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Homemade Hamlet hater

It's infrequent that the title of a play overtly insults a classic, but "I Hate Hamlet" does exactly that.

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The season for Sineezin

By GRAHAM S. PARKER parkerg@spotlightnews.com

April showers, or snow, bring May flowers.

May flowers trigger allergies.

Across the country, more than 60 million Americans will be sneezing and wheezing this spring, crowding doc-tors' waiting rooms, and costing the U.S. economy more than \$25 billion annually in treatment; missed work and medication, according to the Allergy and Asthma Foundation of America.

In the past 20 years, the number of people suffering from allergies has doubled. The disease has landed 2 million people in emergency rooms, 500,000 in the doctor's office and - in extreme cases - has caused 5,000 deaths each year, according to the foundation.

May is allergy and asthma awareness month. Nationally, regionally and locally, the call is being made for greater awareness of allergies, which can cause symptoms that range from being a nuisance to severely debilitating.

Allergies get overlooked. Controlling allergies and reactions can better a person's quality of

Home minting doesn't pay

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Local and federal agencies arrest three counterfeiters

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

Three Albany men were in iail Friday, April 20, for passing more than \$40,000 in counterfeit money over the past several months in Bethlehem and the Capital District.

Kofi Opuku Agyemang, Joel P. Evans and Jules T. Hawkins are being charged with forgery, grand larceny, petty larceny, and weapons possession including rifles and several stun guns.

Bethlehem police have been working with various state and federal law enforcement agencies including the U.S. Secret Service ever since the fake money began circulating in Glenmont and other stores around town.

"This is far reaching and travels all across the country," said Bethlehem police Chief Lou Corsi at Friday's press conference, flanked by a group of law enforcement officials from the city of Albany, the county District Attorney's office and the Secret Service.

"This is a very large arrest," said William Leegi of the U.S. Se-

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Track and field

After dumping rain and snow on Delmar the previous weekend, Mother Nature decided to give the town a present Saturday.

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Grady joins run for top office

Cunningham gets more competition in race for supervisor

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

The field of candidates running for Bethlehem town supervisor has increased to three.

Glenmont resident Jim Grady announced he will run for the seat that interim town Supervisor Jack Cunningham

holds. Grady, a lifelong resident of the town, has never before run for public office. He said he made his decision shortly af-



ter Theresa Egan announced

she was stepping down from

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The first signs of spring are finally evident in Delmar as crocuses sprout on the lawn of a home on Mason Road.

Jim Cuozzo/Spotlight

Police Blotter Silent support **Rensselaer man** charged with forgery

A Rensselaer man was arrested by Bethlehem police and charged with three felonies including forgery, identity theft and criminal possession of stolen property, fourth degree.

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Bert G. Tenney, 31, of 213 Washington Ave., Rensselaer, May 1.

was arrested on Saturday, April 14, and charged with allegedly forging a deed and stealing a credit card. He was arraigned in Bethlehem Town Court and sent to Albany County Jail on \$20,000 bail. He is due back in court on

Schenectady man charged with DWI

A Schenectady man was arrested by Bethlehem police and charged with failure to keep right and driving a motor vehicle intoxicated, second offense.

Edward Bradt, 36, of 1609 Rugby Road, Schenectady, was traveling west on Delaware Ave., Sunday, April 15, when he was stopped by Bethlehem

police for allegedly crossing into the eastbound lane. According to the police report, Bradt failed to pull over initially when officers' attempted to stop his Chevrolet Blazer. He was also charged with unlicensed operation of a motor vehicle and was issued a ticket to appear in Town Court May 1.



Hundreds of college students and staff gathered around the small fountain on the University at Albany campus Tuesday, April 17, in a show of support to the Virginia Tech community and to pay their respects to the fallen students and professors that were killed Monday, April 16, as 23-year-old Seung-Hui Cho walked into Norris Hall on the Virginia Tech campus and began firing. By the time he turned the gun on himself, 32 students and faculty were dead, and dozens more were injured. See story, page 12.

_ Rob Irwin/Spotlight

Corrections

• In the April 11 edition of *The Spotlight*, the Bethlehem town receiver of taxes was incorrectly identified. The receiver of taxes in Bethlehem is Nancy K. Mendick.

• Some information was inadvertently left out of last week's "Finance in the Spotlight" column. The national private, for-profit businesses that provide credit reports are: Equifax, P.O. Box 105851, Atlanta, GA 30348, 800-685-1111, www.equifax.com; TransUnion LLC, Credit Bureau Services, PO Box 1370, Buffalo, NY 14231-1370, 800-632-1756; Experian, 475 Anton Blvd., Costa Mesa, CA 92626, 714-830-7000 or 955 American Lane, Schaumburg, IL 60173, 847-517-5600, 888-397-3742; www.experian.com.

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Vista Tech Park's future on the horizon

Planning board wary of site's big-box potential

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

Members of the Bethlehem planning board are looking for assurances that the proposed Vista Technology Park will not end up being just another a bigbox retail site for developers.

Bill Herbert, vice president of BBL Development, was asked repeatedly at the board's Tuesday, April 17, meeting if the 450-acre Vista Tech Park, located in Bethlehem and New Scotland off Route 85, will be able to bring in more technology than retail business in the currently zoned mixedbreakdown over 10 years is 80 phases. percent technology-based and 20 percent retail.

tenant move out and a large retail store move in the next right away. Most experts, acday," said Parker Mathusa, cording to Herbert, believe the planning board chairman.

companies for the tech park is a fluid process.

"You don't know which project could jump for ward and how big that project will be," said Herbert.

plan requires the planning endorsed to replace Jack Cunboard's approval as part of the tech park's Final Environmental Impact Statement. The town board is lead agency for the have concerns that the tech park

Herbert said the proposed acres that will be developed in

Herbert said he is in discussion with a very large "I would not want to find a user of the park that could jumpstart the technology growth start of technology growth is Herbert said locating more than a year away.

> "We know the big technology push is a few years off, and for that reason, technology business being sited in phase one is fairly minimal," Herbert said.

Thomas Cotrofeld, who the The Vista Park conceptual Bethlehem Democrats have ningham, now Bethlehem supervisor, in the Albany County Legislature, said town residents

economic development district. project, which includes 150 will become another retail site.

"Radio Shack is a tech business, so is Cingular and Verizon," said Cotrofeld. "I don't think that is what we have in mind here."

Assistant economic developer for the town Michael Morelli reminded planning board members this is a conceptual plan and not a site-specific plan that needs board approval.

The resolution you send to the town board could be very specific," Morelli added.

Morelli said if the developer deviates from the specifics of the project plan, it will need to come back to the town for any approval a second time around.

They would have to start the process all over and modify their environmental impact statement," Morelli added.

Mathusa said the goal of the planning board is to safeguard the process on behalf of the residents and not to disrupt the project.

"We don't want to stifle development," said Mathusa. "We want to protect the concept and to protect the town and county.

The final environmental impact statement on the Vista Tech Park is expected to be approved by the town board at their May 9 meeting. Development is not slated to occur at Vista until the Slingerlands Bypass road construction project overseen by the state Department of Transportation is complete in June of 2008.



The "Safety Bug" Volkswagen sponsored by Erie Insurance of Pennsylvania and Whiting Insurance of Glenmont made an appearance at Bethlehem Central High School Wednesday, April 18.

Car swerves for safety

Program attempts to deter drunk driving among teens

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

Several hundred Bethlehem high school students received a first-hand look at what it's like to drive drunk and the consequences that go with it.

Erie Insurance of Pennsylvania and its local partner. Whiting Insurance of Glenmont, education program held in the

the "Safety Bug."

The coordinator of the event, Mike Martin of the Pennsylvania Department D.A.R.E. (Drug DUI Association, held the controls in the passenger seat while students took turns driving through several cones. When Martin pressed the control, the car shifted ever so slightly. causing the driver to hit several cones and drive in a manner that simulated being intoxicated.

"One drink slows your motor skills seven-tenths of a second," Martin said. "Driving in this car, sponsored the pre-prom season you are in a controlled environment, but out there you

the top, and kids are having fun." Police Bethlehem Abuse Resistance Education) officer Chad Rice explained to students the consequences of driving drunk.

Jim Cuozzo/Spotlight

"Driving is a privilege in this state and not a right, and the state can take your privilege away if you drink," said Rice.

Students were asked to perform several field sobriety tests so they understood what happens when an officer pulls someone over on suspicion of DWI. The tasks included a walk-

and-turn, one-leg stand and

blowing into a pre-screening

device that measures the amount

Coxsackie-Athens also held

The National Highway Traffic

of alcohol in a person's system.

the same educational program

with the Whiting Agency and

Safety Administration reports

that drivers between 15 and 20

years old are more often involved

in alcohol-related crashes than

Erie Insurance.

Bethlehem planners say they're not lovin' it

Board finds plans for McDonald's lack a hometown look

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

The owners of the Delmar McDonald's will go back to the drawing board after the Bethlehem planning board on Tuesday, April 17, objected to a new building design proposal for the 132 Delaware Ave. facility.

Franchise owners Jim and Sheri Fox are looking to take down the now 38-year-old building and replace it with a 4,300-square-foot facility.

"We want to have a greatlooking building that is contemporary and serves customers better," said Jim Fox the day after the planning board unanimously objected to the design.

"To me it still is a box," said planning board member Howard Engel of the design. "I don't think that's what we're looking for in redoing Delaware Avenue."

they want new businesses along Delaware Avenue to give the to fit in with the comprehensive



The Bethlehem planning board objected to a new building design for McDonald's on Delaware Avenue

Jim Cuozzo/Spotlight

"McDonald's may not be able to build this building financially with too much variation," said Boyea.

> Board members said they also held out hope the new sign would be smaller than the 9-foot one that was proposed.

"Signage is very im-

Members of the board said portant," said Ed Beeler, assistant construction manager for McDonald's USA. "It's very easy town a personal, hometown look for you to say go down to a smaller, non-illuminated monu-

"To me it still is a box. ... I don't think that's what we're looking for in redoing Delaware Avenue." **Howard Engel**

parking lot outside Bethlehem don't know it's coming." Central High School.

More than 200 students drove a bright yellow Volkswagen called



Student Olivia Kilmer put on specially designed goggles that simulated impaired vision due to alcohol consumption.

"I felt like I was falling," said Kilmer. "Every turn we went, I thought we were hitting cones."

Bruce Whiting helped bring the car and the educational program to Bethlehem High School.

"This program allows students the real-life experience of driving any other age group. Car while impaired without the real-life accidents are also the No. 1 cause risk," said Whiting. "It's not over of death for teens.

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plan.

"I would think they would want something that fits more with the community, something like what CVS did," said board member Thomas Cotrofeld, referring to the pharmacy's new Delaware Avenue location.

Board member Daniel Odell told his colleagues they have an opportunity with the new process.'

Chris Boyea of Bohler Engineering presented the restaurant design to the planning board. Boyea said his group has been working on the project for more than a year, and the building conforms to all current different designs." town codes.

ment sign. You are not writing the check for the investment."

Planning board chairman Parker Mathusa said the project needs to be reevaluated.

"We understand you have been long-term members of the community," said Mathusa. "But we have a responsibility to upgrade the community."

Jim Fox said he understands planning codes to "influence the any new building development should enhance the town.

> "It's a great location, and I am willing to work with the board," said Fox, who would like to have construction begin on his new restaurant by the end of the year. "We will go back and look at

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We made

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passengers

got on and

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Turn your focus from destination to journey

By BILL GIERING news@spotlightnews.com

Shelly from Delmar writes: I wanted to ask the travel guy what his favorite travel destination is within three hours of Albany? That's about as far as I want to drive in a day without being too tired when I get there.

Travel Guy: We have such great choices in our area; in three hours you could drive to Boston, New York City, or for some, Montreal, all worldclass destinations. Before you pull out of your driveway, let me suggest that you check out the Web sites for Albany International Airport, Yankee Trails Travel, Amtrak and AAA. You might be surprised at the ease, cost and luxury of having someone else do the driving for you. Relax and meet some new people or close your eyes ... sometimes the journey can be as much fun as the destination.

Some time ago, I was in the Amtrak bar car heading up the Hudson after a couple of days in New York City. Sitting across from me on the river side was a young man about 28. He was blind and had a beautiful, big-eyed German



shepherd at his feet. As I got up to get a drink, I touched his shoulder and asked if I could get him anything from the bar. He looked up, smiled but said he didn't want anything.

Five minutes later, as I was still gloating about my natural sensitivity and caring ways, I noticed a very distinguishedlooking gentleman walk up to the table. The dog thumped its tail gently on the floor. The gentleman was one of those tanned, handsome guys that everybody notices when he enters a room. Like Clint Eastwood, impeccably dressed, about 70 years old.

He asked the young man if he could join him, then after some niceties about the dog, he asked if he had always been blind. The young man answered, "Since I was about 10." The young man went on to mention the name of the disease that had taken his sight, but I can't remember it now. The Clint Eastwood lookalike then asked a question that has stayed with me for years: "Would you like me to tell you about the views, as we move up the river?"

I had taken this train for years, mostly after long hard weeks when I would sit slouched in my seat reviewing the past five days. I have also spent a lot of train-time thinking about what I would do after I got home. Then it dawned on me: I had spent a

lot of time in the past and the future, and not much in the present. I had never paid attention to the Hudson River at all, the beauty of it.

I decided to eavesdrop with my eyes closed, and listen to

the man reveal what he was seeing.

He began by describing the river. It was windy, and he spoke of the white caps rushing to the shoreline just below us and how the sun glistened off the water, causing him to squint from the explosive colors of white. Winter whites, snow whites, whites that turned to silver like the reflections off shiny wrinkled pieces of aluminum foil. He had a wonderful baritone voice that seemed soothing, almost magnetic. He described the boats: a dirty red tug fighting against the waves, and the colorful full sail of a clipper capturing the power of the gust on its journey south.

He drew verbal pictures of the fall kaleidoscope of leaves. First, describing the trees as if the colors were siphoned from hardy wines. The leaves in the sun were brilliant Burgundies; the leaves in the shade were a darker Chianti or port. The canvas I recalled was a simple red and yellow, but this guy was painting with brilliant shades of crimson, gold and burnt orange -- colors I hadn't seen in my Crayola box of 64. As the tracks dipped closer to river level, his voice raised to express the growing excitement because now we could see the reflection of the colors as they mirrored the river.

shared understanding, a yes expressing an internal desire for more -- powerful in its simplicity.

a yes of agreement, a yes of a

The baritone voice was always satisfying, and filling the blind man's imagination with visions of what was passing by. The long silences gave the young man a chance to absorb, understand and reflect - to see the words.

The Hudson River has one

Five minutes later, as I was still gloating about my natural sensitivity and caring ways, I noticed this very distinguished-looking gentleman walk up to the table. The dog thumped its tail gently on the floor. The gentleman was one of those tanned, handsome guys that everybody notices when he enters a room. Like Clint Eastwood, impeccably dressed, about 70 years old.

> abrupt turn, in its 315-mile journey from Lake Tear of the Clouds in the Adirondacks to the Battery at the very end of Manhattan. It's at that bend in the river where the U.S. Military Academy sits.

> "There, high above those rifle-barrel, steel-gray walls of solid stone, sits West Point, forever producing tomorrows leaders," he said. (I haven't since been in a paint store or Home Depot where I haven't looked for "rifle-barrel, steelgray" paint. It isn't there; he made that color up.)

There were a lot of long silences when we would lose the river, broken by the soothing voice as a new scene came into view. The shadows of the bridges, the cattails that grew in the tidal marshes, waving like golden wheat fields in the sun. There wasn't much interaction between the two. The young man mostly listened; his only words an occasional, "Yes."

That word spoke volumes:

wood, wood, d. wood, d. wood, d. were silent times. After an extended silent time, I opened my eyes, and the narrator was gone. I waited, and finally asked the young man where his friend had gone? Where was he? Was he coming

back? The young man calmly said: " I don't know. I didn't notice. I am still seeing his words."

I guess my point is that experiences like this don't happen to me when I'm driving my car.

I searched the train that day and many days since, and never saw the narrator again. I wanted to thank him. So if you are him, reading this --Thanks for the ride of my life. You changed mine.

And you changed the way I think about travel; yep, sometimes the journey can be as much fun as the destination. So try a bus or a plane or a train, relax and let your vacation begin ... during the journey.

Ask the Travel Guy will appear in the fourth week of each month.



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Marshalls opens its doors

"There is a pent-up

Hundreds check out the Glenmont store at grand opening

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

Marshalls, the clothing retailer many Bethlehem residents have anxiously been awaiting, opened its doors in Glenmont to 192 dedicated customers at 8 a.m. Thursday, April 18.

Drivers circled the parking lot searching for a space as the crowd

inside grew during the first hour. Store manager Kitty Bidwell said the customers continued to has been met." pour in several hours later.

"A lot of

Marshalls customers are repeat customers, and they have been waiting for this store to open for over two years," said Bidwell.

Marshalls promotes itself as one of the leading off-price family apparel and home fashion retailers, with more than 750 stores in the United States. Items at Marshalls cost anywhere from 20 to 60 percent less than items offered by department stores and catalogs. The Glenmont Marshalls will also feature The CUBE, a trendy, high-energy juniors department.

"The CUBE represents an exciting new way to shop at Marshalls," said spokeswoman Amy Cafazzo.

Most customers already knew

about the store opening before the ads appeared.

'Customers were checking our Web site daily for updates,' Bidwell said.

On Thursday, some shoppers came out empty-handed, while others came out with several bags full of goods.

Marty DeLaney, Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce president, said she spotted many familiar faces entering the store in the early morning hour.

"It's nice to see all those happy shoppers," said DeLaney.

Marshalls is located Where Grand Union demand for a store like and Ames used this, and the demand to be. The space has been vacant Marty DeLaney many years. "The town

for

has tried for a long time to bring the right store into this location," said town board member Kyle Kotary, who believes there is interest in filling the space next to Marshalls with another retailer.

"There is a pent-up demand for a store like this, and the demand has been met," DeLaney said.

Other Marshall store locations in the Capital District include stores at the Northway Mall, Mohawk Mall in Schenectady, New Loudon Center Plaza in Latham and the Clifton Park Center.

Marshalls will be open seven days a week, 9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.

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Glenmont Shopping Center. More than 190 people waited outside for the store to open at 8 that morning. Jim Cuozzo/Spotlight



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Matters of Opinion Spotlight

April showers are nation's tears

Is the third week of April destined to become one of national mourning in our country?

April 19, 1995, is the date of the terrorist attack on the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City. That attack killed 168 people and left 800 injured.

On April 20, 1999, high school students Eric Harris and Dylan Klebold killed 12 students and a teacher, and left 24 wounded at Columbine High School in Colorado.



Now we add to that April 16, 2007, the name Seung-Hui Cho, 32 dead and 29 injured.

The perpetrators of these crimes are dead, too; Timothy McVeigh, who was behind the Oklahoma City bombing, was put to death as punishment. Harris, Klebold and Seung-Hui Cho all turned their weapons on themselves to end lives that had brought about such tragedy.

How do we stop this?

Let's start with tough gun laws and tougher enforcement. Permits, licenses, a registry, mandatory gun locks: anything that might deter an unstable person from owning a weapon is a good thing.

Strong security and communications systems are necessary at colleges and universities. The students at Virginia Tech should have been notified that the first shooting had taken place. There could have been an e-mail, cell phone calls, or a loudspeaker on a truck. Are there telephones in college classrooms that could receive blanket phone calls in case of an emergency?

If the students in Norris Hall could have locked themselves into their classrooms while police and campus security looked for Seung-Hui, their classmates might have been tossing Frisbees with them rather than observing a moment of silence in their honor.

This week proves to us that we mustall pay attention to our fellow man. Encourage students to tell a teacher, a parent, any adult, when somebody's behavior troubles them. Adults, seek out family and friends, medical professionals and figures of authority, including law enforcement if necessary.

We do not need to turn into a police state reporting each of our neighbor's quirks, but we share a responsibility to keep each other and society at large safe.

The next time that you are worried about somebody, but tell yourself everything will probably be all right, think of Virginia Tech, and act instead.

Let's prevent April from being the cruelest month.



Tying up some loose ends

By GRAHAM S. PARKER parkerg@spotlightnews.com

The writer covers Colonie and Loudonville for Spotlight Newspapers.

The chief of the firehouse in Stillwater does not look like Ty Pennington.

Ty Pennington doesn't even look like Ty Pennington. The TV Ty and the "real" Ty running around the Fair way Lane home in Colonie last month, which was completely rebuilt as part of ABC's "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition," look totally different.

I'm no expert, but I did see the show once for about 10 seconds after my groggy, I've-been-sittingaround-all-day-Sunday fingers accidentally mashed the left side of the TV remote keypad. Already, I was Ty'd out.

Do you have to have a mustache to be a fireman?

These were just some of the many things that crossed my mind as Stillwater's finest pumped hundreds of gallons of water out of my basement. It was Monday, March 26. Miles south, the home of Debbie Oatman-Gaitan and her four sons was coming together nicely, two days after her old one had been torn down.

"Good morning Parker family!"

That would have been nice.

My wake-up call, which came as I drove to the "Extreme Makeover" site, went something like this: "There're police on the way. The phone cut off when I dialed 9-1-1, so they called back, and there're flashing lights all over the place. The firemen are pumping out the basement, and the heat isn't working," sobbed my wife, rattled by the commotion. Being knee-deep in her first trimester of pregnancy wasn't helping.

All I could do was laugh. And turn around and drive home to witness the horror for myself.

Point of View

Debbie took in three children, the first of whom called Colonie home in the early '90s. Her story is compelling. She has dealt with the fear and anger of a community wary of living next to, or having their children associate with, HIVpositive children. All the while her home - their home - was sinking into the ground. I can't think of anyone more deserving of a new home, and I hope it is as nice on the inside as it looks from 200 feet away, surrounded by a sea of gradeschool girls screaming, "It's Ty! It's Ty! Oh my God! Ty!'

"So that's Ty. Pffff," I chuckled to myself. "My soul patch is bigger than his."

Could I keep my soul patch if I were a fireman or would I have to shave it off to make way for my Doc Holiday 'stache?

I haven't taken in any children. I have one on the way. It will call Stillwater (preferably Boulder, Colo.) home in the late '00s. My story is not compelling, at least not this day.

Months before the cloak-anddagger "Extreme Makeover" machine descended on the area. I was down in the basement petting my turn-of-the-century furnace thinking I could coax it to kick on again. It didn't. Thousands of dollars later, I would cough up the credit for a state-of-the-art Germanmade furnace - top of the line. I remember looking at it when it was first installed. It looked like it could have been on the cover of some furnace enthusiast magazine (assuming there is one; I hope there isn't) with a scantily clad starlet draped over it.

"The Buderus G215. Cutting edge, cutting costs," the headline would read. I've debated stenciling racing flames on it.

But on March 26, the glamour is gone, the new copper piping is corroded, and there are shoes that aren't mine floating by my precious G215, which is under three feet of water.

As I watch helplessly, the mustachioed Stillwater fireman just stares. He sees the car, my jacket, the tax-return rock on my wife's finger, my expensive dog (that I recently had to put down, which added to his expensiveness), my tax-return television and stereo, and my G215.

(obscure Batman reference here) to dig at Debbie's past. She is undeserving of this new home, the messages allege. It was her children who damaged the aboveground pool in the backyard. The subsequent flooding undermined the foundation. (Never mind the flood-prone Lisha Kill in her backyard, which was responsible for two road closings just last week.) Debbie doesn't deserve this home, they say. They want a scathing front-page article exposing her for taking in "unwanted children" to reap state and federal benefits. And now she gets a new home out of it, they whine.

One of my neighbors once blamed me for the flooding that swamps all of our homes at least a couple of times a year. I live in the hamlet of Willow Glenn.

"You would think that the name would have tipped her off," I remember saying to my wife when reading the letter, where she threatened to go to the "SUPERVISER!" It was one of several misspelled words.

She actually took a sample of the groundwater in my backyard and sent it to a lab for testing. She alleged the water was riddled with toxins emanating from the elevated leach field out back.

The same leach field, which serves two adults in a single-family home, was the single source of recent seasonal flooding.

Last week my road was closed. It takes a lot of water to overcome Route 67. Maybe I should limit my flushing. I remember a needlepoint sign above the toilet at one of my father's friends house I visited when I was young. It read, "Yellow is Mellow." No it isn't. I flushed.

Did people dig at Debbie like that? Forget the home's condition. Just dealing with that should be enough to warrant Ty's cackle over the bullhorn: "Good morning Oatman-Gaitan family!"

I wonder if the chief of the Midway Fire Department (which serves Debbie's new home) has a mustache. I wonder if Debbie's newhome was one of the hundreds in Colonie last week that had to be pumped out? I doubt it. Debbie's flooding problems should be history thanks to the hundreds of volunteers that answered the





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Meanwhile in Chief Gordon's office across town ...

Debbie's framed walls are in place, sheet rock is being fastened at record speed, the plumbing, electric, heating and fire suppression system are following, hundreds of volunteers short of sleep are working 'round the clock.

As this happens, my e-mail account fills up with a chain of messages urging me to get intrepid reporter Vicki Vail "Extreme Makeover" call.

Debbie will never have to pay for a new computerized-fire-timingflux-capacitor-Batarang modulator for the G215, well, at least not because it is under water. Her foundation will hold. And her family will live in comfort and style. And that's a good thing.

And on May 10, when the episode featuring Debbie and her sons' new home airs on ABC, I will watch it. And will think little of the G215 burning away below my feet and the hundreds we invested in a state-of-the-art sump pump system in the Bat Cave, which is what I call my basement.

I will forget my neighbor, rub my wife's stomach, and gently stroke my soul patch, which has at least three times the fullness of Ty's.

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Matters of Opinion Spotlight

WEAPON OF MASS DESTRUCTION



Eating meat contributes to global warming

Editor, The Spotlight:

Recently, the United Nations' intergovernmental panel on climate change, involving dozens Food and Agriculture Organiof experts, provided a more zation last November blamed of global warming on North (more than automobiles) of displacing millions.

animal casualties from heat, refrigeration equipment, factory

storms, pollution and infectious farms, and slaughterhouses. The diseases.

A report released by the UN detailed assessment of the effects animal agriculture for 18 percent America. The 67-page report greenhouse gas emissions that Earth Day on Sunday provides a predicts devastating droughts cause global warming. Carbon great opportunity to start saving and hurricanes and extensive dioxide, the chief greenhouse gas, flooding of coastal areas, is emitted by burning forests to products from our diet. Details create animal pastures and by are Erratic weather fluctuations combustion of fossil fuels to www.CoolYourDiet.org. are likely to increase human and operate farm machinery, trucks,

much more damaging methane and nitrous oxide are released from the digestive tracts of cattle and from animal waste cesspools. respectively.

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> Ethan Fletcher Delmar

Watch for warning signs of suicide

Editor, The Spotlight:

trying time for those dealing with depression and anxiety, and there is often a rise in suicides. Our community has felt that pain and unfortunately, continues to do so. It is estimated that 30,000 people die by suicide in the United States each year with major depression being the leading cause. During our lifetime, 20 percent of us will have a suicide within our immediate family and 60 percent of us will personally know someone who dies by suicide. The numbers of us left behind from the loss of one to suicide are staggering. Locally, there is a wonderful support group to help those left behind to cope with that pin.

The Capital District chapter of the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP) is working locally to educate individuals, professionals and communities about the warning signs of suicide. It is the only nonprofit national organization exclusively dedicated to understanding and preventing suicide through research and education, and to reaching out to people with mood disorders and those affected by suicide.

Our community holds many that every morning awaken and try to understand the loss of one to suicide. A healing community offers hope.

There are common warning The approach of spring is a signs of suicide, easy to remember if you use the mnemonic device "Is Path Warm."

They are:

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Anxiety

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Hopelessness

Withdrawal

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Your Opinion Spotlight The majority disagrees with current U.S. policy in Iraq

Editor, The Spotlight: Fundamental to

our democracy is the right to free speech, reserved to all citizens by the First Amendment to our Constitution. As such, I respect the rights of all to express their opinions on the war in Iraq, whether by engaging in a "honk for peace" demonstration at the Four Corners, by putting signs on one's lawn or bumper stickers on one's car. or by submitting a letter to the editor of The Spotlight. While defending his right to express his opinion, I respectfully disagree with many of the assertions contained in Mr. Crisafulli's recent letter ("Protests expressing their dissatisfaction can be disheartening" - The Spotlight, April 18, page 7).

First, I take issue that the "silent majority" of citizens support our country's current "surge" strategy in Iraq. In fact,

polls consistently show that the vast majority of Americans (and Iragis, for that matter) would like to see our troops withdrawn from Iraq. Last November, Americans elected a new Congress and provided them with a mandate to change the direction in Iraq, and to not just "stay the course." Those of us who hold democracy dear must respect the results of this election and respect that the majority of our elected representatives support setting forth a reasonable timetable for troop withdrawal.

