

## District mulls state aid cuts

The Bethlehem Central School District is facing a possible 9 percent reduction in state aid if the governor's recommended budget goes through. Superintendent Michael Tebbano said that under the proposed budget, losses could reach \$2.2 million.

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## Area dancers heading to 'Oz'

A dozen dancers from the World of Dance in Colonie will share the stage with professional actors at Proctors Friday to Sunday, Dec. 26 to 28, as part of the national tour of "The Wizard of Oz."

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#### January

• Six elected officials took the oath of office at Bethlehem Town Hall: Highway Superintendent Gregg Sagendorph; Reciever of Taxes Nancy Mendick; Town Clerk Kathleen Newkirk; and Town Justice Paul Dwyer.

Mark Hennessey, the current board's freshman councilman, was sworn in, as was Supervisor Jack Cunningham, who was first appointed to the office when former supervisor Theresa Egan left to become a deputy commissioner at the Department of Motor Vehicles earlier this year.

Newly elected Councilwoman Joann The Year in Pictures Dawson was away on vacation at the time Sports and could not participate in the ceremony. Page 36 It was her first elected term after she was pointed to fill the vacancy left by Tim Gordon, D-Bethlehem, after he was elected to the state's Assembly in the 108<sup>th</sup> District. Bethlehem Town Justice Ryan Donovan officiated the oaths of office. Bethlehem Central School District had a Citizens Budget Group for the second year in a row, but the group met this year in January, five months before the May school budget vote. • Erwin Ungerer, known to the community as "Tac," died Thursday, Jan. 3, at the age of 52 from melanoma. Ungerer owned and operated TA.C.S. ('The Auto Collision Specialists Inc.") Autobody service on Route 9W in Glenmont for 30 years. Bethlehem created the 20/20 Advisory Committee and appointed two former town supervisors, Theresa Egan and Ken Ringler, to co-chair the 25-member panel. The group's members were appointed by the Town Board at the Wednesday, Jan. 23, meeting. The committee's goal is to follow up on the townwide comprehensive plan, adopted in 2005, to guide land use,

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#### January

• In the first week of 2008, the Women in Business Group of the Guilderland Chamber of Commerce chose Altamont's Community Caregivers, Inc. to

be the beneficiary of several fundraising events throughout the year, including the Summer Social.

The group is a nonprofit organization founded in 1994 that provides services to people of all ages in Guilderland, Bethlehem, New Scotland, Knox and Berne.

• The positioning of stop signs in town sparked some lengthy and fiery discussions at a Tuesday, Jan. 15, Guilderland Town Board meeting.

New board member Warren Redlich, a Republican, voiced concerns about

## Bethlehem to make '09 appointments

Planning department to see new faces, new chairman

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As 2008 draws to close and another town organization meeting is set for January, there will be some significant changes to the town's planning division.

After the passing of former Planning Board Chairman Parker Mathusa, board member Howard Engel took over as chair. Now with Engel's sevenyear term set to expire, he is stepping down, leaving two Planning Board seats open, as well as a new chairmanship appointment.

Appointments are made by the supervisor and voted on by the Town Board, according to

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## G'land officer promoted

Roger Ginder earns rank of sergeant; GOP councilman calls for seat on review board

> By DAN SABBATINO Spotlight Newspapers



### Weather hinders storm recovery

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the intersection of Curry Road Extension and Kings Road, where the town's traffic safety committee had recommended the installation of a stop sign.

"This might be a safety problem," Redlich said, likening the intersection to that at Veeder and Johnston roads. "There is no clear right of way at Curry and Kings roads. This could be highly dangerous. Let's have an extensive review of this, not just slap a stop sign there."

• On Saturday, Jan. 19, a group of five Farnsworth Middle School students took home the first-place prize at the Future City regional competition at Hudson Valley Community College and earned a trip to Washington, D.C., to compete in the national finals, which were held Feb. 16-20.

Students Kathryn Liotta, Hannah Liu, Brien Miceli, Anya Joynt, and Adison Vanina, earned top honors for their design of the fictional city of "Mohala."

• The Guilderland Republican Party put a new chairman in place to help guide the party in the 2009

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The Guilderland Police Department welcomed the promotion of Roger Ginder to the rank of sergeant at a Wednesday, Dec. 17, ceremony held at the Guilderland Town Hall.

Ginder is leaving his position as a youth services officer in the Guilderland Police Department.

"We're sad to see him go. He's very talented with the puppets," joked Police Chief Carol Lawlor, who continued in a more serious vein. "He's well qualified for this position, and I look forward to working with him."

Ginder sat on the standard operating procedures committee See Officer Page 14

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## Wendy's employees arrested for credit-card theft

Guilderland Police say two Western Avenue Wendy's employees were arrested on charges of criminal possession of a stolen credit card.

Diamond Larae Wade, 17, of Albany, was arrested on Thursday, Dec. 11, at the Wendy's at 1645 Western Ave. on felony charges of grand larceny and criminal possession of stolen property.

According to police, Wade stole a Visions FCU Visa and then was in possession of the card at CVS in Crossgates Mall. Wade turned herself in to the police and cooperated with the investigator, police said.

Jasmine Mercado, 18, of Albany was arrested on Wednesday, Nov. 26, at the Wendy's at the above location.

Police said Mercado was in possession of another Visions FCU Visa credit card. Mercado was processed and released without incident, police said.

#### Other arrests

• Nicholas Shippey, 21, of Slingerlands, was arrested by Colonie Police on Monday, Dec. 15, at Keeler Motors at 111 Troy Schenectady Road on felony charges of grand larceny and auto stripping.

According to police, Shippey had stolen auto parts from Keeler Motors, as well as doing damage to vehicles at the 111 Troy Schenectady Road location.

Shippey was arrested and transported to the Colonie police station and he was issued a ticket to appear in court at a later date.

• Prince Dobere Jr., 32, of Albany, was arrested by Bethlehem police on Monday, Dec. 8, for DWI, first offense; aggravated unlicensed operation of a motor vehicle; a registration violation; driving without an inspection certificate; and driving without a license.

Bethlehem police said Dobere was driving north on 9W and after an officer on patrol conducted a "vehicle inquiry" it was revealed that the vehicle's registration had expired on Nov. 20.

Dobere was stopped by police and identified himself verbally. The arresting officer said he could smell alcohol on his breath while interviewing Dobere and said he observed signs of intoxication, according to the arrest report.

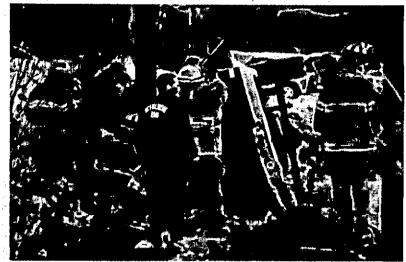
He was asked to exit his vehicle and conduct three fieldsobriety tests, which he failed, and after testing positive for alcohol Dobere was placed in custody and transported to the Bethlehem Police Department, the report states.

Police said Dobere was read his DWI Miranda rights three times after he refused to take a Breathalyzer.

While processing Dobere, police discovered that he was wanted on an active arrest warrant out of the Village of Green Island for failing to appear in court, the report states, and he was advised by police to turn himself in and he was released to the custody of his girlfriend.

Dobere is scheduled to appear in Bethlehem Town Court on Jan. 6.

## Truck roll over on River Road



A crash occured on route 144 (River Road) in Glenmont on Wednesday, Dec. 17, around 8:15 a.m. The pickup truck was traveling north when it went off the right shoulder of the roadway into the ditch and then rolled over before coming to rest on the driver's side. The driver was trapped inside the vehicle for approximately half an hour before being freed. The Selkirk Fire Department, with the assistance of the Albany County Paramedics, were able to free the man using the Jaws of Life.

He was transported to Albany Medical Center in serious condition and police said that slippery roads, improper tires and speed may have all played a factor in the crash.

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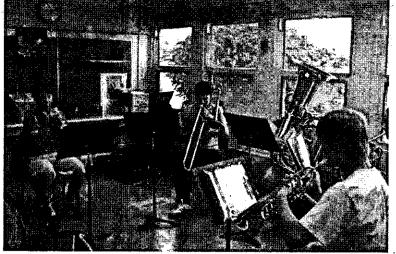
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ABOVE: Members of Bethlehem High School's brass quintet play "Tin Roof Blues" in June. RIGHT: Dozens of students, faculty and staff filled the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk High School gymnasium in February for a Red Cross blood drive sponsored by the National Honor Society. Jarrett Carroll/Spotlight; Submitted photo





ABOVE: After a January snowstorm, a snowman appeared at the Four Corners in Delmar. RIGHT: Members of Cub Scout Pack 272 spent an April afternoon spreading wood chips on the Slingerlands Elementary School's nature trail. William DeVoe/Spotlight; Submitted photo

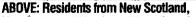


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ABOVE: Writer, illustrator Laura Vaccaro Seeger talks with first- and second-grade students at Guilderland Elementary n April. RIGHT: Michael Tebbano was selected as the new Bethlehem Central School District superintendent in April following the retirement of Les Loomis.

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## Christmas is canceled' and other greetings

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Shalom and welcome to a special Christmas edition of Pop Culture, America's No. 1 resource for holiday-related family insanity.

This year, the DeVoe family Christmas will be a condensed one, as we are trying to purchase our first home (a Pop Culture for another day ... or month, as it were) and, frankly, time and money are a little tight.

Explaining this to my 5-yearold son, Kevin, who salivates at the mere mention of Santa Claus, Christmas or presents, has been more difficult for my wife than it has been for me.

"Bill, we've got to let Kevin know somehow that Christmas won't be as grandiose this year as it's been in the past," my wife said to me about a month ago.

"Done and done." I said and walked into my son's room, where he was playing with the mountain of toys he received last Christmas.

"Kevin."

"Yes, Daddy."

"Pick a number between one and 10.'

"Why? Do you have a surprise for me?"

"You bet. Now go ahead and pick.'



"I choose ... six."

"Christmas is canceled."

Kevin began to cry and ran directly into his mother's arms. His mother held him tight and stared at me with a look of scorn so severe that it still haunts my dreams.

Sure, Christmas will be light this year, but we'll get through it, just like my parents, my brother and I got through it years ago. My mom goes crazy for Christmas — she has a tattoo of Sam the Snowman from Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer on her neck - and she spoils us every Christmas to this day, but some years my parents just didn't have a lot to give.

One year my brother and I got a pound of red pistachios. We fought over how we were going to split them and finally settled on the following: My brother got the nuts and I got the shells. Oh well, they turned your hands red, and to a 6-yearold kid that was sort of cool.

The best present I received during those lean times was a

wooden tennis racket with a picture of Evonne Goolagong on it. If you're not a tennis fan, or if you're like the 99.99 percent of human beings who do not. have the surname Goolagong, you may not know who she is. I sure as hell didn't.

Evonne Goolagong was a female tennis player whose career spanned the 1970s and 80s. In 1971, she won the female singles titles at the French Open and Wimbledon, prompting Björn Hellberg (yes, that Björn Hellberg) to declare her the No. 1 female tennis player of that year.

Of course, all of this meant nothing at all to my 16-year-old self as I unwrapped her tennis racket on Christmas morning.

"Do you like it?" my mother asked excitedly.

Now, I love my mother. Always have, always will. But I'm sure that my sarcastic, despicable teenage self said something back to her to the effect of: "Yes, mom, I love it. I look forward to playing my friends with the most obscurely endorsed, antique piece of sports equipment sometime around eight months from now, when the snow melts.'

I'm sure she's a wonderful person and I have no doubt that she was an excellent tennis player, but I swear to you that if I ever meet the

person whose idea it was to put Evonne Goolagong's picture on a wooden tennis racket and sell it to people in a day and age when it was possible to bend aluminum and other metals, I will kick him right in the groin.

Back to the future: This year the wind has been taken out of Christmas' sails, so to speak, as my wife and I try to coordinate the schedules of a number of agents, lawyers, inspectors and brokers as we try to buy a home.

It probably isn't a bad thing, for our neighbors or us. You see, we're regularly the noisiest, most hectic family on the planet, but especially so on Christmas morning.

Let's do this scientifically. We'll take a look at our basis for comparison first: any school or work day throughout the year.

The most seasoned ringmaster in the annals of circusry couldn't keep track of what's going on in my house on any given morning. The first act begins at about 5, when my 1-year-old son, Nathan, wakes up for no apparent reason other than to yell at the top of his lungs and wake Kevin up.

My wife sleeps through this. She could sleep through World War III.

Kevin makes a beeline to let the dog out of her crate while I let Nathan out of his. (The crib, I mean. Please, no calls to Child Protective Services.) The dog immediately sets to jumping all over Kevin and he starts laughing hysterically. I try to set Nathan down so I can make coffee, but he starts screaming his face off because he wants to be held.

My wife is still asleep.

At 5:30 a.m., the first of what seems to be 19 alarm clocks starts going off in the bedroom.

"Daaaad!" Kevin screams.

"Whatsamatter?" I yell back, thinking the dog has hurt him.

"The alarm is going off in your room," Kevin says quietly.

My wife is still asleep.

I put Nathan in his highchair and it seems to calm him down somewhat to at least be at the same elevation as his brother.

Once again: "Daaaad!"

"Whatsamatter?"

"The dog wants to eat my face."

"Kevin the dog doesn't want to eat your face. He's just licking vou — he's being friendly."

"No, he's not," says Kevin. "He's licking my face because my nose tastes good."

Breakfast is a joke. My youngest son wants to eat dog food, the dog wants to eat anything that will fit in his mouth and my oldest son doesn't want to eat anything.

At 6 o'clock in the morning, my wife comes out of our bedroom to find my two sons and me dancing like madmen to "She's a Lady.'

It's all very cute until my 5-year-old decides to turn his little behind to my wife and start shaking it.

