salem, call for time. Information, 765-2109.

PRAYER MEETING

evening prayer meeting and Bible study, Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155, 7:30 p.m. Information, 765-3390.

FAITH TEMPLE

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

AA MEETING

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

Thurs. Sept. 2

BETHLEHEM

BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS

Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 12:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Parks and Recreation Office, Elm Avenue Park, 2-5:30 p.m. Information, 439-0503.

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN

children's choir, 6:15 p.m., senior choir, 7 p.m., 85 Elm Ave. Information, 439-4328.

AA MEETINGS

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

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, 7 p.m., Route 9W, Selkirk. Information, 767-2243.

NEW SCOTLAND

THE CLOTHING CLOSET

A service supported by area Reformed churches to provide clothing to those in need; volunteers welcome. Clarksville Reformed Church, Route 443, Clarksville, 8:30-11:30 a.m. and 4-7 p.m. Information, 768-2916 or 439-5400.

Fri. Sept. 3

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

PIONEER CLUBS

For children grades 1 through junior high; Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155, 3:45-5 p.m. Information, 765-3390.

YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS

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

Sat. Sept. 4

BETHLEHEM

AA MEETING

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

Sun. Sept. 5

BETHLEHEM

WORSHIP INFORMATION

Bethlehem Community Church, 201 Elm Ave., 439-3135.
Bethlehem Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, Elm Avenue and Feura Bush Road, 439-0358.
Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 439-4328.
Delmar Full Gospel Church, 292 Elsmere Ave., 439-4407.
Delmar Presbyterian Church, 585 Delaware Ave., 439-9252.
Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., 439-9929.
Family of God Nazarene Church, Krumkill Road at Blessing Road, North Bethlehem, 453-9953.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 439-2512.
First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, Route 9W, Selkirk, 767-2243.
First United Methodist Church of Delmar, 428 Kenwood Ave., 439-9976.
Glenmont Community Church, 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont, 436-7710.
Gospel Fellowship, 10 Rockefeller Road, Delmar, 482-2132.
King's Chapel, 434 Route 9W, Glenmont, 426-9955.
Mount Moriah Ministries, Route 9W, Glenmont, 426-4510.
Slingerlands Community UMC, 1499 New Scotland Road, 439-1766.
Solid Rock Church, 1 Kenwood Ave., Glenmont, 439-4314.
South Bethlehem United Methodist Church, 65 Willowbrook Ave., 767-9953.
St. Michael's Shrine, Beacon Road at Route 9W, Glenmont, 462-2016.
St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Poplar Drive and Elsmere Avenue, Delmar, 439-3265.
St. Thomas The Apostle Church, 35 Adams Place, Delmar, 439-4951.
Unity of Faith Christian Fellowship, 436 Krumkill Road, North Bethlehem, 438-7740.

NEW SCOTLAND

WORSHIP INFORMATION

Bethel Baptist Church, meeting at Auberge Suisse Restaurant, Route 85, 475-9086.
Clarksville Community Church, Route 443, 768-2916.
Family Worship Center, 92 Lower Copeland Hill Road, Feura Bush, 768-2021.
Faith Temple, New Salem, 765-2870.
First United Methodist Church, 68 Maple Ave., Voorheesville, 765-2895.
Jerusalem Reformed Church, Route 32, Feura Bush, 439-0548.
Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155, Voorheesville, 765-3399.
Onesquethaw Reformed Church, Tarrytown Road, Feura Bush, 768-2133.
New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Route 85, 439-6454.
St. Matthew's Church, Mountain View Road, Voorheesville, 765-2805.
Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware Turnpike, 439-5001.
United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New Salem, 765-4410.

Mon. Sept. 6

BETHLEHEM

PEACE VIGIL

Bethlehem Neighbors For Peace, weekly peace vigil, Four Corners intersection, Delmar, 5-6 p.m., Information, 439-1968.
MOTHERS' TIME OUT
Christian fellowship group for mothers of preschool children, Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., nursery care provided, 9:30 to 11 a.m. Information, 439-9929.