Second, I disagree with the assertion that the acts of Americans with failed administration of this war somehow "emboldens" or encourages the daily violence in Iraq. The vast majority of the killing in Iraq is Sunni/Shiite violence. The animosity Iragis exhibit toward each other goes back centuries and

involves cultural, religious and political differences. A Sunni or Shiite who commits an act of violence in furtherance of the civil war does not do so because he or she was "emboldened" by something a U.S. citizen said or did. In fact, most Iraqis and analysts (including the bi-partisan Iraq Study Group) believe the violence would subside if foreign troops were cut back and diplomacy pursued.

Finally, I disagree that the expression of dissatisfaction with our country's war policy in duty and by not providing any way shows a lack of respect adequate care for those who for our troops. If we have return home wounded, this learned anything from Vietnam, administration has not shown its it is that there is always a clear distinction between support for the brave men and women who wear the uniform and support (or lack thereof) for an administration's war policies. Sadly, by sending troops into combat without adequate body armor, without an "exit strategy" for withdrawing them, by randomly extending tours of

support for the troops.

What better way to support the troops than to bring them home safely? I will be honking the next time I pass the Four Corners and encourage others to do the same if they are so inclined.

> Dan Coffey Delmar

Writer urges voters to defeat budget

Editor, The Spotlight:

It's that time of year when we are being asked to vote on May 15 on yet another increase to the school budget. In 25 years of living here, last year was the first time he budget

budget.

Before you walk into the voting booth and so eagerly press the lever for "yes," keep a few things in mind.

Over the past five years, the town of Bethlehem has witnessed incredible commercial growth and horrible traffic. One would think it would add to the tax base, but guess again. We have Lowe's, Wal-Mart, Price Chopper, Wen-dy's and Marshalls, just to name a few that are getting five to 10-year tax exemptions. That means their duty to pay taxes is being phased in. I've heard that the homeowner gets the short end of the stick; by the time they are at full value, some of these busi-nesses just shut down and leave.

Everyone had their property assessed and was hit with an increase last year. The town assessed properties at the highest point in the real estate bubble. I now see homes for sale in Bethlehem that not only are sitting there, but in some cases, prices are being reduced.

If you look at the pamphlet which explains the school district's

failed, only to pass on a revised proposed 3.98 percent increase, it states some of the factors are earmarked for "state-mandated pension contributions." This should have been factored in years ago. Health insurance rises every year. In my company, if I pass along the double-digit increase to my customers, I would be out of business.

> It is time to vote no and keep it no, and hold the Bethlehem school board completely accountable for each dollar spent and to exercise fiscal belt-tightening in every department in the district. The board needs to adopt the "stretch method," which means do more with less. Jack Welch, formerly of GE, introduced this method. GE is one of the most profitable companies in the world and it is time the Bethlehem school district runs the district as a business, keeping the academic goals in the forefront.

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State legislators pass law

Jonathan's Law would improve access to state mental health records

By ROB IRWIN irwinr@spotlightnews.com

On Monday, April 23, the state Assembly passed Jonathan's Law, less than a week after it was passed in the state Senate.

The state Senate unanimously passed the law on Wednesday, April 18, two months after the death of 13-year-old Jonathan Carey, an autistic boy who died while in the care of O.D. Heck Development Center in Niskayuna.

The law now awaits approval from Gov. Eliot Spitzer.

The law ensures that parents passage of Jonathan's Law. and guardians have access to records pertaining to allegations investigations and of mistreatment of children in residential care facilities.

"The passage of this law will have a tremendous impact on thousands of New Yorkers," said state Assemblyman Tim Gordon, I-Slingerlands. "With Jonathan's Law, Jonathan's life, though short, will shine on to improve the lives of thousands of New York's most vulnerable children and adults.'

Michael and Lisa Carey, Jonathan's parents, had been pushing for the law before their son's death because they believed their son had been abused while a resident of the Anderson School in Dutchess County. Results of an investigation of the abuse allegations by several state agencies were inconclusive. The Careys were not given access to the records of the investigations on which those findings were based.

After the alleged abuse occurred at the Anderson School, the Careys pulled Jonathan out, eventually enrolling him at the O.D. Heck facility.

Jonathan died Thursday, Feb. 15, while being transported by two employees of O.D. Heck when he was allegedly restrained inappropriately while riding in the backseat of a van traveling on Central Avenue in Colonie. The two men charged in his death have pleaded not guilty and are awaiting trial.

"The death of Jonathan Carey was a tragic event, and the allegations that surfaced after his death concerning his treatment at not one, but two facilities that were entrusted with caring for



The death of 13-year-old Jonathan Carey, an autistic boy who died while in the care of O.D. Heck Development Center in Niskayuna, led to the

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"The current mental health important

speak or defend themselves. The parents and legal guardians are the voice and advocate for their own children. Access to information care system is unsafe and must regarding their children's care be changed immediately," said is crucial for the safety of their Michael Carey. "Many of the children. Jonathan's Law is developmentally disabled cannot about access to these needed

"The parents and legal guardians are the voice and advocate for their own children. Access to. important information regarding their children's care is crucial for the safety of their children. Jonathan's Law is about access to these needed records."

Michael Carev

The law

• It ensures that parents or guardians have access to records concerning alleged abuse or investigations of abuse when it concerns their children. Upon written request, records must be released within 21 days of the conclusion of an investigation;

• It mandates telephone notification to the parent or guardian of a patient when an incident occurs involving that patient, and upon request, a written incident report must be provided to the parent or guardian;

• It directs the Commission on Quality Care and Advocacy for Persons with Disabilities (CQCAPD) to prepare and disseminate a pamphlet on the right to access records relating to patient care and treatment;

 It requires the CQC to notify the parents or guardians when there is credible evidence of alleged abuse or mistreatment; and

• It establishes a Task Force on Mental Hygiene Records to study and make recommendations on additional legislation regarding access to patient records and reports.

Source: S.3105-A

records."

his wife would continue to the mental health care system,' advocate for the rights of the disabled.

"Right on the heels of this, we're hoping to work with

numerous senators Michael Carey said he and assemblymen for reforms for said Carey. "Lisa and I are committed advocates for the reform to the system to help developmentally disabled adults and children."

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him have made clear the need for this legislation," said state Senate Majority Leader Joseph L. Bruno, R-Brunswick. "Families of disabled children should be confident that they are receiving proper care. Jonathan's Law will make sure parents and guardians have full access to information about their children's treatment, leading to better oversight and care for vulnerable children in these facilities."

Both Michael and Lisa Carey have been actively involved in the process of passing this law, lobbying on behalf of Jonathan and others like him. Michael has said in the past that his hope is the law will bring sorely needed change to how the state cares for its disabled residents.

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Four to run for two school board seats IN BRIEF

Positions up for vote in May election

By JIM CUOZZO cuozzoj@spotlightnews.com

Four candidates will be vying for two open seats on the Bethlehem school board in May.

Duane Bowman, Diane Giacone Stever, Laura Ladd Bierman and Lisa Allendorph are all hoping to be the top two vote getters to replace incumbents Richard Svenson and Stuart Lyman, who both opted not to run for another three-year term.

Bowman, of Elsmere, is currently employed with the state Dormitory Authority. Healso has a master's degree in public administration and has lived in Bethlehem for the past 12 years.

"The rising cost of education has sparked my interest," said Bowman who recently served as a member of the school district's newly formed citizens budget committee.

Bowman said he did not believe the school board



Allendorph Ladd Bierman

the 40-member citizens budget committee.

"I don't feel we were allowed to act as a true advisory committee," said "We Bowman. were assembled just to be spectators in the process."

Bowman said the quality of education needs to be balanced with what taxpayers can afford.

Bierman, who is seeking her first term on the Bethlehem school board, is no stranger to running for a school seat. She served eight years as a member of School District 30 in Glenview and Northbrook, Ill., before returning to Delmar in 2005.

"I really enjoyed it out in Illinois, helping shape kids received enough input from education and providing a



Bowman **Giacone Stever**

different perspective," said Bierman, who has three daughters, one a sen or at Bethlehem High School, another at the middle school, and a daughter who attended Hamagrael years ago when Bierman first lived in Delmar.

This is a great school district with an awful lot to offer," said Bierman, who said she sees the role of a board member as an intermediary between the district and the people.

"I understand the board's role is to set policy and not micromanage but to work with the superintendent setting has served in various policy and guidelines," Bierman said.

Bierman lives in Delmar and is owner of Ladd Data Designs. She also works in the office of



Stever, a resident of Slingerlands, is a special education teacher for Questar III Boces. She and her husband have three children all within the Bethlehem school district.

"I know people in the community are really upset about taxes and the tax base," said Stever, who said the district needs to explore new revenues. "I hate to see programs and services cut."

Stever said she considers herself to be a good listener and believes full-day kindergarten will be another issue the district faces in the next year.

Allendorph, who lives in Delmar, is also seeking her first term on the board. She has two children enrolled in the district middle school, and, like Bowman and Bierman, also served on the citizens budget committee. Allendorph works for Prevent Child Abuse of New York and capacities as a volunteer for Bethlehem schools. She is the current treasurer of the for exchange students middle school PTA.

"I am open to listen to all community issues and would like to see the community feel that they can have an open dialogue with the school board," Allendorph said.

Bethlehem residents will go to the polls May 15 to vote for the candidates of their choice and the \$77.2 million district budget that calls for a 3.98 percent tax increase. The League of Women Voters will be holding a debate inviting all four candidates for the Bethlehem school board on Monday, May 7, at 7:30 p.m. at the Bethlehem Middle School.

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The program of peer support groups, for children in kindergarten through eighth grade, will take place at the hospice office at 445 New Karner Road, Albany.

In these group experiences, children develop skills to help them cope with the losses they may encounter throughout their lives and build self esteem.

"It is important that children be able to recognize their normal feelings of sadness and grief, and have the opportunity to express them in a safe and comfortable setting. When they share with other grieving children, they feel less isolated," said Candice Van Roey, director of the program.

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We all get anxious as the days of gray cold winter linger. The longer the cold and snow hang around the deeper the funk. Get one day that hints of a summer yet to be lived and spirits perk up, people smile and attitudes in general tend to move in a positive direction.

As managers, the negative and the positive trickle down the business ladder. One of the hardest things we must learn to do, at whatever level on the business food chain we happen to be at any given moment, is to leave your home life at home.

Had a fight with the significant other before leaving the house? Kids get a late start and not have their homework finished and you only found out about at 7 a.m. before the bus came down the street? Or perhaps the dog decided not to wait for you to get moving this morning and moved himself on brand new carpet. the Whatever the issues, and we all have them, they need to stay tucked neatly in the car in the parking lot.

When you arrive at your workplace, put a smile on your face and try a cheery "good morning" and if nothing else, be thankful for the next eight or so hours you don't have to deal with the spouse, kids or pets. There's plenty of time to get all worked up on the drive, ride or walk home.

Who knows, by the time you start that trek homeward, the morning's anxieties might not appear so horrible. The office brick wall may become a bit more flexible and that glass ceiling might just begin to show signs of cracking.

One of the truly nice things about where we work in Delmar, is the ability to go for a walk to the Four Corners and



Meanwhile, around the Capital District, hope springs eternal and so do employment advances and changes ... At The Adirondack Trust Company, Sharon has been Carbonneau promoted to vice president of compliance, Edward Hart III and Stewart Hatch have become vice presidents in the commercial loan division, Charlene Musolff is assistant vice president and commercial loan supervisor, Jay Shoupe is assistant vice president in the Trust Company, and Kathy Cifrino, Andrew Ferrara assistant treasurers ... SEFCU recently hired Christopher Ward to be the director of the credit union's contact center and Virginia Bromsey as director of lending ... Robert Tengeler joins the Albany office of the law firm Hiscock and Barclay, of counsel ... Realtors Weichert, Northeast Group welcomes Nicole Wilkie, Karla Pless, Joey Kelley-Cartwright and the team of Jenifer Vucetic and Kori Slinger to its sales roster

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pleased to welcome several new folks to our office. Jackie **Domin** joins the editorial suite as paginator, Ken Cioffi II adds his talents to the art department as graphic design assistant and the friendly voice and smiling face that will greet you when you pop into our offices is Kristina Maldonado, receptionist and coordinator of legal advertising.

That about clears the clutter Communications" sponsored by from my desk for a few weeks. cobwebs of life, if only for a few the national Council on Be sure to check out my online Foundations. Finally, we at blog for updates or catch me

have anything you'd like to see in the column, feel free to email me at kellertw@spotlightnews.com. We can't guarantee they will all get in, but we'll give it our best shot.

As the great weather begins, try and clear your head leave the garbage of home life at home, or follow the pattern of our local cyclists and let the wind and sunshine clear out the moments.



clear our heads. I feel, as people greet us, merchants chat with and friends. and us acquaintances honk their horns and wave as they drive by, that in many ways this could be Mayberry ... or perhaps the Cleavers or Dr. Stone live just around the corner.

I often times feel a tinge of jealousy when I see people who live close enough to ride their bikes to and from work. They get the wind in her hair, the sunshine on their shoulders and for a few moments, they're free from the stresses left behind in the office and the ones yet arrive at home. It must be an exhilarating feeling of freedom and maybe, just maybe for a few minutes, of the lost innocence of youth.



Shooting affects Virginia Tech students from the area

UAlbany holds vigil for slain students

By ROB IRWIN irwinr@spotlightnews.com

On the morning of Monday, April 16, 23-year-old Seung-Hui Cho walked into Norris Hall on the Virginia Tech campus and began firing. By the time he turned the gun on himself, 32 students and faculty were dead, and dozens more were injured.

His actions resulted in the deadliest shooting rampage in U.S. history.

The next day, more than 600 miles away, hundreds of college students and staff gathered around the small fountain on the University at Albany campus in a show of support for the Virginia Tech community and to pay their respects to the fallen students and professors.

In a somber tone, University Provost Susan Herbst mourned the victims of the tragedy.

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"They had their whole lives in front of them, and they're gone in just a moment," said Herbst.

Rachel Warm, a senior at the University at Albany, said she learned of the shooting after she returned home from work.

"I wondered specifically what kind of student would do such a thing," said Warm. "It was shocking."

In the media, Seung-Hui has been painted as a loner and social misfit.

Warm said she sees how large universities' social circles could create a feeling of isolation for some individuals. "It's easy for someone not to

fit in," said Warm. Sophomore Charles Laduc

said the blame belongs to a society that "glorifies violence." "I wasn't too surprised," said

Laduc. "It can happen anywhere." "Anywhere" was the place where

some local students found themselves on April 16.

- comes," said 2004 Guilderland grad, Heather Leeper, now a junior at Virginia Tech. "It's hard to think it could have been anyone, including yourself. These people were killed so brutally. It's not fair."

Leeper said she missed her 8 a.m. class on Monday morning, held in the building next to Norris Hall. She said details were sketchy at the time, but she was soon aware that there was a shooter on campus.

"I watched the TV just as everyone else trying to find out the details," said Leeper. "When I discovered that the shootings occurred in Norris and that there were seven or eight, then 21, then 32 people killed and even more wounded, I panicked.'

Leeper said students have been looking to one another for support.

"Everyone is dealing with it differently. Some students are going on campus to write messages and leave flowers for the victims and just let any emotions they have out, while others are leaving town to get away from the reality of it all and grieve with their families and loved ones,' said Leeper. 'Those who are lucky enough to have not been connected to any of the individuals are the greatest support we have."

Though she didn't know any of the victims, or the shooter, personally, Leeper said she was connected in one way or another to some of the students who were killed, mainly through her dance group, the Dance Company of Virginia Tech.

Reema Samaha, 18, was a member of a fellow dance group on campus, and Leeper had watched Samaha's group, the Contemporary Dance Ensemble, perform the Saturday before the shooting. Caitlin Hammaren, 19, was a sorority sister

"Twe been taking each day as it to Leeper's "little sister" in the Dance Company, and Maxine Turner, 22, went to high school with four girls in dance group. Ryan Clark, 22, was the resident adviser of one of the group's girls and good friend of another.

> "It's hard to see that my closest friends, Dance Company, were hit so hard with this tragedy," said Leeper.

> Bethlehem High School graduate, Alex Kopp, a 20-year-old junior at Virginia Tech, said he spent his Monday morning and afternoon indoors at his off-campus townhouse. He spoke with friends and family, and watched the news.

"People were just thinking, 'God, I hope I don't know anyone that's involved," said Kopp. When he heard about the death of Ryan Clark, a friend of a friend's, he was in disbelief.

Still, Kopp said he was better off than many others.

"Tve got some friends that really knew people well," said Kopp.

One of his friend's roommates was shot three times, but is home and recovering well, said Kopp.

Despite his mother's plea, Kopp did not come home and said there were reminders of the tragedy everywhere around campus last week, in memorials and signs, and maybe most visibly, in the media swarm that descended upon the community.

Leeper said that the media in Blacksburg has been compassionate, though she said she's not pleased with the decision to air the tapes that Seung-Hui sent to a television station.

"No one here in Blacksburg wanted to see that tape, even the pictures. I look at the picture where he points the gun to the camera and my heart sinks," said Leeper. "This is exactly what he wants us to see, he wanted us to see what he did to those people, and what the last image these students and faculty saw. It breaks my heart just thinking about it."

Kopp kept his response to the videos of Seung-Hui more succinct. "He looked crazy," Kopp said.

Students here and in Blacksburg have voiced opinions about the initial response, or lack thereof, by Virginia Tech administration. Some media

reports have insinuated that if Virginia Tech had responded differently, lives could have been saved.

Others said blaming the school was unproductive.

"It's tragic," said Kirsten Lauber, a University at Albany sociology grad student, who added, "It's an inevitable reality in our society. I think pointing fingers at Virginia Tech security is kind of lazy."

Laduc said that some people may just be searching for someone or something to blame, other than the actions of a disturbed 23-year-old English major.

"It doesn't matter how great security is. It's going to happen," he said.

Leeper echoed the sentiments of the Albany students.

"I do feel as if the administration waited too long, but nothing they were going to do was going to stop this guy," said Leeper. "In no way is the Virginia Tech administration responsible for the loss of 32 lives."

Kopp disagreed, though he admits he's in the minority.

"Most of the students really support President Steeger and the Virginia Tech police," said Kopp, pointing to Virginia Tech's proud history and its alumni and students' unflinching loyalty to their alma mater.

"It's not just knowing what the right thing to do is, it's knowing what the wrong thing to do is," said Kopp. "To me, they really screwed up."

University at Albany Student Association President Nick Chiuchiolo called the actions of Seung-hui "senseless" and a reminder that the university community needs to be diligent to prevent a similar tragedy from happening closer to home.

Herbst and Chiuchiolo called on the help of students to report suspicious activity and to reach out to friends and family in tough times. With the combined cooperation of students, staff and a "vigilant" police force, Herbst said the University at Albany campus can remain a safe place to live and learn.

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Five Rivers to offer landscaping program

The state Department of Environmental Conservation's Five Rivers Environmental Education Center will give an indoor and outdoor program on landscaping for wildlife on Saturday, May 5, at 2 p.m.

Center naturalists will offer suggestions on how to improve wildlife habitat in your backyard. Plants that provide food and shelter to wildlife such as hummingbirds, butterflies and song birds will be discussed.

Participants will visit Five Rivers' butterfly and hummingbird garden, as well as the water garden, for a close-up look at some simple backyard habitat improvement projects.

This program at the center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar, is free. Participants should dress for the weather. For information, call Five Rivers Center at 475-0291.

Nature center offers spring bird walk

The public is invited to a bird walk Saturday, May 5, at 9 a.m. at the Department of Environmental Conservation's Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar.

Center naturalists will lead a field study of common migratory birds that may be seen at Five Rivers Center in early spring. Generally regarded as the height of migration, May is the best time to watch for the return of warblers. Participants will use their listening skills to try to identify birds by their calls.

This program is free. Bring binoculars and a bird identification book, if you have them. Some equipment is available for loan from the center. For more information, call Five Rivers Center at 475-0291.

Historical society to focus on granges

The Clarksville Historical Society will host a program called "Grange: Change the Face of America" by Stephen C. Coye on Wednesday, May 2 at 7 p.m.

Stephen Coye is the state grange historian. He is also an active member of the Ravena Grange in Coeymans Hollow. He will talk about the history of the grange as well as the Clarksville Grange, which was organized in 1893. The event is free at the Clarksville Community Church, Delaware Turnpike Route 443 in Clarksville. Refreshments will also be served.

Piano recital to aid Habitat for Humanity

A piano recital on Sunday, April 29, will benefit the Capital District Habitat for Humanity. Pianist William Jones will perform at 2 p.m. in Slingerlands at the Academy of the Holy Names Arts Center Recital Hall, 1073 New Scotland Road, Albany. For information, call 439-1766. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for students.

Bethlehem YMCA holding bike rodeo

Bikers can learn about bike safety and bike maintenance at the Bethlehem Area YMCA's bike rodeo on Saturday, May 12 from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sign up for any of the three 90-minute sessions. Bring your own bike and helmet. To reserve space, call the Down Syndrome Resource Center at 391-2581.

H.I.L.L. to present classical recital

The public is invited to a free classical guitar and violin recital on Thursday, April 26, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Avenue. The Humanities Institute for Lifelong Learning (H.I.L.L.) is sponsoring the guitar recital and a chamber music ensemble.

Smooth ride



McKenzie Smith rides her bike through the obstacle course under the watchful eyes of Alkamont police officers Ken Lebel and Scott Mannarino on Saturday during the Altamont Safety Day.

Jim Franco/Spotlight

Church seeks vendors for annual lawn sale

The First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, 38 Church Road, Selkirk, will host its annual lawn sale on Saturday, May 12.

Firearms, pets and food concessions are not allowed. The cost for a 20-foot space is \$20 if paid by May 1. The cost for a 20 foot space will be \$25 if paid after May 1. Reservations are required by calling 767-9505. The church is on Church Road off Route 9W in Selkirk.

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Friendship singers to perform concert

anniversary at this year's spring concert, to be held Saturday, May 19, at 7:30 p.m., at the Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., Delmar. The event is free and open to the public. A special program is planned to mark the 25 years of singing and dancing to area audiences.

The concert this year is a

organized by the Albany Symphony Orchestra, which funds repeat performances The Friendship Singers of Sunday Symphonies for will celebrate their 25th elementary school children, including many inner city schools. Collection boxes will be available in the fellowship hall for people who wish to contribute.

Marie Liiddle is the director of the Friendship Singers, Muriel Welch is Farrell, Suzanne Mason, Ann choreographer, and Linda Treadway, Eleanor Haverly, Drew is accompanist. The Dodie Seagle, Mary Ellen 20 women in the performing benefit for Monday Music for group will also show special Linda Hohn and Pam Bolton-Schools, a school program appreciation this year to their Englehardt.

drummer, Bill Reusswig.

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Stephanie Bollom and Pat Dolder are the only original members still in the Friendship Singers which began as a mothers group at the First United Methodist Church of Slingerlands. The group also now includes Kitty Murphy, Iva Zornow, Betty Thacher, Joan Graber, Janice Manning, Gail Pearsall, Linda White, Wilma DeLucco,



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County executive, comptroller disagree on appointment

County nursing home problems need more attention. **Conners** says

By GRAHAM S. PARKER parkerg@spotlightnews.com

Just throwing another administrator into the Albany County Nursing Home isn't going to fix its problems,

Albany County Comptroller Michael Conners is warning county legislators.

County need and deserve the Executive Michael Breslin, D- We can get." Delmar has selected Gene – R.

administrator of Tandem Health Care in West Palm Beach, Fla., to go before the dealt with, he said. Hiring an county Legislature for administrator from another appointment to fill the home with deficiencies on position.

That appointment will also social services committee.

Conners and Breslin have repeatedly been at odds over the management of the Albany County Nursing Home said. Conners addressed a letter to

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According to Conners' office, the facility that Larrabee runs is on a watch list compiled by the state of Florida. It also appears on a watch list assembled by memberofthefamily.net, a Web-based watchdog of adult long-term care facilities.

Although the facility hasn't

been cited for conditions as "The leadership of the serious as the facility is it's biggest Albany that problem. Responsibility led to more than \$75,000 starts at the top. We federal in fines last year, best possible leadership the county nursing home has become a Michael Conners facility of "last resort" for Larrabee, 59, currently the many in the community, Conners wrote in the letter.

That reputation needs to be record is not going to do it.

"My concern is on two have to clear the Legislature's levels. We did the original audit (of the home) that brought out problems and the last two appointments have been disastrous," Conners

The audit was done can get," he said. approximately six years ago, he said. In that time two who Larrabee is, said Kerri the best to go on. His work as again administrators have come and Battle, spokeswoman for the a facility director has taken grandstanding, she said. gone, leaving in their wake a county executive. string of questionable practices.

State closes Ann Lee nursing home

BY ROB IRWIN irwinr@spotlightnews.com

As part of the plan to comply with recommendations made by the state's Berger Commission on Health Albany County Care, Executive Michael Breslin announced the plan to close the state-run Ann Lee nursinghome facility.

Residents of the Ann Lee two deaths in Home will be transferred to the Albany County Nursing Home beginning in late May. "We have developed a plan to relocate residents from the Ann Lee Home to the county nursing home with the least disruption possible," said Breslin. "The transfer will be implemented in a manner that carefully considers the medical and nursing care, psychosocial and physical needs of each resident.'

County spokeswoman Kerri Battle said the transition would take place over the next 14 months, with approximately regionally appropriate bed 10 individuals transferred a count will improve quality of month. Residents will be able to choose their rooms and attempts will be made to keep roommates together, said Battle, "to make it as seamless as possible."

Admissions at Ann Lee have been permanently frozen, and a temporary ban on admissions. Health requires the merger has been enacted at the other home until the transition is complete by June of 2008. complete. Simultaneously occurring during the transition will be the construction of a new unified county nursing home facility.

The Berger Commission's report, which was adopted as law in January, called for the downsizing of at least 345 beds at the two facilities and the construction of the new facility. It cited the facilities' ages, unsuitability to sustain modern nursing care and low occupancy rates as reasons for the merger and new building.

"A new facility with a care and the financial standing of both the newly merged facility and the county, which will no longer have to subsidize two inefficient facilities," read the report.

The state Department of and downsizing to be

Commissioner Richard F. Daines approved the plan on Tuesday, April 19.

"I congratulate Albany County on taking this first major step to restructure long-term care services," said Daines. "When the plan is fully implemented, Albany County will have a much better nursing home facility as well as new communitybased services to help people stay in their homes as long as possible.'

Responsibility starts at the top. We need and deserve the best possible leadership we

That's exactly what and

The search for a new administrator started in the

facility is it's biggest problem. Battle. From across the country six candidates were handpicked for face-to-face interviews among a slate of 12 potential candidates, she said.

> Larrabee's track record was him throughout the country, serving at facilities in six states. And he has a record of turning troubled facilities 600-page manual for long-term care professionals on how to do it.

services. The community based services at forward.

'The leadership of the last week of November, said the same time balancing the services with a new state of the art nursing facility," said Battle.

> Conners, who was not part of the selection process, is using the nursing home once political for

Larrabee is being brought in as the county looks to close the Anne Lee Home, the second county run facility, and around, she said. He wrote a move more than 130 residents there into Albany County Nursing Home. The merger is expected to be completed by "We are in a state of the summer of 2008. All the transition in long-term care while the search for a new county facility to replace Albany executive has discussed his County with a state of the art interests in increasing 150-bed facility will go

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The big read

Throughout the month of May, libraries, museums, schools and the state Writers Institute will offer more than 80 programs for all ages focused on the novel "Their Eyes Were Watching God" and its author Zora Neale Hurston, one of the pre-eminent of the Harlem writers Renaissance. VPL will be hosting one of these events on Wednesday, May 16, at 7 p.m.

To call Hurston's book an



"African American feminist classic" is a rather dull way to introduce a vibrant novel. The beauty of Hurston's prose, her remarkable gift for comedy, the visceral terror of the book's climax, all transcend any label that critics have tried to put on this remarkable work.

The novel narrates Janie Crawford's ripening from a voiceless teenage girl into a woman with her finger on the trigger of her own destiny. To be part of the Big Read discussion here, sign up and receive a copy of the book. The Big Read is an initiative of the National Endowment for the Arts. The Big Read in Albany and Rensselaer Counties is cosponsored by the New York State Writers Institute and the Upper Hudson Library System.

Riverway Storytelling

You can listen to our favorite stories with renowned national and international performers at our library on Thursday, April 26, at 7 p.m. This special evening is part of

the fifth annual Riverway Storytelling Festival and is free of charge, thanks to the Friends of the Voorheesville Library. You must pick up a free ticket at the library to reserve a place.