"Sheee's a laaaady!" he sings, sounding more like Jerry Lewis than Tom Jones. "Whoooaaaaoh-oh she's a laaady!" It gets worse when he starts spanking his own butt and galloping around the dining room like he's riding some invisible horse. "Laaady!"

"Oh my god!" she screams, her first words of the morning. "I'm surrounded by you nasty men!"

And the day begins...

Now, take that morning routine and add to it a 5-yearold's anticipation of presents under the tree, about four hours less sleep and the dog's attempt to assert its dominance over a dried and dying Douglas Fir, and you can see why I won't mind if this Christmas is a little less ... Christmas-y.

But, dear reader, I hope your holidays are good ones. In the words of Lucy Van Pelt, "You know, deck them halls and all that stuff."

As always, feel free to drop me a line.



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## Weather hampers storm recovery

Despite delays, week's end brought a return to normal in Guilderland

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As crews continued to restore power and clean up debris in the wake of a destructive Dec. 11 ice storm, subsequent wind and snow forced additional response from schools, local emergency responders and utility provider National Grid.

Monday, Dec. 15, saw heavy winds that hindered power restoration efforts and added several thousand new outages, according to information from National Grid.

"Increasingly strong winds and rain have made field working conditions even more difficult. and continue to pose a threat to already weakened trees and limbs," said Christopher Root, senior vice president of electricity distribution operations.

Guilderland schools were forced into a two-hour delay and morning kindergarten was canceled on Wednesday, Dec. 17, as close to 4 inches of snow coated the already battered Albany County.

Power was restored to most customers by Thursday, Dec. 18, with workers putting in close to 18 hours a day since the storm first hit, according to information provided by National Grid. Although there were more than 800 Guilderland homes and businesses without power on the morning of Dec. 17, that number was down to four by Thursday.

"We continue to be amazed at the extent of the destruction that was wrought by this storm," said Root.

Sean Maguire, the information officer for the Town of Guilderland Fire Chiefs Association said Guilderland's fire departments have been hard at work responding to various emergencies related to the storm effort.



"We continue to be amazed at the extent of the destruction that was wrought by this storm."

Christopher Root

"It was probably one of our busiest couple of days in a long while," Maguire said.

Maguire said the primary function of Guilderland's fire departments has been mitigating hazardous situations such as downed power lines, pumping basements with water damage from shorted sump pumps and responding to a few fires related to improper use of fireplaces.

 National Grid issued several recommendations for dealing with emergency situations, including not touching fallen lines because they may still be "live," and using generators outdoors and disconnecting them from National Grid's system so those working on the wires aren't harmed. The utility company also recommended turning off appliances when power goes out, and leaving one light on to gauge when power is restored.

Town Supervisor Ken Runion said the emergency response in the town has been superb, and he thanked the various emergency responders at the Tuesday, Dec. 16, Town Board meeting.

, Storm by the numbers As of Tuesday, Dec. 16,

restoration efforts had the High school slates following impact, according to information provided by National Grid:

• Overall, more than 550,000 National Grid customers in New York, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Rhode Island lost power.

• A total of 1,800 crews and 2,300 support personnel assisted, one of the largest concentrations of utility workers in the Northeast in more than a decade.

• In New York state there were 1900 service workers in 900 crews and 1000 support personnel.

states as far as Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Connecticut responded.

• 3,600 square miles of Eastern New York were affected.

• 350 broken poles and 150 damaged transformers needed repair.

• 1,100 hotel rooms in 31 hotel and motels housed restoration crews.

 5,000 meals were served per day to responders.

• 1,450 trucks, cars and tractor-trailers involved in theeffort.

• 24,300 gallons of fuel were used.

 3,000 individual incidences of damage were reported.

• 772,000 feet of distribution wire was replaced, enough to span 140 miles, or approximately the distance from the Capitol to downtown Svracuse.

• \$100.000 donated to Capital District Red Cross.



## teen talent show

Bethlehem High School will hold a teen talent show, "Rhythm of the Heart," Friday, Jan. 9, from 7 to 10 p.m.

BCS students in grades six to 12 can register now. Registration is \$10, and all proceeds benefit the Center for Disability Services. The winner will appear on Center for Disability Services Telethon on Channel 23 WXXA, Sunday, Jan. 25.

Call 432-1723 or email ROTHadmission@Gmail.com for registration information. T-shirts are available now for \$10. All registrations need to be received • More than 980 crews from no later than Friday, Jan. 2.

#### Academy to host blood drive

The Academy of the Holy Names will sponsor a blood drive on Friday, Jan. 9, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Riley Auditorium, Upper School.

The Service Club and the Junior Ladies of Charity are sponsoring the drive in response to the American Red Cross's need for blood donors. Dunkin Donuts will be giving a pound of coffee to all blood donors.



If you donated blood on or before Nov. 14 and are 17 years old (16 with signed parental permission), you are eligible to donate.

For information, call 438-7895.

#### Online shopping benefits charity

Catholic Charities AIDS Services, an agency of Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Albany. has launched a Web site that offers "charitable" shopping.

The site, http://www. ccaidsalbany.org/, has a shopping portal where you can support Catholic Charities AIDS Services while shopping at online stores. More than 40 vendors will pay AIDS Services an average of three to four percent of each online sale if a customer enters via AIDS Services' portal.

All money raised from the shopping portal and any other fundraising efforts goes to support the nearly 700 people annually served by the agency, which assists people and their families living with HIV/AIDS. Donations ensure that Catholic Charities AIDS Services can provide services to those with HIV/AIDS in an 11-county area.



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# Matters of Opinion Spotlight

## The year in review

Over the next two weeks, *Spotlight Newspapers* will take a look at the stories of the past year that have affected the lives of our readers.

The edition you hold in your hands now will encapsulate the first six months of the year, with last six months to appear in the final *Spotlight Newspaper* of 2008, appearing on the newsstand on

New Year's Eve.

Of course, 2008 was rife with national and global news that affected us as individuals and will chart our progression into history.



We were witness to a meltdown on Wall Street and the bailout of the financial, housing and automotive industries of a massive scale. We saw terrorists attack in Mumbai and Hurricane Gustav tear through the United States.

In state politics, our readers were party to a rollercoaster ride of highs and lows as our own Gov. Eliot Spitzer was linked to prostitution ring and relinquished his office. His successor became the first African-American governor in the state's history and the first legally blind governor of any state. Nationally, Americans made history by electing the first African-American president.

As significant as these events were, you'll see scant mention of them in our Year in Review, and only in the sense of how they affected us locally. What you will see is a recap of our coverage of the New Scotland moratorium, developments on the Vista Technology Park in Bethlehem, the resignations of several area school superintendents, and the appointment of Carol Lawlor as the Town of Guilderland's police chief.

On pages three and 36 of this edition, you'll find the photos that we at *Spotlight Newspapers* believe embodied the spirit and emotion of the subjects of our news and sports coverage. Again, all of these pictures are of the events that shaped the communities we live in and report on, because that's what we do – and that's what we will continue to do as this year ends and a new one begins: We bring you the news that hits closest to your home.

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## What happened to the phone call?

By JACKIE SHER sherj@spotlightnews.com

The writer covers Schenectady County for Spotlight Newspapers.

I'll admit it. When friends and family asked why I needed a Blackberry, I said that I had to have access to my e-mail at all times because of my hectic freelance writing schedule. It was impossible to sit at my desk all day waiting for e-mail when there was so much else to do.

While my answer was legitimate, it was only a partial truth. I wanted to be able to communicate with and stay connected to friends and family more easily. This "smart phone" was the ultimate device. I would be able to text and e-mail and message and communicate with friends, family and the dead no matter where I was, so long as I had cell-phone service.

It sounds wholesome enough, but several months later, I wonder if the Blackberry and all of these other forms of communication that have developed over recent years - e-mails, Facebook, text messaging, Instant Messaging - really help us stay connected and in touch, or create an intense, new kind of disconnect, loneliness and even an excuse to be rude to one another. While I think that these tools are invaluable professionally, when it comes to my personal life, I question them.

For the first four days after I purchased my Blackberry and set up my plan with unlimited everything (minutes, text messages, Internet, laundry service, etc.), I barely had time to eat because I felt an intense urge to respond to every jingle, jangle, bleep and buzz that came from the device. I became a slave to my phone.

Before the Blackberry, I was generally a phone-callonly kind of bird, even though I hated talking on the phone because I always feel a little awkward and couldn't stand that I couldn't see the caller's facial



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expressions and read his or her body language.

Texting seemed like a form of communication I could get behind, but sending novel-like messages on a tiny screen by tapping out letters on a nine-key pad frustrated me and took too long. Then, the Blackberry's full QWERTY keyboard (like a keyboard on a computer, almost) made text messaging and emailing a breeze.

Before the Blackberry, emails were reserved for the hours when I was in front of my desk, and the various social networking sites that I had accounts with were checked when I was bored or had a free minute in front of my computer.

All of a sudden I was able to see an e-mail the second it arrived in my inbox and respond in a snap no matter where I was and no matter what time it was. I could respond to a Facebook message instantly. Thumbtyping, as they call it (you type on a Blackberry's keyboard mainly with your thumbs), was such a novelty in the beginning that instead of taking phone calls, I would wait for voicemail to pick up and respond with a text message.

I most certainly felt connected. However, as the months rolled on, talking on the phone began to seem like a huge, daunting time commitment and chore. After all, why have a conversation with people to see how they're doing when you can text, "How are you?" and receive a, "Good, you?" I know that I, at least, am a very, very busy individual.

Text messaging rapidly became a completely appropriate form of wishing someone a happy birthday, congratulations, or even a condolence. From my memory, this sort of thing was relatively unacceptable and even unheard of three years ago. It might have been a way of expressing one of these things to an acquaintance, but not someone you're close to. Now it's the norm to text your close friend who may live in a different time zone, "Happy Birthday!" instead of making a phone call. I admit, I'm guilty forms of connecting allow you to choose your words more carefully than you would in a real-time conversation and even grammar check them before tapping "send." You can more easily control the period of time you want to spend with the "situation." With text messages and e-mails, if you get one that you're not sure how to deal with or are too tired to respond to, you can ignore it. Again, I'm guilty of it, you're guilty of it — we're all guilty of it.

Text messages, especially, have provided cell phone users with a new and convenient form of canceling plans or simply blowing someone off. Instead of enduring a phone conversation where you might have to face someone's anger and frustration with your flakiness, you can just send a text that says, "Sorry, I fell asleep for five hours," or, "Can't hang out tonight." Period. I do this all the time — but I'm not saying it's OK. Wayne Koestenbaum recently wrote in a New York Times piece that, "the cell phone reinvents rudeness and renames it 'communication." I think that I agree.

I used to feel huge anxiety when it came to talking on the phone because I couldn't "read" the physical reaction of the other party. However, at least I could hear the intonations in his or her voice and understand if the person on the other line was being sarcastic, upset or excited. I could tell how they were feeling. With text messages, emails and Facebook messages, you can have a "conversation," but you lose so much. You can't see each other, you can't read facial expressions, and you can't hear each other's voices. There's something to be said for response time. You lose a little when you have to wait 20 minutes for a response to something you said.

I'm not sure what's going to happen to my generation and the ways we communicate with one another. Are we going to end up being a very accessible but lonely generation, incapable of truly expressing emotions? Or are we going to figure out a way to really clearly express sarcasm through a text message, or anger or happiness or affection? Maybe this will finally improve our grammar and writing; older generations are constantly complaining that my generation can't write a sentence. Regardless, as soon as the two-year contract is up on my Blackberry (I still have about a year and a half to go), I will most likely be switching back to a normal cell phone, and if I'm feeling really extreme. I might cancel the part of my plan that allows me to text.

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## BEATeam keeps children safe

#### Editor, The Spotlight:

We're called the BEATeam: 10 school bus drivers and attendants in the Bethlehem Central School District Transportation Department. We love protecting children and we're good at it.

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> *Ellen Driscoll* BEATeam leader Bethlehem

#### Editor, The Spotlight.

Early Sunday evening, Dec. 7, we witnessed first-hand why the Town of Bethlehem continues to be a special place to live.

As we were putting up a Christmas tree, our neighbors' enormous pine tree suddenly fell onto — and through — our roof, piercing the ceilings of three different rooms. It was truly stunning to find ourselves confronted by huge limbs protruding into our home. Fortunately, and miraculously, no one was injured.

We want to thank the members of the Elsmere Volunteer Fire Department and Town Building Inspector Gil Boucher for their swift, efficient and caring response, and for all they did to help us deal with a most difficult and challenging situation.

We sincerely appreciate their help, as well as the many generous offers of assistance that followed from friends and family throughout the community.

> Steve and Nancy Rice Delmar

## Gov's cigarette tax will save lives

#### Editor, The Spotlight:

On Monday, Dec. 15, Gov. David Paterson put politics aside to improve the health of all New Yorkers when he signed into law a bill that will end cigarette tax evasion in the state.

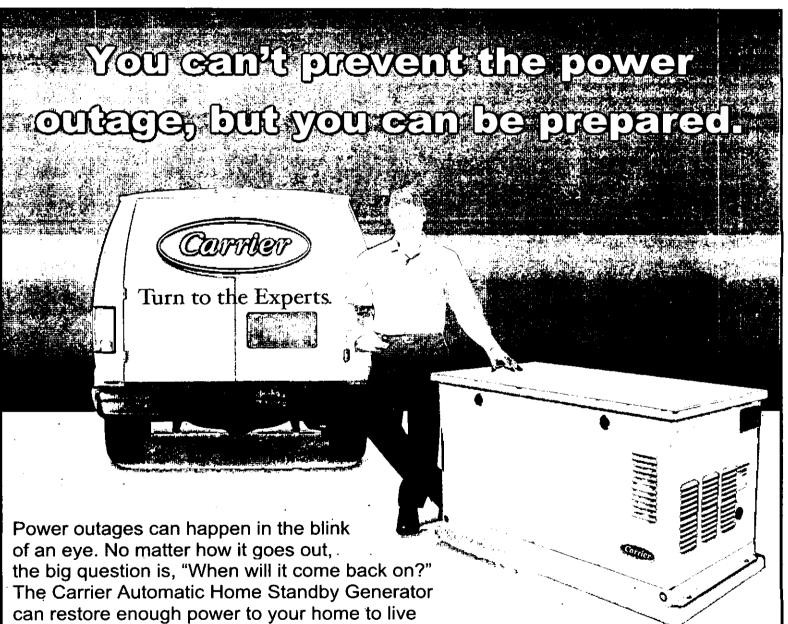
Smoking is the No. 1 preventable cause of death. Collecting the higher taxes imposed in June will reduce the number of people who smoke, and lower health care costs from cigarette-related illnesses.