DELMAR KIWANIS

Quality Inn, Route 9W, 6:15 p.m. Information, 439-2437 or 439-6952.

CLASS IN JEWISH MYSTICISM

Delmar Chabad Center, 109 Elsmere Ave., 7 p.m. Information, 439-8280.

INDOOR PISTOL SHOOTING

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

ELMWOOD PARK FIRE DISTRICT

Board of fire commissioners meeting, North Bethlehem firehouse, 589 Russell Road, 7:30 p.m.

EXPLORER POST 157

For boys and girls 14-21, focusing on environmental conservation, 310 Kenwood Ave., 7:30-9 p.m. Information, 439-4205.

DELMAR COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

Rehearsal, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-7749.

BLANCHARD LEGION POST

Meeting, 16 Poplar Drive, 8 p.m. Information, 439-9819.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS

Temple Chapter No. 5; 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.

Tues. Sept. 7

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TREASURE COVE THRIFT SHOP

First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

ELSMERE FIRE COMMISSIONERS

Firehouse, Poplar Drive, 7:15 p.m. Information, 439-9144.

PRAYER MEETING

At Gospel Fellowship, 7 p.m., 10 Rockefeller Rd., Delmar, beneath Normans Kill bridge, Information 482-2132.

PLANNING BOARD

Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955.

BINGO

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

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

SLINGERLANDS FIRE COMMISSION

firehouse, 8 p.m. Information, 439-4734.

NEW SCOTLAND

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME

Weekly at Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School Road, 10:15 a.m. Information, 765-2791.

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

PLANNING BOARD

New Scotland Town Hall, Route 85, 7 p.m. Information, 765-3356.

V'VILLE PLANNING COMMISSION

Village Hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave., 7 p.m. Information, 765-2692.

Wed. Sept. 8

BETHLEHEM

DELMAR ROTARY

Normanside Country Club, 7:30 a.m. Information, 767-2930.

SOLID ROCK CHURCH

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

TOWN BOARD

Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 5:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955.

BETHLEHEM TOASTMASTERS

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

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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.

DELMAR FIRE COMMISSION

firehouse, Adams Place, 7:30 p.m.

Information, 439-3851.

TESTIMONY MEETING

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555 Delaware Ave., 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-2512.

NEW SCOTLAND

TOWN COUNCIL

New Scotland Town Hall, Route 85, 7 p.m. Information, 439-4889.

ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION

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PRAYER MEETING

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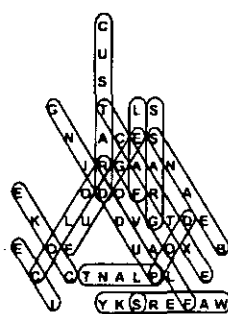
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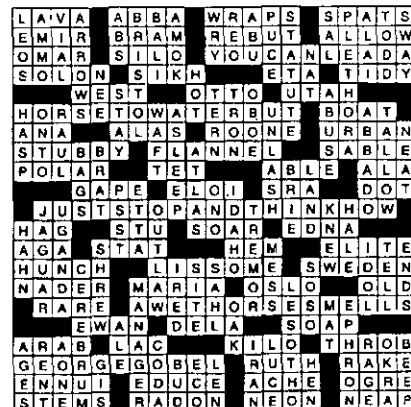
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Notice of Formation of WERCS Services, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 6/28/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: 23 British American Blvd., Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-10203 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Titan Management Services, LLC, App. for Auth. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 4/6/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC org. in GA 2/4/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: 2160 Satellite Blvd., Ste. 325, Duluth, GA 30097, the principal office address of LLC. Art. of Org. on file: SSGA, 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, Atlanta, GA 30334. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-10204 (September 1, 2004)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). The name of the LLC is PROPERTY CONTRACTS, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on July 20, 2004. 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 302 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12203. LCD-10223 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