Fourth Annual **Book Discussion Gala**

What have you read this year that has inspired, amazed, moved or excited you? You are invited to share your favorite reads with book discussion members at our Fourth Annual Book Discussion Gala on Wednesday, May 2, at 7 p.m. Come prepared with a booktalk or simply to listen. Sign up and get a handout on how to prepare a booktalk.

Teen book discussion

Teens are invited to meet on May 10 to discuss "The Other Side of Truth" by Beverley Naidoo. Sign up necessary.

Lapsit

Sign up for the lapsit for babies (under 2 years) on Thursday, May 3 at 10:15 a.m.

Barbara Vink For the latest information on library events, our online catalogue and helpful links to important Web sites, visit the VPL homepage at www.voorheesvillelibrary.org.

Methodist church planning to serve lasagna dinner

First United Methodist Voorheesville Church of Methodist Church will hold a lasagna dinner on Saturday, April 28, from 4:30 to 7 p.m. The menu includes lasagna, salad, bread and dessert. A limited supply of meatless lasagna will also be available. The price is \$9 for adults; \$5 for children and children under 12 are free. For information, take out or reservations call 765-2895.

Girl Scout Troop 284 plans collection for Becky's House

Voorheesville Junior Girl Scout Troop 284 is taking up a collection of travel size toothpaste and tooth brushes to benefit the residents of Becky's House. Becky's House is a home-away-from-home for patients and families of St. Peter's Hospital and honors the memory of Becky for her inspiring kindness and devotion those who are suffering and find themselves in stressful circumstances. Becky's House extends hospitality to those who travel a distance to receive treatment, by providing a welcoming and comfortable environment to patients and their families. Collection boxes are located in the lobby of the parish center at



main entrance. Collections will be picked up by Friday, April 27. The troop wishes to thank everyone for their dedication and compassion to helping those in need.

Thacher Nature Center plans wildlife program

A wildlife program will be held on Saturday, April 28, at 10 a.m. at the Thacher Nature Center. Wildlife rehabilitator Kelly Martin will bring some of the animals she cares for and talk about how individuals can help and protect wildlife.

For information call 872-0800.

Five Rivers plans outdoor walk

An outdoor walk in search of peepers will be held at the Five Rivers Environmental Conservation's Education Center on Friday, April 27, at 7 p.m. Center naturalists will lead a search of Five Rivers' marshes to hear the seasonal serenade of spring St. Matthew's Church and the peepers, the smallest frogs.





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Meet the performers

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 Queen Nur, aka Karen Nur El-Amin, specializes in the West African story tradition. Her tales draw on mythology, African culture, folklore, and African-American history.

• Antonio Rocha is a native of Brazil. He performs his unique solo shows of stories and mime from Singapore to the Yukon.

• Barry Marshall and Jeri Burns have worked together as The Storycrafters since 1991. They have performed at storytelling and folk festivals around the world.

• Fran Yardley has told Adirondack stories, folktales, original stories and wisdom tales for more than 25 years. She is a

board member of the Healing Story Alliance.

Seating is limited, so your find place early! This free program is made possible by a generous

donation from Friends of Bethlehem Public Library. The Riverway Storytelling Festival is a project of the Upper Hudson Library System, a consortium of 29 libraries in Albany and Rensselaer counties.

Big Read events begin

The film "Their Eyes Were Watching God," based on the novel by Zora Neale Hurston, kicks off our region's Big Read celebration on Friday, May 4, at 7 p.m. The film will be screened at Page Hall on UAlbany's downtown campus. Halle Berry stars in this adaptation



by Pulitzer-winning Suzan-Lori Parks. Commentary by the author's niece, Lucy Anne Hurston, follows the film, which is presented by the New York State Writers Institute. Ms. Hurston is a literature scholar in her own right. and author of "Speak So You Can Speak Again: The life of Zora Neale Hurston."

Written during the Harlem Renaissance, "Their Eyes Were Watching God" tells of Janie Crawford, granddaughter of a slave, who is sheltered. uneducated, and married off early. She comes to full and strong womanhood by novel's end. Set in the deep south of the early 20th century, Hurston's lyrical blend of history, folklore and magic-realism is a window on a unique time and place.

Their Eyes Were Watching God" is the subject of our two adult book discussions in May: DayBooks on Monday, May 7, at 1:30 p.m. and AfterDinner Books on Wednesday, May, 9 at 7 p.m. New members are always welcome in both groups. If you can't make it to the library, you can participate in the discussion online at www.bethehempubliclibrary.org.

The Big Read is an initiative of the National Foundation for the Arts in partnership with the Institute of Museum and Library Services and Arts Midwest. It is designed to promote shared literary reading among residents, community groups and civic organizations. Our region's Big Read is cosponsored by the New York State Writers Instuitute and the Upper Hudson Library System.

More Big Read events are listed in the May/June issue of footnotes, the library newsletter, and on our



Riverway Festival performer Len Cabral will share exuberant tales from his Cape Verdean heritage. Submitted photos

website, www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org.

Bookends

GOIN' TO THE CAR WASH! Wednesday, May 9, 10:30 a.m. Stories, songs, fingerplays, flannelboard fun, a craft and a snack. Age 3 to 6 with caregiver; call 439-9314 to register.

AFTER DINNER BOOKS

Wednesday, May 9, 7 p.m. "Their Eyes Were Watching God" by Zora Neale Hurston.

Books available at the information desk; other formats may also be available.

LIBRARY BOARD MEETING

Monday, May 14, 6 p.m. Review of proposed budget 2006-07. Open to the public.

Louise Grieco • All library programming is free and open to the public. The Bethlehem Public Library is located at 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar.

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Office

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the position of supervisor to become deputy commissioner with the state Department of Motor Vehicles.

When Egan dropped out, my phone started ringing with people saying, 'You would be an excellent supervisor," Grady said.

"The town is at a crossroads right now. This is not a small town anymore and you need a businessman at the helm." Jim Grady

Grady now joins Cunning-

ham and Victor Rodriguez as

candidates for the \$99,000-a-

year position. Grady said he

will be running on the Inde-

pendence line. Cunningham

is the Democratic candidate,

and Rodriguez is running as a

member of the Voters Rights

a self-employed hedge fund

manager who formerly owned

Grady's Trees in Glenmont.

He said he believes the big-

gest issue facing residents

is rebalancing the town tax

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We have had lots of resi-

Grady said he is currently

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base.

the diversity of the town," said Grady. "Now we need planned, intelligent, controlled commercial growth."

Grady said he believes all upstate residents are feeling the weight of heavy taxes, and he believes he has a vision for the town.

"The town is at a crossroads right now," said Grady. "This is not a small town anymore and you need a businessman at the helm.

Grady calls himself an advocate of open space issues and said he sees the Slingerlands Bypass project as a good one for the town. "It's nice to see the

state spending some money in Bethlehem," Grady said.

Grady said he will be seeking his own petitions this summer to get on the ballot and will spend his own money to gain the nod.

"I plan on campaigning fulltime now through November and will keep my campaign as independent as possible," Grady said.

Grady added that he thinks Egan served the town well as supervisor. "She has really done a great job," said Grady.

The town Republican party is expected to announce its candidate for supervisor in the next few weeks.

Several thousands of dollars of counterfeit \$100 bills along with a Panther AR-15 semi-automatic assault rifle



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cret Service.

According to the investigation, Agyemang, Evans and Hawkins allegedly went from store to store in Glenmont with counterfeit \$100 bills, making change through small purchases and pocketing the legitimate currency, usually amounting to

"It was a very methodical. very money, buying items and pocketing

\$100 bills were recovered in Bethlehem alone. Phony money was passed to at least 13 Bethlehem businesses, including the Glenmont Wal-Mart, Five Guys Burgers and Fries and other shops, including several stores in the various Glenmont shopping plazas. Lt. Thomas Heffernan said an employee at Five Guys called the police department on Tuesday, April 17 after one of the three

individuals tried to pass a phony \$100 bill after a small purchase.

"The transac-

tion raised the employee's suspicion and he contacted our department, who

then immediately contacted the Secret Service," said Heffernan. The source of the counterfeit

money is out of state and still at large, according to police.

"We cannot disclose the source of these bills," Leegi said. "The puzzle is here in New York."

The three Albany arrests were made one week after the arrest of two men in Kingston who were caught passing counterfeit \$100 bills. The Albany arrests were made following a tip of a counterfeit \$100 bill being passed in Glenmont.

The counterfeit money passed was considered top quality.

The quality of the note is relative to the person looking at

them," Leegi said.

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is not that difficult to throw a bill

on a colored copier and make

out there," said Leegi. When a business takes in a counter-

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feit bill and does not know it is fake, they

Agyemang

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are out that amount of money. New Bethlehem Supervisor Jack Cunningham, once a bank

> teller, also said the phony money passed in his town was of high quality.

"I am impressed with the police force that they were able to close it

down," said Cunningham. Leegi said these arrests bring to an end the primary source of

the counterfeit operation in the Capital District.



Albany County assistant District Attor-David ney Rossi said office his is working with the U.S. Attor-





and several stun guns seized from three Albany men who were distributing fake money throughout Bethlehem. The U.S. Secret Service along with Bethlehem police arrested the trio on a variety of charges including forgery and grand larceny. Sentencing will be held in July. Jim Cuozzo/Spotlight More than 195 counterfeit "With modern technology, it



organized operation of laundering the rest.' Lou Corsi

\$85 and \$90.

"It was a very methodical, very organized operation of laundering money, buying items and pocketing the rest," Corsi said.

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"The printing on not the same quality you would get from a genuine bill."

Leegi said the act of counterfeiting has changed over the past decade, and more people are using computers to process fake bills.

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ney's office in this ongoing investigation.

Hawkins

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State Archives host contest for students

historical records, the state Archives, a program of the state Department of Education, is sponsoring the 17th annual Student Research Awards. The 2007 contest is open to all New York students in grades 4-12 who use historical records in their research projects.

The awards are presented each year to grades 4-5, grades 6-8, and robin" style, where each person grades 9-12. The awards consist of a framed certificate; a check for \$100 from an endowment established by Regent Emerita Laura Chodos and her husband Robert Chodos; an invitation to have lunch with the Regents in Albany; and a behind-the-scenes tour of the State Archives.

Eligible projects are computerbased entries, such as websites or presentations; PowerPoint exhibits: documentaries: performances; research for a historical marker, property or district; and traditional research papers.

Julie Daniels, coordinator of the awards program, explained that in order for an entry to be competitive, a substantial portion of the research should be based on historical records from archives, museums, historical societies, libraries. local governments, other or organizations. She offered some examples of historical records: original letters, diaries, and photographs; meeting minutes: police and court records; ledgers, census records; and wills.

Although the deadline for entry is June 1, Daniels explained that the most successful projects usually take months to develop. For information about this year's program, click on Education at www.archives.nysed.gov/ aindex.shtml, call 474-6926 or email archedu@mail.nysed.gov.

State museum hosts weekly music jams

Every Thursday from noon and to 2 p.m., the state museum has admission tickets are \$5.

a music jam in the 4th Floor Terrace Gallery.

Everyone is welcome to play To encourage students to use or to listen to live acoustic music. Much of what is played is inspired by the Celtic tradition of jigs, reels, waltzes, hornpipes, and marches, but occasionally tossed into the mix are folk or popular songs, jazz standards, early music, and anything else participating musicians choose.

It is organized in a "round playing music, and sometimes the audience, takes a turn selecting tunes and setting the pace

All levels of skill on any acoustic instruments are welcome. Some people read the music while others play by ear. It is courteous to bring several copies of the sheet music for those who do not play by ear or for the tunes that are not commonly known.

A second music jam is called "Songs from the Piano Bench" and occurs on the last Wednesday of each month from noon to 2 p.m. on the 4th Floor Terrace Gallery of the state museum.

This is primarily for singers, although instrumentalists are also welcome, and it is loosely base on the 35,000-plus pieces of sheet music in the state Library Collection. Music and words are provided. It also is organized in a "round robin" style.

Contact information for "Songs from the Piano Bench": 474-2274. kstorms@mail.nysed.gov.

Acting troupe to put on annual festival

Vincent J. Crummles Acting Troup presents the fourth annual Fringe Festival at Bethlehem Central High School.

Performances will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 26, 27 and 28 at 7 p.m.and on Saturday and Sunday, April 28 29 at 2 p.m. General

Release and catch



Megan Mansfield of the Emma Treadwell Nature Center drops a piece of foam for Marys Cristie of Clifton Park to try to catch during the Earth Day celebration at the state museum on Saturday.

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Around the County Woman tries to make sure soldiers aren't forgotten

Officials gather to commemorate **Yellow Ribbon Day**

By GRAHAM S. PARKER parkerg@spotlightnews.com

Tuesday, April 9, marked the fourth anniversary of U.S.-led forces toppling Saddam Hussein's regime in Iraq.

It also marked the day a fuel convoy traveling west of Baghdad was attacked by insurgents. Among the dead and missing was Army Reserve Staff Sgt. Keith "Matt" Maupin, who remains the only missing soldier of the five-year war in Iraq.

Local activists, military and veterans vowed to not let Maupin be forgotten in a ceremony Tuesday marking the date as Yellow Ribbon Day in New York.

"I feel everyone is important, and I feel one soldier missing is as important as 300 or 3,000 missing," said Carol Hotaling, of Ballston Spa. Most people know her as the "Yellow Ribbon Lady."

"I've been dedicated to Matt," she said. "I'm on the phone every day, and I don't go anywhere without giving Matt's 1520 to commemorate the day. photo out."

reservists, town of Colonie soldiers and remaining committed Supervisor Mary Brizzell and to their safe return until they come members of the Joseph E. home, said Hotaling.



Carol Hotaling of Ballston Spa holds the photo of Army Reserve Staff Sgt. Keith "Matt" Maupin, the only missing soldier of the five-year war in Iraq. Local activists, military and veterans vowed to not let Maupin be forgotten in a ceremony Tuesday marking the date as Yellow Ribbon Day in New York.

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Her yellow ribbon campaign is Hotaling joined Army about remembering serving

Batavia, Ohio, will keep Matt in the form of simple thanks, mind and yellow ribbons on their cars, trees and lapels until displaying the yellow ribbon. he returns.

need to remember, said when, where and what do we Hotaling, especially as talks need to bring," said Capt. Ellis continue of pulling troops out.

called for a greater community asking if he would attend.

She and Maupin's family in outpouring of troop support in sending items overseas or

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"As a soldier, we are always Soldiers and their families ready; we never ask why. We ask Cropper, who received the call

Cropper is an Army Reservist with the 413 Combat Sustainment Support Battalion out of Schenectady. He spent 11 months in Iraq in 2004.

"It's a great feeling to know you are not forgotten. It's good to know if you are departed from your unit you are not forgotten." he said.

War is tough on soldiers and parents, he said. Parents don't know when their children are coming home and soldiers don't know whether they are coming home, he said.

Yellow Ribbon Day is a special day to remember the men and women who fight to keep America free, said Brizzell. Her comments touched upon how hard it must be for Maupin's family to not know whether their son is alive or dead.

"To not know where your son or daughter is, has got to be worse than going through hell," Brizzell said.

Yellow Ribbon Day is about keeping memories alive. Someday Matt will return home, she said.

Maupin was 20 years old when insurgents captured him. Days after his capture, footage was released by his captors showing him alive. The military classified him as a captured soldier. More than two months later insurgents. released a second video allegedly showing his execution. The military has Hotaling has continuously the morning of the celebration - not confirmed if the footage is of Maupin. He remains classified as missing in action.

He continues to receive paychecks, said Hotaling. And has been promoted twice since he was declared missing in action, first from private first class to specialist, and then to sergeant.





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"Because everyone's situation is unique, getting a good assessment and some immediate recommendations on what to do can be critical in creating financial security for your golden years."

Today, many of those baby

concerned about their "retire-

ment IQ," or where they stand

boomers are increasingly

on the path to a successful

Pam Moret

retirement. According to Thrivent Financial for Lutherans research, 71 percent of boomers say the lack of money is the single most important issue preventing them from accomplishing the things they wish to do in retirement.

The struggle they and many others face is getting a clear picture of where they are and what they need to do to reach their retirement dreams.

"People want help seeing the big picture of retirement,' says Pam Moret, Thrivent Financial executive vice president of marketing and products. "Because everyone's situation is unique, getting a good assessment and some immediate recommendations on what to do can be critical in creating financial security for your golden years."

to get their retirement IQ? ThriveQ (www.ThriveQ.com) is an online tool that gives users a scare-free assessment that ranks each individual on



their retirement path without generating a shocking multimillion dollar savings total that leads many people to despair.

'Seventy-one percent of boomers wish they had begun saving for retirement upon landing their first job, and 86 percent advised Generation X to start saving as soon as possible," says Moret of the survey findings. "They know something needs to be done,

but they need an easy, nonintimidating way to get into a better position for tomorrow."

ThriveQ is based on seven key principles for retirement. First, have a vision. Focusing on the things that inspire you will keep you motivated to do what's needed to be better prepared for retirement. Second, plan ahead because it's never too late or too early to start preparing

for retirement.

Controlling spending, the third principle, is another important step toward retirement success.

"Your values are your best

guide to determining your spending," says Moret. "By spending only for those things that are important to you and your family, you can keep debt to a minimum."

Fourth, once you control your spending, it's time to save and invest. Saving too much is always better than saving too little. Simple steps, like incorporating automatic savings programs, can make saving and investing as painless as possible.

In realizing retirement



dreams, rethink work. This fifth principle centers on thinking of working past the minimum retirement age, or cycling in and out of work for several years. It may be the opportunity to follow your passion, a way to stay connected or a chance to be your own boss. Sixth, protect your future through insurance and other means to ensure you can withstand any financial surprises. Finally, think about giving back and making a positive impact on others in retirement. By seeking activities that enrich your life and the lives of others - via helping others through gifts of time, talents and treasures you actually are preparing yourself for a happier retirement.

Created by Thrivent Financial in cooperation with author and gerontologist Ken Dychtwald, Ph.D., a world leader on the effects of an aging population on the mar-

ketplace and retirement, ThriveQ helps individuals find their unique retirement vision and measures progress toward that

vision, while encouraging actions that will help them achieve their goals.

The questionnaire takes about 10 minutes to complete, with each user receiving their ThriveQ – a score ranging from 1 to 1,000. Based on their score, participants will also be assigned to one of five groups according to their retirement readiness: Survivor, Provider, Striver, Thriver and Thriver +.

After a user receives a ThriveQ score, they also see their score as compared to other ThriveQ users and are given three customized recommended actions based on their answers. Participants can also save their score and track their progress as they accomplish the recommended actions, thus improving their score over time. The site also offers real-life examples of people taking steps to achieve their definition of retirement success.

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Seniors surf, too

t age 59, Dell Housewright is the future of online social networking. Social networking - connecting with people and forming communities using Web sites and online tools - used to be only for the young who meet new friends at sites like MySpace and Facebook. But the massive adoption of the Internet by baby boomers is changing this scene. Today, a number of social networking sites targeted toward this more mature crowd are cropping up, including Gather, which fosters thoughtful conversations and debate, and sites like 55-Alive and Eons, both of which were

created specifically for 50-plus social networking. These sites are arming their users with traditional social networking tools such as profiles, which let users

express their personal interests and connect with others of like minds; blogs, where "conversations" happen through posting comments and photos; and groups, which bring just a few, or thousands of people, together around a passion or interest.

"Eons is a supporting place where people can come together," says Housewright, an author and seminar consultant who created his own blog and joined several groups at eons. com. "If you find you like the people in a group, you stay and you talk. If you don't find a group that's talking about what you want to talk about, you start your own group."

More than 300,000 boomers are participating in nearly 2,000 discussion communities hosted at Eons. Topics range from "50+ Singles," - one of the most popular on the site and one where Housewright regularly converses with friends - to the playful and irreverent "Hippies for Life," which is dedicated to "music, friends and peace," according to its organizers. New groups are being created by users each day.

Eons' popularity reflects how boomers' quest to continue exploring life and making new connections that enrich their life is fueling the social networking world. With more than 44 million Americans age 50 to 64 online, social networking among this group is poised for growth.

The lines separating the real and virtual worlds are rap-

idly blurring. Housewright is an example of those who are transforming social networking from a strictly online conversation to relationships

that extend into the real world – even romance for some single boomers.

After a casual suggestion in a discussion group with some of his online friends that the group should try to set up a meeting, Housewright and others began to exchange ideas. Travel was an interest they shared, so the concept took shape of organizing a singles cruise where some of them could get to know each other better.

"I thought that if we had five or six people who wanted to go, that would be good," says Housewright, whose book, "A Boomer's Tour of the Dating World," will be published later this year. "As it turned out, dozens of people from all over the country signed up." And the number will most likely grow by the time the ship pushes

Ten tips for loved ones and caregivers

There are more 22 million households in the U.S. where people are caring for someone older than 50. This can be a real challenge and doesn't always come with a "How-to" guide.

Yet, the majority of longterm care tends to be provided informally and privately. People simply don't know where to turn for advice or help, compounding the difficulty of the situation. Doctor Marion (aka Doctor Marion Somers, Ph. D), author and expert in elder care topics, trends and solutions, has partnered with BoomerTowne. com, an informational Web site for baby boomers. As a member of the BoomerTowne. com Council, Doctor Marion has provided 10 simple steps to make caring for an aging loved one more enriching and less stressful for everyone involved.

"It is important for everyone to understand that they are not alone and that many people are dealing with similar situations," says Doctor Marion. "There are simple steps that you can take to make the care giving experience a pleasant and manageable journey."

Here are some tips:

1. Communicate openly. It is difficult to care for someone if you don't know his or her needs. Discuss his or her thoughts and talk about special memories and values.

2. Put safety first. Similar to baby-proofing a house, certain things can be done to make a home safer for elderly people who may not be as capable as they once were. Stick non-slip strips on the bathtub floor and remove throw rugs to prevent falls.

3. Improve the lifestyle.

While elderly people may experience changes in their lives, they still need to have one. Help keep your loved ones active to improve their happiness. Encourage them to participate in creative outlets they enjoy, such as woodworking or knitting.

4. Make life easier with adapted equipment. Add amplifiers to phones and doorbells to help those with hearing problems. Replace hard-to-fasten zippers or shoestrings with Velcro to aid people who have trouble with detailed hand movements.

5. Manage financial issues. One of the more challenging aspects of caring for loved ones is taking over their financial matters. At times, it's best to hire a skilled professional, especially if you are uncomfortable with numbers.

6. Take care of legal issues. This important aspect is often left until the last minute. To make things easier, be sure loved ones have a will with a clearly stated beneficiary of their estate. If this is not finished, the estate will be left to the state causing legal difficulties for surviving family members.

7. Find mobility in disability. Travel may be difficult for the elderly, but it's not impossible. Check ahead to determine if destinations are handicap-accessible to make moving around easier.

8. Find the right housing option. Moving can be a big transition, but many people aren't capable of caring for loved ones in their own homes. Research different facilities to find the right fit for a loved one. Assisted living can be a nice middle step from independent living to a nursing home.

9. Hire help when needed. Asking for help is nothing to be ashamed about. Be sure to check references and outline a contract that specifically details what will be required of each party.

10. Learn to let go. Losing a loved one is a part of life. Preparing yourself and your loved one is the easiest way to deal with this situation. Plan for the future together and discuss what loved ones want at their funerals and what they would like in their obituaries.

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Prepare properly for adventure travel

A ccording to the Travel Industry Association, 98 million people have taken an adventure trip in the past five years. Whether it's to escape the daily grind, catch up with an old friend, connect with family, or challenge one's body physically, adventure travel can be a fit for every type of person.

In fact, according to adventure travel expert and author Ward Luthi, adventure travel can mean different things to different people. Luthi is the founder and president of Walking the World, an outdoor adventure program that encourages people 50-plus to travel to new places.

"Age doesn't have to limit your activity level. There are simple proactive measures adults can take to prepare their bodies for an adventure, and there is an adventure for every type of personality and interest."

Ward Luthi

"There are destinations and activities for every age and lifestyle ranging from light to heavy intensity," Luthi said. "It can be walking through the Costa Rican rainforests, hiking local trails in your own area or even taking a short day-trip to somewhere you haven't been before."

A recent Nature Made Wellness Advisor survey found that 30 percent of respondents reported feeling like they were adventurers, but only when they were younger.

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ture, and there is an adventure for every type of personality and interest."

Luthi's top five tips include: • Do some homework. Gather any maps you may need. Check the weather forecast so you know what



climate to expect. And, always make sure that someone knows where you are going and how they can contact you if needed. • Take care of your body.

A balanced, nutrient-rich diet provides active adults with the energy and strength they need to set out on any adventure. This includes drinking lots of water and avoiding fried or fatty foods, which can lead to fatigue.

"When you are on the trail, a healthy snack I call "GORP" (good 'ol raisins and peanuts) helps maintain travelers' bloodsugar levels and energy. Along with plenty of water, keep a small bag in your backpack for an energizing snack every hour," says Luthi.

• Jump-start your joint health. Adventure can take a toll on the body, especially joints. Many need extra support while

on a trip. "A way to support joints naturally can be through a glucosamine-product, such as the new Nature Made TripleFlex Rapid Relief, which includes white willow bark to help relieve joint discomfort in as little as seven days. This is faster than traditional products and can prepare my travelers for an adventure in just a week's time," shares Luthi.

• Dress the part.

"Do not underestimate the power of comfortable shoes and socks," Luthi stresses. When you properly prepare your feet for the impact of uncertain and sometimes rough terrain you, your entire body will reap the benefits with fewer aches and pains. "Also, always carry a baseball or wide-brim hat to shield the sun from eyes and skin."

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five-day Caribbean cruise this summer.

Eons CEO Jeff Taylor, the Internet maverick who founded career site Monster.com in the mid-1990s, says he founded his new company last year with the goal of creating a social networking site that is the center of gravity for everything 50-plus.

"Boomers want in," Taylor says. "They're ready to play, and they want to be with likeminded people where they can bring all their life experiences and knowledge to bear. Eons is squarely in the middle of that conversation, creating tools that make connecting with new friends easier. When we see Dell and his group taking that leap from the online world into reality, it helps assure us that we are providing a fertile ground for those loving life on the flipside of 50."

Do's and don'ts for online socializing

• Be a self-starter. Do be yourself. If you are passionate about a certain topic, start your own group or blog and invite your friends and online connections to join the conversation. If you build it, they will come.

Don't get discouraged if you can't immediately find a group discussion or blog that you like or are interested in, the Web changes by the moment!

• Make a love connection. Do consider the Web a good resource for dating and meeting new people. Try visiting

• Bring backup.

Protective gear can help make the most of an unanticipated situation. No matter what the weather or location, always wear and bring extra sunscreen. On larger adventures bring extra snacks, rain gear, small first aid kit, small butane lighter, compass and emergency signal to make yourself prepared in case of extreme weather, an injury or if you find yourself off-trail.

"Twe found that adventure travel offers us some of the best opportunities to live life fully, to explore other lands, to experience new cultures, to make new friends and learn more about ourselves," says Luthi. "It stretches us physically, mentally and emotionally. Once many start, they never turn back."

files to learn their personality and find where you might click. Don't solely rely on online

dating sites and singles groups to meet people.

• Share as much as you can. Do post a full roster of the things you like the most; your most passionate hobbies and interests. If you're an expert on a topic, make that part of your profile. Sharing more of your life will lead to greater ways you can connect with people who share your interests.

Don't post information you don't want public, like phone numbers, addresses, even your employer. It could possibly provide group members with more information than you might like. Privacy comes first.

• Put a face with a name.

Do post a picture of yourself. Find one that goes beyond appearances and really says something about your personality.

Don't post any photographs you don't want the world to see.

• Watch, listen, learn: Then speak up!

Do join online groups that interest you, and whose tone and pace you appreciate. To determine if a group is right for you, read prior posts and become familiar with the level of discussion. As you begin to feel comfortable, voice your thoughts.

Don't be overly critical of posts made by other members. Online social networking groups should be a place to voice opinions openly and frankly. If you disagree with a post made by another member, don't forget what your mom always said: "If you don't have something nice to say don't say





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Beating the stress of incontinence

By NICK MONTALTO, M.D.

rinary incontinence is the involuntary or unintentional loss of urine. It is one of the most under treated problems facing an estimated 10 million women in America. Most women do not seek treatment and will modify their daily activity to avoid situations in which incontinence can be a problem. They will stop exercising, stay closer to home and avoid social situations in which they can't quickly find a bathroom. Often, it affects sexual activity

and can lower self esteem. Most important, it is not a normal part of aging.

Many factors predispose women to urinary incontinence.

Among these are older age, childbirth, diabetes, asthma and other lung problems, neurologic disorders, gynecologic surgery, obesity and smoking. It can be worsened by certain medications, alcohol and caffeine. It is often a significant problem for younger women who find it difficult to be active without losing urine.