As a pediatrician and member of the Capital Region Advisory Board of the American Heart Association, I find it especially important to note that this law will deter children from ever starting to smoke.

Collecting the tax will also increase revenues in the state at a time when every penny is needed.

Thank you, Gov. Paterson, for your attention to our health.

Caitrin Navarro, M.D. Schoolhouse Road Pediatrics Albany



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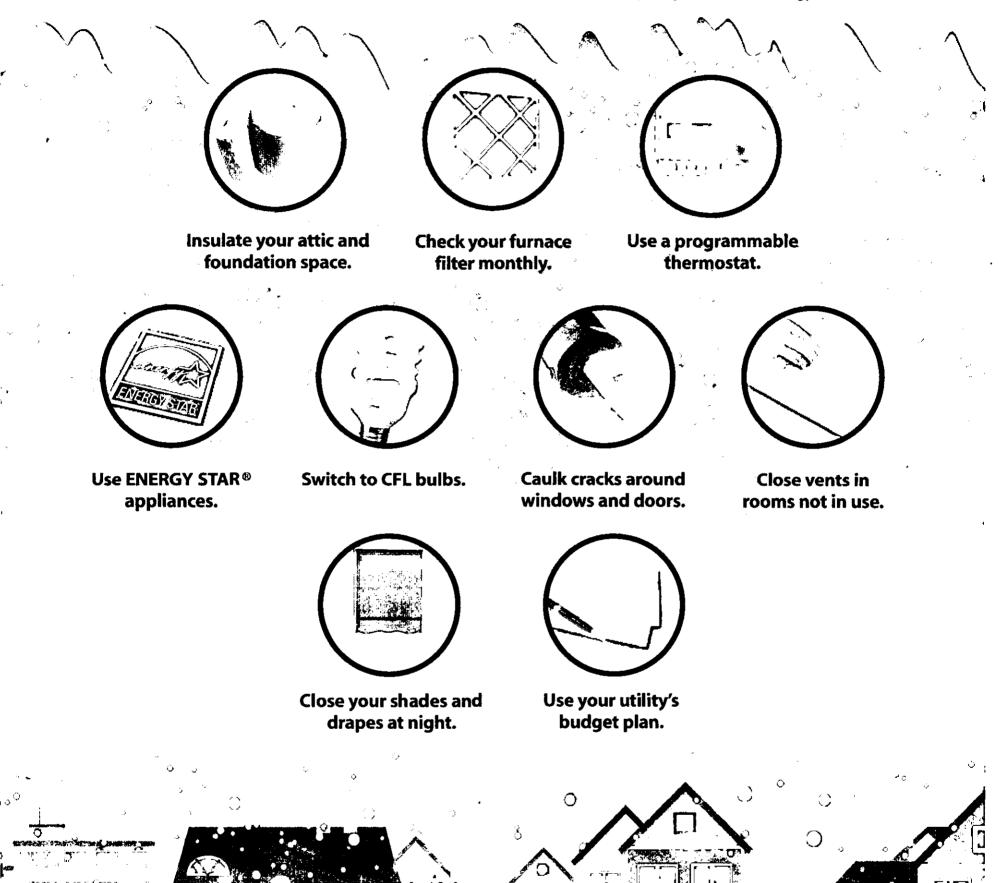
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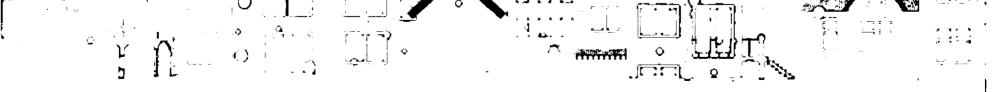
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The Beverwyck retirement community celebrates its annual Holiday Tree Trimming Party in Slingerlands on Wednesday, Dec. 17. Tom Shields (Santa Claus), Mary Drake (Mrs. Claus), Resident Fran Contrino and Vice President /Executive Director Doug Miller stand in front of the newly decorated holiday tree. Submitted photo



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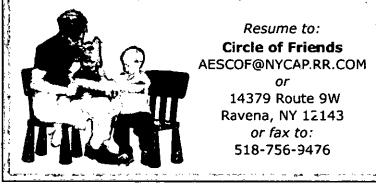
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# Town of New Scotland wrestles with growth

#### Developer: Data provided by CZAC member tainted by self-interest

By DAN SABBATINO Spotlight Newspapers sabbatinod@spotlightnews.com

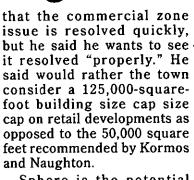
Plans to regulate growth in New Scotland's commercial zone were the subject of continued criticism from a potential developer, and a public hearing was set for another moratorium extension.

At the Wednesday, Dec. 17, Town Board meeting, New Scotland officials set a date for a public hearing to extend the commercial zone moratorium for another six months, while former Commercial Zone Advisory Committee chairwoman Roz Robinson issued a report suggesting a 125,000-square-foot size cap on retail development was appropriate. Active CZAC members Liz Kormos and Mike Naughton have recommended a 50,000-square-foot cap.

The Town Board set the public hearing for 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11, at New Scotland Town Hall on Route 85. The current moratorium, which was an extension to the original six-month building ban, will expire March 1.

Town Supervisor Tom Dolin said he expects the board to pass the extension when it comes up for vote.

Managing partner at Sphere Development LLC, Greg Widrick, said he is hopeful



Sphere is the potential developer of the Bender farm, a key piece of property in the commercial zone.

Three CZAC members, Cindy Elliott, John Biscone and Robinson, resigned abruptly in late November amid concerns about a potential conflict of interest between Kormos and a potential buyer of the Bender melon farm. No action was taken against Kormos by the town.

A report filed separately with the town by Robinson at the Dec. 17 meeting states that a "community-size," development fits with the town's comprehensive plan, and a 125,000-square-foot cap on retail development falls within those parameters.

Widrick said he is skeptical of information from Naughton and Kormos, both members of the advocacy group New Scotlanders for Sound Economic Development, which has been vocal about the smaller retail size cap, and cited "self interest" as Kormos motivation.

He said Kormos' consulting relationship with Mark Schafer, who had at one time expressed interest in buying the property, taints her information. Kormos discussed becoming a "minority partner," in that deal, although she did not sign a contract to do so.

Schafer was eventually out bid by Sphere.

Widrick said a large commercial development would be beneficial to the tax base for New Scotland, and Kormos and Naughton's recommended small-scale development will not be able to afford the needed infrastructure such as water, sewer and roads.

Widrick accused Kormos of trying to devalue the property by capping retail development.

"That has nothing to do with the interests of this town,"



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Widrick said.

Kormos has stated she has nothing to gain from capping the development at 50,000 square feet, and that her relationship with Schafer Construction ended when they lost the bid for the property.

Widrick said he cannot say for sure what Sphere will do if they are unable to construct an "anchor store" in the development such as a previously discussed 137,000square-foot Target, and would need to consult with the other potential tenants and see if they would still be willing to locate at the former melon farm.

"My gut is telling me no, especially in to lay's economic climate," Widr:ck added.

## Gas just 99 cents



Gas station attendants help drivers keep traffic flowing smoothly as they line up off Route 7 at The Airport Mobile gas station located at 1114 Troy Schenectady Road. The station offered gas for \$0.99 per gallon Tuesday, Dec. 16, during a special two-hour sale in celebration of its grand re-opening.

Dar Sabbatino/Spotlight

### **IN BRIEF**

### **Holy Names slates** entrance exam

The Academy of the Holy Names will hold an entrance exam on Saturday, Jan. 10, at 8:15 a.m.

All students in grades two to 12 interested in applying for admission to AHN must take the exam. To register, call the admissions office at 438-7895, ext. 202. The entrance exam fee is \$10.

The Academy of the Holy Names, founded in 1884, provides education for girls and young women in Pre-K through grade 12. It is at 1065-1075 New Scotland Road, Albany.

#### Gala raises more than \$400,000

The 25th annual Dancing in the Woods gala to benefit the Center for Childhood Cancer and Blood Disorders raised close to \$400,000,



bringing the total amount raised since the event's inception in 1983 to over \$5 million.

A crowd of more than 1,300 attended the event's silver anniversary Friday, Dec. 5, at the former Macy's Store in Crossgates Mall.

#### AIDS Council seeks volunteers

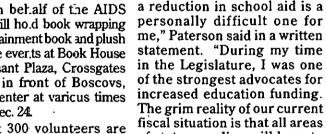
The AIDS Council of Northeastern NY needs volunteers for fundraising and outreach projects.

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Almost 300 volunteers are needed. Individuals and groups of volunteers are welcome.

All proceeds help meet special needs of people with HIV/AIDS.

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statement. "During my time in the Legislature, I was one of the strongest advocates for

increased education funding. The grim reality of our current fiscal situation is that all areas of state spending will have to experience reductions. But I

am assured in the knowledge that, even after these actions, New York will still have one of the best-funded education systems in the nation.'

**G'land seeks input** 

on state aid cuts

School board schedules

January public hearing

By DAN SABBATINO

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District is gearing up for

proposed state aid cuts by letting the public weigh in

later next month, according to

**Board of Education President** 

Gov. David Paterson released his executive budget, which

calls for reductions in state

education aid in the coming year by "\$698 million or 3.3 percent from 2008-09," according

to information provided by

the state. "Even after these

reductions, funding for school

aid would still total \$20.7 billion

in 2009-10, a 42 percent, or \$6.2

billion, increase compared to

education," Weisz said. "It's

just really a chance to have

"We all want to preserve

The decision to recommend

Richard Weisz.

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some dialogue."

The Guilderland School

Weisz' said a Tuesday, Jan. 13, public forum has been set at Guilderland High School to take input regarding budget items. The forum will be sponsored by BOCES.

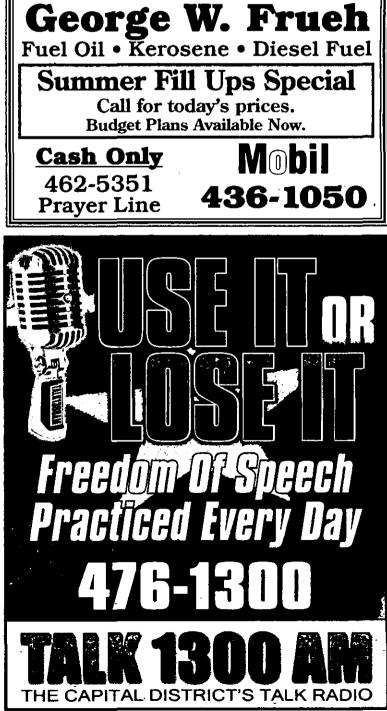
Weisz said one of the major issues the board will discuss at that time is whether or not to use reserve funds now in one lump sum or spread them out over the four years Paterson cited as the amount of time the deficit could take to be resolved.

He also said he is unsure of how much state aid is being cut for Guilderland specifically, and is hopeful that information becomes available soon.

Weisz said typically state aid accounts for 25 percent of the district's budget, but that number could change this year.

He said the district will need to know what changes to make on the "expenses" side of the budget so they can prepare for the difficult times ahead.

Weisz added that the situation is further complicated by the effects of Paterson's proposed cuts might have to the county budget regarding funding for transportation and pre-kindergarten.





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#### Reading program expands at RCS

A reading program that targeted struggling readers at Pieter B. Coeymans Elementary School is expanding to A.W. Becker Elementary School and the middle school this year.

Funded through a \$100,000 grant from SUNY Albany, which is conducting a three-year research study on struggling older readers, the program provides one-on-one literacy teaching daily to a small group of struggling, older readers.

Last year, the group consisted of 10 fourth grade students at Pieter B. Coeymans Elementary School. This year, the program will include as many as 10 seventh-grade students and as many as 10 fourth-grade students at A.W. Becker, in addition to students at Pieter B. Coeymans.

The program proved successful at P.B.C. last year, with nearly all students advancing in their reading ability.

"I believe the students made many gains in decoding and comprehension. If you checked with the classroom

teachers, I think that they would agree with me," teacher Kelly McGillycuddy, who piloted the program last year, said.

McGillycuddy, as well as consultant teachers Allison Klein and Pat Caccamo. received training on a trial reading program that is being utilized with the students and is being researched through the University of Albany. The program, Interactive Strategies Approach, is designed to improve the reading abilities of older struggling readers, said Assistant Superintendent for Instruction Diane Albano.

Students are taught such reading and comprehension cuts to school aid statewide. tricks as:

the words.

•Think of the words that might make sense.

• Read past a puzzling word. • Try different pronunciations for some of the letters in a word, especially the vowels.

• •Break the word into smaller parts.

the sentence and start again.

## **BCSD** mulls impact of aid cuts

#### Superintendent: Proposed state budget might impact programs district offers

By JARRETT CARROLL Spotlight Newspapers carrollj@spotlightnews.com

The Bethlehem Central School District is facing a possible 9 percent reduction in state aid if the governor's recommended budget goes through.