SKS MANAGEMENT GROUP, LLC
Notice of formation of SKS Management Group, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 12/29/03. Office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC, c/o Kathleen M. Sinel, 6236 Empire Avenue, Schenectady, New York 12306. The purposes of the LLC are to provide management consulting services. LCD-10236 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Phantom Investors, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 6/16/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: 1991 Main

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St., Ste. 222, Sarasota, FL 34236. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-10255 (September 1, 2004)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). The name of the LLC is DAMA Realty Investors, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on August 12, 2004. 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 c/o Paul J. Goldman, Esq., Segel, Goldman, Mazzotta & Siegel, P.C., 9 Washington Square, Albany, New York 12205. LCD-10299 (September 1, 2004)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Articles of Organization of Xpressions, LLC ("LLC") filed with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on August 18, 2004, effective upon the date of filing. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail a copy of any process to the LLC, 237 Georgetown Court, Albany, New York 12203. The purpose for which the LLC is formed is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLC. LCD-10301 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Articles of Organization of BSR Enterprises, LLC ("LLC") filed with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on August 18, 2004, effective upon the date of filing. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail a copy of any process to the LLC, 39 Omega Terrace, Latham, New York 12211. The purpose for which the LLC is formed is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLC. LCD-10302 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Vanguard Communication Services, LLC, as amended 8/3/04, Art. of Org. filed with Sec'y of State (SSNY) 7/28/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: P.O. Box 1076, Rye, NH 03870. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-10334 (September 1, 2004)

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Notice of Formation of Mercer Development, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 7/22/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process: Three E-Comm Square, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LCD-10335 (September 1, 2004)

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Notice of Formation of 2322 Knapp Realty LLC, Arts. of

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Org. filed with Sec'y of State on N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/13/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Mallow, Konstam & Hager, 321 Broadway, NY, NY 10007. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-10192 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CONCORD INTERPRISES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Sec'y of State on NY (SSNY) on 6/25/2004. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Concord Interprises LLC, c/o XL Corporate Services, Inc., 62 White Street, New York, NY 10013. Registered Agent: XL Corporate Services, Inc., 62 White Street, New York, NY 10013 Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10194 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC
Articles of Organization for X-PRESS TEST, LLC were filed with the Secretary of State of New York on April 28, 2004. Office located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon which process may be served and a copy of process shall be mailed by the Secretary of State to the LLC at 75 Champlain Street, Albany, New York 12204. Purpose: for any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the law. LD-10196 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Eastern Parkway Associates, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/15/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Mallow Konstam & Hager, 321 Broadway, NY, NY 10007. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-10197 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF DATADEPO LLC
The name of the LLC is DATADEPO LLC. The date of filing of the Articles of Organization with the N.Y. Secretary of State is: 06/22/04 under the name DATADEPO LLC. The office of the LLC shall be in the County of ALBANY and State of N.Y. The N.Y. Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any such process served upon him/her is The Company, 25 Greystone Manor, Lewes, Delaware 19958. The purpose of the LLC is to transact any lawful business. LD-10207 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

FOREIGN LLC PUBLICATION NOTICE
Name of LLC: PINELAWN POWER LLC App. For Auth. filed with Sec. of State 06/17/04. Jurisd. And date of org: DELAWARE On 06/04/04. NY State office loc: ALBANY COUNTY. Sec. of State of NY designated as agent of LLC. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any such process served upon him/her is: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State Street, Albany, New York 12207-2543. Address of principal office: One Riverchase Parkway South, Birmingham, Alabama 35244. Registered Agent: Corporation Service Company, 80 State Street, Albany, New York