The two most common types of incontinence are overactive bladder or urge incontinence and stress incontinence. Overactive bladder results from involuntary contractions of a specific part of the bladder causing urine loss. Stress incontinence results in leakage of urine when a woman coughs, laughs, sneezes, exercises or performs any other activity that increases abdominal pressure. Sometimes a woman may suffer from a combination of both types called mixed incontinence.

Diagnosis relies on a good history and physical examination by your health care provider. Urine or voiding diaries give great insight into the type of incontinence a woman suffers from. Laboratory tests may be useful to rule out urinary tract infections and kidney disease. Sometimes evaluation of the bladder's ability to fill and store urine is helpful. This is called urodynamics and can be done simply in the office.

Treatment of urinary incontinence depends on the type of dysfunction that is diagnosed. Management options can be behavioral, medical and surgical. Lifestyle modification such as weight loss, smoking cessation, fluid management and caffeine reduction can help dramatically. Other modifications include scheduled emptying

of the bladder, bladder "retraining," and pelvic muscle rehabilitation. Medica-

tion is often prescribed to treat overactive bladder,

which can decrease involuntary bladder contractions. Sometimes, side effects such as dry mouth and constipation limit the use of these drugs. The approach to stress incontinence is usually surgical if conservative treatment, such as pelvic muscle exercise, has failed. These minimally invasive procedures, performed by gynecologists and urologists, have evolved dramatically over recent years. This outpatient surgery essentially involves supporting the urethra with a sling or hammock.

Seeking care for urinary incontinence is a woman's first step toward taking back control of her active lifestyle. No woman should ever settle for losing urine as an inevitable part of aging or wearing pads to compensate. If your practitioner does not ask about incontinence then be sure to bring the subject up yourself. Don't be left on the sidelines while an active lifestyle passes you by.

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Step into spring with a positive attitude

Tit's spring, you're probably cleaning. Sixty-five percent of Americans routinely engage in spring cleaning, according to a survey by the Soap and Detergent Association. Take it a step further this spring by reorganizing your life to start down a path of meaning and fulfillment in all areas of your life.

"I am convinced that anyone, and I mean anyone, can become what they are absolutely determined to be and live a meaningful life," said Jim Stowers, billionaire, philanthropist and author of "The Best is Yet to Be," his autobiography. "Nothing can stop you from achieving your personal and professional goals," Stowers says.

Stowers offers the following tips to help men and women discover the power of a positive attitude and achieve their best in all areas of their lives - from home to career to finances. Armed with these ideas, people can begin taking steps toward fulfillment and positive attitude this spring.

Realize your best times are ahead. If you don't think tomorrow is going to be better than today, why get up? Believe each new day is going to be better and be determined to make it so.

Build a strong team. Surround yourself with the very best people. Everything is possible if you associate with the very best people.

Admit you don't have all the answers. One of the key factors in success is realizing and admitting you don't know everything.

Consider the consequences. In your workplace and at home, carefully consider the consequences of your actions before making a decision. Plan ahead to manage the negative and positive results of your actions.

Be persistent. The most successful people have one major attribute in common. They do not give up. Don't let anything stand in the way of you and your dreams.

Be patient. Consider the life of an acorn. When an acorn is planted and properly cared for, it slowly matures into a beautiful tree, but it takes time. Don't expect all of your dreams to come true overnight. Remember it takes patience and time to build a reputation and a moment of carelessness to lose it.

Stay positive. Achieving your dreams is possible. Don't let circumstances tell you that you can't become what you are determined to be - whether it is financially independent or playing your favorite instrument. "Now is an excellent time to

> "I am convinced that anyone ... can become what they are absolutely determined to be and live a meaningful life."

Jim Stowers

evaluate your goals and dreams and establish a plan to achieve them," say Stowers. "Instead of letting circumstances get you down, take this opportunity to decide what you want to do to achieve your goals. And then, if you are determined and persistent, nothing is impossible. Remember, the best is yet to be."

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Grandma, grandson benefit from medical advancement

Nick Souleotes, 43, and his 92-year-old grandmother, Ruth Franks, were diagnosed with colon cancer on the same day and four days later had their cancer removed through minimally invasive colon surgery. Both are thankful for the minimally invasive treatment option that got them back to their lives quicker than they expected.

Nick and Ruth are two of the nearly 150,000 Americans who develop colon cancer each year. Colon cancer is the second leading cause of cancer deaths in the United States, but it can be prevented through regular screening, and if detected early, it also is one of the most treatable and beatable cancers.

Medical advancements have made minimally invasive surgery a treatment option for colon cancer patients offering less pain and a quicker return to normal activities than conventional surgery.

Nick and Ruth's Story

Nick and Ruth were both experiencing blood in their stool and abdominal pain, so they went to their individual physicians who each recommended they see a gastroenterologist and receive a colonoscopy. Neither had received a colonoscopy before nor did they anticipate what was about to happen next.

They were both diagnosed with colon cancer and were referred to the same colorectal surgeon, Dr. Mark Parker.

Dr. Parker recommended

that they both have their colon cancers removed as soon as possible using minimally invasive surgery. They were diagnosed on a Monday and were scheduled for surgery the following Thursday. Nick and Ruth had approximately 14 inches each of their colons removed through three dime sized incisions.

"The procedure was nothing like I expected - it was a whole lot better," Nick said. "I was in the hospital for four days and even at 92 years old, grandma was only in the hospital for five days. I was cutting grass the day after I got home from the hospital and experienced no pain.'

"Patients need to be educated so they can work with their doctor to choose the best treatment options for them," Dr. Parker said. "Minimally invasive surgery has been clinically proven to be just as effective as conventional surgery for the treatment of colon cancer when performed by an experienced surgeon."

Talk to your doctor and visit www.colonsurgeryinfo.com for more information on colon cancer and your treatment options. As with any surgical procedure, surgery for colon cancer may present risks. Individual patient results may vary and are not indicative of all outcomes. Patients should consult their physician to determine whether a minimally invasive procedure is right for them.



Eat well, stay young

aby boomers seem willing to try anything to slow the physical aspects of growing older. A new survey reports that 25 percent of boomers would even put off retirement five years if it meant they'd never have wrinkles. The survey, conducted by the Florida Department of Citrus, shecs light on Americans' top aging concerns.

According to Cheryl Forberg, an expert on anti-aging nutrition and consulting dietitian to NBC's "The Biggest Loser" fitness reality show, the secret to prolonged youth is as close as the kitchen.

'Baby boomers can beautify themselves inside and out by selecting foods rich in nutrients," says Forberg, who also anthored "Stop the Clock! Cooking." "Envision the grocery store as a virtual

Forberg recommends the aging concerns:

 Get glowing skin. Keeping skin radiant is top of mind for baby boomers. Collagen breakdown in the skin may contribute to the formation of wrinkles. Vitamin C is an essential nutrient for the produc-

of 100 percent grapefruit juice contains 72 milligrams of vitamin C, more than a full day's supply. For the 30 percent of baby boomers concerned about weight gain, this juice is fat free with less than 100 calories in each eight-ounce serving.

 Boost your energy. More than 40 percent of Americans find having less energy to be the most unpleasant aspect of aging. To stay energized, avoid



processed foods and sugary soft drinks. Add foods rich in iron such as lentils, lean red

and heart disease. Vitamin C neutralizes free radicals to help fight cell and tissue damage that could lead to diseases. Potassium plays an important role in cardiovascular health, and a higher potassium intake as been associated with lower blood pressure and reduced risk of stroke. Load the grocery cart with foods like bell peppers, tomatoes, fresh grapefruit and kale.

 Sharpen your mental pencil. Baby boomers commonly experience fading memory cr slight changes in motor coordination skills. Spinach, onions and broccoli contain quercetin, a flavonoid found to promote brain function and prevent risk for stroke. Fresh Omega-3 rich fish, such as salmon and tuna, also contribute to improved blood flow in the brain.

 Don't forget bone health. Women are especially susceptible to postural changes or are at increased risk for osteoporosis after 40. To maintain bone strength, add calcium-rich foods and beverages to the grocery cart. In addition to milk, there are a variety of foods that contain calcium, including sesame seeds, leafy green vegetables and tofu. Dried plums and peanut butter contain boron, a mineral that strengthens bones to prevent osteoporosis through enhanced calcium absorption





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CSSC treasures volunteer Your money and your life: *contributions to Financial Health*

n Monday, April 30, **Colonie Senior Service** Centers (CSSC) will honor nearly 200 volunteers at its 14th annual volunteer recognition dinner. CSSC is extremely proud to recognize these volunteers for their unselfish caring, their untiring enthusiasm, and their indomitable spirit. Their energy and vitality is the heart and soul of Colonie Senior Service Centers. Throughout the year these volunteers give their time and talent to help seniors stay healthy, active and independent through the programs and services offered by CSSC. Because volunteers provide more than 12,000 hours each year, CSSC is able to deliver more services to more seniors, year after year.

At this year's event, CSSC will also recognize the contributions of two exceptional volunteers, Theresa Bennett, with the Mildred Best Willey Volunteer of the Year Award and Donald Miller with the Rookie Volunteer of the Year.

Diminutive, always cheerful, Bennett still has a slight Brooklyn accent. Since moving into the Beltrone Living Center almost six years ago, Theresa Bennett has become a welcome fixture at Colonie Senior Service Centers. Her list of volunteer activities is lengthy. She helps get the newsletter out, helps at the reception Desk (her business skills honed at several law firms in New York City come in handy there), she's active on several fundraising committees, and volunteers at all the special luncheons and dinners. She is also first vice president for the Beltrone Residents Association, a member of both the Colonie Senior Citizens Club and Hart Social



Center, and is a participant in the Osteoporosis Exercise and Wellness Program.

Theresa worked as a secretary at several New York City law firms, including Rogers & Wells. Her boss, William Rogers, became secretary of state for President Richard M. Nixon, After her husband, John, passed away, Theresa moved into The Beltrone Living Center to be near John Jr. and his wife, Deborah, and their beautiful daughters, Jennifer and Carolyn. Theresa is very proud of son John Jr., a cardiologist. Attracted by all the activities and benefits that are available to seniors at the Beltrone, she

says she made the right decision, "because I have so many friends and keep very busy volunteering."

When Aimee Richardson, building director for Sheehy Manor where Donald Miller lives, posted a flier looking for volunteers, he said he'd like to help. And CSSC is glad he did.

"Don is a great help in Bright Horizons at Carondelet," says Erin Szesnat, site director at Carondelet.

He volunteers a few hours, two days a week. From the time he steps in the door he jumps in by asking what he can do first to help out. He enjoys working with the members, whether it's one-on-one, or in a group setting. Most importantly, though, Miller has made a great effort to really get to know the members and their needs. He is comfortable asking questions to learn more about dementia and Alzheimer's, always learning new ways to be an asset to the group.

A Korean War veteran, Miller worked in the accounting department of the D & H Railroad, and retired after 35 years. He was also a volunteer fireman in Slingerlands for 30 years. Miller and his wife, Joan, have lived in the Capital District since 1953, raising six children and now have six grandchildren.

requires a healthy amount of discipline and focus. You want to make sure you have enough money saved to maintain your lifestyle, but the truth is there's more to successful retirement than an oversized **IRA.** Your health is perhaps the most significant component in your retirement equation, since it directly impacts your ability to enjoy the fruits of your labor. Now is an excellent time to focus on making lifestyle changes you might even be surprised to learn that in some cases, a healthier you can lead to an even healthier bank account!

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The Heart of the Matter

According to figures published by WebMD in 2006, coronary artery disease (CAD) affects nearly 13 million Americans and is the leading cause of death of both men and women in the United States. Some of the risk factors for heart disease are within your control, such as quitting smoking, reducing your cholesterol and maintaining a healthy weight. Obviously, these lifestyle changes increase the likelihood of living a long healthy life in retirement. But did you know these same lifestyle changes can lower the premiums you may pay for life insurance, allowing you to keep more of your hard-earned money?

Protect your heart,

increase your savings "In the past, people being treated for coronary artery disease might assume they were automatically excluded from the valuable protection of life insurance," says Mike



McFarland, vice president, Individual Life Insurance Underwriting at Prudential. "But in response to medical advances, some insurance carriers are using new under writing guidelines that make life insurance more readily available for some individuals who have been treated for coronary artery disease, and offer them the opportunity to qualify for significantly lower premiums." Of course, rates would vary based on each situation and the applicant's complete medical history. Speak with a qualified insurance representative to learn how these new guidelines might benefit you.

When it comes to setting important goals, whether it's saving for retirement or lowering your cholesterol, what you do today can have significant ramifications for the future. There's never been a better time to take control of your future, and make the positive changes necessary to ensure your golden years are filled with health, wealth and happiness.

Seek the right kind of relief for heartburn

I f you believed the television ads, there are as many treatments out there as there are cases of heartburn – more than 60 million sufferers each month. Finding an over-the-counter (OTC) treatment option that is right for them can be a challenge, though.

"The key is to understand what type of heartburn you have, and choose a medication accordingly," says Philip Miner, MD, director of the Oklahoma Foundation for Digestive Research.

The heartburn spectrum Contrary to popular belief, there isn't just one type of heartburn, a condition that's caused by stomach acid flow-

"The good news is that once you know what type of heartburn you have, then you can pick the type of treatment that is most appropriate for you." Philip Miner

ing up into the esophagus. Some different kinds are: Episodic, a common type that occurs infrequently and is often predictable and manageable in the short-term.

Frequent heartburn (FHB) occurs two or more days a week. People with FHB might also find themselves using multiple OTC medications more than two days a week to get relief.

Persistent heartburn doesn't respond to OTC treatment and keeps recurring. It could be an early warning sign of gastroesophageal reflux disease, or GERD, and should be evaluated by a doctor.

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If you're always tired, it could be your thyroid

Vivian Wall was tired all the time and couldn't lose weight, no matter what diet she tried. Catherine Mckinnon couldn't relax and her heart raced constantly. Both women (whose names have been changed to protect their privacy) ascribed their symptoms to the stresses of

> "The disorder can be difficult to diagnose because its most common symptoms are also indicative of a host of other problems."

> > Steven Petak

modern and often unhealthy lifestyles. Actually, both were experiencing the opposite spectrums of a very common problem, thyroid disease.

"If it seems like everyone you know is tired all the time,

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or constantly stressed, you may be tempted to overlook your own fatigue or anxiety," says Dr. Steven Petak, FACE, President of the American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists. "In today's hectic world, it's easy to convince yourself that these problems are really just signs of the times."

It's estimated that more than half the 27 million Americans who have thyroid disease remain undiagnosed.

"The disorder can be difficult to diagnose because its most common symptoms are also indicative of a host of other problems," says Dr. Petak. "Doctors may focus on one or more of these isolated symptoms without looking at the total picture that adds up to thyroid disease."

"For years, I complained to my doctors that I was tired – really fatigued – all the time," says Wall. "They all told me it was because I was overweight and that if I dropped some pounds I'd have more energy."

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Finally, at a walk-in clinic where she'd gone for treatment of a common cold, a doctor asked Wall if she'd ever had her thyroid checked.

"My results came back at the very edge of the normal range," she says. "And while my hormone levels were in the normal range, it turns out the level wasn't 'normal' for me and needed to be adjusted with medication."

Wall was diagnosed with hypothyroidism.

A few years ago, the American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists proposed a narrower normal TSH (thyroid stimulating hormone) range than the one used by

most labs.

"Since many physicians may not be aware of this, it could lead to a patient being told their results were 'normal,' when in fact they fall outside the newly proposed range," Petak said.

"I'd had my thyroid tested

in the past and was told everything was normal," says Mckinnon. "I didn't know that you can develop thyroid dis-



ease at any time. A few years ago, I noticed that I felt hyper and stressed all the time. My heart raced constantly and I always felt hot, even in a room others said was cold."

Mckinnon's doctors finally did a TSH test and diagnosed her with hyperthyroidism.

The good news is, thyroid disease is one of the easiest maladies to detect and treat, experts say.

Here are the 10 most im-

make a difference The stomach is lined with millions of acid-producing pumps which rely on three chemical signals that tell them to produce stomach acid. The key point of difference between the categories of over-the-counter heartburn medications happens at a cellular level in the stomach:

H2RAs (histamine-2 receptor antagonist) block one of the signals, thereby reducing the amount of acid produced. One dose works relatively portant things to know about thyroid disease, according to the AACE:

1. Up to 27 million Americans may be affected by thyroid disorders, although more than half remain undiagnosed.

2. Thyroid disorders are more common among women.

3. Thyroid disorders tend to run in the family.

4. Fatigue is a common complaint for under- and over- active thyroid conditions.

5. TSH testing is the most useful test for thyroid screening.

6. Regular check-ups are the key to successfully managing a malfunctioning thyroid gland.

7. Changing brands and dosage that affect thyroid hormone levels should be followed by retesting.

8. Do not change your dose of thyroid medication without guidance from your physician.

9. Thyroid conditions in pregnancy warrant close attention.

10. Thyroid cancer is one of the fastest growing cancers in America – and one of the most curable.

To learn more about thyroid disorders, visit www. thyroidawareness.com.

quickly and can generally last from 8-12 hours.

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Small signs of spring: container gardening

he ground is thawing, tulips are poking up, birds are chirping: all signals to the container gardener that it's time to pull out the pots, planters and window boxes to get ready for spring planting. Container gardens are perfect for small yards, balconies and wherever you want to add color and interest. For first-timers or veterans, here are some tips for getting the best-looking, lushest flower pots in the neighborhood:

 Color scheme planning Begin by thinking about color schemes you'd like to enhance your patio or deck. How will the flowers on your deck accent your kitchen's decor? Think about what you planted last year, what worked and what didn't and what exciting new varieties are available. Start looking at books and magazines for ideas and how you'd like your own containers to look.

Consider light conditions and which plants work well together. Shade foliage won't grow well in conditions appropriate for, say, a geranium. Toy with interesting textures and leaf colors in addition to bloom colors. A variety of foliage adds unique depth to your garden. Herbs and vegetables are becoming a popular trend. A corn plant, for instance, by itself as the main focal point is rather stunning. Snow peas growing up a post create curiosity. Purple basil, arugula, oregano and nasturtium are lovely flowering edible plants.

A healthy foundation

First, remember that trying to grow anything in containers with dirt from outside is a recipe for disaster. For proper planting, use fresh, sterile potting soil that has the appropriate balance of ingredients for good nutrient absorption and water management.

The types of annuals you plant also dictate what mix you use and whether you add more or less soil conditioner. If you decide to make your own potting mix, depending on what you're planting, possible mix components include



compost, sphagnum peat moss, loam, sand, vermiculite, perlite, osmocote and soil moist.

Whether you have a favorite soil brand or you make your own, any seasoned container gardener knows that replacing soil for all your outdoor pots requires large quantities. Large pots can



take up to four bags of potting mix each. Depending on how many containers you will plant, consider having a half yard of potting soil delivered. Soil Drainage

No matter what you plant, if planters become too waterlogged, you won't get hearty blooms and the roots will die. Every pot needs a drain hole and some type of material in the bottom so the soil doesn't run out the bottom of the pot and so drainage holes don't clog.

Some materials used to assist drainage are rocks, broken terra cotta pieces and packing peanuts. Many times these don't work, for in as little as three weeks, soil runs down into the crevices and blocks the drainage you so diligently tried to create. Also, once the pots are filled with rocks, soil, plants and water, they can get very heavy and hard to move.

There is an alternative to rocks; a non-woven, 100 percent recycled and reusable plastic mesh. This is a new planter drainage material that is placed in the bottom of containers. The precut squares can be used in either square or round containers. For a round plant container, fold the corners up or down and alternate each layer. The continued on page S11



Managing money on Medicare Part D

The more you know about the coverage gap, but I'm prescription coverage, the more money you can save. Pharmacist Dr. Timothy Covington, an expert on Medicare Part D, answers your common Medicare questions below.

I just turned 65 and became eligible for Medicare. What is the Part D plan that I've been reading about?

The Medicare Part D program is a voluntary benefit that makes prescription medication coverage available to Medicare members. The program has helped millions of seniors gain affordable access to prescriptions.

I've heard about a phase in Medicare Part D called confused by it.

You are not alone. Many members are confused and surprised to learn that Medicare Part D works in three phases. In Phase 1, each member typically pays a deductible and, once that is met, pays an average co-pay of 25 percent for prescriptions. The plan pays the remaining balance. But, if expenses reach an initial coverage limit before the end of the year, you arrive at Phase 2. also called the coverage gap. In the coverage gap, Medicare Part D stops paying for any portion of your prescription medications. During this phase, you have to pay 100 percent of your medication costs



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An adventure of a lifetime

There are more than 70 million grandparents in the United States and many of them have a passion for travel, providing an incredible opportunity to share this love with the grandchildren. Traveling with grandkids offers a unique bonding activity that can't be experienced during a family get-together or a short visit.

Travel and lifestyle expert Nan Zimmerman has partnered with BoomerTowne. com, an informational Web site for baby boomers. As a member of the Boomer-Towne Council, Zimmerman has advice for any adult traveling with younger children, including grandparents who might not do it frequently.

Test the waters

While hitting the road with the grandchildren might seem like fun, younger children might not be ready to travel without a parent. Test out the waters first by visiting a nearby museum or zoo together. This can help determine whether a grandparent can handle a situation without Mom or Dad around.

Or, consider traveling with only one grandchild at a time, which allows for one-on-one bonding and saves grandparents from being sibling referees.

Planning the trip One of the first obstacles



when traveling with a grandchild is picking a location. The destination should be kid-friendly but also provide entertainment for the grandparents. All-inclusive resorts are great, as they provide activities to do together, as well as some entertaining kid-only activities. Planning the trip can be a lot of fun, so make sure to involve the grandchildren. Once a location is selected, share pictures of the destination, brochures and maps with them. Go online to learn more about the trip together.

Getting ready While grandchildren may have traveled with parents before, be sure to go over rules for the trip before embarking on the journey. Outline the consequences if the children's behavior doesn't measure up to expectations.

If flying, explain airport security so that a grandchild doesn't get scared. It might also be a good idea to go over what it feels like to fly and how people behave on an airplane.

Learn about all medications a grandchild takes, both prescription and over-the-counter, and be sure to take them along. A notarized permission letter signed by parents will authorize a grandparent to have limited power of attorney over a grandchild in case of an emergency. This is especially important when traveling outside the United States.

Traveling to another country

Children of all ages are required to have a passport when traveling outside of the United States. Plan ahead and apply for a passport well in advance, as there is a long processing time. Children under the age of 14 must apply for a passport in person.

Also, be sure to check with the U.S. Embassy of the country you're visiting and make sure you have everything you need to travel with your grandchild. Some countries may require a notarized letter authorizing grandparents to accompany grandchildren in place of a legal guardian.

Arrival

In case of an emergency, such as a lost child, be sure to have a plan in place. Share it with the grandchildren upon arrival. At the hotel, show him or her how to get



to the front desk and have it be a meeting place. Tell grandchildren to go to the nearest uniformed employee if they should get lost. Give them a slip of paper with important cell phone numbers, hotel name, location and phone number so authorities can contact the appropriate person as soon as the grandchild is found.

For additional security and peace of mind, if grandchildren are over the age of 12, have them carry a cell phone or walky-talky. This will allow them to contact someone immediately if something is wrong.



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out of your own pocket, 'unless you have a plan that bridges the gap. Once you spend enough to reach a second limit, the catastrophic coverage, or Phase 3, starts. Phase 3 is when Medicare pays nearly all of your prescription costs (95 percent).

This year, many of my friends hit the coverage gap and had to spend thousands of dollars for their prescription medications. How does someone fall into the gap and how can this be avoided?

Falling into the gap is a problem that some 4 million seniors were expected to deal

with in 2006. First you have to understand the coverage gap to avoid it. Many seniors do not realize that three things contribute to the total cost of their prescriptions and count toward the gap: their deductible, their co-payments and the Medicare Part D plan contributions. In 2007, when your total Medicare prescription medication costs equal \$2,400, you will pay 100 percent of these costs - until you reach the catastrophic coverage phase, usually at \$3,850 out-of-pocket, or arrive at the end of the year. Each January, you start a new coverage cycle.

Patients on multiple prescriptions, or as few as 2 to 3 a day, are in danger of quickly falling into the coverage gap. You can delay or avoid the gap by managing your medication spending and making wise choices. One strategy is to substitute over-the-counter (OTC)

My pharmacist told me that OTC medications can be as effective as prescription medications. Is this true?

Yes, they can be. In fact, many OTC medications are former prescription medications, some of which have been approved for OTC status at a former prescription strength. That is the case with Prilosec OTC, and that's why it is recommended as an over-the-counter option for frequent heartburn sufferers and is the number one doctor and pharmacist recommended OTC acid reducer.

By purchasing medications in a smart way, you can save Medicare Part D coverage dollars to go toward more expensive prescription medications for which there are no OTC alternatives. Consult your health care professional for more information on Medicare Part D and OTC medications to determine the best strategy for you.

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For example, if you have a condition such as frequent heartburn and regularly use an acid reducer, you can talk with your physician and pharmacist about using an OTC such as Prilosec OTC. This may be a money-saving treatment option. OTCs do not count toward reaching the initial coverage limit; therefore using these medications can help keep costs down.

Dr. Timothy Covington is a professor and Director of the Managed Care Institute at the McWorter School of Pharmacy at Samford University.

For information on the Medicare Part D coverage gap, visit www.ManagePartD.com. For full patient information on Prilosec OTC, log on to www. prilosecOTC.com.



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material is very flexible so there is no need to trim the squares into circles. Called "Better than rocks," it is also available in a large roll of material that you can cut to your desired size to fit planters precisely or accommodate your odd shaped planters.

Your pots will be lighter and you'll use up to one third less soil in each pot. • The

greenery Once

your drain-

age system is in place, fill the pot with soil so the middle third of the pot is full, leaving four to five inches for plants. Next, take the plant plugs out of the flats and set them in the pot. Start with the taller, wider center plant. Then place the next largest plugs around the perimeter, in balance according to color and size, with the smallest placed last. Rearrange until you are satisfied.

If you are creating matching planters, arrange them similarly before adding soil, in case you want to exchange plants between pots. Once all the plants are placed to your liking, begin filling with soil. Fill the soil in between each plug, ensuring that all holes

and spaces are filled. Don't pack the soil and plugs down too hard, as this constricts the roots and inhibits plant growth. Water well, making sure it seeps out the bottom. Watch as holes develop between plugs and fill in with dirt. Water again.

As your containers bloom and grow, give your plants a "haircut." Pluck off dead blos-

time to put everything away

for winter, dump your pots

out. This soil is ideal to top

off your perennials or add

to your compost. If you use synthetic materials, you won't

have to pick out the rocks

or other material from the

bottom of the pot. Pull out the

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that the average American lived in when seeking health care. As part of a health care system that shielded insured patients from the actual costs of care, most Americans with health insurance never questioned the care that they received or its cost. Today's consumers, however, are being asked to take on greater financial responsibility for their health care and a more active role in making decisions about the care they receive.

In response, says Charles Cutler, M.D., a national medical director with Aetna, consumers

are beginning to question cost and quality, and seek tools and information to help them make informed decisions. The movement toward providing this information to consumers is widely known as health care "transparency."

"The increase in costs has made it very important for consumers to understand what their expenses are going to be and the level of quality they can expect to receive, which helps them determine how to get the most value for their health care dollar," says Cutler.

Research points to this increased interest and involvement, and the need for transparent information on health care costs and quality. A study released in the spring by the Council for Affordable Health Insurance found

that 84 percent of Americans agree that health care providers should publish their prices for all goods and services.

The good news for consumers is that both public and private organizations - including the federal government, health insurers, employer coalitions, and state agencies - have begun to respond by offering transparent price and quality information.

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) helped lead the way this summer when it posted its payment rates for approximately 30 elective inpatient hospital procedures and other common hospital admissions. CMS also provides some quality information on hospitals at its Web site.

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Assess ways to reach your financial goals

hat keeps you awake at night? If you're like most Americans, you've probably found yourself awake in the wee hours of the morning having a little conversation with yourself. On the one hand, you're feeling pretty good about things. But on the other hand — and this is where you're not alone — there are those nagging little questions about finances and concerns about whether you are doing all that's needed to take care of yourself and your family.

Typical "everyday" concerns such as paying bills tend to distract people from thinking about their long-terms plans. But working with a financial professional can have a positive impact on people, according to a recent study commissioned by Northwestern Mutual.

"We found that those people who work with a professional demonstrate more knowledge about financial matters than their counterparts who do not," says Janie Schiltz, vice president of Northwestern Mutual. "Moreover, the study reveals that working with a professional can have a positive effect on a person's financial behavior as well."