Gov. David Paterson's budget plan for the 2009-2010 fiscal year, which he announced Wednesday, Dec. 17, includes some lavoffs of the state work force and about \$698 million in

Bethlehem Superintendent •Think about the sounds in Michael Tebbano said that under the proposed budget, the district would have to come to grips with a significant loss of state funding, which could reach close to \$2.2 million. That figure is more than 9 percent of the district's total state aid package in the current year.

"We are still combing • Go back to the beginning of through the details of the governor's proposal, but it's safe to say these figures are concerning," Tebbano said. "Essentially, there are only two options to make up for every dollar that is not received in state aid - property taxes and cuts to programs and services. As always, we'll work to control costs wherever possible, but a cut on this scale could result in significant programmatic reductions or eliminations."

Tebbano noted the proposal is now in the hands of state

legislators, with a state budget experience due to aid cuts. deadline of April 1. However, Paterson has publicly stated that he hopes the Legislature will act on the proposal by March 1.

Even though aid is being cut, Paterson's budget proposal does include "fullday conversion aid." which is designed to help districts with the costs of starting a full-day kindergarten program.

In June 2006, the Bethlehem Board of Education approved implementing the full-day program in September 2009, and board members said at the

Dec. 17 meeting the school would continue with the program

"It is important that everyone understands the magnitude of what has been proposed." Michael Tebbano

S planned.

"In a year when state funding for education is decreasing, we are pleased to see that the governor's proposal includes the full-day kindergarten aid," said Board President James Lytle. "We are, therefore, reaffirming that the district will make good on its promise to the community and begin the full-day program as scheduled, without imposing any undue burden on taxpayers in the coming budget.'

The roughly \$800,000 included in the state budget to help the district launch the full-day program will be used exclusively for that purpose, according to district officials, and not for other financial shortfalls the school may

and state deficit," Tebbano said. "Our mission, however, is to maintain a high-quality program that meets the needs of all students while holding the line on taxes for our community. Clearly a significant reduction in state aid and the shifting of additional costs to districts renders this task difficult.'

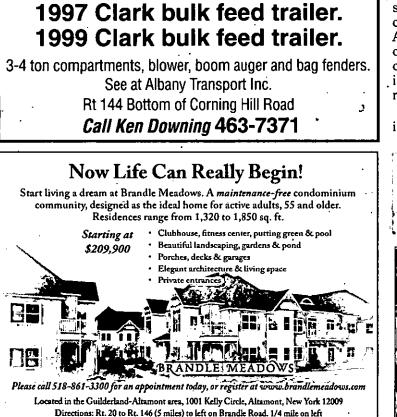
Tebbano added that the district's existing budget was "carefully and conservatively crafted," and that areas to cut costs without affecting students would not be easy.

"It is important that everyone understands the magnitude of what has been proposed," he said. "We will continue to be as creative and cost-effective as possible, but it's hard to imagine reducing spending on the order of what may be required without taking a hard look, as a community, at some areas that would be incredibly painful to eliminate or cut.

"For this reason, the community's participation in the upcoming budget forums is essential in a year when budget priorities will help guide some difficult decisions," he added.

A series of four community budget forums will begin on Jan. 12.





years. However, because of the economic crisis, all districts would receive a "deficit reduction assessment," which would be a one-time cut for

state close the budget gap. For Bethlehem Central, this figure is \$2.28 million.

districts designed to help the

In his budget proposal,

Paterson indicated that school

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remain flat for the next two

"I understand that state leaders have a responsibility to address the fiscal crisis

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Mystery writer Jeffery Deaver poses with librarian Ginny LaJuene. Deaver's visit opened the second season of Bethlehem Public Library's "Writers and Friends" author series.

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## Library looks back, ahead

It's hard to believe we've come to the end of another year. As the library looks ahead to 2009, we also remember some "fabulous firsts" in 2008.

•Author, author, author...

Our first "Writers and Friends" author series welcomed fiction writer Carol Goodman in January, memoirist Susan Cheever in March and mystery writer Donald Westlake in April. Acclaimed mystery writer Jeffery Deaver opened the series' second season, and in the coming months we will host readings and book-signings by Russell Banks and Steve Hamilton. This wonderful series, which has been enjoyed by authors and audiences alike, is generously underwritten by Friends of Bethlehem Public Library.

Our youth services department also welcomed a notable author last spring. James Preller of "Jigsaw Jones" fame talked about and signed his new book, which we learned that he drafted on a yellow pad right here in our library.

• Good reads, great stories

Our summer reading program was again extended to preschoolers, offering readingreadiness activities and a weekly storytime presented by teen volunteers. Our pint-sized patrons and a cadre of parent alumni celebrated the 25th annual Teddy Bears Picnic in June.

The Upper Hudson Library System won a second NEA grant for The Big Read; this spring the community focused attention on Edith Wharton's "The Age of Innocence." And we were again proud to host world-class storytellers for the finale of the area's week-long Riverway Storytelling Festival.

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#### Friends of Music to hold garage sale

The Voorheesville Friends of Music will hold a band instrument garage sale on Saturday, Jan. 31. Members will accept used percussion, wood wind and brass instruments on Saturday, Jan. 10, from 9 am to noon at the Voorheesville high school.

For information, call Nanette at 765-HELP or Shelly at 439-3385. Proceeds from the sale will benefit the Voorheesville Music Program.

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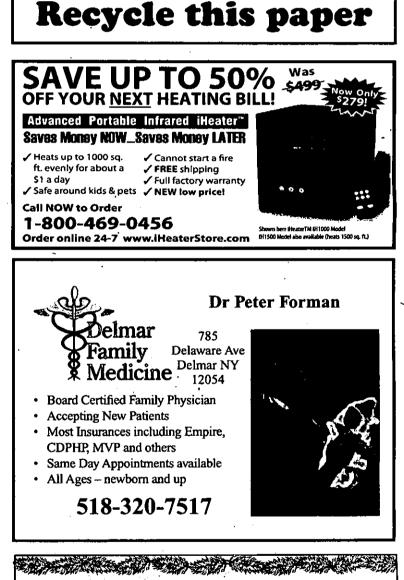
hold a holiday break open house from Friday to Wednesday, Dec. 26 to 31.

All activities are free of charge. There will be snowshoes available for a rental fee.

For information, call 872-0800.

#### Library offers amnesty

The Voorheesville Public Library is offering amnesty for all library delinquents. No matter how long you have had an item, you will be off the hook for a fine and your card will be cleared if you return it between Friday, Jan. 2, and Sunday, Jan. 11.



Musical smorgasbord

Because of July's rainy weather, most of our Evenings on the Green became Evenings in the Community Room. Nevertheless, our patrons enjoyed toe-tappin' music by Aged in the Hills, Michael Eck, The Rumble Kings and Skip Parsons. Another season of A Little Sunday Music opened this fall with performances by pianist Duncan Cumming and flute and piano duo Pauline and Peter Mancuso.

Wired to serve

In early spring, we launched a regular "e-blast" called What's



## Make

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Supervisor Jack Cunningham.

In addition to the planning seats, Bethlehem's director of economic development, George Leveille, is retiring from his position. The terms of Zoning Board member Leonard Micelli and Zoning Board Chairman Michael C. Hodom had expired.

Cunningham said Micelli and Hodom are expected to be re-appointed to their positions and that the town's assistant director of economic development and planning, Michael Morelli, was being considered for Leveille's job.

In all, the town's Planning Board will have a new director of economic development, a new chairman and two newly appointed members.

'The chairman of the Planning Board will be selected from one of the members currently on the board by the Town Board," Cunningham said.

Engel said he has valued his time on the planning board.

"I finished my seven years," Engel said. "It's been very interesting and I've learned a lot. I was retired at the time when I was appointed, so it worked for me.

Engel said he enjoyed working with Leveille and wished him well.

"George is very knowledgeable and was very good to work with," he said. The Tuesday, Dec. 16,

Planning Board meeting was Engel's last.

"I want to thank everyone for the past four or five weeks in getting through a difficult time," Engel said, referring to Mathusa's death. "This is my final meeting and my last

#### official business."

He said he learned more than just about town planning during his tenure.

"I've enjoyed my time and learned a lot," Engel said before jesting, "I learned when to open my mouth and when to keep it shut, too."

Nanci Moquin, the board's administrative assistant, presented Engel with a proclamation from the town for his service, which she described as a tradition offered to retiring board members.

However, the proclamation carried some special significance for Engel, as he was preparing to make his last official act of the town.

This was Parker's last official act as chairman of the board and he said as a longtime friend he wanted to be a part of this," Moquin told Engel.

Mathusa died on Sunday, Nov. 16, at his Delmar home after losing a battle with ALS, also known as Lou Gehrig's Disease, at the age of 70.

Cunningham thanked both Engel and Leveille for their service to Bethlehem.

"He [Engel] did a great job on the Planning Board and I'm particularly grateful that he could step in after Parker's death and help take the reigns," Cunningham said, adding that he would most likely "call on" Engel over town planning matters in the future.

He shared similar comments about Leveille.

"George has been a great asset, coming in after [former supervisor] Theresa [Eagan]. He has been invaluable to me and I'm going to miss him at Town Hall," Cunningham said of Levielle. "I will be tapping on his shoulder from time to time as well."

The town's appointments will be made at its organizational meeting at Town Hall on Tuesday, Jan. 6, at 6 p.m.

in 1994. Ginder joked that some people thought his promotion was a long time coming, while others could not understand how the department would let him achieve ser-

> best to please both sides," Ginder said. "I am excited to be here. I am glad to be a part of the new administrative team."

Ginder recited his oath with his two daughters at his side and family and friends turning out to support him. All those on hand watched as he playfully hesitated during the recitation of the promise to obey superior officers.

Town Supervisor Ken Fanion praised Ginder for his work as an officer and said he expects more of the same from Ginder.

"I know you're going to do a great job," he added.

Councilman Patricia Slavick

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said four candidates interviewed for the job and each was qualified. "They have a lot of dedication for our town," she said.

Lawlor thanked the members of the review board for their effort in making the decision. The board is made up of Capt. Curtis Cox, Lt. Dan McNally, who was out of town for the ceremony, Sgt. Eric Batchelder, union representative Russel Tailman, and Democratic board members Slavick and Paul Pastore.

They had a hard job, and they did a wonderful job," Lawlor said.

Ginder's promotion sparked some debate at the Tuesday, Dec. 16. Town Board meeting, when Republican Councilman Mark Grimm requested to sit on the review board overseeing promotions .n the town.

He said the two Town Board liaisons for the review board should include a majority and minority member.

There's no minority representative on that board," Grimm said. "How am I supposed to judge how iair the process is if I can't sit in on it?"

Grimm called it an example of "closed government," but noted he

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has nothing against Ginder, whose promotion he voted in favor of at the Town Board meeting.

[Runion] has no right to shut off the minority," Grimm said.

Grimm said he would be willing to sit in on the review board meetings in addition to Pastore and Slavick if he does not take their place.

Runion said the board liaisons are dictated by seniority, and Grimm will not qualify for the position until he is the senior or second-most senior board member.

"It's always been the process," Runion said. "I have no intention of changing the process."

Runion also said that more than two members cannot sit on the board, otherwise :t would constitute a public meeting, requiring notice to be made to the public and the media every time they met. He said a full board meeting is done when a department head is appointed, but civil service employees generally do not require the entire board.

"If you did it for every hire, it would be a cumbersome process. You would never get anything done," Runion said.

### **IN BRIEF**

#### Albany to hold Winter Fest

Albany will host its third annual Winter Fest Saturday, Dec. 27.

The festivities begin at 11:30 a.m. with the "Jingle Jog" fun run for kids 5 to 11. Registration is \$3 per child and takes place at the Empire State Plaza, base of the Egg.

Downtown streets will feature magic, music and per-

#### Thrift shop cuts prices

Senior Services of Albany's Madison Emporium thrift shop at 25 Delaware Ave. has slashed prices on men's, women's and children's clothing, shoes, boots, belts, bags, books, movies, games, house wares, luggage and toys. The shop is located in the Louise Corning Center and is open Mondays 10 to 3; Tuesdays 9:30 to 12:30; and Wednesdays 11:30 to 3. Every item in the store has been marked down for quick sale and all reasonable offers will be considered. Call 465-3322 for more information.



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for fire dispatchers, was a past

president of the CSEA dispatchers

union and became a police officer

geant.

"I promise I'm going to do the

formers beginning at 1 p.m.

Three finalists from "American Idol," season 6 will appear at the Palace Theater: Blake Lewis, Chris Sligh and Brandon Rogers.

The grand finale begins at 5 p.m. on the outdoor stage in front of Albany City Hall and features a performance by the American Idol finalists, the announcement of the Scavenger Hunt Walt Disney trip winner and a fireworks show to be staged on the east lawn of the Capitol at 5:15 p.m.

The 12th annual "Last Run" 5K Road Race kicks off on State Street at 5:30 p.m. The registration fee is \$15 until Dec. 20 and \$20 thereafter.

For information, visit www. albanyevents.org.

#### **Team in Training** sets spaghetti dinner

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Team In Training will host a spaghetti dinner on Saturday, Jan. 3, at the Midway Fire Department in Albany from 4 to 7 p.m.

Tickets are \$3 for kids 2-10, \$4 for senior citizens and \$7 for adults. The event will also feature a bake sale and 50/50 raffle.

For information, call Jeffrey Malo at 858-0388.

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#### **IN BRIEF**

#### Siena to offer \$5 basketball tickets

Capital Region families and sports fans can take advantage of special \$5 ticket offers to catch the Siena men's basketball team in action, thanks to a deal between Siena Athletics and its corporate partners.

Siena has teamed up with Dunkin' Donuts, Alpin Haus, Lia Auto Group and Time Warner Cable to offer \$5 tickets to a number of upcoming Saints home games.

The seats are located in the second level of the Times Union Center.

Saints fans can take advantage of the \$5 ticket specials by logging on to AlpinHaus.com or LiaCars. com, or by visiting any Dunkin' Donuts store in the greater Capital Region.