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12207-2543. Copy of cert. of org. is filed with Delaware Secretary of State, Division of Corporations, John G. Townsend Building, 401 Federal Street, Dover, Delaware 19901. Purposes: is to transact any lawful business. LD-10208 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Ashford Senior General Partner LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/20/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/12/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Sec'y of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-10214 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of First States Investors 3300, LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/16/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/3/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 1725 The Fairway, Jenkintown, PA 19046. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Sec'y of State, Div. of Corps., 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10215 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Safeguard NY II LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/20/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/15/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Principal office of the LLC: 111 Veterans Blvd., Suite 1150, Metairie, LA 70005. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Sec'y of State, Div. of Corps., 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10218 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Algonquin Gas Transmission, LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/19/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/1/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 5400 Westheimer Court, Houston, TX 77099. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Sec'y of State, Federal & Duke of York Sts., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: own and operate natural gas pipelines. LD-10224 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Sofia Enterprises LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/15/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Afshan Khan, 240 E. 47th St., Ste. 34A, NY, NY 10017. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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LD-10225 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: DARK STAR ENTERPRISES, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 7/23/04. 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 Brian Norensky, 167 Lishakill Road, Schenectady, New York 12309. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-10226 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF BELLEZZA REALTY MANAGEMENT, LLC (PURSUANT TO SECTION 203 OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY LAW)
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Articles of Organization of BELLEZZA REALTY MANAGEMENT, LLC (the "Company") were filed with the Secretary of State of the State of New York on June 21, 2004. The purpose of the Company is to engage in the ownership, optioning, leasing, purchasing, selling and mortgaging of property and in any way dealing with all interests in real property and any activities necessary or incidental to such purpose and any other lawful act or activity incidental thereto for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLC. The office of the Company is to be located in the County of Albany, State of New York. The Secretary of State has been designated as the agent of the Company upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company served upon such Secretary of State is 139 Vly Road, Albany, New York 12205. LD-10229 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Atlantic Envelope Company LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/26/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Georgia (GA) on 6/4/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. GA address of LLC: 1325 Highlands Ridge Rd., SE, Smyrna, GA 30082. Arts. of Org. filed with GA Sec'y of State, 315 West Tower, #2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr., Atlanta, GA 30334. Purpose: all lawful business including envelope manufacturing and supply. LD-10230 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of AEDON Staffing, LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/12/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 8/23/02. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: One Thousand Beverly Way, Fort Smith, AR 72919. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Sec'y of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-10231 (September 1, 2004)

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The limited liability company of Wilson & Bing Real Estate, LLC was formed on January

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12, 2004 by Kevin J. Wilson. The address of the company is 108 Iroquois Trail, Slingerlands, NY 12159 in the County of Albany. The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the company on whom process can be served. LD-10232 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: HARMONY RENTALS, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/30/04. 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, 441 Russell Road, Albany, New York 12203. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-10234 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of ASHFORD TRS LESSEE LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/22/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/6/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Suite 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Sec'y of State, 401 Federal St., Suite 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: lease real estate. LD-10250 (September 1, 2004)

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Notice of Qualification of Calpine PowerAmerica-NY, LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/4/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/27/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co. (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: CSC, 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Sec'y of State, Lockerman & Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-10252 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SAG-ITTA, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Sec'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/9/2004. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 10 Riverwalk Way, Cohoes, NY 12047. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-10258 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of AFI FOODSERVICE, LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/30/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/24/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1 Center Drive, CN 6070, Elizabeth, New Jersey 07207. DE address of LLC: 9 E. Lockerman St., Ste. 1B, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Sec'y of State, Division of Corporations, P.O. Box 898, Dover, DE 19903. Purpose: any lawful business. LD-10263 (September 1, 2004)