Making a difference

A good advisor will immediately set out to put your mind at ease when it comes to helping you answer those financial concerns that tend to keep us all awake at night.

"There are a variety of ways to begin this process of working with a professional," Schiltz says. "Some professionals will take a new client through a personal needs analysis – a detailed question-and-answer process that compares a person's current financial approach to their long-term goals regarding retirement, education funding and

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similar matters. The result of this process is usually a report that provides the client recommendations for accomplishing his or her goals."

In addition to providing a thorough analysis, there are a variety of other ways that working with a financial professional can make a difference.

For example, a professional can show a client how to organize the financial strategy into three buckets: Those matters related to risk and protection, those regarding savings and investing, and those regarding retirement and wealth distribution. A professional can help a client grasp the differences between term and permanent life insurance and that owning the right amount of life insurance is more important than the type of insurance.

On the theoretical side, a financial professional can help make a client smarter by making him or her aware of

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Similarly, insurers are providing new levels of detail about the health care providers that participate in their networks. In most cases, average pricing information is provided - for example, the average cost of an office visit or strep test within a certain Zip code. Quality information is also becoming increasingly available through insurer Web sites.

According to Cutler, Aetna is taking the level of detail one step further. Aetna was the first health plan in the nation to offer its members online access to physician-specific cost and quality information. This means that Aetna members can go online and research the price tag for care from their specific physician, as well as see indicators related to the use of proven preventive interventions, adverse events and how "blind spots" — like loss aversion and mental accounting — can affect decisions in real-



life financial situations.

"Blind spots are a product of emotion and can handicap even the savviest of clients," Schiltz says. "No one is immune and when people become aware of them they are much better equipped to build a financially secure future for themselves." When you work with a professional

According to the Northwestern Mutual study, those who work with an advisor tend to have a more aggressive investment mix, better savings habits and more certainty about retirement, Schiltz points out.

For example, according to the study:

• Those with a financial advisor are much less likely to be concerned about the adequacy of their income or savings in retirement, or about the future of Social Security.

• When compared with those who have no advisor, those with one are more likely to have a target retirement age and are more likely to anticipate retiring at 64 or younger.

• Among younger people, those with a financial advisor are more likely to identify clear savings goals for retirement than those with no advisor.

• Those with an advisor make larger annual contributions (approximately twice as much as those with no advisor) toward reaching their financial goals related to retirement, college education, short-term needs and emergencies.



hospital readmissions, before their next appointment.

"Our focus is on providing information that is relevant to our members," says Cutler. "While we don't expect anyone to make decisions based on this data alone, we do hope to move the health care marketplace closer to providing the kind of detailed cost and quality information that we all access when making any other major purchase.

"After all," he adds, "there are few purchases in life that are more important than quality health care."

Recently, President George Bush gave a significant boost to the transparency movement with the signing of an executive order. Signed in late August, it directs federal agencies that administer or sponsor federal health insurance programs to increase transparency in pricing and quality, encourage adoption of health information technology standards, and provide options that promote quality and efficiency. The president is also asking state governments, large unions and large employers to commit to these same criteria in purchasing health care for their employees and members.

Aetna's physician-specific price and clinical quality information is available for physicians in all or parts of 11 states and the District of Columbia. Cutler says the company has plans to expand the program further. The information is available to members on the password-protected section of Aetna's Web site (accessible at www.aetna.com). Interested in doing a little research before your next trip to the doctor or hospital? Cutler suggests logging on to your health plan's Web site to see what resources are provided there. Consumers can also access hospital cost and quality information at www.Medicare.gov. And, once you're at the doctor's office, Cutler encourages consumers to talk to their physicians about both health care quality and costs.

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Storytellers tell quite the tale

By JENNIFER FARNSWORTH news@spotlightnews.com

If you're looking for an oldfashioned form of entertainment, you'll want to pull up a chair and catch some of the Riverway Storytelling Festival. The event is growing in both recognition and popularity. With 29 libraries and 30 storytellers on board, there's bound to be as much talk about the event as there is listening to it.

The fifth-annual storytelling festival concludes this weekend throughout Albany and Rensselaer counties. Twentythree separate events are planned, including 16 free concerts, workshops for libraries, educational and storytelling experts, students and school performances.

"I am excited about the fifth **Riverway Storytelling Festival** because of our outstanding tellers. No matter which concert people attend, they will be hearing wonderful stories from our dynamic storytellers," said Kate Dudding, marketing public relations and chair woman for the festival.

Dudding said new to the festival this year are the state finalists for the National Youth Storytelling showcase who are opening some of the concerts. Storytelling concerts will also be held at four senior residences around the Capital District.

Bush Memorial Center at Sage College will this year feature both family and adult concerts. Mary Fellows of the Upper Hudson Library System and producer for the Riverway Festival said the Saturday night event was the highlight of last year's festival. The night features one concert for families and a second for



Jeri Burns and Barry Marshall of The Storycrafters will be performing this weekend.

mature audiences.

"Last year the giggles of the kids at the early concert were positively infectious, and seeing adults bent over with laughter at the late concert made others laugh all the harder. The laughter is contagious and you be infected at our 'Laughin' Night,'" said Fellows.

Fellow said that storytelling is an endearing art because we live in a highly technological world where she feels technology can both connect and isolate people at the same time. Many of the storytellers involved feel it is important for people to have the experience of connecting with one and other through stories.

"We learn best through hearing someone else's story. We heal our individual hurts by telling our own story," said Fellows.

The storytelling festival has The flagship event at the improved in its attendance and grown over the past few years. Fellows said each year the festival attracts more people who enjoy listening to stories and connecting with storytellers.

> "Each year we hear from people who discover common ground with children or feel affirmed in their own choices, through stories they hear at Riverway. Those comments

Submitted photo confirm what we already know, that stories can change lives," said Fellows.

The concerts throughout the weekend are free due to the support of the festival sponsors.

Locations include Friday at the Guilderland Public Library, Saturday at the Albany County Public Library and Sunday at the Bethlehem Public Library. A storytelling concert for families concludes the festival on Sunday afternoon at the Bethlehem Public Library.

In addition to the libraries making this event possible, the Community Arts Grant, •a program funded through state and local partnership program of the NYS Council on the Arts Center of the Capital Region, has contributed to it.

For information on the local storytellers and event times, visit www.riverwaystorytellingfestival.org.

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Obituaries Spotlight

Dorothy Berliner

Dorothy Berliner, 84, of Glenmont, died Sunday, April 15.

Born in Albany, she attended the Parson School of Design, receiving a degree in fashion design. She left school to contribute to the war effort at Watervliet Arsenal. She married Irving Berliner and raised a family. She volunteered in the Jewish community and was chair of the Youth Committee at Temple Israel for many years. She was active in Pioneer Women and Abigail United Order of True Sisters as well as volunteering at Daughters of Sarah Nursing Home and Child's Hospital.

She worked in the family business at the Capital Delicatessen for many years and then returned to college, completing a bachelor's degree. She received her master's of social work from SUNY Albany at the age of 60 and worked for many years with seniors at the Ohav Shalom Senior Apartments until her retirement.

Survivors include a son, David Berliner of Austin, Texas; two daughters, Leslie Shanken of Teaneck, N.J. and Rachel Berliner of Glenmont, six grandchildren.

Services were from the Levine Funeral Chapel, Albany. Contributions may be made to the Daughters of Sarah Nursing Center, 180 Washington Ave. Extension, Albany 12203 or American Friends of Magen David Adom-ARMDI, 888 Seventh Ave. Suite 403 New York, NY 10106.

Agnes C. Hanson

Agnes C. Hanson, 84, of Delmar, died Sunday, April 15, at the Hospice Inn at St. Peter's Hospital.

Born in New York City, she moved to the Capital District in 1987. She was a member of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Delmar. She enjoyed traveling, was an avid reader and an active member of Bethlehem Seniors.

She was the widow of John A. Hanson.

Survivors include two children, Ellen H. Danis of Latham and John A. Hanson of Cortlandt Manor; a brother, Walter Wilson of Old Bridge, N.J., a sister, Florence Wilson of Delmar; 11 grandchildren, one great-granddaughter.

Services were from Daniel Keenan Funeral Home, Albany. Contributions may be made to St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Elsmere and Poplar Drive, Delmar 12054.

Ann Graf Seeber

Ann Graf Seeber, 66, of North Road, Cato, died Thursday, April 12.

Survivors include her husband, Dick Seeber of Cato; two sons, Raymond Graf and Chris Graf of Delmar; Stepson, Ty Seeber of North Carolina; Stepdaughter Cathe Jackson of Camillus; a sister, Ellen Hildreth of Calif.; and five grandchildren.

Services were at the convenience of the family. Contributions may be made to the Ira Fire Department, North 13033. Road, Cato, Arrangements by Jewell Funeral Home, Cato.

Lois Allin

Lois Haas Bigelow Allin, 82, of Bethlehem, formerly of Colonie, died Saturday, April 14, at St. Peter's Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

Born in White Plains, she was a graduate of White Plains High School and Potsdam State Teacher's College, Crane School of Music, where she majored in choral singing and received her bachelor's in education. She received her master's in education from New York University.

She taught for 29 years in the state public school system, 27 of them with the South Colonie School District. She spent many years in the Saratoga-Potsdam Choral Institute

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performing with the Philadelphia Orchestra under the direction of Eugene Ormandy. She was a member of the Octavo Singers of Schenectady, and also sang for several years with the Burnt Hills Oratorio Society. She was a member of the Niskayuna Reformed Church and the church choir.

She was the wife of the Rev. Robert B. Allin, and the late Howard Bigelow, several friends and extended family members survived.

Services were from Reilly and Son Funeral Home, Colonie. Contributions may be made to the Niskayuna Reformed Church.

Stephen Stanzle

Stephen Stanzle, 85, of Delmar, died Sunday, April 15. He was the husband of the late Jeanne A. Stanzle.

He was a World War II Army veteran, retiring in 1985 as an accountant for the Samuel Stratton Veterans Hospital in Albany. He also was an accountant for the Veterans Administration from 1945 to 1966. He owned a liquor store in Amsterdam from 1966 to 1975.

Services were from the Meyers Funeral Home, Delmar. Contributions may be made to the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, 35 Adams Place, Delmar, 12054; Covenant House, 460 West 41st St., New York, NY 10036; or the Lenox Hill Hospital Society, 100 East 77th Street, New York 10021.

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Harley Schrom Sr.

Harley Roy Schrom Sr., 58, of Selkirk, died Wednesday, April 10 at home.

Born in 1949, he served in the U.S. Army with an 18-month tour in Vietnam. He retired after 33 years with G.E. Plastics Division in Selkirk. He was a certified state hunter safety course instructor with the Ravena Coeymans Sportman's Club.

Survivors include his wife, Jackie Schrom; a son, Harley Schrom Jr., of Selkirk, two daughters, Kimberly Duquette of Sharon Springs; and Heather Mahar of Selkirk, and six grandchildren.

Services were from the Durant Funeral Home, Albany. Contributions may be made to the Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance Service, P.O. Box 246, Selkirk 12158, or to the Memorial and Honor Program, St. Jude's Children Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Mephis, Tenn., 38105-1942.

Catherine Sterling

Catherine E. Sterling, 81, of Albany, died Wednesday, April 18, at Albany Memorial Hospice surrounded by her family.

Born in 1925, she lived in the Capital District all her life, enjoying fishing, crafting, doll collecting, animals. antiques, her grandchildren and greatgrandchildren. She was the widow of David H. Sterling.

Survivors include five children, David W. Sterling of Babylon, Jeffrey J. Sterling of New Baltimore, Linda G. Bailey of Glenmont, Carol A. Bailey of Voorheesville, and Jill M. Pratt of Averill Park; a sister, Mary Lawrence of Voorheesville, 16 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Services were from the Applebee Funeral Home, Delmar. Contributions may be made to Community Hospice of Rensselaer, 295 Valley View Blvd., Rensselaer 12144 or the Whiskers Benevolent League of Albany, PO Box 11190, Albany 12211.





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Krista Rachel Ketterer and Peter Scott Applebee

Ketterer, Applebee to wed

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The bride-to-be is a graduate of LeMoyne College and the University at Albany, where she earned a doctorate in political science. She is the director of the state Senate office of student programs.

The future groom is a graduate of LeMoyne College and the University at Albany, where he received a master's degree in public policy. He is deputy director of the state Senate finance committee 🔐 💷

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Meghan Connolly, daughter of James and Karyn Connolly of wedding. Selkirk, and Gordon Haupt, son of James and Judy Haupt of Amery, Wis. and Mary Haupt of Wasaba, Minn., are engaged to be married.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, Fordham University and the School for International Training, where she received a master's degree. She is an agency director for Sponsorship Strategies.

The future groom is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin at Madison and Stanford University, where he earned a master's and doctorate in aeronautics and astroseronautics. He is an engineering manager for 3VR Security in San Francisco.

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Entertainment Spotlight

t's infrequent that the title of a play overtly insults a classic, but "I Hate Hamlet" does exactly that.

The comedy, written by Paul Rudnick, will be presented by Homemade Theater (HMT), a nonprofit theater company in residence at the Spa Little Theater in the Saratoga Spa State Park.

The play zeroes in on the life of Los Angeles soap opera star Andrew Rally, who has arrived in New York City to play the role of a lifetime — Hamlet. Unfortunately he hates the play, but just happens to have rented the apartment of the late, great John Barrymore. The swashbuckler's ghost takes Andrew on as a reluctant protégé and coaches him on Shakespeare, swordplay and romance.

A recent New York Times review called the play "fast, funny ... unapologetically silly ... hilarious ..."

Christine MacLellan, HMT's associate manager, said while the play isn't slapstick comedy, it's certain to bring on chuckles.

"It's not one of those broad, physical, door-slamming farces, but it is a comedy," said MacLellan. "This hot shot television star thinks he knows it all, but then it's a case of the young learning from the more seasoned."

The interaction between young Andrew and the ghost of John Barrymore sets up the dynamics for juxtaposing acting styles that have changed greatly over the years.

"Today people are really method actors, but in the old school things were very Television actor Andrew Rally (Dorien Makhloghi) succumbs to a moment of stage fright before tackling the role of Hamlet on the live stage.

over-the-top," said MacLellan. "Everything was on a large scale, but there's something to learn from that.

By CARI SCRIBNER

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The ensemble cast of just a six ranges in age from the 30s to the 50s in the production. The show itself is designed for teens and older.

"There is a bit of romantic interaction between Andrew and his girlfriend as they try to figure out their relationship that may be over the heads of younger kids," said MacLellan. Director Stephen Pelletier said he's rarely worked with such a committed cast on any production.

"This is the most

professional group I've ever worked with," said Pelletier, a former actor with HMT. "It's been a second job for the cast."

Rehearsals have been ongoing since the end of February auditions. Cast members work four nights a week and on Sunday ¹ afternoons.

"Their dedication is endless," said MacLellan. "This is their passion and they want to make it a career. HMT attracts great talent.

MacLellan likened the group to an "extended family," noting many in the cast and crew work on all the productions during a season.

Founded in 1985, HMT is a community theater with a professional edge. The company is a unique blend of the efforts of professional directors, designers, technicians, local actors, and hundreds of volunteers in all areas of production.

HMT stages four productions each season, between October and May. They also offer dinner theater packages with area restaurants for the three main stage productions. Each December, there is a "Theater for Families" production.

HMT also offers acting _ classes for children, teens, and adults.

HMT was incorporated in 1985, and founded by Jonathan Foster and Susan Miller.

The company has grown from a 55-seat theater at Caffé Lena, in 1985, to its first three-production season in the 496-seat Spa Little Theater in 1986. In its 1990-91 season, the Theater for Families production was added.

"This is as good a production as you'd find in New York City," said Pelletier. "Artists of all kinds flock to Saratoga Springs; it's just a beautiful place to experience the arts."

"I Hate Hamlet" continues its run on Fridays and Saturdays, April 27 and 28, May 4 and 5, at 8:15 p.m. and Sundays, April 29 and May 6 at 2 p.m.

For information or to purchase tickets, call Homemade Theater's box office at 586-4427. or visit www.homemadetheater.org.





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Hugh Leonard comic drama about an Irish son returning home to come to terms with his father, presented by Curtain Call Theatre. 210 Old Loudon Boad Latham through May 19, \$20. Information, 877-7529.

I HATE HAMLET

Comedy presented by Home Made Theater, Spa Little Theater, Saratoga Spa State Park, Saratoga Springs, through May 6, \$19-\$22. Information, 587-4427.

LITTLE MARY SUNSHINE

Presented by Not So Common Players, Shenendehowa High School East Little Theater, Clifton Park, April 27 through May 6, 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays, free. Information, 371-6681

RASHOMON

Presented by Channel Z Productions, F. Donald Myers Center, Henning Road, Saratoga Springs, April 25-28, \$15 adults, \$12 students. Information, 587-7088.

Music

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Voted Rhode Island's best female vocalist five of the last six years, April 26, 7:30 p.m., Perfect Blend Cafe, 376 Delaware Ave., Delmar, free.

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Performing truck stop love ballads, April 27, 7:30 p.m. Perfect Blend Cafe, 376 Delaware Ave., Delmar, free,

PAT MARTINO QUARTET

Avant garde jazz guitarist and band, April 27, 8 p.m., Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, Troy, \$25-28. Information, 273-0038.

BETSY ROSE, LEAF MILLER & KATE BLAIN

Original songs' with guitar and percussion, April 28, 8 p.m., Old Songs Inc., 37 South Main St., Voorheesville, \$17. Information, 765-2815.

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"Icons of Greece," images by Nancy Noble Garnder; " Reflected Realities," images by Melody Mason' "Encaustics," images by Jeri Eisenberg, through April 24, Main Square, 318 Delaware Ave., Delmar. Information, 475-1853.

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"Dancing Rebeis," an exhibit about the New Dance Group, plus ongoing exhibits, 99 South Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information, 584-2225

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Ongoing exhbits including "East of De-

troit" and New York racing, 110 Avenue of the Pines, Saratoga Springs. Information, 587-1935, ext. 20.

CLARK ART INSTITUTE

"In Search of Lost TimeL Ruins in Photography," through May 13, Williamstown, Mass. Information, (413) 458-9545.

Call for Artists

NEW YORK STATE THEATRE INSTITUTE

First round of auditions for annual summer theatre institute for high school and college students, April 28, 4 to 6 p.m., Schacht Fine Arts Center, Russell Sage College, Troy. Information, 274-3754.

NOT SO COMMON PLAYERS

Auditions for summer production of "Pajama Game," April 30 and May 1, 7 to 9 p.m., Shenendehowa Senior Center, Clifton Common, Clifton Park. Information, 371-6681 or 762-9186

WOMEN'S BUILDING, INC.

Call for female artists to submit works for upcoming "Missing Peace" exhibit, which will focus on an anti-war theme, by April 27. Images of current or historical antiwar protests, peaceful world themes or any work that gives voice to the sprint of resistance in violent times are welcome Information, 462-2871.

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Calendar of Events Spotlight

NEW SCOTLAND

QUARTET REHEARSAL

United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New

Salem, 7:15 p.m. information, 765-4410.

Tuesday, May 1

DELMAR

The local chapter of Weight Watchers

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51 School Road, 10:15 a.m. Information,

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Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School-

Road, 1 to 3 p.m. Information, 765-2791.

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New Scotland Town Hall, Route 85, 7 p.m.

V'VILLE PLANNING COMMISSION

Village Hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave., 7 p.m.

Wednesday, May 2

BETHLEHEM

DELMAR ROTARY

Normanside Country Club, 7:30 a.m.,

Information, 765-3356.

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PLAYGROUP MEETING

First United Methodist Church playgroups will meet from 10:30 to noon in the nursery. Playgroup provides opportunity for child caretakers and pre-nursery school age children to socialize in a relaxed atmosphere. Information, call 439-9976, ext. 228.

MOTHERS OF PRESCHOOLERS (MOPS)

Christian fellowship group for mothers of preschool children, at the Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., nursery care provided, 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m., Information, call Jennifer at 439-9929 or e-mail, info@drchurch.org.

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

BETHLEHEM LIONS CLUB

Normanside Country Club, Delmar, 7 p.m. Information, 439-4857.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

Northeast NY Alzheimer's Association meetings for families, caregivers, and friends; Delmar Presbyterian Church, 585 Delaware Ave., 7 p.m.

SOLID ROCK CHURCH

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

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Meditation on the Bodhisattva of Compassion, at the KTC Buddhist Center, Doane Stuart School, Route 9W, Albany, 7 p.m., Information, 374-1792

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

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

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Elsmere Elementary School, 247 Delaware Ave., 7:30 to 9 p.m.

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

NEW SCOTLAND FAITH TEMPLE

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

PRAYER MEETING

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Thursday, Apr. 26 VOORHEESVILLE **VOORHEESVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Riverway Storytelling Festival program at the Voorheesville Public Library, at 7p.m. Tickets are FREE, but reservations must be made at the library. Thursday Night Poets at the Voorheesville Public Library. No signup.

SLINGERLANDS SLINGERLANDS COMMUNITY **UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Slingerlands Community United Methodist Church, 1499 New Scotland Road, Slingerlands offers a contemporary worship service, "A Gathering" every Thursday from 6:30 until 7 p.m. Children are most welcome at the Gathering, and child care will be provided.

BETHLEHEM

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

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

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

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN (SEPTEMBER THRU MAY)

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

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.

Friday, Apr. 27

BETHLEHEM

CHILDREN'S WRITING WORKSHOP (JULY AND AUGUST)

Bethlehem Public Library, 451Delaware Ave., 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., Information, 439-9341.

VISUAL SUPPORT GROUP

Strategies to cope with visual impairment, led by Dr. Edwin Pesnel. Refreshments. Room 101, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, 1-2 pm. Sponsored by Bethlehem Senior Services. Information, 439-4955, ext. 4.

AA MEETING

First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, Route 9W. 7:30 p.m.

CHABAD CENTER

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

NEW SCOTLAND

PIONEER CLUBS

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.



BETHLEHEM AA MEETING

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 7:30 p.m.

GLENMONT

STORY HOUR

Tea and Tattered Pages Used Books, 329 Glenmont Road, Glenmont, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, Apr. 29

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.

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King's Chapel, 434 Route 9W, Glenmont, 426-9955.

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St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Poplar

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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.

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(April 25, 2007)

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TOWN OF COLONIE NO-TICE OF BOND RESOLU-TION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the resolution published herewith has been adopted for the Town Board of the Town of Colonie, Albany County, on the 15th day of March, 2007. Such resolution was adopted subject to permissive referendum and the period of time has elapsed for the submission and filing of a petition for such referendum without a valid petition having been submitted and filed, and the validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if: (1)

(a) such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the Town of Colonie is not authorized

to expend money or (b) if the provisions of law which should have been complied. with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice: or (2) such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution New York.

SUMMARY OF RESOLU-TION

The following is a summary of a resolution adopted by the Town Board of the Town Colonie on March 15, 2007. Said resolution authorizes the issuance and sale of a serial bond or bonds and a bond anticipation note or notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of said serial bonds, in an amount not to exceed \$500,000. The proceeds from the sale of the obligations authorized in said resolution shall be used for the specific purpose of financing the Wade Road Extension located in the Town of Colonie, which shall consist of the construction of a new roadway from NYS Route 7 to Forts Ferry Road intersection, including the installation of a traffic signal system, pavement, adjacent sidewalks, landscaping and necessary site work and the acquisition and installation of equipment, machinery and apparatus for the foregoing purposes. The period probable usefulness for said purpose is fifteen (15) vears. A copy of the resolution summarized herein is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk, located in the Town Hall, Colonie, New

Public Policy Advisors, LLC. Articles of Organization filed vith the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on No-vember 7, 2003. Business location in New York: Albany County. Principal business location: 505 Wythe Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314. SSNY has been designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon it to: 505 Wythe Street, Alexan-dria, Virginia 22314. LLC has been formed to engage in any lawful act or activity. D-15556

LEGAL NOTICE

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(April 25, 2007)

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC), Steve Allen's PC & Network Support, LLC Articles of Org. filed with NY Secretary of State (SSNY) March 9, 2007. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 420 Sand Creek Road Apt.418, Albany NY 12205, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful urpose

purpose. LD-15559 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: RED ROPE PRODUCTIONS LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/06/07. 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, 41 Bedford Street, Apartment 5E, New York, New York 10014.

(April 25, 2007) (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Purpose: For any lawful

purpose.

LD-15560

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: BA-BOO & SINGH, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/06/07. 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 (April 25, 2007) copy of process to the LLC. 139 Perry Street, New York, New York 10014. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LD-15562 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: CLEAR USA, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)

on 02/23/07. Office loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY (April 25, 2007) has been designated as

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man Ventures LLC Arts, of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 5/25/06 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 111 Great Oaks Blvd. Albany, NY 12203, Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15567 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of RBI Ventures LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 12/13/06 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1976 52 St., Brooklyn, NY 11204. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15568

LEGAL NOTICE

(April 25, 2007)

Notice of Formation of MYB Ventures Ave. LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. State (SSNY) on 12/14/06 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail pro-cess to: 1976 52 St., Brooklyn. NY 11204. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15569 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of OPNY LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 2/28/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 4512 Farragut Rd., Brooklyn, NY 11203. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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LD-15570

Notice of Formation of 180 Ludlow Development LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 2/28/07 Office location: Al-bany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 98 Cuttermill Rd. Ste. 390, Great Neck, NY 11021. Purpose: any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Kingston Bake Shop LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/5/07 Of-fice location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 380 Kingston Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11225. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15572

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Notice of Formation of Greenfield SSG LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 2/27/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: PO Box 778, Armonk, NY 10504. Purpose: any lawful (April 25, 2007) activity. LD-15575

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 401 Columbus Associates LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 2/15/07 Office Iccation: AIbany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 152 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10016. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15576 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Lotus Diamonds USA LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/2/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 55 W. 47 St. Ste. 1090, New York, NY 10036. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15577 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of CKC Clothiers, LLC. Article of Organization filed with the Secretary of Sate of NY (SSNY) on 02/01/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. The Post Office address to which the SSNY shall mail a copy any process against the LLC served upon him is, 41 State Street, Albany, N.Y,12231. Purpose of the LLC: to engage in any lawful activity. The street address is none. LD-15578

(April 25, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION

LIMITED LIABILITY COM-PANY Name: Gaetano Gialanella, D.D.S., PLLC (LLC). Articles of Organization filed with Dept. of State of NY on 3/9/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 523 Western Avenue, Suite 101, Albany, NY 12203. Secretary of State of NY is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to 523 Western Avenue, Suite 101, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. LD-15579 (April 25, 2007)

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mail process to: Delaney Corporate Services, Ltd., 41 State St., Ste 405, Albany, NY 12207. Address required to be maintained in DE: 615 South DuPont Highway, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901 . Purpose; any lawful activities. LD-15582

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of HMG GCP, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/12/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 2/7/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Delaney Corporate Services, Ltd., 41 State St., Ste 405, Albany, NY 12207. Address required to be maintained in DE: 615 South DuPont Highway, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901 . Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15583

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of KSU GCP, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/12/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 2/6/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Delaney Corporate Services, Ltd., 41 State St., Ste 405, Albany, NY 12207. Address required to be maintained in DE: 615 South DuPont Highway, Dover. DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901 Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15584

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Analytics LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/06/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. - SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 301 East 79th St. Ste 24-H, NY, NY 10021. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15585

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: DANK-VILLAGE APART-MENTS, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of

State of New York (SSNY) on 02/28/07. 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, 129 Lincoln Avenue, Albany, New York 12206. Purpose: For

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Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/26/07. Of-fice 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, 1033 86th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11228. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15588

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY Company. NAME: 481 5th AVENUE

ASSOCIATES LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/26/07. 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, 1033 86th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11228. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15589

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: STE-FANO BASILICO ADVISORY, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/08/07. 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, 127 Willoughby Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11205. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15590 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Think Tank Film, LLC. Arts. OF Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 03/12/07. Office Loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC. upon whom process against may be served. SSNY may mail process to: Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: Any Lawful activity. LD-15593

LEGAL NOTICE

(April 25, 2007)

Notice of Formation of 2108 Chatterton, LLC. Arts. OF Org. filed with Secy. Of State N.Y. (SSNY) on 03/09/07. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail process to: C/O Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15594 (April 25, 2007)

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activities LD-15601 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of HEALING SOLUTIONS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 9/29/06. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 64 Fairlawn Dr., Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15602

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of New Jersey Sport Environ-ments, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 2/28/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in New Jer-sey (NJ) on 3/23/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the NJ address of LLC: 36 Fox Hill Road, Upper Saddle River, NJ 07458, Arts. of Org. filed with NJ Secy. of State, 125 West State St., Trenton, NJ. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15603

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of EX-IMPO GROUP, LLC a NYS LLC Formation filed with SSNY on 02/06/2007. Off. Loc.: Abany Co. SSNY designated as agt. of LLC, upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 2376 CLEVELAND STR., BELLMORE, NY 11710. Purpose: Any Lawful purposes. LD-15604

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: NGF GROUP LLC.

Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/08/07. 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, ATTN: Cafe, Avenue, 785 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York 10021. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LD-15605 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Foreign Registra-tion of TSA of Massachu-setts, LLP. Authority filed

with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/29/2003. Of-

fice location: Albany County.

LLP registered in Massa-chusetts (MA) on 7/30/1999.

SNY designated as agent

of LLP upon whom process

against it may be served.

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	Town Clerk, located in the	has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom		NOTICE OF FORMATION	York 12206. Purpose: For		process to the MA address
	Town Hall, Colonie, New York, BY ORDER OF THE	process against it may be	LEGAL NOTICE	OF LIMITED LIABILITY	any lawful purpose.	LEGAL NOTICE	of the LLP: 1030 Massa-
	TOWN BOARD	served. SSNY shall mail a	Notice of Formation of Bracha	COMPANY, NAME: SHOW	LD-15586		chusetts Ave., Cambridge,
	OF THE TOWN OF COLO-	copy of process to the LLC.	and Mazal Realty LLC Arts. of	DOG EYES, LLC. Articles	(April 25, 2007)	Notice of Formation of AEW	MA 02138. Cert. of Reg.
			Org. filed with NY Secv. Of	of Organization were filed	(April 25, 2007)	GCP, LLC. Arts. of Org.	filed with: MA Secy. of State,
	NIE, NEW YORK ELIZA- BETH A. DEL TORTO	c/o Adam J. Dickstein, Esq., 1626 Hampton Road, Abing-	State (SSNY) on 2/23/07 Of-	with the Secretary of State		filed with Secy. of State	One Ashburton Place, Bos-
		ton, Pennsylvania 19001.	fice location: Albany County.	of New York (SSNY) on	LEGAL NOTICE	of NY (SSNY) on 3/13/07.	ton, MA 02108. Purpose:
	TOWN CLERK Dated: April		SSNY is designated as agent	03/07/07. The latest date of	LEGAL NOTICE	Office location: Albany Co.	to provide architectural,
	25, 2007 LC-15900	Purpose: For any lawful purpose.	of LLC upon whom process	dissolution is 12/31/2057. Of-	NOTICE OF FORMATION	SSNY designated as agent	engineering, landscaping,
		LD-15563	against it may be served.	fice location: Albany County.	OF LIMITED LIABILITY	of LLC upon whom process	planning and related profes-
	(April 25, 2007)		SSNY shall mail process	SSNY has been designated	COMPANY, NAME: NATU-	against it may be served.	sional services.
		(April 25, 2007)	to: 1883 Coney Island Ave.,	as agent of the LLC upon	RALLY INTENSE, LLC. Ar-	SSNY shall mail process to:	LD-15610
			Brooklyn, NY 11230. Pur-	whom process against it may	ticles of Organization were	Delaney Corporate Services,	(April 25, 2007)
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	Notice of Formation of Liber-	LEGAL NOTICE	LD-15573	copy of process to the LLC,	State of New	NY 12007. Purpose: any	
	ty Group Holdings LLC, Art.	Notice of Formation of Jona-	(April 25, 2007)	Post Office Box 137, Locust	York (SSNY) on 02/26/07. Of-	lawful activities.	LEGAL NOTICE
	of Org. filed Sec'y of State	than Strauss Casting LLC.	(Valley, New York 11560.	fice location: Albany County		Notice of Formation of an
	(SSNY) 5/25/06. Office loca-	Arts. of Org. filed with Secv.		Purpose: For any lawful	SSNY has been designated	(April 25, 2007)	LLC: 686 Rt. 7, LLC Articles
۱	tion: Albany County, SSNY	of State of NY (SSNY) on	LEGAL NOTICE	purpose.	as agent of the LLC upon	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	of Organization were filed
	designated as agent of LLC	3/07/07. Office location: Al-		LD-15581	whom process against it may	LEGAL NOTICE	with the Secretary of State of
	upon whom process against	bany Co. SSNY designated	Notice of Formation of 2362-	(April 25, 2007)	be served. SSNY shall mail a	LEGALNOTICE	New York (SSNY) on March
	it may be served. SSNY shall	as agent of LLC upon whom	64 Nostrand Avenue Realty		copy of process to the LLC,	Notice of Publication CAR-	14, 2007. Office location
	mail copy of process to P.O.	process against it may be	LLC Arts. of Org. filed with		217 16th Street, Brooklyn,	GO PARTNERS LLC Arts.	is in Albany County. The
	Box 218, Oyster Bay, NY	served. SSNY shall mail	NY Secy. Of State (SSNY)	LEGAL NOTICE	NewYork 11215. Purpose:	of Org. was filed with SSNY	SSNY has been designated
	11709. Purpose: any lawful	process to: The LLC, 252	on 3/6/07 Office location:		For any lawful purpose.	on 3/13/07. Office location:	as agent of the LLC, upon
	activities.	Seventh Ave Apt 8L, NY, NY	Albany County. SSNY is	Notice of Qualification of	LD-15587	Albany County. SSNY des-	whom process against it may
	LD-15555	10001. Purpose: any lawful	designated as agent of LLC	ORL GCP, LLC. Authority	(April 25, 2007)	ignated as agent of LLC	be served, SSNY shall mail a
•	(April 25, 2007)	activities.	upon whom process against	filed with Secy. of State of			copy of Process to the LLC.
	(LD-15564	it may be served. SSNY shall	NY (SSNY) on 3/12/07. Of-		be served. SSNY shall mail	at 1 Winners Circle Suite
		(April 25, 2007)	mail process to: 2917 Ave.	fice location: Albany County.	LEGAL NOTICE	process to: c/o The LLC, 46	140, Albany, NY 12205.
	LEGAL NOTICE		J, Brooklyn, NY 11210. Pur-	LLC formed in Delaware		State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-	Purpose: for any lawful pur-
			pose: any lawful activity.	(DE) on 2/6/07. SSNY desig-	NOTICE OF FORMATION	ny, NY 12207. The registered	pose.
	Notice of formation of limited	LEGAL NOTICE	LD-15574	nated as agent of LLC upon	OF LIMITED LIABILITY	agent is: USA Corporate	LD-15611
	liability company ("LLC").		(April 25, 2007)	whom process against it	COMPANY. NAME: 186	Services Inc. at the same	(April 25, 2007)
	Name of LLC: Transnational	Notice of Formation of Ro-		may be served. SSNY shall	BAY RIDGE AVENUE LLC.	address. Purpose: all lawful	
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NOTICE OF FORMA-TION OF LIMITED LIA-BILITY COMPANY. NAME: **RENOVAZIO**, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/13/07. 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 Trinerov LLC, 1400 Broadway, 31st Floor, New York, New York 10018. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15612 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: RPB, USA LLC.

Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/13/07. 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 Trinergy LLC, 1400 Broadway, 31st Floor, New York, New York 10018. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15613

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 288 NORTH 8TH ST. L.L.C.. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of

State of New York (SSNY) on 03/13/07. The latest date of dissolution is 04/01/2037. 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, 288 North 8th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11211. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LD-15614 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPA-NY. NAME: SHATMA L.L.C.. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/14/07. 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, 769 St. Marks Avenue, Suite 1-5E Brooklyn, New York 11213. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15615

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Bindell Family Enterprises, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/14/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of National City Real Estate Services LLC. Authority filed with Secv. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/2/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Ohio (OH) on 12/4/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. OH address of LLC: 1900 East Ninth St., Cleveland, OH 44114. Arts. of Org. filed with OH Secy. of State, 180 East Broad St., Columbus, OH

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lending origination. (April 25, 2007)

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43215. Purpose: mortgage

Notice of Qualification of Manor House Capital, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 1/12/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Pennsylvania (PA) on 3/2/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the PA address of LLC: One Commerce Square, 2005 Market St., 7th Fl., Philadel-phia, PA 19103. Arts. of Org. filed with PA Secy. of State, 206 North Office Bldg., PO. Box 8722, Harrisburg, PA 17105. Purpose: any lawful activity LD-15633 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of One Lawrence Street, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 7/15/04. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 295 Madison Ave., 2nd Fl., NY, NY 10017. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/10/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of LLC: Vista Realty Partners, LLC, 21 E. 40th St., 12th Fl., NY, NY 10016. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15634

LEGAL NOTICE

(April 25, 2007)

Notice of Qualification of Merchant Quarters, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/8/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in California (CA) on 2/20/07. SSNY designated as agent lawful activities. LD-15645 (April 25, 2007) of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Capitol Services, Inc., 40 Colvin Ave., Ste. 200, Alba-ny, NY 12206. CA address of LLC: 2316 Pierce St., San Francisco, CA 94115. Arts. of Org. filed with CA Secy. of State, 1500 11th St., Sacramento, CA 95814. Purpose: acquisition of real estate. LD-15635 (April 25, 2007) LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: WEST PARK EQUITIES NY, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/28/07. 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, 417 7th Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11215. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15637 (April 25, 2007) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Publication CAR-RAGHER LLC Arts. of Org.

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was filed with SSNY on LLC Arts. of Org. was filed 3/16/07. Office location: Alba- with SSNY on 3/14/07. Ofny County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15641 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication PENZANCE LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/14/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor. Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15642 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication TRU-RO LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/14/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated. as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15643 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication RUSH-DEN LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/14/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15644

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication WY-COMBE LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/14/07. Office location: Alba-ny County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Publication KIN-RADE LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/15/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. c/o The LLC. 46 State Street-LEGAL NOTICE 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Notice of Formation of Sec-ond Arbor Hill, LLC Arts. of Org. filed under sec 203 of Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: the LLC Law with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on Oct 5, 2006. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC all lawful activities. LD-15646 (April 25, 2007) LEGAL NOTICE upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY Notice of Publication QUETshall mail process to: 99 TA LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/14/07. So Lake Ave, Albany, NY 12208 Purpose: any lawful activity. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated D-15655 as agent of LLC whom pro-(April 25, 2007) cess against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/oThe LLC, 46 State Street-LEGAL NOTICE 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. Notice of Qualification of GAL GCP, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/15/07. Of-The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15647 fice location: Albany County. (April 25, 2007) LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 2/27/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC LEGAL NOTICE upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY Notice of Publication AZAR shall mail process to: Del-

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fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15648

(April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Publication BARA-SET LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/14/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15649

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Notice of Publication CHE-VALIER LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/15/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-ny, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate ervices Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15650

(April 25, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF PROFESSIONAL SER-VICE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: FORE-FRONT MEDICAL SER-VICES, PLLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/16/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the PLLC, Law Office of Jeffrey ... Zimring, 1683 Western Venue, Albany, New York 12203. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Medicine. LD-15651 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of 99 South Lake Avenue, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 5, 2004. Office loca-Mar tion: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 So. Lake Ave, Albany, NY 12208 Box 13 Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15654

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aney Corporate Services, 41 LD-15679 State St., Ste 405, Albany, NY 12207. Address required to be maintained in DE: 615 DE 19901 DE 19901 . Pr lawful activities. Purpose: any LD-15656

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Notice of Formation of Pharmaker LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/08/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSN designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC 301 East 78th St., Ste 24-H, NY, NY 10021. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15657

(April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Publication DEAL-ERS SAJM LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/09/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC. 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The reg-istered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15659

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(April 25, 2007)

Notice of Formation of Livingston Arbor Hill, LLC Arts. Org. filed under sec 203 of the LLC Law with NY Secv. Of State (SSNY) on Oct 5, 2006. Office location: 5, 2006. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 So Lake Ave, Albany, NY 12208 Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15660

(April 25, 2007)

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(April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of SHB Consulting Group LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 03/20/07. 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 Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any

lawful activity. LD-15676

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPA-NY. NAME: 806 PRESIDENT STREET LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/26/07. Of-fice 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. 804 President Street, Brooklyn, New York 11215. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15681 (April 25, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMIT-ED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).

The name of the LLC is CDP RIDGE LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State, under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Law of the State of New York, on March 7, 2007. 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 pro-cess against the LLC is c/o Capital District Enterprises LLC, 26 Century Hill Drive, Latham, New York 12110. LD-15683

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: FRIEND-Y EXPRESS TOWING LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/19/07. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2106. Office location: Albany Coun-ty. 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, 95-25 67th Avenue, Rego Park, New York 11374 Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LD-15684 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: GINUZ-ZO REALTY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/20/07. The latest date of dissolution is 01/01/2050. 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. 1356 Bay Ridge Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11219. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15688 (April 25, 2007)

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(SSNY) on 8/31/06 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 551 Fifth Ave., Ste 3010, pose: any lawful activity. LD-15691 New York, NY 10176. Pur-(April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Qualification of National Insurance Underwriters, LLC. Fictitious name: NIU, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/21/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Florida (FL) on 12/5/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave of the Americas, Ste 501, NY, NY 10001. Address required to be maintained in DE: 800 Yamato Rd., Ste 100, Boca Raton, FL 33431. Arts. of Org. filed with FL Secv. Of State, Division of Corporations, Clifton Building, 2661 Executive Center Circle, Tallahassee, FL 32301. Purose: any lawful activities. LD-15692

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Insurance Quotes USA, LLC. Fictitious name ISQUSA, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/21/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Florida (FL) on 12/11/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave of the Americas, Ste 501, NY, NY 10001. Address required to be maintained in DE: 800 Yamato Rd., Ste 100, Boca Raton, FL 33431. Arts. of Org. filed with FL Secy. Of State, Division of Corporations, Clifton Building, 2661 Executive Center Circle, Tallahassee, FL 32301. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15693

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of limited liability company ("LLC"). Name of LLC: Stonewall Group, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on February 3, 2005. Business loca-tion: 17 Stonewall Lane, Delmar, New York 12054, Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon it to: 54 State Street, Suite 803, Albany, New York 12207. LLC has been formed to engage in any lawful act or activity. LD-15694

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process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, c/o Pierro Law Group, LLC, 20 Corporate Woods Blvd., Albany, NY 12211. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15628 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Qualification of Circle Asset Management, LLC, App. for Auth. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 1/9/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC org. in DE 12/29/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to Maria L. Chrin, 26 Northern Dr., Short Hills, NJ 07078. DE office addr.: 160 Greentree Dr., Dover, DE 19904. Cert. of Form. on file: SSDE, Townsend Bldg., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15629 (April 25, 2007)

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LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMIT-ED LIABILITY COMPANY. (LLC)

The name of the LLC is DAWN GREECE ASSOCI-ATES LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State, under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Law of the State of New York, on March 12, 2007. 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 pro-cess against the LLC is c/o Mark Rosen, 20 Corporate

New York 12211.

Notice of Qualification of IN-VENERGY NY LLC. Author-ity filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/6/03. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 2/27/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: National Cor-porate Research, Ltd., 225 West 34th St., Suite 910, NY, NY 10122, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Principal office of the LLC: One South Wacker Dr., Suite 2020, 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-15689 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of 551 French LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State Woods Boulevard, Albany,

RESENTS, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/05/07. Office location: Albany County, SSNY has been designated

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as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 712 Sackett Street, 1R, Brooklyn, New York 11217 Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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(April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Qualification of EFinancial, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/13/07. Of-fice location: Albany County. LLC formed in Washington (WA) on 6/18/01. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875

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Ave of the Americas, Ste 501, NY, NY 10001. Address required to be maintained in WA: 3460 161st Avenue Suite 200, Bellevue, WA 98008. Arts, of Org, filed with WA Secy. Of State, 801 Capitol Way South, Olympia, WA 98501 . Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15699

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NOTICE OF FORMATION LLC AKAPELA, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on March 15, 2007 Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC, at LLC, c/o Vincent L. Valenza, McNamee, Lochner, Titus & Williams, P.C., 677 Broad-way, Albany, NY 12207. The street address of the principal business location is 1747 New Scotland Rd., Slingerlands, NY 12159. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act. LD-15700 (April 25, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC 6901 Jericho, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on March 15, 2007 Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC, at LLC, c/o Vincent L. Valenza, McNamee, Lochner, Titus & Williams, P.C., 677 Broad-way, Albany, NY 12207. street address of the The principal business location is 1747 New Scotland Rd., Slingerlands, NY 12159. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act. LD-15701 (April 25, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC Veratag, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on March 12, 2007. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any pro-cess served on him or her to the LLC, at LLC, c/o Richard Langer, McNamee, Lochner, Titus & Williams, P.C., 677 Broadway, Albany, NY 12207. The street address of the principal business location is 10 Copenhagen Court, Cohoes, New York 12047. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability

signated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Stuart Goldstein 40 East 94th Street New York, NY 10128 . Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15712 (April 25, 2007)

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SSNY shall mail process to: 1776 Broadway 23rd Floor New York, NY 10019. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15706 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Arista Holdings Group LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/12/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 3400 Brush Hollow Rd Westbury, NY11590. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15707 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of EZS Construction Co. LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/16/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 450 Crown St. Brooklyn, NY 11225. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15708

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Notice of Formation of Golden Retriever, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/12/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1274 49th Street, Suite 407 Brooklyn, NY 11219. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15709 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Hempstead DN Holding, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 12/22/06 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Silberberg & Kirschner LLP 600 Third Ave, 25th Floor New York, NY 10016. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15710 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of KGP 520 LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/14/07 Office lo-cation: Albany County, SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 520-524 West 184th Street New York, NY 10033 . Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15711 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Rentamaxx, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 2/27/07 Office lo-cation: Albany County, SSNY

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Notice of Publication HAN-SON HOLDINGS WORLD-WIDE LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/20/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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CHESTNUT BRUNSWICK, LLC articles of organiza-tion filed with the SSNY on 3/20/07. The office is located in the County of Albany at 22 Century Hill Dr. Suite 201, Latham, NY. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom service may be made and SSNY shall mail a copy of said process to said office location. The character of the LLC is any lawful activity. LD 15716 (April 25, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: TWO RIVERSTITLE AGENCY OF NEW YORK, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New

York (SSNY) on 03/22/07. 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, 26 Ayers Lane, Little Silver, New Jersey 07739. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15718 (April 25, 2007)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: GUY MATTIELLO DEVELOPMENT, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/22/07. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2050. 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, 2226 Ocean Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11229. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15719

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Notice of Formation of Kings Community Property, LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 03/21/07. Office loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: C/O Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. (April 25, 2007) LEGAL NOTICE Name of LLC: Colling's Grove, LLC. Articles of Organization filed 1/8/07 with the N.Y. Secretary of State. Office location: Albany County. Secretary of State designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Secretary of State shall mail process to 24 Jeanette Street, Albany, NY 12209. Purpose: Any lawful Act. LD-15721 (April 25, 2007)

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SSNY shall mail process to: 329 E. 18th St #4R New York, NY 10003. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15722 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of 3218 Third Avenue, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/19/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to:3218 3rd Ave Bronx, NY 10451. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15723

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LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of 1100 Realty Group LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/19/07 Oflice location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to:1835 Carter Ave Bronx, NY 10457. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15724 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Boo Boo Stoppers LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 03/21/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY desig nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: C/O Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15725 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Qualification of ESC GCP, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/23/07. Office location: Albany County LLC formed in Delaware DE) on 2/23/07. designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Del-aney Corporate Services, 41 State St., Ste 405, Albany, NY 12207. Address required to be maintained in DE: 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: any lawful activities. LD-15726

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Notice of Formation of Lutille Blaser Levey TIC LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 12/28/06. Office location: Albany County. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Lucille Blaser Levey, 11528 Victoria Drive, Boynton Beach, FL 33437. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. LD-15730

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29 Audubon Holdings L.P. Cert. of Partnership filed with

NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 2/16/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is des-

ignated as agent of LP upon

whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: 275 Madison Ave. 39th Flr. New York, NY

10036. Purpose: any lawful

activity. Last Date to dissolve is 12/31/2100.

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M.G. Digital, LLC. Author-ity filed with NY Dept. of State on 3/13/07. NYS ficti-tious name: MGD-New York,

LLC. Office location: Albany

Dothan, AL 36301. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on

9/16/04. NY Secy. of State

designated as agent of LLC

upon whom process against

it may be served. NY Secy.

of State shall mail process

to: c/o Corporation Service

of State, Townsend Bldg., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose:

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Notice of Formation of eBeIn,

LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with

NY Dept. of State on 3/9/07

Office location: Schenectady

County. Secy. of State desig-

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be served. Secy. of State

shall mail process to: 269 Crow Hill Rd., Schenectady,

NY 12053, principal business

address of the LLC. Purpose:

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may be served. Secy. of

State shall mail process to: c/o Mondragon, McGrinder

Medical Association PLLC, 700 McClellan St., #101, Schenectady, NY 12304, principal business address of the LLC. Purpose: any

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Notice of formation of limited

liability company ("LLC"). Name of LLC: Friends Fo-

rums, LLC. Articles of Or-ganization filed with the

Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on February

5, 2003. Business location: 20 Petra Lane, Albany, New

York 12205, Albany County

copy of any process against

the LLC served upon it to:

20 Petra Lane, Albany, New York 12205. LLC has been

formed to engage in any law-

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against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 40 Exchange place, Ste 1800 New York, NY 10005. urpose: any lawful activity. LD 15733 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of 2363 Adam Clayton LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/15/07 Of fice location: Albany County SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 95 Delancey Street New York, NY 10002 Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15734 (April 25, 2007)

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County. Principal business address: 900 W. Main .St., Notice of Formation of 612 Derby Avenue LLC Arts, of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 1/30/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Co. (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE ad-dress of LLC: c/o CSC, 2711 312 Derby Ave, Woodmere, New York 11598 . Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15735 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of D.A.B. Group LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 9/15/98 Office Io-cation: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 68-07 147th St Flushing, NY 11367. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15736 (April 25, 2007)

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any lawful activity. LD-15746 Notice of Formation of 215 Bay 23rd Street LLC Arts, of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of (April 25, 2007) State (SSNY) on 3/2/07 Of-fice location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process Notice of Formation of 3HME, against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 55 W. 47th St., Ste 1090, New York, NY 10036 Pur-pose: any lawful activity. NY Dept. of State on 3/14/07. Office location: Schenectady County. Secy. of State des-ignated as agent of LLC D-15737 upon whom process against

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Notice of Formation of Fifth Season Master Funding Series A LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 6/15/06 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Mark Greenberg 4512 Farragut Rd Brooklyn, NY 11203. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15738

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Notice of Formation of Fifth Season Master Funding SSNY has been designated as agent of LLC upon whom Series B LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a

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Notice of Qualification of The Ex One Company. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 1/25/07. Name in NY State: The Ex One Company LLC. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Pennsylvania (PA) on 5/2/05. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. PA address/principal business location of LLC: 8001 Pennsylvania Ave., P.O. Box 1111, Irwin, PA 15642. Arts. of Org. filed with PA Secv. of State, 206 North Office Bldg., Har-risburg, PA 17120. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15751

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Notice of Qualification of MHC Management Company, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/6/07. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Indiana (IN) on formed in Indiana (IN) on 9/26/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. IN address/principal business location of LLC: 10401 North location of LLC: 10401 North Meridian St., Ste. 310, In-dianapolis, IN 46290. Arts. of Org. filed with IN Secy. of State, 302 West Washington St., Indianapolis, IN 46204. Purpose: any lawful activity. 1 D-15752

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Beaute Cosmetique (USA) LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/18/2005. 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 Business Filings Inc., 187 Wolf Road, Ste. 101, Albany, NY 12205, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Term: until 12/31/2045. Purose: any lawful activity. LD-15753

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Bolani Masonry, LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 03/21/07. 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 Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15754 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Paradise Spa and Esthetic Center, LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 03/29/07. 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 Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15755 (April 25, 2007)

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KEITH TUZZOLO LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 3/22/07. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom SSNY shall mail copy of process to 944 Krumkill Rd., Slingerlands, NY 12159, which is also the priincipal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. ID-15704 LD-15704 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Apthorp Management LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 2/2/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.,

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Notice of Publicatio ATLAN-TIG GROUP HOLDINGS LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/26/07. Of-fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Delron Property # 1, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/20/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice of Publication WORLD PREMIUM RATES LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/16/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15732 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of NG Atlantic Credit LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/13/07 Office location: Albany County. SNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process

SSNY) on 06/16/06 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Mark Greenberg 4512 Farragut Rd Brooklyn, NY 11203. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15739

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(April 25, 2007)

Notice of formation of limited liability company ("LLC"). Name of LLC: TAFT.COM, LLC. Articles of Organization Notice of Formation of 1840-1850 Phelan LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 1/10/07 Offiled with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on August 2, 2000. Busi-ness location: 1960 Cenfice location: Albany County. tral Avenue, Albany, New York 12205, Albany County. SSNY has been designated SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: as agent of LLC upon whom c/o Shapour Sohoyegh 20 process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a west 38th street, Ste 400 New York, NY 10018 Pur-pose: any lawful activity. copy of any process against the LLC served upon it to 1960 Central Avenue, Al bany, New York 12205, LLC has been formed to engage in any lawful act or activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Bidon-ville LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 03/29/07. 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 Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15756 (April 25, 2007)

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LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of Worldwide Asset Purchasing, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/13/07. Office location: Albany County. Principal business location: 11808 Miracle Hills Drive, Omaha, NE 68154. LLC formed in Nevada (NV) on 7/21/00. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company (CSC), 80 State Street, Albany, NY 12207. NV address of LLC: c/o CSC, 502 E. John St., Carson City, NV 89706. Arts. of Org. filed with NV Secy. of State, 101 North Carson St., Ste. 3. Carson City, NV 89701. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15757 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: LSB FUNDING LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/01/07. 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, 370 East 76th Street, B807, New York, New York 10021. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15758

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: VILA PROPERTIES, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/19/07. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2056. 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. 11 Cherry Street, Glen Head, New York 11545. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15759 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMA-TION OF LIMITED LIA-BILITY COMPANY. NAME: INSURED BENEFIT BRO KERAGE, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/23/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNYhas 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, 233 Main Street, Huntington, New York 11743. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15760 (April 25, 2007)

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For any lawful purpose.

LD-15762

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on 3/9/07. Office location: Al-bany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/29/97. NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: RYER PARTNERS LLC. Articles SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process of Organization were filed against it may be served. with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/26/07. 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, 525 Seventh Avenue, Suite 806, New York, components. New York 10018. Purpose: LD-15768 For any lawful purpose. LD-15763 (April 25, 2007)

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 476-478 SOUTH FRANKLIN STREET LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/26/07. 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, West 35th Street, New York, New York 10001. Purpose: For any lawful purpose LD-15764

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY NAME: SP VEN-TURES LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/27/07. 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, Shulem Paneth, 1191 East 34th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11210, Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15765 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

LD-15770 Notice of Qualification of (April 25, 2007) Worldwide Asset Purchas ing II, LLC. Authority filed

with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/13/07. Office LEGAL NOTICE location: Albany County. NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY Principal business location: COMPANY NAME: BROAD-WAY JOE'S PIZZA & SUBS, 11808 Miracle Hills Drive, Omaha, NE 68154. LLC formed in Nevada (NV) on 8/30/06. SSNY designated LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/08/07. Office locaas agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail tion: Schenectady County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon process to: c/o Corporation Service Company (CSC), 80 State Street, Albany, NY whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall 12207. NV address of LLC: c/o CSC, 502 E. John St., mail a copy of process to the Carson City, NV 89706. Arts. LLC, 2240 Broadway, Schenectady, New York 12306. Purpose: For any lawful

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ess against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207, The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15777

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication ALGER LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15778 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication WELK HOLDINGS LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15779 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication ROWAN ENTERPRISES LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15780 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Publication CAG-NEY LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15781 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication EKU-BAN LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY*12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at LEGAL NOTICE

designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-ny, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate ervices Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities LD-15784

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Notice of Publication AILIS LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15785 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Publication ARTIST INNOVATIVE MANAGE MENT LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street-3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15786

(April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Publication SPHINX AGENCY LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY 3/02/05. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities

LD-15787 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: DOM-MAR ASSOCIATES CON-SULTING LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/30/07. 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, 75 2nd Place, Brooklyn, New York 11231. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LD-15791 (April 25, 2007)

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10/30/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: c/o CSC, 2711 Centerville Road, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 10908 Arth of Compliand DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

LD-15801

(April 25, 2007)

Notice of Qualification of FRANK ZIMMERMAN LLC. Authority filed with Secy of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 1/8/07. Office location Albany County. LLC formed in Pennsylvania (PA) on 4/24/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Business Filings Inc., 187 Wolf Road, Ste. 101, Albany, NY 12205, registered agent upon whom process may be served. PA address of LLC: 982 W. Main St., New Holland, PA 17557 Arts. of Org. filed with PA Secy. of State, 206 North Office Bldg., PO Box 8721, Harrisburg, PA 17105. Pur-

(April 25, 2007)

pose: any lawful activity. LD-15802

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of MindGent of Indiana, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/15/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Indiana (IN) on 3/9/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207 IN address/principal busi-ness location of LLC: 10401 North Meridian St., Ste. 310. Indianapolis, IN 46290. Arts. Org. filed with IN Secy. of State, 302 West Washington St., Room E018, Indianapolis, IN 46204. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15803 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of REVX-570 LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/02/07. Office location: Albany County LLC formed in Montana (MT) on 3/1/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC 8 South Idaho St., Ste C, Dillon, MT 59725. Address required to be maintained in MT: 8 South Idaho St., Ste C, Dillon, MT 59725. Arts. of Org. filed with MT Secy. Of State, PO Box 202801, Helena, MT 59620-2801. Purpose: any lawful pathitics activities. LD-15805 (April 25, 2007)

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Transport TFI 5, S.E.C./ TFI Transport 5 L.P. Authority Notice of Qualification of REVX-569 LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/02/07. Offiled with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/8/07. Of-fice location: Albany County. LP formed in St. Laurent, Quebec on 6/21/02. SSNY designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. Quebec address/principal business location of LP: 8585 Transcanada Hwv.. Ste. 300, St-Laurent, Quebec H4S 1Z6. Name/address of each genl. ptr. available from SSNY. Cert. of LP filed with Josiane-Melanie Lan-glois, 8585 Transcanada Hwy., Ste. 300, St-Laurent, (April 25, 2007) Quebec, H4S 1Z6. Purpose: LEGAL NOTICE any lawful activity. LD-15800 Notice of Publication MIDAR INTERNATIONAL LLC Arts. (April 25, 2007) of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/3/07. Office location:

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Notice of Qualification of Cat-

alyst360, LLC. Authority filed

with Secy. of State of N.Y.