Alpin Haus is offering \$5 "Haus seats" to see the Saints take on Fairfield on Jan. 1. Fans can visit AlpinHaus.com for details or can stop by Alpin Haus in Amsterdam or Clifton Park to pick up a voucher redeemable for a \$5 ticket at the Times Union Center box office.

Fans can also visit LiaCars. com for details on the Lia Auto Group Starting Five ticket specials against St. Peter's on Jan. 4, Niagara on Jan. 24 and Manhattan on Feb. 12.

Dunkin' Donuts is sponsoring Siena Slam Dunkin' Days against Rider on Jan. 9, Niagara on Jan. 24, Loyola on Feb. 9 and the ESPNU BracketBusters game on Feb. 21. Fans can drop by any Dunkin' Donuts to pick up a voucher that may be redeemed for a \$5 ticket at the Times Union Center box office.

Time Warner Cable's Save Big Zone will feature \$5 tickets to Saints games against Rider on Jan. 9, Canisius on Jan. 29, Loyola on Feb. 9 and Manhattan on Feb. 12.

For information, visit www. sienasaints.com.

#### KeyBank recognizes Rumors owners

KeyBank recently honored Marri Aviza and Lisa Norgrove, owners and partners of Rumors Salon & Day Spa, with the Key4Women Achieve Award.

Rumors Salon & Day Spa opened in 1986 and Rumors IV Men opened in 2002. The company has grown from \$100,000 a year in sales to a \$3 million business. Aviza and Norgrove have donated more than \$1 million in funds, services, and products in the past 18 years to a number of healthrelated causes and charitable organizations, including Bellevue Women's Hospital; Women Against MS; the Legal Fund; and Breast Cancer.

The Achieve Award is part of KeyBank's Key4Women program, which KeyBank launched in 2005 as a national campaign to commit \$1 billion in lending to qualifying women-owned businesses for working capital augmentation, business expansion, purchasing equipment, real estate and other purposes.

The program has since expanded its commitment to \$2 billion in lending to womenowned businesses over the next five years, and in 2008 the Capital Region was selected to be home to the first two Key4Women Resource Centers in the nation.

The centers are located at Key's Wolf Road branch at 1 Metro Park Road and the Northeast Region headquarters at 66 South Pearl St. in downtown Albany.

### Five Rivers program centers on trees

Five Rivers Center will hold a field study of the natural history of Christmas trees and the wildlife that depends upon evergreens for food and shelter Saturday, Dec. 27, at 10 a.m.

Center naturalists will lead participants in a search for tracks, dens, chewed cones and other seasonal signs of wildlife use. Strategies used by wildlife to survive winter will also be discussed.

The program is free and open to the public. For information, call the Five Rivers Environmental Education Center at 475-0291. The center is at 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar.

## **Program series to focus on health and wellness**

Even if you don't care to make New Year's resolutions, you might want to start the new year by attending a new Bethlehem Senior Services program series that focuses on various health and wellness issues.

Programs will be held on Fridays from 1 to 2 p.m. during January through March at Bethlehem Town Hall, Room 101, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar. All are welcome to attend.

Be sure to mark your 2009 calendar now, and contact Bethlehem Senior Services at 439-4955, ext. 1176 to make a reservation if you require transportation..

We wish you all an especially happy and healthy New Year!

#### Wednesday, Dec. 24, to Wednesday, Dec. 31

•Senior transportation will be unavailable on these days so that the dedicated senior volunteer drivers may enjoy holiday time with their families.

•Bethlehem Senior services staff will be available on these days to take reservations for



Dec. 24 to Jan. 2

programs (439-4955, ext. 1176) and transportation (439-5770).

#### Thursday, January 1

Happy new year 2009. • Bethlehem Town Hall closed and no senior transportation.

#### Friday, Jan. 2

•No senior transportation, but Bethlehem Senior Services staff will be available from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. to take reservations for programs (439-4955, ext. 1176) and transportation (439-5770).

For information on the above or a list of additional activities, call the Bethlehem Senior Services Office at 439-4955, ext. 1176.

Doris Davis, Bethlehem Senior Projects, Inc. board member





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town elections.

Businessman Ted Danz, 60, was elected chairman of the party at its Jan. 30 meeting.

#### February

 Acting Chief Carol Lawlor and Lt. Curtis Cox said comments made by Councilman Warren Redlich, a Republican. indicated he would deny them promotion to the chief's position for political reasons.

The two candidates were vying for the open chief of police position in Guilderland when they served notice they may sue the town over comments posted by Redlich on Web site. Lawlor eventually got the promotion.

• The fictional city of "Mohala" earned second place in the 2008 National Engineers Week Future City Competition.

Farnsworth Middle School students Kathryn Liotta, Hannah Liu. Brien Miceli, Anva Joynt, and Adison Vanina teamed up with FMS enrichment teacher Deborah Escobar and volunteer engineer mentor James Liotta, from Verizon, to prepare for national competition after winning the regional event in January.

· Middle and high school students in the Guilderland Central School District performed "A Tribute to Nature's Animals" for third-grade students in the district at the annual Young People's Concert on Feb. 28.

High school principal Mike

fiev's classic tale "Peter and the Wolf," accompanied by the wind ensemble under the direction of Kathleen Ehlinger. Keeping with the animal theme, the wind ensemble also performed Henry Mancini's "The Pink Panther" and Lerov Anderson's "The Waltzing Cat." Joining the wind ensemble were several small vocal ensembles and a brass quintet.

 Guilderland's Farnsworth Middle School was the recipient of a \$25,370 service-learning grant from State Farm Thursday, Feb. 28, to expand and improve the study of local biodiversity with a focus on the rare Albany Pine Bush ecosystem.

Science teachers Jennifer Ford and Alan Fiero submitted the grant application on behalf of the school, and their proposal was one of 44 chosen from among 360 grant requests received by the State Farm Youth Advisory Board from organizations throughout the United States and Canada.

#### March

• A March 4 Guilderland Town Board meeting broke down into quarreling along partisan lines and was adjourned by Supervisor Kenneth Runion with the support of Democratic board members Patricia Slavick and Paul Pastore, and Town Clerk Rosemary Centi.

The fighting began during the approval of minutes for the Feb. 12 meeting.

Republican board member Mark Grimm contested the validity of the minutes and claimed they were not a fair and accurate

Paolino narrated Sergei Proko-representation of the meeting. He said that some of his comments were not included in the minutes and others were summarized too briefly compared to those of other members of the board.

• In celebration of Music In Our Schools Month, several student ensembles from the Guilderland Central School District performed at the Empire State Plaza in Albany.

On Wednesday, March 19, high school choir members performed in the South Concourse beginning at noon. Representing Guilderland High School was the Mixed Choir and the Women's Choir.

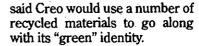
Farnsworth Middle School ensembles performed on Tuesday, March 25, and included the FMS Select Choir, followed by the FMS Select Band and the FMS Jazz Ensemble at noon.

#### April

Altamont Elementary School students performed Shakespeare's "The Tempest," on April 9 and 10. The performance is a tradition for fifthgrade students at the school.

Fifth-grade teacher Allan Lockwood said the students worked hard all year preparing for the performance, and New York State Theatre Institute education director Christine Saplin worked with Lockwood to give the students a lesson in theater.

· Restaurant owners announced that the Italian eatery Mangia at Stuyvesant Plaza will be replaced by a new "environmentally friendly" restaurant named Creo. White Management



 In a matter of minutes, three vandals caused thousands of dollars in damage to a Guilderland business on Monday, April 14.

**Owner David Schmidt arrived** at Renaissance Floral Design on Western Avenue that morning to find many of the outside fixtures on the property knocked over and broken into pieces.

 State Comptroller Thomas DiNapoli penalized Girvin and Ferlazzo, the Albany law firm that represents the Guilderland School District, when four lawyers from the firm were found to

be inappropriately drawing pensions from the Hamilton-Fulton-Montgomery BOCES retirement system.

The law firm is the same one that has represented the Guilderland School District on issues such as labor relations. special education, construction contracts, and sexual harassment and discrimination claims, among other legal matters.

 After three years of service as the Voorheesville superintendent, Linda Langevin submitted her resignation on Wednesday, April 23, as a result of family illness.

 Lily Rowen of Altamont organized the Run for Darfur 5K in Schenectady Sunday, April 27, with the proceeds benefiting the people of the war-torn country.

 As part of a plan to enhance the character and quality of life in Altamont, the village applied for and received a grant to develop a master walking and bicycling path.

Mayor James Gaughan said the \$27,000 grant was a testament to the village's comprehensive plan, created in 2006.

• At its Tuesday, April 29, meeting, the Guilderland Board of Education unanimously approved the appointment of two new elementary principals: Allan Lockwood, to the position of Guilderland Elementary School principal and Christopher Sanita, to the position of Pine Bush Elementary School principal.

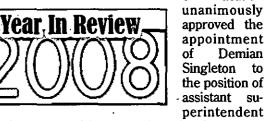
#### May

 The New Scotland Town Board passed a six-month commercial building moratorium after listening to residents' concerns at a Wednesday, May 7, public hearing in the Voorheesville high school. More than 750 residents from New Scotland, New Salem and Voorheesville filled the auditorium, and for more than three hours, the residents staked their claim against the Syracuse-based Sphere Development Group's plan to construct a 750,000square-foot retail development off routes 85 and 85A, on land that was once home to the Bender melon farm. That moratorium was later extended for an additional three months and is still in place today. • On Tuesday, May 20, Guilderland Central School District residents approved an \$83,823,160 budget for the 2008-2009 school year, with a tally of 2,067 votes for and 1,087 against. The budget represented a 2.08 percent increase in spending over the current year's budget and resulted in an estimated 1.43 percent tax rate increase for residents in the Town of Guilderland.

Voters also elected Catherine Barber, Judy Slack and John Dornbush — with 1,905; 1,774; and 1,767 votes, respectively - to three-year terms on the Board of Education. Voters also approved a proposition to purchase 10 new school buses.

 Representatives of the Guilderland Chamber of Commerce helped officially open the nation's largest Wal-Mart on Wednesday, May 21, at Crossgates Commons.

 At its meeting on Tuesday, May 27, the Guilderland Board of Education



assistant superintendent for instruction. Singleton succeeded Nancy Andress, who re-

tired from the district in August. Singleton has been with the Guilderland Central School District since 1996, serving most recently as the instructional supervisor for mathematics and science at Farnsworth Middle School.

#### June

• The Guilderland Town Board voted along party lines to name Carol Lawlor the town's new police chief to a standingroom crowd that filled Town Hall Tuesday, June 2. Three days later, she took the oath to officially become chief.

A 29-year veteran who was the town's deputy chief, Lawlor had the support of the roaring crowd as the final vote of 3 to 2 secured her place as New York's 10th female police chief.

 Radon testing was conducted at Guilderland High School as part of a routine airquality check in accordance with the Guilderland Central School District's health and safety program. Results of that assessment showed some limited areas of Guilderland High School tested above the Environmental Protection Agency's recommended action guidelines for radon. These areas included the media office, auditorium, east-gym, wrestling room, coaches' room and a few science classrooms.

· Visitors to the National Museum of Health and Medicine in Washington, D.C., saw history come alive when Joan Harrison of Colonie and Rachel Lee of

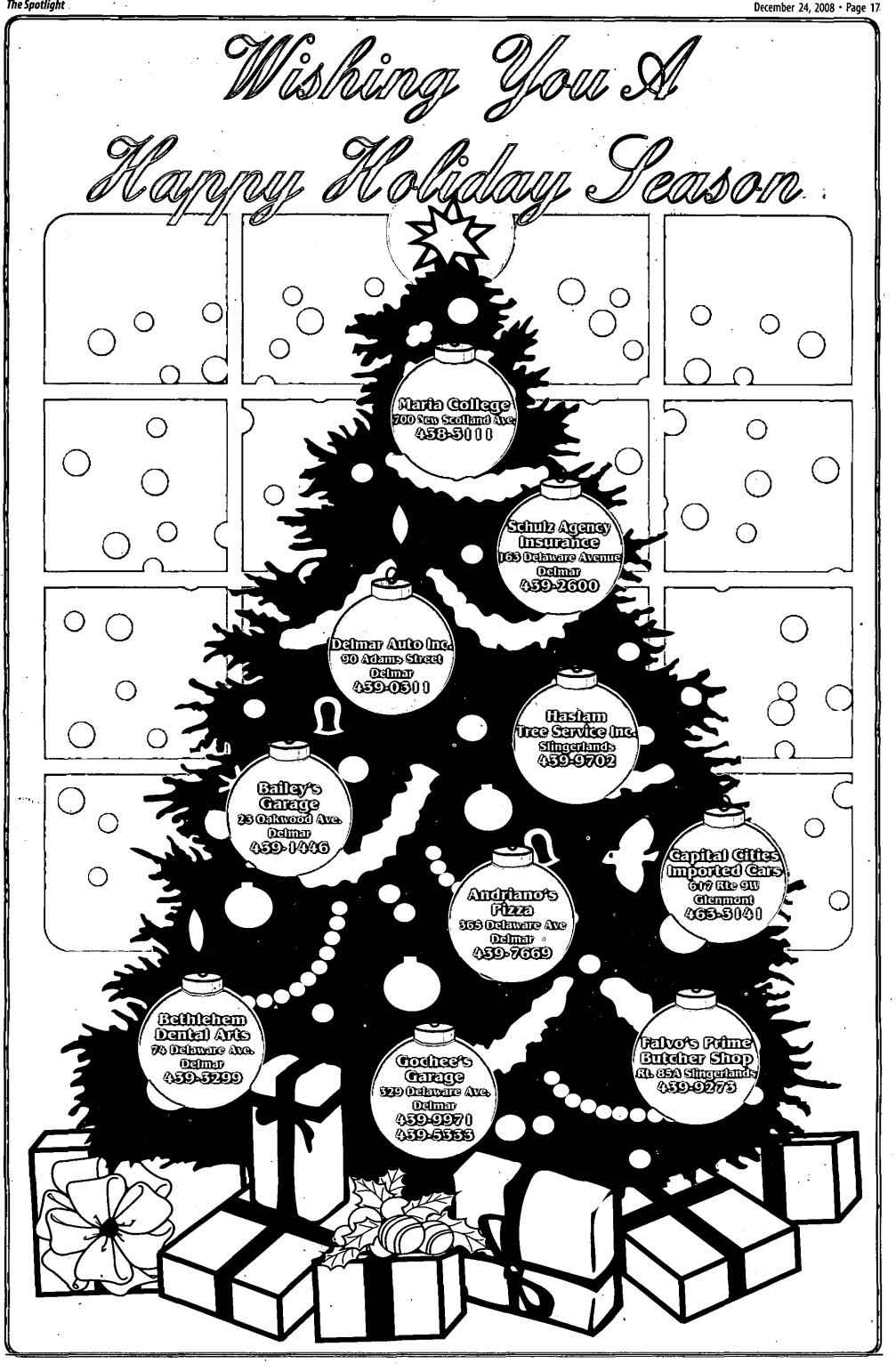


Voorheesville presented an exhibit Wednesday, June 18.