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NOTICE OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION
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UNIQUE DIMENSIONS, LLC
1. The name of the limited liability company is Unique Dimensions, LLC (the "LLC").
2. The Articles of Organization for the LLC were filed with the Secretary of State's Office on March 1, 2004.
3. The office of the LLC is to be located in the County of Albany, State of New York.
4. The Secretary of State is designated as an agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The post office in the State of New York to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is: c/o Lemery Greisler LLC, 10 Railroad Place, Saratoga Springs, New York 12866.
5. The duration of the LLC is perpetual.
6. The character and purpose of the business of the LLC shall be to undertake any lawful act or activity in which a limited liability company may engage under the laws of the State of New York; all subject to and in accordance with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations. LD-10265 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of PIANO Credit Company, LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/4/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Ohio (OH) on 12/18/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process may be served. OH address of LLC: 655 Metro Place South, Ste. 720, Dublin, OH 43017. Arts. of Org. filed with OH Sec'y of State, P.O. Box 670, Columbus, OH 43216. Purpose: purchaser of retail installment contracts originated by piano dealers selling their products to consumer. LD-10269 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Belvedere Associates LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/5/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Nevada (NV) on 7/26/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Principal office of LLC: 41-42 42nd St., Apt. 2N, NY, NY 11104. Arts. of Org. filed with NV Sec'y of State, Capitol Complex, Carson City, NV 89710. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-10270 (September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Pharmacy Builders #3, LLC. Authority filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/21/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Nevada (NV) on 12/11/02. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. NV address of LLC: 1516 East Tropicana, Ste. 155, Las Vegas, NV 89103. Arts. of Org. filed with NV Sec'y of State, 202 N. Carson St., Carson City, NV 89701. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-10271 (September 1, 2004)

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Notice of Formation of New Hempstead Terrace LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Sec'y of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/9/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Mallow Konstam & Hager, 321 Broadway, NY, NY 10007

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Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-10275
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of DEUCE HOTEL LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/5/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: provide consulting and management services to hotels.
LD-10276
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC. Articles of Organization for BENTLEY SELF-STORAGE, LLC were filed with the Secretary of State of New York on July 21, 2004. Office located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and a copy of process shall be mailed by the Secretary of State to the LLC at 834 Slingerlands Avenue, Slingerlands, NY 12159. Purpose: for any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the law.
LD-10277
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Oneonta Diagnostic Imaging, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/5/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 120 West 44th St., Suite 601, NY, NY 10036. Purpose: any lawful activities.
LD-10279
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Vesta Partners, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/22/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

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SSNY shall mail process to: William B. Gex, 1000 Washington Pike, P.O. Box 339, Bridgeville, PA 15017. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-10281
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF GROSSI HILL FARM VINEYARD, LLC
1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is: GROSSI HILL FARM VINEYARD, LLC.
2. The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed with the Secretary of State on June 26, 2002.
3. The County within New York State which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany.
4. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against the Company may be served and the post office address within this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company served upon him is: 3001 Furbeck Road, Altamont, New York 12009-5811.
5. The registered agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against the liability company can be served is: Grossi Hill Farm Vineyard, LLC, 3001 Furbeck Road, Altamont, New York 12009-5811.
6. The character of the business is to conduct any lawful business activity for profit that is not otherwise prohibited by the laws of the State of New York.
LD-10285
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Southeast Commercial, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/27/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 11/12/02. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co. (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: CSC, 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Townsend Bldg., Dover, DE

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19903. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-10291
(September 1, 2004)

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Notice of Formation of JDC Holdings LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/12/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Joseph P. Eriele, Esq., 103 Somerston Rd., Yonkstown Heights, NY 10598. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-10292
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of NY-717 Fifth Avenue, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/22/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/12/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Lexis Document Services Inc., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Art'n: LexisNexis Document Solutions Inc. registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 2 N. Riverside Plaza, Ste. 2100, Chicago, IL 60606. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Federal & Duke of York Sts., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-10293
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of AMERIFEE LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/13/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/29/01. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Principal office of LLC: 225 Turnpike Rd., Southborough, MA 01772. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-10294
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF Cesta's Contracting LLC (LLC) formation. Articles of Org. filed/effective with N.Y. Secy of State (SSNY) on July 6, 2004. Purpose: any lawful act. Management only in LLC manager(s). Principal office is in Albany County. SSNY designated as agent; mail any process to 13 Bedell Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054, Attention: Manager.
LD-10295
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Registration of The Biggerstaff Law Firm, LLP. Certificate filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/16/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 318 Delaware Ave., Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: the profession of law.
LD-10305
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of OSEP-NY-1301 Properties, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/26/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/30/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Lexis Document Services Inc., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: 2 N. Riverside Plaza, Suite 2100, Chicago, IL 60606. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Federal & Duke of York Sts., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities.
LD-10309
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Dell Marketing USA L.P. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/18/04. Office location: Albany County. L.P. formed in Texas (TX) on 6/17/04. SSNY designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LP, c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom

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process may be served. TX address of LP: 1 Dell Way, Round Rock, TX 78662. Name/address of each genl. ptr. available from SSNY. Cert. of LP filed with TX Secy. of State, Corp. Sec., P.O. Box 13697, Austin TX 78711. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-10311
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of BP Rome, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 6/17/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/10/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Capitol Services, Inc., 40 Colvin Ave., Ste. 200, Albany, NY 12206. DE address of LLC: c/o Capitol Services, Inc., 615 Scuth DuPont Hwy., Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: to acquire, own, manage, operate, lease, mortgage and sell that certain shopping center called The Canal Place Shopping Center, located in Rome, New York.
LD-10320
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Nationwide Communications LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/19/04. Fictitious Name in NY State: Nationwide. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/25/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: c/o Corporation Service Co., 2711 Centerville Road, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Cert. of Form. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-10321
(September 1, 2004)

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Notice of Qualification of Air Liquide Industrial U.S. LP. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/18/04. Office location: Albany

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County. LP formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/30/04. SSNY designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Capitol Services, Inc., 40 Colvin Ave., Ste. 200, Albany, NY 12206. Principal office of LP: 2700 Post Oak Blvd., Ste. 1800, Houston, TX 77056. Name/address of each genl. ptr. available from SSNY. Cert. of LP filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: manufacture and sales of industrial gases and related products.
LD-10322
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Bromont Property Management, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/21/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/9/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Capitol Services, Inc., 40 Colvin Ave., Ste. 200, Albany, NY 12206. DE address of LLC: c/o Capitol Services, Inc., 615 South DuPont Hwy., Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: management of properties.
LD-10323
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of East 61 Realty Associates, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/20/04. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Mallow Konnam & Hager, 321 Broadway, NY, NY 10007. Purpose: any lawful purpose.
LD-10324
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Public Notice of Hearing
The Town of New Scotland Planning Board
Notice is hereby given that the Planning Board of Town of New Scotland, New York will hold a public hearing pursuant to Article V, Section 5.006 of the Zoning Law on the following proposition:
A Public Hearing for Site Plan #63
Application submitted by William Sweet to be allowed to operate a "mobile concession vehicle" on property he leases in Clarksville. The business would be named "Hot Digity Dawgs", would be open six days of the week from 6:00 A.M. until 8:00 P.M. and would be closed on Sundays. The proposed site for this business is owned by Ned Donaldson, is located in the Commercial Hamlet District of Clarksville at 1998 Delaware Turnpike and is identified as New Scotland tax parcel id # 106.03-1-17. This application is a for a permitted use as per Article II, Section 2.406 of the Zoning Law.
Said hearing will take place on September 7, 2004 at the New Scotland Town Hall beginning at 7:00 P.M.
Robert Stapf
Chairman, Planning Board
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LD-10328
(September 1, 2004)

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Notice of Qualification of POPULUS GROUP, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/5/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Michigan (MI) on 9/11/02. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. MI address of LLC: 24800 Denso Drive, Southfield, MI 48034. Arts. of Org. filed with MI Secy of State, 6546 Mer-

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cantile Way, P.O. Box 30054, Lansing, MI 48909. Purpose: any lawful activity.
LD-10329
(September 1, 2004)

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Notice of Qualification of FA Recruiting Services, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/5/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Texas (TX) on 7/20/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co. (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. TX address of LLC: c/o CSC, 701 Brazos St., Suite 1050, Austin, TX 78701. Arts. of Org. filed with TX Secy. of State, 1019 Brazos, Austin, TX 78701. Purpose: any lawful activities.
LD-10330
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Albany Bedding Company LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/4/04. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Ohio (OH) on 11/5/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. OH address of LLC: 1800 Moler Rd., Columbus, OH 43207. Arts. of Org. filed with OH Secy. of State, 180 E. Broad St., 16th Fl., Columbus, OH 43216. Purpose: any lawful activities.
LD-10331
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