(SSNY) on 2/12/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC

formed in Delaware (DE) on

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agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities LD-15810

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Avenue Lender, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County. Secy. of State designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Secy. of State shall mail process to: 194 Washington Ave., Suite 315, Al-bany, NY 12210, principal business address of the LLC. Purpose: any lawful activity LD-15811

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of The Dahl Family, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Dept. of State on 3/27/07. Office location: Albany County. Secy. of State designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served Secy. of State shall mail process to: Mark A. Haranzo, Esq., c/o Wiggin and Dana LLP, 450 Lexington Ave., Ste. 3800, NY, NY 10017, principal business address of the LLC. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15812

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of REVX-568 LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/04/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Montana (MT) on 3/1/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC 8 South Idaho St., Ste C, Dillon, MT 59725. Address required to be maintained in MT: 8 South Idaho St., Ste C, Dillon, MT 59725. Arts. of Org. filed with MT Secy. Of State, PO Box 202801, Helena, MT 59620-2801. Purpose: any lawful activities.

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Denise DiPace Realty, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 3/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 105 Esplande St., Selkirk, NY 12158. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15816

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Acme Metadata Services, LLC, App. for Auth. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 3/7/07. Office location: Al-bany County, LLC org. in NJ 11/30/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Alba-ny, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Road, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: sale of electronic

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Notice of Qualification of

ROHM Electronics U.S.A., LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY)

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Notice of Qualification of

Castleton NY Property LLC.

Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/8/07. Office location:

Albany County. Principal business location: 1645 Co-

lumbia Turnpike, Schodack,

NY. LLC formed in Massa

chusetts (MA) on 2/26/07. SSNY designated as agent

of LLC upon whom process

against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process

to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Al-bany, NY 12207. MA ad-

dress of LLC: Davis Holland Corporation, 150 Brattle St., Cambridge, MA 02138. Arts.

of Org. filed with MA Secy. of

State, One Ashburton Place,

17th Fl., Boston, MA 02108.

Purpose: any lawful activity.

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LIMITED LIABILITY COM-

PANYName: Capital Region

Eye Specialist and Surgeon, PLLC (LLC). Articles of Or-ganization filed with Dept. of State of NY on March 30,

2007. Office location: Albany

County. Principal business location: 8 Southwoods

Blvd., Suite 100, Albany, NY

12203. Secretary of State of NY is designated as agent

of LLC for service of pro-

cess. SOS shall mail copy

of process to 8 Southwoods

Blvd., Suite 100, Albany, NY

12203. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

LD-15769

(April 25, 2007)

COMPANY, NAME: CRES-TON PARTNERS LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/26/07. 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, 525 process to the LLC, Seventh Avenue, Suite 806, New York, New York 10018. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15761 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: MOR-**RIS PARTNERS LLC. Ar**ticles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/26/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon

whom process against it may

of Org. filed with NV Secy. of State, 101 North Carson , Ste. 3, Carson City, NV 89701. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15766 (April 25, 2007)

Service Company (CSC), 80 State Street, Albany, NY

12207. NV address of LLC: c/o CSC, 502 E. John St.,

Carson City, NV 89706. Arts. of Org. filed with NV Secy. of State, 101 North Carson

St., Ste. 3, Carson City, NV 89701. Purpose: any lawful

purpose. LD-15775 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Publication ON-SUST LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Notice of Qualification of West Healthcare Receivable Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom pro-Management, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/13/07. Ofcess against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Streetfice location: Albany County. Principal business location: 11808 Miracle Hills Drive, 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at Omaha, NE 68154. LLC formed in Nevada (NV) on 10/25/06. SSNY designated the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15776 as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication KY-BODO LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom pro-

all lawful activities. LD-15782 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication HEY-WOOD HOLDINGS LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-ny, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15783 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication AL-BERDEEN GROUP LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY fice location: Albany County. LLC formed in Montana (MT) on 3/1/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC 8 South Idaho St., Ste C, Dillon, MT 59725. Address required to be maintained in MT: 8 South Idaho St., Ste C, Dillon, MT 59725. Arts. of Org. filed with MT Secy. Of State, PO Box 202801, Helena, MT 59620-2801. Purpose: any lawful activities LD-15806

Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC

whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: c/o The LLC, 46

State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-

ny, NY 12207. The registered

copy of process to Christo-pher Green, 118 Dreahook Rd., Lebanon, NJ 08833, the principal office addr. of LLC. Art. of Org. on file: Treasurer of the State of NJ, 225 W. State St., Trenton, NJ 08608. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15817 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Green Hornet SPV, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/04/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 2/7/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 375 Greenwich St., NY, NY 10013, Address required to be maintained in DE: 160 Greentree Dr., Ste 101, Dover, DE 19904. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901 . Pur[°]PÅGE 38 — Ápřil 25, 2007

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pose: any lawful activities. LD-15819 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication ARLING-TON GROUP LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/20/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15822 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of PRW Equities, LLC Application for Authority filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 11/22/06 Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in New Jersey (NJ) on 8/29/06. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 285 Division Ave Brooklyn, NY, 11211. NJ address of LLC: 205 E. Kennedy Boulevard Lakewood, NJ 08701.Cert of Formation filed with NJ Secy. Of State, P.O. Box 308 Trenton, NJ 08625. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15823

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY PURSUANT TO NEW YORK LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY LAW SECTION 203 1. The name of the limited

liability company is Film Fo-rum Press, LLC. 2. The date of filing of the

Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State was March 15, 2007.

3. The County in New York in which the office of the company is located is Albany County.

4. The Secretary of State has been designated as the agent of the Company upon whom process may be served, and the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the company served upon him or her to: 32 Joelson Court, Albany, New York 12209. 5. The business purpose of

the company is to engage in any and all business activities permitted under the laws of the State of New York. LD-15823 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Blue Rose Capital LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 5/26/06 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to:111 Great Oaks Blvd. Albany, NY 12203 . Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15825 (April 25, 2007)

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LD-15827 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 500-506 West 172nd Street Hold-ings L.P. Cert. of Limited Partnership filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/19/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 275 Madison Ave 39th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: any lawful activity. Last date to dissolve is 12/31/2100. LD-15828 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 432 434 West 163rd Street Holdings L.P. Cert. of Limited Partnership filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/19/07 Office location: Al-bany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 275 Madison Ave 39th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: any lawful activity. Last date to dissolve is 12/31/2100.

LD-15829 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 184 Nagle Avenue Holdings L.P. Cert. of Limited Partnership filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/19/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 275 Madi-son Ave 39th Floor, New York, NY 10016. Purpose: any lawful activity. Last date to dissolve is 12/31/2100. LD-15830 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 4109 Realty Associates L.P. Cert. of Limited Partnership filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 03/02/93 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1621 59th Street Brooklyn, New York, 11204. Purpose: any lawful activity. Last date to dissolve is 12/31/2043. LD-15831 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of DNR 2004, LLC Application for Authority filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 11/22/06 Office location: Albany Coun-ty. LLC formed in New Jersey (NJ) on 08/29/06. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 285 Division Ave Brooklyn, NY, 11211. NJ address of LLC: 205 E. Ken-nedy Boulevard Lakewood, NJ 08701. Cert of Formation filed with NJ Secy. Of State, P.O. Box 308 Trenton, NJ Q8625. Purpose: any lawful LEGAL NOTICE SSNY shall mail process to: 431 Willoughby Ave Brook-lyn, NY 11205 Purpose: any

LD-15835 (April 25, 2007)

lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of M.J.M. Design & Research LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/27/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 301 East 79th St.,, Ste 24-H, NY, NY 10021. Purpose: any weight lawful activities. _D-15836 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Arthur Consulting LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/29/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 301 East 79th St., Ste 24-H, NY, NY 10021. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15837 (April 25; 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: ARNOW CAVATION & CONCRETE LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/03/07. Office location: Schenectady 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 Mathew Arnow, 147 Maple Avenue, Scotia, New York 12302. Purpose: For any

lawful purpose. LD-15839 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Alliant Holdings of Green Ave., LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/26/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Florida (FL) on 3/20/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. FL address/principal business location of LLC: 340 Royal Poinciana Way, Ste. 305, Palm Beach, FL 33480. Arts. of Org. filed with FL Secy. of State, P.O. Box 6327, Tallahassee, FL 32314. Purpose: the company shall serve as a single purpose entity, which shall have no assets or liabilities, and engage in no other business other than related to acting as the Gen-eral Partner of 21st Century Development Partners, New York limited partnership. LD-15841

(April 25, 2007)

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lawful activity.

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LD-15848

Stamford, CT 06901. Arts. of

Org. filed with CT Secy. of State, 30 Trinity St., Hartford,

CT 06115. Purpose: any

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Notice of formation of A1 AC-

COUNTING & TAX SERVIC-ESLLC a NYS LLC Formation

filed with SSNY on 03/30/07.

Main St 3 Fl Ste 303, Flush-

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(April 25, 2007)

Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/23/07. Fictitious name in NY State: Access Communications of New Jersey, LLC. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Dela ware (DE) on 3/19/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Road, Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Pur-pose: any lawful activity. LD-15843 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Alliant Holdings of West 133rd, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/26/07. Office Notice of Formation of Turtletown Group LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State location: Albany County. LLC formed in Florida (FL) on of NY (SSNY) on 4/2/07. Office location: Albany Co. 3/20/07. SSNY designated SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 301 East 79th St., Ste 24-H, NY, NY 10021. as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. FL Purpose: any lawful activiaddress/principal business location of LLC: 340 Royal ties LD-15855 Poinciana Way, Ste. 305, Palm Beach, FL 33480. Arts. (April 25, 2007) of Org. filed with FL Secy. of State, P.O. Box 6327, Talla-hassee, FL 32314. Purpose: the company shall serve as a Notice of Formation of Giavo single purpose entity, which shall have no assets or liabilities, and engage in no other business other than related to acting as the General Partner of West 133rd Street Associates, L.P., a New York Limited Partnership.

LD-15844

(April 25, 2007)

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Alliant Holdings of East

as agent of LLC upon whom

Poinciana Way, Ste. 305,

Palm Beach, FL 33480, Arts.

or liabilities, and engage in

no other business other than

related to acting as the Gen-eral Partner of 109th Street Associates, L.P., a New York Limited Partnership.

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(April 25, 2007)

Produzioni LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/20/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 301 East 79th St., Ste 24-H, NY, NY 10021. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15856

LEGAL NOTICE

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

109th, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/26/07. Office NOTICE OF FORMA-TION OF LIMITED LIA-BILITY COMPANY NAME: location: Albany County. LLC formed in Florida (FL) on 3/20/07. SSNY designated 500 KENWOOD AVENUE HOLDINGS LLC Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on Febru-ary 13, 2007. Office loca-tion: 408 Kenwood Avenue, process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. FL City/Town/Village of Delmar, County of Albany, New York. address/principal business location of LLC: 340 Royal SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it of Org. filed with FL Secy. of State, P.O. Box 6327, Tallamay be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 408 Kenwood Avenue, hassee, FL 32314. Purpose: Delmar, New York 12054. For any lawful purpose. LD-15857 the company shall serve as a single purpose entity, which shall have no assets

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

BURKEM, LLC The name of the limited liability company is BURKEM,

LLC. 2: The Articles of Organi-LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of zation were filed on April 4, 2007 with the Secretary of Hotel RevUp LLC. Authority State. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/23/07. Of-

The Office of the LLC is

in Albany County. 4: The Secretary of State fice location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 1/8/07. SSNY desighas been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company is to nated as agent of LLC upon be served. The address to

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agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-15859 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication ROWE FINANCIAL LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/10/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: C/O THE LLC, Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agt. of LLC, upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 39-06 50 ELSMERE AVENUE DELMAR, NY 12054. Pur-pose: all lawful activities. ing, NY 11354. Purpose: Any Lawful purposes. LD-15853 D-15860 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Westbury Road Entertainment, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with of State of NY (SSNY) Secy on 2/7/05. 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 Felcher & Freifeld, LLP, 358 Fifth Ave., Suite 401, NY, NY 10001. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15863 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Annarhi Music, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/29/05. 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 Michael Mitnick, Berdon LLP, 360 Madison Ave., NY, NY 10017. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15864 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Cayenne Catering LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 04/06/07. 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 Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15867 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC Articles of Orga-nization for SUPPORTIVE PARENTING, LLC were filed with the Secretary of State of New York on March 28, 2007. The office of the company is 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 Lombardi, Walsh, Wakeman, Harrison, Amdoeo & Davenport, P.C., III Winners Circle, Albany, New York 12205. Purpose: for any lawful activity for which limited liability com* THE SPOTLIGHT

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TION OF LIMITED LIA-BILITY COMPANY. NAME: BENISTY GROUP, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/27/07. 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, 43 Wooster Street, 6E, New York, New York 10013. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15871

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of GM MANAGEMENT & CON-SULTING LLC a NYS LLC Formation filed with SSNY on 04/12/07. Off. Loc.: Al-bany Co. SSNY designated as agt. of LLC, upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 2805 E. 28 Street, #1B, Brooklyn, NY 11235. Purpose: Any Lawful purposes. LD-15872

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF NAMES OF PERSONS APPEARING AS OWNERS OF CERTAIN UNCLAIMED PROPER-TYHELD BY HARTFORD LIFE AND ACCIDENT INS. CO. The persons whose names and last known addresses are set forth below appear from the records of the above named company to be entitled to abandoned property in amounts of fifty dollars or more: ELEC-TRICAL INSTRUMENTA-TION And Controls Inc5560 Gardner Rd Al-tamont NY MORGAN STANLEY DEAN WITTER 30 South Pearl Street

30 South Pean Street 8th Floor Albany NY WAL-MART STORES INC 579 Troy Schenectady Rd Fbo Gerard Zych Latham NYCAPITAL REGION OR-THOPAEDIC 1 3 6 7.

Washington Avenue S u i t e 200 Albany NYADT SECURITY SERVICES INC 9 Walker Way Alba-ny NY BAILEY PAUL 100 Crescent Dr Albany NY BALASCIO JOHN

126 North Broadway Tarrytown NY CAPITAL DIS TRICT RENAL 62 Hackett Boulevard Albany NY ELLEN M MEEHAN 618 Providence St. Apt. 3 Albany NY EMIL JUBREY CONTRACTING INC 106 Severson

Altamont N HAS-MIL INC DBA FOOD HOUSE MARKETI Po Box 823 Latham NY HILLTOP

FARMS INC 395 Upper Flat Rock Road Voorheesville NY LABOMBARD MICHELE 48

Clifford Rd Albany NYMAT-TERSON ASSOCIATES INC Po Box 155 Delmar NY NYSNA BEN-

EFITS FUND Po Box 12430 Albany NY A report of unclaimed proper-

has been made to Thomas P. DeNapoli, the Comptroller of the State of New York, pursuant to Section 701 and/or Section 1316 of the Aban-doned Property Law. A list of the names of the persons appearing from the records of the said insurance com-

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of 1225 44TH Street LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of	activity. LD-15832 (April 25, 2007)	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of Kor Marketing, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of	whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: 2711 Cen-	be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail process is: 95 Hunter Avenue, Albany New York 12205.	which limited liability com- panies may be formed under the law. LD-15868 (April 25, 2007)	appearing from the records of the said insurance com- pany to be entitled thereto is on file and open to the public inspection at the principal office of the corporation
State (SSNY) on 5/31/06 Of- fice location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to:1501 46th Street Brook- lyn, NY, 11219 . Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15826	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of 550 Kingston Realty LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 6/16/04 Of- fice location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/22/07. Fictitious name in NY State: Kor Marketing New York, LLC. Office location: Al- bany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 1/16/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process	terville Road, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15847 (April 25, 2007)	5: The purpose of the busi- ness of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which the LLC may be organized under the Limited Liability Law for the State of New York. Filed By: PARISI, COAN & SACCOCIO, PLLC 376 Broadway, 2nd Floor Schenectady, NY 12305	LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: ATLAS ENTERPRISES OF ALBANY, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary	located at 200 Hopmeadow Street, Simsbury, CT where such abandoned property is payable. Such abandoned property will be paid on or before August 31st next to persons establishing to our satisfac- tion their right to receive
(April 25, 2007)	SSNY shall mail process to:131 Tehama St. Brooklyn, NewYork, 11218 . Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15834	to: c/o Corporation Service Company (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: c/o CSC, 2711 Centerville Road, Ste.	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of Dove Interests LLC. Author- ity filed with Secy. of State of	(518) 377-9096 LD-15858 (April 25, 2007)	of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/15/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process	the same. On or before the succeeding September 10th, such unclaimed funds still remaining unclaimed will be paid to Thomas P. DeNapoli, the Comptroller of the State
Notice of Formation of Metronet Associates, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 1/18/07 Office location: Al- bany County. SSNY is desig- nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall	(April 25, 2007) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of 516 Kingston LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/21/07 Office lo-	400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Pur- pose: any lawful activity. LD-15842 (April 25, 2007)	N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/23/07. Of- fice location: Albany County. Principal business location: 18 Corporate Woods Blvd., 3rd Fl., Albany, NY 12211. LLC formed in Connecticut (CT) on 10/24/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Publication EN- JOYCOMM LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/26/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des- ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may	against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 26 South Clement Avenue, Ravena, New York 12143. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15870 (April 25, 2007)	of New York. Upon such pay- ment this company shall no longer be liable for the prop- erty. HARTFORD LIFE AND ACCIDENT INS. CO. LD-15873 (April 25, 2007)
mail process to:164 Main Parkway West, Plainview, NY, 11803 . Purpose: any	cation: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process	LEGAL NOTICE	upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to CT ad-	be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46	LEGAL NOTICE	LEGAL NOTICE
lawful activity.	against it may be served.	cess Communications, LLC.	dress of LLC: c/o Day Pitney LLP, One Canterbury Green,	State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba- ny, NY 12207. The registered	NOTICE OF FORMA-	THE QUEEN OF TARTS, LLC Notice of Formation of
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LEGAL NOTICE

Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization of The Queen of Tarts, LLC ("LLC") were filed with the New York Department of State ("NYDS") on April 1, 2004. Principal business location: Albany County. NYDS is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. NYDS shall mail a copy of any process to The LLC, 848 Greenthorne Boulevard, Schenectady, NY 12303. LLC does not have a specific date of dissolution. Purpose: All legal purposes. LD-15874

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of BLS Advisors LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/11/07. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in New Jersey (NJ) on 3/5/05 SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave of the Americas, Ste 501, NY, NY 10001. Address required to be maintained in DE: 40 Route 23, Riverdale, NJ 07457, Arts. of Org. filed with NJ Secy. Of State, 847 Roebling Ave, Trenton, NJ 08611. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-15875 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC ABNB, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on April 9, 2007. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC. at LLC, 790 Watervliet-Shaker Road, Latham, NY 12110. The street address of the principal business location is 790 Watervliet-Shaker Road, Latham, NY 12110, Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act. LD-15876

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication BEV TECH CONSULTING LLC Arts, of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/05/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-ny, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities LD-15881

LEGAL NOTICE

(April 25, 2007)

Notice of Formation of Heskei 1 LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/23/07 Office lo-cation: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 183 Wilson St, #159 Brook-lyn, NY 11211. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15888 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Sky Realty Group LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/27/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 20 Robert Pitt Dr, Ste 208 Monsey, NY 10952. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15890 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Z City Properties LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/28/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1775 Plank Rd, Forestburgh, NY 12777. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15891 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Hero Properties LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/28/07 Office location: Albany County, SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1775 Plank Rd Forestburgh NY 12777, Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15892 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of JKC Main LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/19/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: W. Red Oak Lane, White Plains, NY 10604. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15893 (April 25, 2007)

Notice of Formation of NY Apartment Brokers LLC Arts. of Org, filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/26/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Fabrizio Radmin Buksbaum & Company 333 Jericho Turnpike. Jericho, NY 11753. Purpose: any lawful activity. Last Date to Dissolve Is 12/31/2099. LD-15894 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 4301 New Utrecht Ave LLC Arts. of Org, filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/27/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 4301 New Utrecht Ave, Brooklyn, NY 11219. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15895

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

LD-15897 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is KEN-NETH J. RINGLER, LLC 2. The Articles of organiza tion of the Limited Liability

Company were filed on April 9, 2007 with the New York Secretary of State. 3. The office of the Limited Liability Company is located in Albany County. 4. Secretary of State is designated as agent of the Lim-ited Liability Company upon

whom process against may be served. 5. The Secretary of State shall mail a copy of process served to the Limited Liability

Company to 82 Lower Co-peland Hill Road, P.O. Box 9, Feura Bush, New York 12067. 6. The latest date to dissolve is indefinite. 7. The purpose of the Limited Liability Company is to con-

duct all lawful activity. LD-15905 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE SELKIRK FIRE DISTRICT PERMISSIVE REFEREN-DUM at a meeting of fire commissioners of the Selkirk Fire District held on April 16 2007, a Resolution was adopted permitting and authorizing the expenditure from an existing Capital Reserve Account. This Resolution shall not take effect until thirty (30) days after the Board of Fire Commissioners meeting on April 16, 2007. This Resolution is subject to a Permissive Referendum. Dated: April 16, 2007 FRANK WITH Secre-

tary, Selkirk Fire District. LD-15906

NOTICE OF FORMATION

OF LIMITED LIABILITY

LEGAL NOTICE

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

COMPANY, NAME: H.M.B. **BROADWAY LLC.** Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/01/07. 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, 2259 East 7th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11223 Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15908

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: H.Y. COLUMBIA LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/01/07. 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, 2249

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9/26/06 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 The LLC, 13 Dwight Lane, Bedford Hills, NY 10507. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15911

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEAR-ING TOWN OF BETHLE-HEM, ALBANY COUNTY NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on May 9, 2007 at 5:45 p.m. at the Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY to consider proposed Local Law amending the Code of the Town of Bethlehem, Chapter 87, Pesticides. All parties in interest and citizens will have an opportunity to be heard at said hearing. The Town of Bethlehem provides reasonable accommodations for the disabled. Disabled individuals who need assistance in order to participate should contact the Town Clerk's office at 439-44955. Ext. 1183. Advanced notice is requested. BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD TOWN OF BETHLEHEM Kathleen Newkirk, MMC, RMC TOWN CLERK Dated: April 11, 2007 ID-15912

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC Acorn Property Development, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on April 16, 2007. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC, at LLC, 70 Dunsbach Ferry Road, Cohoes, NY 12047. The street address of the principal business location is 70 Dunsbach Ferry Road, Cohoes, NY 12047. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act. LD-15914

LEGAL NOTICE

(April 25, 2007)

Notice of Formation of Sienna Abstract LLC, Arts. Of Org, filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 07/27/01. 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 Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15915 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING, BUDGET VOTE AND ELECTION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Public Hearing on the proposed 2007-2008 Budget for the Bethlehem Central School District shall be held at the Educational Services Center located at 90 Adams Place, Delmar, Albany County, New York, on Wednesday, May 2, 2007 at 7:00 p.m., Prevailing The budget will be Time. available for review commencing on April 24, 2007 at the Educational Services Center, 90 Adams Place, Delmar, New York, and the offices of each Elementary School, the Middle School and the High School of the District. AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the election of candidates to the Bethlehem Central School Board of Education and the budget vote will be held on Tuesday, May 15, 2007 between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m., prevailing time, in the upper gymnasium of the Bethlehem Central Middle School. 332 Kenwood Avenue, Delmar,

LEGAL NOTICE

Albany County, New York, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting machine on the following items:

1. To adopt the annual budget of the Bethlehem Central School District for the fiscal year 2007-2008 and to authorize the requisite portion therefore to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District. 2. To elect two (2) members of the Board of Education to a three (3) year term commencing on July 1, 2007 and expiring on June 30, 2010 to succeed Stuart Lyman and Richard Svenson, whose terms expire on June 30, 2007. To adopt the annual amount to be raised by taxa-

tion on the taxable property of the District for the Bethlehem Public Library. 4. To elect one (1) trustee to

the Board of Trustees of the Bethlehem Public Library, for a five (5) year term commencing on July 1, 2007 and expiring on June 30, 2012. 5. To vote on the following

proposition: PROPOSITION #2 RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Bethlehem Central School District, is hereby authorized to (1) acquire school vehicles at a cost not to exceed \$1,134,423, which is esti-mated to be the maximum cost thereof, (2) expend such sums for such purpose, (3) levy the tax necessary there for, to be levied and collected in annual installments in such years and in such amounts as may be determined by the Board of Edu-cation, taking into account state aid received, and (4) in anticipation of the collection of such tax, to issue bonds and notes of the District at one time or from time to time in the principal amount not to exceed \$1,134,423, or enter into a lease-purchase agreement at a principal amount not to exceed \$1,134,423 to

acquire such vehicles. 6. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting pursuant to the Education Law of the State of New York.

The election and budget vote shall be by voting machine or absentee ballot. The hours during which the polls shall be kept open shall be from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. prevailing time or for as long thereafter as necessary to enable qualified voters who are in the polling place at 9:00 p.m. to cast their bal-

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required to fund the School District's budget for the 2007-2008 school year, exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any taxpayer in the District during the fourteen days immediately preceding the Annual Meeting except Saturdays, Sundays or holidays, at the Educational Services center. 90 Adams Place, Delmar, New York, and the offices of each Elementary School, the Middle School, and the High School of the District between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time and also at said District Election. AND FURTHER HER THAT petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education and for the office of Trustee of the Bethlehem Public Library shall be filed with the District Clerk at the District Clerk's office at the Educational Services Center, 90 Adams Place, Delmar, New York, not later than April 16, 2007 at 5:00 p.m. Each petition must be directed to the District Clerk, must be signed by at least One Hundred Eighteen (118) qualified voters of the District and must state the name and residence of the candidate. A copy of such petitions may be obtained at the Office of District Clerk in the Bethlehem Central School District during regular school hours. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for absentee ballots will be obtainable between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, except holi-days, from the District Clerk.