Those two history scholars from Christ the King School in Guilderland presented their work reflecting this year's National History Day theme "Conflict and Compromise."

· Legislators, residents and county officials discussed a two-year construction project that would bring a roundabout to the intersection of Fuller Road and the Washington Avenue Extension.

The public information meeting held June 26 focused on two separate plans to improve traffic conditions. The first plan is the potential construction of the roundabout at the intersection. The second plan is a "corridor project" that would extend from Western Avenue to Central Avenue.



## Tree time

The Bethlehem Lions Club recently wrapped up its Christmas Tree sale. From left, Lions Paul Kelley, Rob O'Malley and Steve King were out selling trees early on Saturday, Dec. 13.

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HLEHEM DENTAL ARTS

## Seniors invited to have mammography screenings

Bellevue Hospital mobile mammography screening will take place on Thursday, Jan. 15, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Guilderland Town Hall. Call MaryAnn at 356-1980, ext. 1095, to schedule an appointment.

#### Learn to play pinochle

Seniors are invited to learn how to play pinochle on Thursday, Jan. 15, from 10:30 a.m. a.m. to 12:30 a.m. p.m. Call the Senior Office at 356-1980 to sign up for the free class.

#### **HEAP** program

People with monthly incomes of less than \$1,963 for one person, or \$2,567 for two people, etc., are eligible for the Heating Assistance Program called HEAP. This grant goes directly to the heating company. Call 356-1980, ext. 1095, for an application.

Monday, Dec. 29

SENIOR

CALENDAR

Scheduled Shopping

Tuesday, Dec. 30

9:30 a.m. Strong Bones + 11:30 a.m. Luncheon: Roast Pork or Cold Plate 12:30 p.m. Bingo/Games

Wednesday, Dec. 31 Scheduled Shopping

Thursday, Jan. 1 Town Hall Closed New Years Day

Friday, Jan. 2 Scheduled Shopping 10 a.m. Painting

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## YMCA to hold Hanukkah on Ice

The YMCA in Delmar will crafts for children. Doughnuts host a Hannukah on Ice on Wednesday, Dec. 24, from 11:45 a.m. until 1:45 p.m.

Adults as well as children will be able to ice skate with skate rentals. There will be Go Green Ghanukah and other arts and DelmarChabadSimon@gmail.

will be served.

The cost is \$5 per person. The YMCA is at 900 Delaware Ave. For information, call Rabbi Nachman or Clara Simon at 439-8280 or e-mail

To Our Town of Bethlehem Residents; We at Haslam Tree Service, Inc. would like to thank you for having local businesses like ours serving the



## Now Nother

#### New Netherland exhibit opens

A traveling exhibition about New Netherland, the 17th century Dutch province that stretched from modern-day Albany to parts of Delaware; New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Connecticut, opened at the New York State Museum on Friday, Dec. 12.

"Light on New Netherland," open through Feb. 8 in the museum's Terrace Gallery, provides insight into the role the Dutch played in the settlement and development of colonial America. Based on original Dutch documents in the collections of the New York State Library and State Archives, the exhibition traces the history of the Dutch in New Netherland, beginning with Henry Hudson's exploration in1609.

Located on Madison Avenue in Albany, the Museum is open daily from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is free. For information, call 474-5877 or visit www.nysm.nysed. gov.

### HVCC to offer class at BCHS

Hudson Valley Community College will offer"English Composition II, a three-credit, college-level course at Bethlehem Central High School this winter.

The course will run Monday evenings from 6 to 9:20 p.m. It begins on Jan. 20 and run through May 8. Tuition is \$360 per course for New York state residents.

For information, call the Office of Continuing Education, Summer Sessions and Workforce Development at 629-7338 or go to the college Web site, www. hvcc.edu. Get fit for life at the Guilderland library

If you're making a New Year's resolution to exercise more and eat better, then the Guilderland Public Library has some programs just for you.

Fit for Life is a national, library-based program for people of all ages – babies to seniors – that promotes healthy lifestyles. Because total health requires a fit brain and a fit body, the program emphasizes the value of activities that help develop both.

At the Guilderland Public Library, we're committed to providing you with materials, programs (some new, some tried and true), and events designed to stimulate both your body and your brain. Events range from story hours for kids that emphasize movement or imagination, to brain-building gaming for teens, to meditative activities like gardening and yoga for adults.

We're even offering a Crossword Puzzle Challenge series that we hope all members of the family might want to join. We think that you'll find something that will "fit" everyone's interest.

For information and free takeaways on brain and body health, look for the special display near the Library's Adult Reference desk beginning in January.

## Got stuff you need to shred?

The Guilderland Library Foundation is taking a new approach to paper: It's going to help you shred it.

The library is hosting "Shred-Days" so you can bring in those old checking account statements, tax documents, credit card solicitations (which can be used to fraudulently open a new account in your name), and other documents that you want to get rid of but can't just put in the recycling pile.

We're having two days in January when you can bring your private papers to the Library and shred them with our industrialstrength shredder. "Shreddy," as we call it, will be at your service on Saturday, Jan. 17, from 10 a.m. to noon, and on Tuesday, Jan. 27, from 6 to 8 p.m. Stand there and shred it yourself, or give it to one of our volunteers. Whatever you bring is going to get cross-cut and recycled.

All the foundation asks is a donation. Just \$3 a vertical inch is the suggested donation. Sound like a lot? It's not when you consider the safety and timesaving this service gives you. And your donation supports many special Library programs unfunded by taxpayer dollars.

Call the foundation at 456-2400 ext. 50 for information.

#### **Newsletter available online**

It's been about two weeks since subscribers to the Guilderland

GUILDERLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY www.guilpl.org

Library News received their newsletters, and, as so often happens, the newsletter gets misplaced. Of course you can always get information on library programs and services on our Web site at www.guilpl.org, but you like to have the newsletter at hand.

Just a reminder that you can get the newsletter online. It's available at www.guilpl.org/ news. Just click on the "Current Newsletter" button and the latest Library News will pop up on your screen. No pdf to download and store, just a web-friendly page that you can bookmark and save.

**Special Operating Hours** 

The Library will have modified operating hours during the holiday season:

•Wednesday, December 24: Closed

•Thursday, December 25: Closed

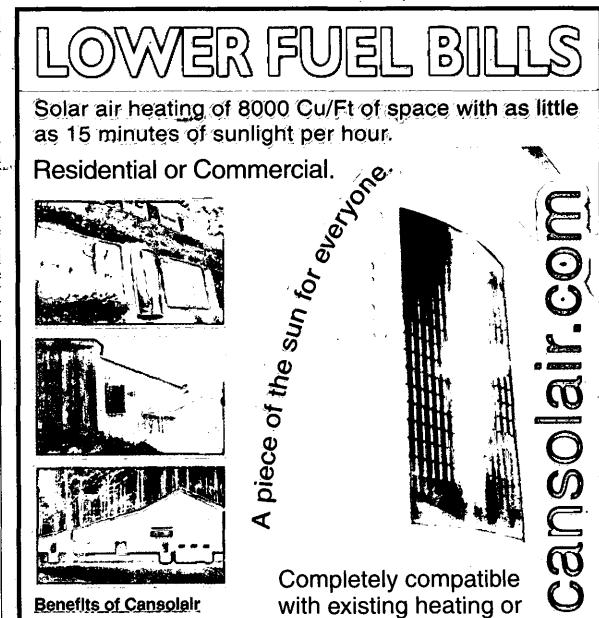
•December 31, Closes at 2 pm

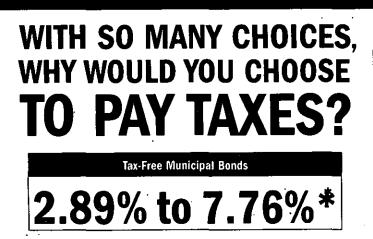
•Thursday, January 1, 2009: Closed

The staff, volunteers, and trustees of the Guilderland Public Library wish one and all a very happy holiday season. We look forward to serving you in the coming year.

#### <sup>•</sup> Mark Curiale

All Library events are free, except as noted. The Guilderland Public Library is located at 2228 Western Avenue, Guilderland. Call 456-2400 x 12 for more information, or visit the Library's Web site at www.guilpl.org. E-mail comments to pio@guilpl.org.





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### -William C. Hynes

William Carroll Hynes, 92, of Delmar, died Friday, Dec. 12, at the Teresian House in Albany.

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Born in Coxsackie, he lived most of his life in Loudonville before moving to Delmar Place two years ago. Mr. Hynes was an Army Corps of Engineers veteran having served in the Pacific Theatre during World War II.

He was a salesman for the former Dobler Brewing Company, West End Brewing Company and RCA. Mr. Hynes also had been employed by the South Colonie School District.

Mr. nes was a former president of the Albany County Republican Club.

He was the husband of Rosemary Winkler, whom he was married to for 64 years.

Survivors include two sons. William C. (Judy) Hynes Jr. of Gilboa, and John J. (Tina) Hynes of Latham; a daughter, Rosemary (Gary) Kochem of Slingerlands; five grandchildren. four great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were from the Zwack & Sons Funeral Home in Albany and a private Mass was celebrated.

Interment was in Our Lady of Angels Cemetery in Colonie.

Contributions may be made to The Children's Hospital at Albany Medical Center, 43 New Scotland Ave, Albany 12208, or The **Teresian House, 200 Washington** Ave. Ext., Albany12203.

## Wayne S. Bridgeman

Wayne S. Bridgeman, 54, of Guilderland, died on Wednesday, Dec. 10, at St. Peter's Hospice Inn.

He was born in Oakland, Calif., and moved to Guilderland three years ago.

He served as assistant director of compliance at the University at Albany for the past three years. Mr. Bridgeman held a B.S. degree in business and marketing from the University of San Diego. He also held a juris doctrine law degree from the John F. Kennedy School of Law in Berkeley, Calif.

Survivors include his wife, Carolyn J. Bridgeman; his mother, Margaret "Peggy" Bridgeman of Palo Alto, Calif.; two sons, Jeremy (Joy) Bridgeman and Matthew Bridgeman, of Corpus Christi, Texas; a daughter, Stephanie Bridgeman, of Corpus Christi; and two brothers.

Arrangements were by the Schenectady Cremation Service in Schenectady.

Services were from the Hamilton Union Presbyterian Church in Guilderland.

Contributions may be made to St. Peter,s Hospice Inn at 315 So. Manning Blvd., Albany 12208.

#### Joseph Cillis

Joseph Jude Cillis, 49, of Voorheesville, died Monday, Dec. 15.

Born in Albany, he was a communicant of the Church of St. Matthew's in

Voorheesville. He had been employed as a business systems manager for the Golub Corporation in Rotterdam. He was a graduate of RPI and was a member of the New Scotland Soccer Club.

Survivors include his wife, Sharon Arpin Cillis; a daughter, Michelle M. Cillis; a son, Joseph J. Cillis II; two brothers; two sisters; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Arrangements were by the Lasak & Gigliotti Funeral Home.

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

Interment will be in Our Lady of Angels Cemetery in Colonie.

Contributions may be made to the Cillis Family Education Fund at any Key Bank Branch.

#### Ernest W. Gall

Ernest W. Gall, 82, of Delmar, died Sunday, Dec. 14, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Born in Elsmere, he was son of the late Ernest F. and Hedwig (Manske) Gall. Mr. Gall was a 1944 graduate of Bethlehem

Central High School, where he was voted All-Albany League catcher. A Navy veteran, he served during World War II on the USS Los Angeles in the Pacific Theatre.

Mr. Gall was a lifelong member and past commander of the American Legion, Blanchard Post No.1040 and a member of the Bethlehem Memorial Post No. 3185 VFW. He worked as an electrician at E.G. May in Albany for 42 years and was a member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers for 55 years.

A sports enthusiast, Mr. Gall played soccer for the Albany Sport Club and Albany Athletic Club, and played baseball in the Albany Twilight League. He also managed baseball in the Tri Village Little League, Babe Ruth and American Legion leagues, coached Pop Warner football and was involved with the Bethlehem Soccer Club for several years.

He was a charter member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church and was instrumental in the construction of the education wing at the church.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Lois (Atkinson) Gall; a daughter, Kimberly J. (Matthew) Denton of Delmar; a son, Kenneth W. (Deborah) Gall of Delmar; four grandchildren; and a sister.

Services were from the Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Delmar and arrangements were by the Applebee Funeral Home in Delmar.

Burial was in the Bethlehem Cemetery. **™j** ¥

Contributions may be made to the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., Delmar 12054.

### Sylvia Caswell

Sylvia Caswell, 73, of Voorheesville died on Wednesday,

Dec. 10, at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Born in Albany, Mrs. Caswell was a longtime resident of Voorheesville.