BETHLEHEM CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
TAX NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, have received the Tax Rolls and Warrant for the collection of School Taxes for the Town of New Scotland properties in and for the Bethlehem Central School District, and will receive payments as follows: Tax payments are to be mailed to Tax Collector, P.O. Box 181, Delmar, NY 12054. There will be a 2% penalty for payment from October 1 through November 1, 2004. Unpaid school taxes will be turned over to the Albany County Treasurer on November 15, 2004.
Kathy Haeger
Tax Collector
DATED: August 26, 2004
LD-10332
(September 1, 2004)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Organization of OPTION ONE REALTY, LLC Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York
1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is OPTION ONE REALTY, LLC
2. The Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State on August 4, 2004
3. The principal office of the Limited Liability Company is to be located in the County of Albany, State of New York.
4. The Secretary of State is designated as 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: 222 Harvard Road, Watervliet, NY 12189
5. The Limited Liability Company is to be managed by one or more of its members.
6. None of the members of the Limited Liability Company (the "Members") in their capacity as members, shall be personally or individually liable for any debts, obligations or liabilities of the Limited Liability Company.
7. The Limited Liability Company shall have all powers and purposes allowed it by law.
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Water Apple

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also known as the Vly Reservoir, and the Clapper Road processing plant, which serves the industrial customers of the town.

The Clapper Road facility is closed for two months every spring for fish spawning, placing extra strain on the New Salem plant, which must then pump water to the industrial companies, too.

"Industrial customers expect a high level of consistency with their water. The equipment is constantly fine tuning the quality," Leveille said. When the town distributes different water to them, the adjustments are off, he said.

Leveille said the city of Albany provides anywhere from 15 to 20 percent of the town's water at \$2.42 per 1,000 gallons.

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along with the Delmar bus.

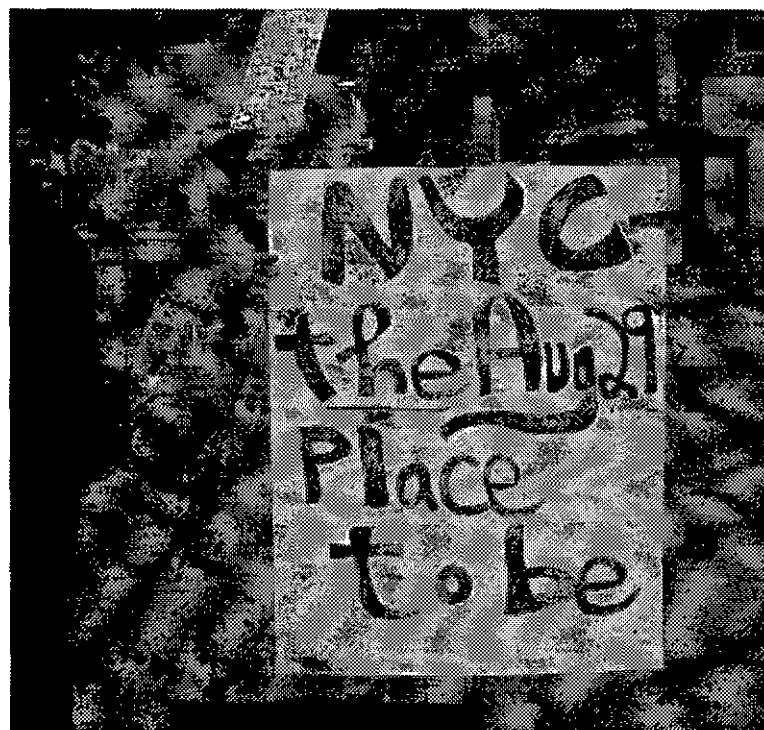
"Ticket sales have been brisk and exciting," Bellus said.