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Completed applications for absentee ballots must be received by the District Clerk at least seven (7) days prior to the vote if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter. Absen-tee ballots must be received by the District Clerk not later than 5:00 p.m. on May 15, 2007. A list of all persons to whom absentee ballots shall have been issued will be available in the office of the District Clerk from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. prevailing time on each of the five days prior to the day of the election, except Saturday, May 12 and Sunday, May 13, 2007, and on the day set for the election. Any qualified voter may challenge the acceptance of the ballot of any person on such list, by making his/her challenge and reasons therefor known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls. AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the qualified voters of the School District shall be entitled to vote in said annual vote and election. A qualified voter is one who is (1) a citizen of the United States of America, (2) eighteen (18) years of age or older, and (3) resident with the School District for a period of thirty (30) days next preceding the annual vote and election. The School District may require all persons offering to vote at the budget vote and election to provide one form of proof of residency pursuant to Education Law section 2018-c. Such form may include a

driver's license, a non-driver identification card. a utility bill, or a voter registration card. Upon offer of proof of residency, the School District may also require all persons offering to vote to provide their signature, printed name and address. AND FUR-THER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to a policy adopted by the Board of Education in accordance with Sections 2035 and 2008 of the Education law, any referenda or propositions to amend the budget, or otherwise to be submitted for voting at said vote and election, must be filed with the Board of Education at the Bethlehem Central School on or before April 16, 2007 at 5:00 p.m., prevailing time; must be typed or printed in the English language; must be directed to the Clerk of the School District; must be signed by at least Two Hundred Fifteen (215) of the qualified voters of the District; and must state the name and residence of each signer. However, the School Board will not entertain or place before the voters any proposition if its purpose is beyond the power of the voters or is illegal, or any proposition requiring the expenditure of moneys which fails to include specific appropriations for all such expenditures required by the proposition or any proposition which must be

on Thursday, 5/10/07 from 4pm-8pm, Friday, 5/11/07 10am-12pm and 1pm-3pm. Saturday, 5/19/07 from 10am-2pm, Wednesday, 5/16/07 10am-12pm and 1pm-3pm. It is advised to meet with the Assessor prior to Grievance Hearings for an informal review of your assessment. The Board of Assessment Review will meet at Town Hall, New Scotland, in the said Town, Tuesday May 22, 2007 from 9am-12pm and 6pm-9pm, to hear and examine all verified written complaints in relation to such assessment, on the application of any person believing himself aggrieved thereby. Dated this 1st day of May 2007 Julie A. Nooney Sole Assessor Town of New Scotland Slingerlands, NY 12159 LD-15919 (April 25, 2007) LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of One Shot Business Company LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/06/07. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 301 East 79th St., Ste 24-H, NY, NY 10021. Purpose: any lawful activities. I D-15922 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF TENTATIVE COMPLETION OF AS-SESSMENT ROLL (Pursuant to Section 506 and 1526 of the Real Property Tax Law) HEARING OF COM-PLAINTS Notice is hereby given that the Assessor of the Town of Bethlehem, County of Albany, has completed the Tentative Assessment Roll for the current year and that a copy has been left with the office of Assessor at 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York, where it may be seen and examined, by any interested person from the 1st of May until May 22, 2007. The Assessor will be in attendance with the tentative roll Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. - Wednesday, May 16, 8:30 A.M. - 8 P.M. and the following Saturdays, May 12 and May 19, from 8:30 A.M. to 12 Noon. The Board of Assessment Review will meet on the following date. Tuesday May 22, 2007 9:00 A.M.- 12 noon & 6:00 P.M.- 8:00 P.M. To hear and examine all complaint in relation to assessments, on the application of any person believing himself to be aggrieved. Dated this 25th of April 2007. M. David Leafer Assessor Town of Bethlehem. LD-15923

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

At a Special Meeting of March 22, 2007 Steven the Town of New Scotland, O'Shea , District Clerk Beth-Albany County, New York, lehem Central School Disheld at the Town Hall, in the Town of New Scotland, on the 18th day of April, 2007, at 6:00 o'clock P.M. PRES-ENT: EDWARD F. CLARK, Supervisor MARGARET NERI, Councilwoman DOUGLAS La-GRANGE, Councilman RICHARD C. REILLY, Coun-IN THE MATTER cilman OF Increasing the Maximum Amount to be Expend-ed ORDER CALLING on Clarksville Water District Extension #7 PUBLIC HEAR-ING WHEREAS, on May 1, 2006 the New Scotland Town Board conducted a Public Hearing, pursuant to Petition, concerning the proposed creation of Clarksville Water District Extension #7 and consolidation of the same with the Clarksville Water District, pursuant to a Map, Plan, and Report filed in the office of the New Scotland Town Clerk; and WHEREAS, the maximum amount proposed to be expended for the extension. as set forth in the Petition until the fourth Tuesday of

May. Assessment roll figures

will also be available with the

Assessor in attendance for

inspection at the Town Hall

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Notice of Formation of 62-01 Woodside Avenue Realty Associates LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 3/21/07 Office location: Albany County, SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1776 Broadway, 23rd Fl. New York, NY 10019. Purpose: any lawful activity D-15889 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Formation of Blue

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Notice of Formation of 248-07 Jamaica Avenue LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 1/30/07 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 248-07 Jamaica Ave, Bellerose, NY 11426.

Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15896

(April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Interglobe Holdings LLC Arts. of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 5/26/06 Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process

against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 111 Great Oaks Blvd. Albany, NY 12203 . Purpose: any lawful activity.

East 7th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11223. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-15909 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Mahogany Anstalt LLC. Arts. cf Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 3/8/07. Of-fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o United Corporate Services, Inc., Ten Bank St., Ste. 560, White Plains, NY 10606. Purpose: any lawful

activity. LD-15910 (April 25, 2007)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 474 Ontario Street LLC. Arts. of Org, filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on

D-15917 (April 25, 2007)

Date:

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included in this notice of the

annual meeting and was not

received at least 60 days

prior to the annual meeting.

Delmar, New York

NOTICE OF TENTATIVE COMPLETION OF ASSESS-MENT ROLL (Pursuant to Section 506 of the Real Property Tax Law) HEARING OF COMPLAINTS Notice is hereby given that the As-sessor of the Town of New Scotland, County of Albany, has completed the Tentative Assessment Roll for the current year; the inventory and valuation information will be available after May 1, 2007 at the Assessors' Office Monday-Friday from 8:30 am -3:30 pm or on-line at www. townofnewscotland.com. A copy of the Tentative Assessment Roll has been filed with the Town Clerk at Town Hall, New Scotland, New York where it may be seen and examined, between the hours of 9 am and 4pm by any person interested therein



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is rebounding from injuryplagued cross country and indoor track seasons.

Lauren Lochinski-Mills and Kristin Peck contributed thirdplace performances for Bethlehem. Lochinski-Mills was third in the 100-meter dash finals with a time of 13.20 seconds, while Peck placed third in the invitational 1,000-meter race with a time of 3:04.57.

Sara Turner finished fourth in the high jump by clearing 5 feet, and Colleen Hart took fourth place in the shot put with a throw of 32 feet, 9.25 inches. Melina Vamvas was sixth in the discus with a throw of 90 feet, 5 inches.

Colonie runners won three of the four short-distance races. Najla Singleton-McKinnon finished first in the 200-meter dash with a time of 27 seconds, fourhundredths of a second ahead of Shaker's Diana Hummel. Alicia Williams won the 400-meter race in a time of 59.14 seconds, and Nayamka Roberts-Smith took the 600-meter title in a time of 1:40.85.

Holy Names' Klarissa Ricks prevented a Colonie sweep in the sprints by winning the 100-meter final with a time of 12.81 seconds. Teammate Jordan White took the invitational 1,000-meter race title with a time of 3:02.87 and added a first-place finish in the 300-meter hurdles with a time of 49.53 seconds.

Greenwich's Caitlin Lane won a time of 12:59.06.

of 4:41.10, and Columbia's Brina Seguine finished first in the 3,000meter event with a time of 10:22.67. Holy Names' Sara Makowiec won the 100-meter hurdles in a time of 16.55 seconds, and Colonie's Shannon Finnegan claimed the 2,000-meter steeplechase title in a time of 7:34.50.

In field events, Cicero-North Syracuse's Monique Roberts cleared 5 feet, 8 inches to win the high jump, while Niskayuna's Patty Horan won the pole vault by clearing 9 feet. Ricks took first place in the long jump with a leap of 17 feet, 4.5 inches, and Lansingburgh's Erica Farron won the triple jump with a distance of 34 feet, 10 inches.

Berne-Knox-Westerlo's Sarah Hannay finished first in the shot put with a throw of 35 feet, .5 inches, and Ballston Spa's Kaitlyn Staulters won the discus with a throw of 114 feet, 1 inch.

Colonie, Cicero-North Syracuse and Ballston Spa won the three varsity division relays contested at the Bethlehem Invitational.

Colonie's 800-meter relay team of Williams, Singleton-McKinnon, Marisa Poleto and Laura Bolognino won its race with a time of 1:45.82. The Cicero-North Syracuse team of Roberts, Janise Harper, Rachel Bowles and Katie Duerr took the spint medley relay title with a time of 4:22.36, and Ballston Spa's distance medley relay team of Becky Martin, Jennifer Cinella, Erica Brockman and



Katie Dickman won its race with Bethlehem's Mariel Doyle, center, chases Ballston Spa's Becky Martin during the first leg of the distance medley relay at Saturday's Bethlehem Invitational. Rob Jonas/Spotlight



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District #7, its consolidation

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vider and employer. LD-15924 (April 25, 2007)

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Notice of Qualification of

LEGAL NOTICE

Willowbrook Terrace Apart-ments, LLC. Authority filed with NY Dept. of State on 4/6/07. Office location: Sche-TOWN OF NEW SCOTnectady County. Principal business address: 92 River Rd., Summit, NJ 07901. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 3/30/07. NY Secy. of State designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. NY Secy. of State shall mail process to: c/o Corporation Service Co. (CSC), 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE ad-dress of LLC: c/o CSC, 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Pur-

pose: any lawful activity.

LD-15926 (April 25, 2007)

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of NORTHLAND LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/1/03. 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 The LLC, 46 State St., 3rd FI., Albany, NY 12207, Attn: USA Corporate Services Inc., registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-15928 (April 25, 2007)

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and Map, Plan and Report, was \$432,000.00; and WHEREAS, the projected cost for debt service and water usage to the typical property owner, pursuant to the petition and map, plan and report was estimated at \$484.00 per year; and WHEREAS, on June 14, 2006 the Town Board of the Town of New Scotland adonted an Order Establishing Water District Extension, which created Clarksville Water District Extension #7 and consolidated the same with the Clarksville Water District; and WHEREAS, on August 9, 2006 the Town Board of the Town of New Scotland adopted a bond resolution authorizing the issuance of serial bonds in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$432,000.00

land wishes to conduct a public hearing to determine 2007 at 6:30 p.m. at the On-esquethaw Fire House, 2178 with the Clarksville Water whether it is appropriate to increase the maximum District, and all construction Tarrytown Road, Clarksville, costs associated therewith: New York to consider said amount to be expended proposal and to hear all perand WHEREAS, the Town of for the project to \$585,000, sons interested in the subject New Scotland has received in accordance with Town bids for this project, all of aw Section 209-h; and which were in excess of the WHEREAS, the cost for debt maximum estimated costs of service and water usage for the project set forth in the Pethe typical property owner tition and the Map, Plan and Report; and WHEREAS, the is estimated at \$518.00 per year; and WHEREAS, the cost for Town Board of the Town of New Scotland still feels that property owners to hook up this is an important project; and WHEREAS, the costs to the service laterals is estimated at \$25.00 per linear to typical property owners in the Clarksville Water District foot from the property line to the residence, plus or minus depending upon digging constill would not exceed the State Comptroller's Office ditions, and is estimated at threshold for the average approximately \$2,000.00 for estimated cost of a water disthe typical property; NOW,

PUBLIC HEARING The concerning the same, and it is further resolved that Town Board of the Town of New Scotland will hold a the Town Clerk is hereby special meeting on May 9, authorized and directed to 2007 at 6:45 p.m. at New publish a copy of this Order Scotland Town Hall, 2029 Calling Public Hearing in the New Scotland Road, Slingerofficial town newspaper and lands, New York to hear the to post a copy of the same on MS4 annual report. Diane R. the sign board of Town in the **Deschenes New Scotland** time and manner required by law. BY ORDER OF THE Town Clerk The Town of New Scotland is an equal TOWN BOARD TOWN OF NEW SCOTLAND DATED, opportunity provider and April 18, 2007 DIANE R. DE-SCHENES, TOWN CLERK The Town of New Scotland is an equal opportunity pro-

employer. LD-15925 (April 25, 2007)

Thoughts

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coach until 2004. Yeah, the Orange knew.

• Going back to Friday's men's lacrosse game between UAlbany and Syracuse, try not to read too much into the Great Danes loss. Syracuse needed that game more than UAlbany did, and the Orange played like it. The Great Danes will still make the NCAA tournament, even in the unlikely event that they lose their remaining regular season games. At 5-6 and with two games left, Syracuse

can't afford another loss.

• NHL playoff games go on too long, especially when overtime kicks in. I have no objection to playing full 20-minute overtime periods, but with each successive overtime period, can we have one less player per team on the ice? By the third overtime, most of the players are running on fumes anyway. Give them and the fans a break by allowing only three players and a goaltender on the ice at that point.

 This just in: the NBA playoffs have begun. That means 10 more weeks of basketball on TV. when all we really need is one -

pion is determined. Seriously, does anyone care about the Cleveland-Washington series? No? How about Golden State-Dallas? No one? OK, moving on.

• Professional soccer may be getting more exposure on American television, but it's international soccer that's getting the exposure right now with the UEFA Cup. Maybe MLS will get on the highlight reel when David Beckham starts playing for the Los Angeles Galaxy.

Speaking of MLS, Guilderland High School graduate Jon Busch is now a goaltender

light: Chrissi Shepard 2 singles

the week where the NBA cham- with the Chicago Fire. Just there were teams in other Eurothought I'd share that tidbit of information since I didn't know he was with Chicago until I looked it up on the internet. At least, he's playing for a good team. Columbus is hardly an MLS power at 0-0-3.

> • Finally, it might be time to change NFL Europe's name to the German League of American Football (or GLAF). Five of the six teams are now based in Germany as opposed to a decade ago, when

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pean countries like England and Spain. When 5/6 of your teams are located in one European country, you may as well make the name change.

Admittedly, GLAF does not have the same ring to it as NFL Europe. Then again, NFL Europe doesn't have the same ring to it as MLS, which doesn't have the same ring to it as the NHL, which doesn't have the same ring to it as ... well, you get the idea.

Varsity sports results April 16-22

Bethlehem scoring: Tee Ladouceur

4-4, Kayleigh Hines 3-2, Erica Hill

3-1, Lauren Wendth 2-0, Michelle

Primomo 1-1, Cameron Caesar 1-0,

Voorheesville highlights: Sarah

LaFave 2-hitter, 13 strikeouts;

Bethlehem highlight: Amanda Ball

Brittany Vogel double, 2 RBI

Colonie 6, Bethlehem 1

Saturday, April 21

Lansingburgh 5, R-C-S 1

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Bethlehem saves: Rae Mahon 6

Thursday, April 19 **BOYS LACROSSE**

Bethlehem 14, Burnt Hills 6

Bethlehem scoring: Carlos Mancilla 6-0, Terry Daley 3-1, David Amiri 2-0, Matt DiFrancesco 1-1, Erik Hill 1-1, Dylan Eder 1-0, Matt Johnson 0-4, Ryan Wall 0-2, Gary Bedrosian 0 - 1

Bethlehem saves: Adam Nye 8, SOFTBALL Justin Muprhy 2

GIRLS LACROSSE

Bethlehem 9, Guilderland 6

Bethlehem scoring: Erica Hill 4-1, Meg O'Donnell 3-1, Tee Ladouceur 1-1, Caitlin Hill 1-0, Kayleigh Hines 0-2

Bethlehem saves: Rae Mahon 17

SOFTBALL

Shen 4, Bethlehem 2

Bethlehem highlights: Mary Dombrowski 2 singles; Erin McCarton 2 singles

Friday, April 20 BASEBALL

R-C-S 4, Mechanicville 3

R-C-S highlight: Bob Nolan 2-run double

Schalmont 36,

Voorheesville 7

Voorheesville highlight: Matt Henry double, single

Colonie 10, Bethlehem 1

Colonie highlight: Tim Morrison home run, single

GIRLS LACROSSE

Bethlehem 15,

Averill Park 2

Kirstie Caesar 1-0

Voorheesville 4.

Cobleskill 1

solo home run

SOFTBALL

BOYS TRACK

Albright Invitational

Team scores: Lansingburgh 80, Scotia-Glenville 80, Albany 68, Albany Academy 55, Queensbury 41. Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk 33, Chatham 30, Glens Falls 27, Voorheesville 25, LaSalle 22, Monument Mountain 20, Cohoes 20, Ichabod Crane 17, Seton Catholic 9

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Is this your situation?

Goaltender Rae Mahon also stepped up for Bethlehem with a 17-save effort against Guilderland, which won its first three league games.

day.

assist.

said of Hill

The Lady Eagles added a 15-2 victory over Averill Park Friday. Tee Ladouceur led the way with four goals and four assists.

Lady Eagles bounce back

By ROB JONAS

jonasr@spotlightnews.com After losing consecutive games to Penn Yan and Shaker one

week earlier, the Bethlehem girls lacrosse team bounced back with a key 9-6 Suburban Council victory over Guilderland Thurs-

"It was a key win for lots of reasons," said Bethlehem coach

Erica Hill led the Lady Eagles attack with four goals and an

"She's really come on strong this year, and she's definitely a

Dawn Austin. "It maintained their confidence and let them know

assist, while Meg O'Donnell contributed three goals and an

force to be reckoned with when she goes to the (goal)," Austin

that they are still one of the top teams (in the league).



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Sports Spotlight

Varsity schedule Wednesday, April 25 BASEBALL

Bethlehem at Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m. R-C-S at Cobleskill, 4 p.m.

SOFTBALL Bethlehem at Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m. Cobleskill at R-C-S, 4 p.m.

BOYS TENNIS Voorheesville at Albany Academy, 4 p.m.

Thursday, April 26 BASEBALL

R-C-S at LaSalle, 4 p.m. **BOYS LACROSSE** Shaker at Bethlehem, 4 p.m.

GIRLS LACROSSE Shen at Bethlehem, 4 p.m.

SOFTBALL

R-C-S at Holy Names, 4 p.m. **BOYS TENNIS** Bethlehem at Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m. R-C-S at Albany Academy, 4 p.m. Waterford at Voorheesville,

4 p.m. Friday, April 27

BASEBALL Saratoga at Bethlehem, 4 p.m. Watervliet at Voorheesville,

4 p.m. GIRLS LACROSSE Bethlehem at Colonie, 4 p.m.

SOFTBALL Saratoga at Bethlehem, 4 p.m. Voorheesville at Watervliet

4:15 p.m. **BOYS TENNIS**

Schoharie at R-C-S, 4 p.m. Saturday, April 28

BASEBALL

Bethlehem at Schenectady 7 p.m. 🔔

TRACK AND FIELD R-C-S at Cohoes Relays, 9 a.m Monday, April 30



Bethlehem's Lisa Kubotera competes in the 100-meter intermediate hurdles at Saturday's Bethlehem Invitational.

Jim France/Spotlight

Track team happy to be outside

Mother Nature gives **BC** Invitational a welcome gift

By ROB JONAS jonas:@spotlightnews.com

After dumping rain and snow on Delmar the previous weekend, Mother Nature decided to give the town a present Saturday. Sunny, warm weather greeted the 23 girls track and field teams that participated in the second annual Bethlehem Invitational.

"I'm extremely grateful, especially considering that during last year's meet, it was pouring rain and 38 degrees," said Bethlehem coach Tom Hurley Sr.

The host team had a strong performance, placing sixth with 42 points. Colonie took the team title with 129 points, well ahead of runner-up Holy Names.

was secondary to just competing for Bethlehem, though. Like the rest of the region, the Lady Eagles had been stuck inside through much of the first three weeks of the season.

"There haven't been many league meets because of the weather," said Hurley. "We've only had two meets this year."

Bethlehem had several top-six individual performances, led by

Competing for the meet title Jessica Venezia's second-place finish in the triple jump with a distance of 34 feet. Venezia was also fourth in the long jump with a leap of 15 feet, 11.5 inches.

> Kristin Kenney also came up big for Bethlehem with a secondplace performance in the 3,000meter race in a time of 10:39.13.

"Sne's looking a lot better right now," Hurley said of Kenney, who

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Springtime, and thoughts are fleeting

All this good weather has made it difficult for me to focus on any one sports topic. I mean, how am I supposed to write a column about Bethlehem's need for a synthetic turf field when it feels like a beautiful summer day outside? Two minutes into my dissertation about how bad Bethlehem's fields drain, I'm thinking to myself, "At this rate, they'll be dry in two davs.'



New York Rangers' top farm team been one-of the most consistent to the civic center as early as next scorers on the men's team. Heck, year. So by supporting the River Leveille was a one-man wrecking Rats in a playoff game, Glens Falls crew for Syracuse Friday against is proving that it's ready to support another AHL franchise. If Glens Falls gets another AHL team, it will benefit Albany. The Rats didn't seen a boost in attendance this year, despite making the playoffs for the first time in seven years and a new affiliation with two quality NHL teams, Carolina and Colorado. Albany's best attendance years were in the first four seasons when its rivalry with Adirondack was alive and well. A new rivalry with Glens Falls can only help. · Syracuse University had better send a big Orange thank you note to Bethlehem for giving its lacrosse teams some of its best players. Katie Rowan and Halley Quillinan have been lighting up the scoreboard for the women's team, while Mike Leveille has

the University at Albany with five goals and two assists in a 17-13 win. Meanwhile, Rowan and Quillenan have been the primary reasons why Syracuse won a share of the Big East title this season. Rowan leads the Orange in goals (44) and points (65), while Quillinan is second on the team in goals (40) and tied for second in points (46). The scary part for the rest of the nation - Rowan is a sophomore, and Quillinan is only a freshman. They're only going to get better.

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So in light of the near-perfect weather we've had since Friday, here is a more randomized column:



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 I won't say that the Glens Falls-Lake George hockey fans have forgotten how the Albany River Rats effectively pushed the Adirondack Red Wings out of the Capital District sports market, but when nearly 4,000 people showed up for Game 3 of the Rats' firstround playoff series with Hershey Sunday, that certainly seems to suggest that they are willing to forgive them.

Of course, the possibility of Glens Falls getting another AHL team may have also had something to do with the size of the crowd. Rumor has it that negotiations are underway to bring the

Before you start wondering if Syracuse knew what it was getting in Rowan and Quillinan, remember that assistant coach John Battaglino was Bethlehem's head

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Allergy sufferers strive to keep the dander down

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Gesundheit!

That's something Ann Marie Duffy of Ballston Spa hears frequently this time of year.

Duffy is one of the many adults afflicted with indoor and outdoor allergies, which leave her without a safe haven from symptoms including a stuffy nose, itchy eyes, scratchy throat and the dreaded laryngitis.

"I'm just bombarded by things I'm allergic to all year round," said Duffy, who works at an auto repair center in Ballston Spa. "Where I work is a dusty environment, and I have a cat, dog, bird and a fish."

Duffy can't bear to give up her pets, so she has researched every remedy to keep irritants such as pet fur and dander at bay. She also

went shopping for a cat that looks, on the outside, more human than feline.

The cat has hair like people; it's a fleshy-skinned cat," explained Duffy. "I have to fight the pet dander all the time, so I put a special powder cleaner on all the furniture and vacuum it all up."

Her stopgap measures also include taking over-the-counter antihistamines, which fight the symptoms but make her sleepy, and taking advantage of new products to help her breathe more easily inside her home.

"Dust is a big trigger for me, so we ripped out all our carpets and put in hardwood floors," said Duffy. "I got a special vacuum (see sidebar) to suck up the dust and mites.'

Although allergy injections

could be the best weapon to beat back the sniffling, itching and coughing, Duffy has a simple reason for not undergoing the treatment

"I just don't have the time to go in every week for shots," she said.

For now, she'll continue to combat her triggers and wage an ongoing battle on the invisible enemies: dust, pollen, dander and airborne molds.

"It's a challenge to manage my allergies," said Duffy. "Every year the pollen changes with the trees and flowers, and this year, with the weather going up and down, it's been crazy for me. It can get a little frustrating."

Doctor's orders

A few short years ago, people lined up at their doctors' offices to get prescribed a symptom reliever stronger than the traditional Benadryl. Pharmacies now sell the popular name brands Claritin, Allegra and Zyrtec, as well as comparable generic labels. There are also nasal spray decongestants, recommended for fimited use, and eye drops that remee the release of optic chemicals causing inflamnation. Studies are being done of the

effectiveness of a single injection of steroids at the start of outdoor allergy season to keep symptoms at bay for a longer time period.

Dr. Kishan Battu said he has seen lots of miserable, red-eyed adults toting around pocketfuls of Kleenex in his years of practice at the Allergy and Asthma Center in Schenectady.

"What we try to do is cut down the body's response to triggers, and I can say there are a lot of people out there suffering as the pollen season unfolds," said Battu. "It is good to see more people coming in for treatment than trying to manage it on their own.

Selecting the right line of defense depends on the severity of symptoms and how long they linger. If people are sneezing as snow is falling, it's a sign they're battling both indoor and outdoor irritants.

-* "Generally, antihistamines can help anyone who has symptoms a few weeks or months a year," said Battor Beyond that, it's time to consider allergy injections."

Considered the "big guns" in the fight on symptoms, the shots are for both kids and adults. A typical round of treatment is weekly injections for the first year or so, followed by twice weekly or once a month for another two to four years.

"The idea is that the symptoms will be reduced even once the treatment concludes," said Battu. "But I do see people returning after a few years for another round."

Battu also coaches his patients to look around inside their homes and realize what's lurking under beds may not be nighttime monsters, but something even scarier: hidden allergy triggers.

"Keep your house clean, especially where dust gathers," said Battu. "Check in the basement for molds; if you don't see them, smell the air for mustiness, and then install a dehumidifier to take moisture out of the air. Better lighting can beat back some molds. The bottom line is you can't be a 'sloppy Joe' around the house."

In sum, clean up your act, identify indoor and outdoor triggers, seek medical advice and keep updated on latest allergy busters.

"In the end, we try to reduce symptoms and suffering, but we won't likely ever remove them completely," said Battu. "If you have allergies, it's not likely we'll get the symptoms down to zero."

threatening.

WAO is an international umbrella organization with members consisting of 74 regional and national allergology and clinical immunology societies from around the world. The organization provides direct educational outreach programs, symposia and lecture programs

Allergies affect the quality of life for people around the world, said Malik. In recent decades, the study of the causes, conditions and symptoms of allergies has increased exponentially. The disease is more than just a case of the sniffles, coughing or asthma, she said.

year, because of the mild winter, patients with hay fever and pollen allergies really fill up our waiting room," said Dr. Ramez Awwad, an ear, nose and throat practitioner with Capital Region Otolaryngology.

"It seems like a benign condition; it's not," said Awwad.

ficulty breathing. Anaphylaxis is rare. Symptoms can include pain, vomiting, swelling and can affect breathing and swallowing. The allergic reaction can be life-

Many ear, nose and throat practitioners feel that the prevalence of allergies is increasing, said Awwad. It could be attributed to changes in environment, he said. the Whether it's new plants or changing weather patterns, research hasn't pinned it down quite yet, he said.

However, research has pinned down many factors as causes of allergies, or factors in assuring people have less likelihood of having reactions in adulthood.

Research has shown that children who have been breastfed and grow up living with animals are less likely to suffer from allergies. It has also shown those who were exposed to cigarette smoke and who have a family history of allergies are more likely to suffer from allergies.

Many allergies are inherited, said Awwad.

"Allergies can involve middle ear problems, asthma or chronic sinisitus. For some it's one, two or three, for others it's just asthma, or another," said Dr. Gavin Setzen. Setzen is one of several otolaryngologists with Albany ENT and Allergy.

The appreciation for allergies has increased and the awareness of the condition's effects has warranted a heightened public health perspective, he said.

Allergies contribute to loss of work productivity and have spawned a multibillion dollar medication industry.





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(From Page 1) life," said Charu Malik, executive director of the World Allergy Organization, or WAO.

to members in 92 countries.

It has triggered an all-out offensive that involves everyone from world health leaders to doctors in the Capital District.

"From our perspective this

People who suffer from allergies have an immune system that reacts adversely to otherwise harmless substances in the environment. As common as the condition is, said Awwad, it is complicated and debilitating, and warrants greater care in its treatment and diagnosis.

Medications and treatment work, some better than others, but doctors in the field are looking more to the outside contributors to the disease and how people can limit their exposure. Many allergy sufferers have to give up pets, remove carpeting and avoid contact with known triggers of their reactions, including cigarette smoke and dust-laden stuffed animals. They have to keep a keen eye on outside pollen indexes and adjust their medications accordingly. Their symptoms range from mild, moderate, to severe or anaphylactic. Mild reactions can include a rash, itchy, watery eyes and congestion. Moderate reactions spread to other parts of the body and can trigger upper respiratory reactions. These

"Allergies are common, and they are a worldwide problem. It's a health problem that by virtue of that it is has received a certain status and attention in the U.S. and Eastern Europe," said Malik.

In recent years, treatment has returned to an interest in immunotherapy, treating patients with antigens of allergic agents so that they may build up antibodies to the allergen, said Malik.

Awwad reserves treatments such as immunotherapy and surgery for patients suffering from sever allergic reactions. If changing a patient's environment and medication fails to relive symptoms, practitioners will explore the option of surgery or administering allergens to build up the patient's immune system.

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