She was the widow of Burton Caswell.

Survivors include her stepmother, Marion Amsler; a stepdaughter, Rhoda Caswell; step-granddaughter Erica Prescott; two step-brothers, Claus Geiger and, Roland Eberhard; a step-sister, Carrie Becker; and several nieces and nephews.

Arrangements were by Reilly & Son Funeral Home in Voorheesville.

All other services will be private at the convenience of the family.

#### Dorothy Hasselbarth

Dorothy P. Hasselbarth, 83, died Monday, Dec. 15, at Albany Medical Center Hospital.

Born in Albany, she was a 60-year Delmar resident. Mrs. Hasselbarth was the daughter of the late Peter Leicht and Caroline Leicht Moore.

A graduate of Albany High School, Mrs. Hasselbarth worked for many years in the Elsmere Elementary School.

· She was a 58-year communicant of the First United Methodist Church in Delmar and a founding member of the Treasure Cove.

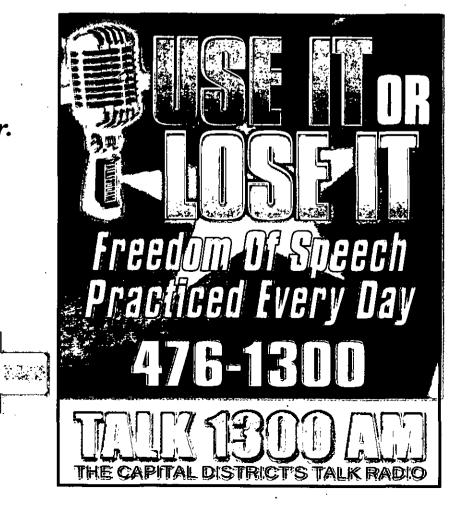
"She will be remembered as a loving wife, mother and grandmother," her family wrote in a tribute.

She was the widow of Thomas C. Hasselbarth.

Survivors include two sons, Harold C. (Ginny) Hasselbarth and Fred C. (Ann Fedele) Hasselbarth, both of Delmar; a daughter, Trisha J. (Jan) Irzyk of New Bedford, Mass.; a daughter-in-law, Holly Dixon Hasselbarth of Sarasota, Fla.; a sister; seven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were from the Applebee Funeral Home in Delmar and burial was in Memory's Garden in Colonie.

Contributions may be made to the First United Methodist Church of Delmar, Memo: Treasure Cove, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar 12054.



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development and growth until the year 2020.

• Bethlehem Central District officials named longtime teacher Dianna Reagan as the principal of Eagle Elementary, the district's newest elementary school still under construction off Van Dyke Road.

• After 20 years of serving Delmar with kitchen, craft and candle accouterments, the Little Country Store closed its doors for good on Saturday, Jan. 26.

#### February

• Keystone Builders unveiled plans to transform the long-standing Verstandig's Florist at 445 Delaware Ave. into nine two-story buildings with 40 condominiums.

Keystone founder Steve Bolduc presented architectural drawings and artistic renderings of the proposed five-acre lot on Feb. 5. Owner Robert Verstandig said he would sell the property to Keystone Builders pending planning approval from the town.

• Marking the one-year anniversary of Jonathan Carey's death, his parents, Michael and Lisa Carey, held a press conference on Friday, Feb. 15, and called on the governor and the state Legislature to toughen Jonathan's Law and make children's medical records more accessible.

Carey was an autistic 13-year-old who died while in the care of two O.D. Heck employees.

• A house fire at 775 River Road claimed the lives of Robert Newberry, 61, and Susan Newberry, 60. The deaths were ruled accidental, according to police, and apparently caused by smoking materials.

Bethlehem police discovered the bodies after area firefighters battled the intense blaze for about two hours. A series of explosions caused by oxygen tanks occurred as fire crews arrived on the scene.

"There were about five explosions when I pulled up," said Selkirk Fire Chief William Borger. "It took an hour to extinguish the flames and then another hour before it was completely out."

• New York Department of Environmental Conservation spokes woman Maureen Wren announced three separate investigations into incidents at Bethlehem's New Salem Road water plant involving the release of mercury and petroleum, as well as other violations.

Bethlehem's water supply was tested by the state and the town and found to be clear of contaminants from spills at the town water plant in New Scotland.

• Daniel Pickett, a Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk social studies teacher, sued three of his colleagues for \$11 million, claiming that school officials and a teacher conspired to get him fired and had ruined his reputation. He was accused at one time of have "an inappropriate relationship with a female student" but was later cleared of any such relationship. The district apologized and reached an undisclosed settlement with Pickett in October. think he did the right thing stepping down," said Assemblyman Jack McEneny, D-Albany.

• The Bethlehem School District approved its 2008-09 budget for voters in May. School officials said the proposed budget contained a tax rate increase of 4.14 percent in Bethlehem and 5.24 percent in New Scotland.

The board also OK'd a nearly \$1.36 million bus proposition to purchase 18 new buses. The previous bus proposition in 2006 was voted down.

• The Bethlehem Town Board heard an update on the Vista Technology Park from developers who had revised the original design to include condominiums, as well as plans to reroute road access and decrease the amount of retail space in the park.

Two major tenants were also announced.

A BBL Development Group representative brought the updated proposal before the board at its Wednesday, March 25, meeting. The \$200 million, 400-acre technology park proposal calls for 1.4 million square feet of office space, and developers said it could bring up to 5,000 employees to the area.

•Bethlehem Central School District announces the appointment of Michael Tebbano, who was the district's assistant superintendent, to replace outgoing Superintendent Les Loomis, who retired after more than 20 years at the head of the school.

• Independence Party Councilman Sam Messina made a proposal in early March to create guidelines for the way the town advertises and appoints non-civil service people to various boards and committees not deemed competitive by the state.

His proposal was voted down 4to-1 at the Wednesday, March 26, town board meeting, with him casting the only vote in its favor.

The town board makes appointments once a position opens up or a term ends and those interested in a particular committee or board send a letter of interest to the supervisor.

"The people working in the town are very good people ... but political parties should not control these appointments," Messina cited as his reason for drawing up the proposal. "There shouldn't be six Democratic committee members out of eight applications for a zoning board seat."

#### April

• The 20<sup>th</sup> annual Delmar Dash, which is 5-mile run, was held Sunday, April 6.

Chuck Terry of Albany handily won the men's race, coming in at 25:48 and besting second-place finisher Tom Grady by more than a minute. Voorheesville's Dana Peterson won the overall women's race by crossing the finishing line Quinn was cited for being in viola-

• Richard G. Bleezarde, 56, a third-generation newspaperman, died Tuesday, April 15, at the Hospice Inn in St. Peter's Hospital.

Raised in Ravena, he was the son of the late George and Beatrice Bleezarde and was the publisher and owner of the *Ravena News*-*Herald*, *Greenville Local*, *Cossackie*-*Athens Courier* and the *Mid-Hudson Valley Health*.

• The planning board heard a plan to build a small subdivision next to a state preservation landmark at the Tuesday, April 15, meeting.

Carol Richards proposed to divide her property off Fisher Boulevard into seven lots next to the Five Rivers Environmental and Education Center. As part of the plan, she proposed selling a portion of deedrestricted property to the Open Space Institute, which would be transferred to the state's DEC and become a part of Five Rivers.

• Bethlehem Central School District announced that the projected tax rate increase in its proposed budget went from 4.14 percent to 3.79 percent for Bethlehem residents and would be lowered from 5.24 percent to 4.24 percent for New Scotland residents.

Assemblyman Tim Gordon, I-Bethlehem, secured an unrestricted \$500,000 for the district from the state budget, which was supported by Sen. Neil Breslin, D-Delmar, and subsequently passed in the finalized state budget in April. The funding in turn lowered the original projected tax rate increase.

• The second Capt. Timothy J. Moshier Memorial 5K Run/Walk was held Saturday, April 25, at the Bethlehem Middle School. Moshier died while serving in Iraq two years prior to the event when his Apache helicopter was shot down. He was a Bethlehem graduate and his widow, Katie, helped organize the event and attended with their daughter, Natalie.

#### May

• The Bethlehem Board of Education addressed the district's guidelines pertaining to its athletics program following a controversy involving student athletes being cut from teams for missing practices.

The resolution wasn't officially adopted until a later meeting, but a framework resolution was accepted by the school board during its Wednesday, May 7, meeting. The situation came to light after students said they were forced to choose between season-beginning practices and a missionary trip to help Hurricane Katrina victims during spring break. The students who chose to go to New Orleans instead of practicing said they were cut from the team.

• Nearly 100 residents filled Town Hall on Thursday, May 15, to get their first say on the town's ongoing endeavor to create an open space plan. Landowners, businesspeople, residents, park enthusiasts, planners and developers, along with members of the town board and the Citizens Advisory Committee on Conservation, all sat down and discussed the town's future. • The town board unanimously decided Wednesday, May 14, to enter an agreement with the state Department of Environmental Conservation to grant fishing on town parcels along the Onesquethaw Creek.

for the school district to buy 18 new buses. Three board of education members and two library trustees were also elected, although the races were not contested.

Residents passed the nearly \$84.8 million school district budget with 58.26 percent of the vote, netting a total of 2,237 votes in favor. There were 1,603 votes (41.71 percent) in total cast against the 2008-09 budget, which constitutes a \$6.03 million spending increase over last year's budget of \$78.7 million.

Incumbent James Dering, the current board of education's vice president, received 2,818 votes, and board newcomers Matt Downey

and Laura Ladd Bierman received final tallies of 2,775 and 2,747 votes, respectively. Downey and Bierman replaced outgo-

ing board members Robin Storey and Warren Stoker, each a member since 1999, and each decided not to seek re-election.

• The Ravena-Cocymans-Selkirk School District passed a \$41.9 million 2008-2009 budget by a vote of 726 to 551. There are four board of education members elected: Mike Robbins, 732 votes; Rosemary Puckett, 728 votes; Christopher Pennock, 719 votes; and Kathileen Emory, 605 votes.

• A Town Hall meeting on Thursday, May 29, was led by a task force of residents, town officials, police and code enforcement officers, as dozens of residents listened and gave feedback on the details of a possible town noise ordinance. Only two residents who attended the meeting said they were opposed to the town adopting a new noise law.

The town created the Noise Ordiance Task Force on Sept. 9, 2007, to complete an overview of the community's needs, to research the different aspects of a possible noise ordinance, and then, after public review, provide the Town Board with a proposed draft noise ordinance.

#### June

• The Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk Board of Education appointed longtime Capital District school administrator Michael Johnson as its interim superintendent on Monday, June 2.

Johnson succeeded Vicki Wright • The state's inspector general released a scathing 244-page report, criticizing the way the state's Commission on Quality of Care and Advocacy for Persons with Disabilities and the Office of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities handled claims of abuse involving Jonathan Carey.

Carey, who was 13 and autistic, died while in the care of O.D. Heck center employees in 2007. His death ultimately led to legislation called "Jonathan's Law," which opens up records regarding the disabled, such as abuse complaints, that were previously withheld from family members. Saying he was "fighting to just survive," Glenmont Alteri's owner Harvey Quinn goes to trial over what he called unjust regulations stopping him from having a banner at his business. If he lost the case, he said, he could be facing six months to a year and a half in jail. Quinn's Albany attorney William Ryan has a conference with the town justice and a town attorney and gets a "concession on record of the court," that Quinn will receive no jail time.

amend the fees portion of Section 128 of the Bethlehem zoning code and reduce its maximum penalty from six months in jail to 15 days in jail and/or a \$350 fine per violation.

The reason the town decided to change the code, according to Town Attorney James Potter, is because Quinn's trial brought the stiff penalty to light.

• The Department of Environmental Conservation fines Bethlehem \$15,000 for "mercury and petroleum reporting and handling violations" that occurred over the past two years. Supervisor Jack Cunningham said the town only consented to the fine because it couldn't

prove that less than a pound of mercuryhad been discharged in a single spill at its water plant. By paying the \$15,000

and remaining compliant, the town does not have to pay an additional \$60,000 civil penalty to the DEC, according to the state's signed consent order, which stated the fine could have totaled \$75,000.

The town agreed to replace all of its outdated mercury flow meters as part of the signed consent order.

• Bethlehern Town Court clerk Barbara J. Hodom, who has lived in Slingerlands since 1965, retired.

• Residents in the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk School District approved a \$403,427 referendum on Tuesday, June 17, to borrow funds and purchase four new buses for the district. Voter turnout was low, but the proposition passed by a vote of 140 to 69.

• In a unanimous decision, the Bethlehem Town Board appointed Patricia Parsons its new court clerk during its Wednesday, June 25, meeting.

•Following an executive session held by the Bethlehem Board of Education at 8:15 in the morning on Thursday, June 26, the board unanimously approved the Bethlehem Central United Employee Association (BCUEA) contract, effective July 1 until June 30, 2012. It was retiring Superintendent Les Loomis' last official board meeting with the district.

The settlement includes significant employee health insurance concessions that will reduce district expenditures, according to a release from the district, and the new contract contains an average annual overall increase of 2.6 percent plus step increases over the life of the contract.

•The planning board listened to details of the long-anticipated Van Dyke Spinney Development project.

Developers describe the project as "a nice senior citizen community for "active seniors" and have put an age restriction of 55 on the proposed 220 homes to be built on a 90-acre plot off Van Dyke Road just south of Bethlehem High School. Van Dyke Spinney developers said it would feature cottagestyle housing; a community center with a pool and recreational facilities; a full-time, on-site coordinator; and access to a variety of "social, educational and cultural opportunities," according to the site plan. R. Mark Dempf, a senior principal with Stantec Consulting, presented the plans to the board on Tuesday, June 17, and said builders hope to have homes ready for occupancy by 2009. The planning board described the occupancy date as "optimistic."

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#### March

• Local residents and politicians across New York react to the news of Gov. Eliot Spitzer's downfall in a prostitution scandal.