Voorheesville resident Israel Stark said he heard of the trip on WRPI, 95.1 on the FM dial and other various radio programs.

The right to assemble and protest is a hallmark of democracy, Stark said.

"The right to express dissent is what democracy is all about. In order for me not to be a hypocrite, I'm going down," Stark said. "I would be a hypocrite if I didn't do all I could do (to be vocal about) the system. Aside from voting, this is the best way, I think, to do that."

Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace sponsored a seminar about the ways to demonstrate effectively and peacefully last



Jane Davis of Niskayuna holds a sign Sunday at the Delmar Park & Ride where a bus with about 50 aboard left for New York City. Libby Schirmer

week. Tick said about 30 people attended, calling the seminar one of the "less attended events," noting talks that have attracted up to 400 people.

Stark said he didn't believe violence would pose a problem.

"You never know what could happen, but I believe 99 percent of these people are good people, just trying to hang onto what vestiges of freedom we have," Stark said.

Young and old packed backpacks, muffins and signs for the day-trip, including Tick's 14-year old son, who said he follows politics.

Each one just gets better, Sanders said.

"The crowds are more organized, more unified," she said. "Groups from all over are coming together. It's amazing."

The Sanders' lived in Florida for the 2000 election.

"It was horrible. We've been fighting this for three-and-a-half years," Sanders said, noting "two computers full" of any research she can find on Bush.

Paul Bishop of Feura Bush, who attended the March demonstration to protest the invasion of Iraq, said events like these tend to carry with them a spirit of camaraderie.

"It's very heartwarming. It's nice to know you're not alone," Bishop said, "that there are large numbers of people out there who feel the same as you do."

The campaigns of each candidate seem to be solidifying. During the primary season and before, the Democrats' sentiments were largely "anybody but Bush." Now, Sanders noted Democratic Presidential candidate Massachusetts Sen. John Kerry's strengths.

"People are really pumping up now about Kerry. The more he speaks, the more of his platforms he reveals, the stronger he seems," Sanders said.

Some who boarded the bus seemed less vocal about their views, though sheer bodies alone count in any march.

"I'm going for the numbers, to state my opinion, but to bring the numbers," Selkirk resident Greg Smith said.

And Bishop, who is no stranger to marches and demonstrations, summed up the spirit of the trip.

"I'm going to put my body where my mouth is," he said.

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Town of Bethlehem Comprehensive Plan

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The Town of Bethlehem is developing a comprehensive plan and revising the Town's zoning and subdivision regulations. The comprehensive plan will provide recommendations related to many issues including residential growth, economic development, land use, infrastructure and community character. Residents, property owners, business owners and all interested parties are encouraged to participate in this year-long planning process. **All meetings are open to the public!!!**

September Meetings

Riverfront Focus Group

Come discuss ideas for the future of the Town's waterfront

Thursday, September 2, 2004
 7:00 – 9:00 PM
 Town Hall Auditorium

Trails, Greenways and Recreation Focus Group

Come discuss trails, greenways and recreation facilities

Thursday, September 23, 2004
 7:00 – 9:00 PM
 Town Hall Auditorium

Commercial District Design Charrette (2-days)

A charrette is a rigorous and inclusive planning process that takes place over a brief time period. The purpose of this charrette is to develop consensus about the appropriate form and function of commercial districts.

Part 1: Wednesday, September 29, 2004 Open House at 5:00 – 6:00 PM
 Public Working Session 6:00 – 9:00 PM

Part 2: Thursday, September 30, 2004 Open House 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM
 Presentation and Discussion of Emerging Design Concepts 5:00 – 9:00 PM
 Town Hall Auditorium

Monthly Bethlehem Planning Advisory Committee Meeting (BPAC)

Monday, September 13, 2004 at 6:30 – 8:30 PM
 Delmar Reformed Church (386 Delaware Avenue)

Additional information at
www.townofbethlehem.org

THE SARATOGA ASSOCIATES

NOTICE

Town of Bethlehem Residents
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