"I think there is a feeling of relief.... It was obvious Gov. Spitzer lost the moral high ground, and I

at 31:17.

The Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce's coveted Chamber Pot award changed hands for the third year in a row, with SABIC Innovative Plastics' team beating Matchless Stove and Chimney's team for the best race time.

• Alteri's restaurant owner Harvey Quinn said his business was singled out along busy Route 9W in Glenmont for having a lunch buffet banner outside. Scheduled for a jury trial on Wednesday, May 14, he said he could face up to a year and a half in jail for his violation of the town's zoning code.

The town responded that Quinn was given multiple opportunities to clear up the matter and that he was the one who requested the jury trial. Officials said banners are illegal in town without a variance, and

• Both the Bethlehem School District and the Bethlehem Public Library budgets safely pass, as well as a \$1.35 million bus proposition

Because of the case, the town board voted unanimously during its meeting Wednesday, June 11, to

# **Obituaries** Spotlight

#### Victor J. Tardino

Victor John Tardino Sr., 92, of Bethlehem, died Wednesday, Dec. 17, at the St. Peter's Hospice Inn in Albany.

Born in Brooklyn, he was son of the late Antonino Tardino and Angelina (Giaccone) Tardino. He lived in Manhasset from 1957-86, in Bronxville from 1986-2005 and in Delmar since August 2005.

Mr. Tardino was a graduate of John Adams High School and a 1935 graduate of St. John's University, later earning a license as a certified public accountant. He operated Tardino and Tardino in New York City for 60 years before retiring in 1998.

He was an Army veteran of World War II and participated in many activities throughout his life, including being a faculty member of Fordham University and member of the estate planning board of Sloan-Kettering Hospital in New York City.

Mr. Tardino worked alongside his late wife on many Bronxville projects. The couple served as members of both the Bronxville Beautification Committee and the Bronxville River Parkway Preservation Society.

They were also major contributors to the Bronxville fountain restoration, had a room named after them at the Bronxville Public Library, and helped establish the many resting benches all over Bronxville.

The couple was honored for all their work by Westchester County with a proclamation naming a day for them.

"Vic was a gentle man who loved his wife without question and enjoyed his work as though it was his hobby. He was a loving father, a friend to everyone and a helping hand to anyone in need," his family wrote in tribute. "To everyone's enjoyment, he was always quick with a one-liner, making everyone laugh. Born without an internal compass, he would also regale all with the many stories of getting lost over the years."

He was the husband of the late Clara M. (Ziliotto) Tardino for over 65 years.

Survivors include three daughters, France-Anne Tardino, Robin (Daniel) Langer and Jeri-Marie (Daniel) Hemerlein; three sons, Victor J. (Monica Cajero) Tardino Jr., Anthony (Jennifer Flood) Tardino and John N. (Diane Meryl) Tardino; 14 grandchildren; three greatgrandsons; a brother; a sister; a sister-in-law; and several nieces and nephews.

Interment and memorial service will be in Holy Rood Cemetery in Westbury, Long Island, at a later date. Arrangements were by the DeGraf-Bryce Funeral Home in Sand Lake.

Contributions may be made to St. Peter's Hospice Inn, 315 South Manning Boulevard, Albany 12205.

#### James E. Malphrus

James E. Malphrus, 81, of Selkirk died, Dec. 16.

Born in Ridgeland, S.C., he was the son of the late James and Armenta Malphrus. Mr. Maphrus owned and operated J

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& A Motors of Selkirk with his brothers, Jesse and Allard, for several years before retiring.

He was the husband of the late Betty Ann Malphrus for 39 years.

Survivors include a son, Thomas (Nancy) Malphrus; six daughters, Judy (Thomas) Spadaro, Gail (Joseph) Boehlke, Pamela (Brian) Rafferty, Penny (Sean) Gager, Janie (Walter) Nowark, and Kathleen Gleason; a sister; 16 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; many nieces and nephews; and his companion, Beverly Dames.

Services were from the Babcock Funeral Home in Ravena and burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery in Selkirk.

Contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 440 New Karner Road, Albany 12205.

#### Sonia E. Sheinfeld

Sonia E. Sheinfeld, 97, of Slingerlands, died Tuesday, Dec. 16, at the Hospice Inn at St. Peter's Hospital in Albany.

Born in Ukraine, she came

to the U.S. as a young girl. Mrs. Sheinfeld and her husband owned and operated the former Sheinfeld Jewelers, located on North Pearl Street in Albany and later on State Street. The Sheinfeld's operated the jewelry store for more than 60 years.

Mrs. Sheinfeld was a congregant of the Congregation Beth Abraham Jacob in Albany.

She was the widow of Sol Sheinfeld.

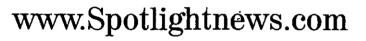
Survivors include a daughter, Maxine (Sanford) Epstein of Troy; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were from the Levine Memorial Chapel in Albany and interment was in the Beth Abraham Jacob Cemetery in Guilderland.

The period of mourning was observed at the home of Maxine and Sanford Epstein in Troy after the interment.

Contribution may be made to Congregation Beth Abraham Jacob, 380 Whitehall Road, Albany 12208, or the American Heart Association, 440 New Karner Road, Albany 12205.

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## **Energy company to make cuts**

A Latham based energy company announced on Thursday, Dec. 18, that it will be eliminating positions in order to increase the company's profitability, according to information provided by company officials.

Plug Power is planning to cut close to 90 positions in a corporate restructuring "intended to focus the company on revenue growth, improve

### Edna Mae Colbert

Five years ago you were called to Heaven by GOD our Father and Lord Jesus Christ. You shared loving kindness and joy with all who knew you. We were truly blessed to have had a grandmother like you to inspire our lives by having enough love and wisdom to share with everyone.

We miss you, Grandma,

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organizational efficiency and position the company for longterm profitability."

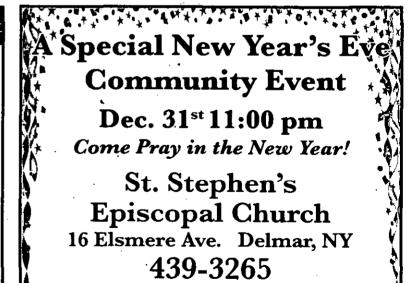
The company develops "clean, reliable energy solutions," and works to integrate fuel cell technology and has offices in Canada, Washington D.C., Europe, the Middle East and Africa.

"Revenue for the third quarter of 2008 was \$4.1 million. This compares with revenue in the same period in 2007 of \$4.5 million.

Net loss for the third quarter of 2008 was \$13.8 million, compared with \$15.2 million for the third quarter of 2007," according to Plug Power.

The company is planning to offer severance packages, according to Plug Power.

-Dan Sabbatino

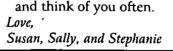


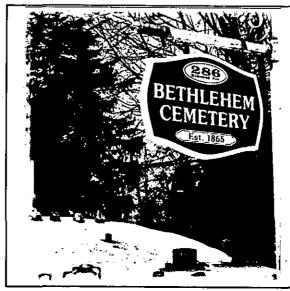
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Milestones

# **Don't let the financial crisis** dampen your holiday mood

#### By RONALD G. NATHAN news@spotlightnews.com

The Spotlight

The author is a Guilderland psychologist and creator of the self-help CD/download, "Relieving Your Holiday Stress and Achieving Your New Year's Resolutions.

The fallout from the financial crisis is compounding holiday stress and threatens to become the Grinch that stole the holidays. People are depressed and anxious about their finances. The fun of shopping is now eclipsed by frustration, fear and uncertainty.

The holidays have long been seen as stressful. For most of us, the stress of the holidays has come from snarled traffic, crushing crowds, long cashier lines, sold-out toys, tangled strings of broken lights, children screaming, houses not ready for guests, feuding families and other delights of modern life. But today we also face tremendous economic uncertainty, both personally and nationally.

In recent years, it took the average American family five months to pay off the holiday credit card bills. With unemployment on the rise, we now wonder if we will have a job and a paycheck to cover our regular bills. Nationally, we face a bailout burden on top of five years of war debt.

#### What can we do?

To decrease financial and social stress, it may be a great year to rethink our gift-giving habits and rein in our expectations. Let's focus on families with children first, then on singles.

One Christian couple decided during the early and lean years of their growing family to adopt a three-gift rule. The rule reflected the three gifts the wise men brought to the Christ child. As the children grew older, each child would make a short list of gifts they really wanted. This tradition kept the focus on the holiday they were celebrating.

family wanted to emphasize from family during the holidays

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sharing rather than fostering selfishness, so each year they buy a gift everyone can use together, such as a large sleigh, and a few small gifts for each child.

How much is enough when it comes to gifts for children? Research suggests that most children request only three or four of the 11 or 12 gifts they receive during the holidays. This excess raises their expectations and commercializes the holidays.

What if the gift your child wants is beyond your budget? This can be an opportunity to help your child understand the difference between a need and a want. If your child has prayed for the gift, it may be your chance to talk about how an unanswered praver is usually not a denial. but just a delay. It is also a good time to emphasize the virtues of patience and hope in the face of disappointment.

#### Make a shopping list and a list of alternatives

Everyone can avoid lastminute panic and impulse purchases that they really can't afford by making a budget and a shopping list at home, away from the seductive displays and carefree carols of the stores. Putting aside some money for the after-holiday sales can also stretch our dollars.

A spirited way of avoiding big bills is to plan inexpensive activities like caroling, reading holiday stories, or volunteering at shelters and hospitals. These can be a cost-containing way to find the joy in giving and to experience what has been called the helper's high. Researchers have found this to be much like the runner's high - a wonderfully relaxing sense of well being.

What about those who cannot afford to travel home this year? Another couple with a blended The loneliness of being away

can be depressing and can lead to overeating and overdrinking. As Dear Abby wrote, "Loneliness is the ultimate poverty." So, it is best that singles and lonely couples take a risk, find one another and plan get-togethers. For example, they can try organizing an "orphan" party for all the other people who do not have family or friends in the area.

#### The underlying roots of overspending

For those who felt deprived as children, the inner conflict between budgeting and spending can be emotionally wrenching. We all know logically that expensive gifts won't make others love us or guarantee a happy holiday, but many seek vicarious pleasure from giving children gifts that they never got and social status from giving friends and coworkers big-ticket gifts. On the other hand, for those with holiday memories of dreams come true, recapturing the magic of holidays past can be overwhelmingly expensive.

We may need to ask if our focus on buying and getting is a vain attempt to fill an abiding emptiness that only God can fill. If so, it is important to leave time and energy for spiritual needs. Fraditionally, holidays are a time for friends, family and faith.

Getting to the root of dangerous financial temptations can free us from empty glitter and expensive gifts, so we can focus on giving love, teaching love and receiving love. Sounds a lot like the moral of Dr. Seuss' story about the Grinch. So, find ways of fulfilling your deepest needs, watch your heart grow three sizes larger and don't let the financial crisis steal your holiday.



**Daniel Rausch and Andrea Schmit** 

## Schmit, Rausch to wed

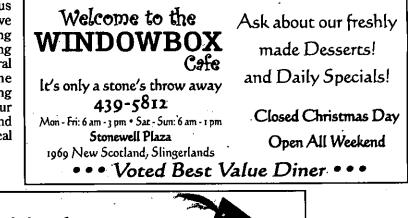
John and Christina Schmit of Delmar. and Daniel Rausch, son of John and Janet Rausch of Guilderland, are engaged to be

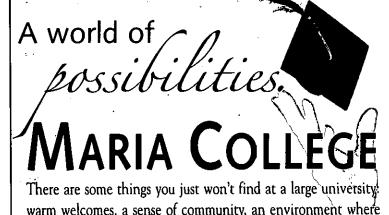
The bride-to-be is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and The College of Saint Rose, where she received a master's degree. She is a Spanish teacher with the

Andrea Schmit, daughter of Guilderland Central School District.

> The future groom is a graduate of Guilderland High School, Providence College and the University at Albany, where he recived a master's degree. He is a special education teacher with the Guilderland Central School District.

> The couple plan an Aug. 8 wedding.



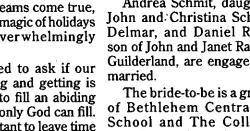


### Holy Names plans alumni hoops game

The Academy of the Holy Names will hold an alumni basketball game on Saturday, Dec. 27, at 3:35 p.m.

playing at 7 p.m. More than 30 players will participate in alumni the game. The school is at 1075 New

married.



The game will be held before Scotland Road, Albany. For the Holiday Hoop Tournament, information, call Allyson Shea at with the AHN varsity team

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# Entertainment Spotlight

By JACOUELINEM DOMIN Spotlight Newspapers domin@spotlightnews.com.

anielle Cuzdey's World of Dance students could hardly contain their excitement.

They had read that Proctors in Schenectady was hosting the national tour of "The Wizard of Oz," and it was looking for local kids to play Munchkins. The girls told Cuzdey's mom, who was at the front desk at the World of Dance in Colonie, that they would love to try out.

Cuzdey thought it was a great idea. She figured that it would be fun for the girls to have their first audition experience with their friends.

"I said, 'Oh my goodness, let's do it," she said.

The tour, which kicked off in October in Florida, was looking for 12 kids from an existing dance, choir or theater group. They had to be between 8 and 13 years old and not taller than 5 feet.

Cuzdev rounded up a dozen dancers who fit the bill, and they headed for Proctors on Nov. 22. There were more than 70 other kids there, so Cuzdey and her students didn't get their hopes up

"We went into it not expecting anything," Cuzdey said.

But when the auditions were over, the national tour Munchkin coordinator



# Little dancers get their big break in Oz

World of Dance students to play Munchkins when national production hits Proctors

announced the students from the World of Dance were selected to play the Munchkins. They'll share the stage with professional actors at Proctors Friday to Sunday, Dec. 26 to 28.

Cuzdey wasn't the only one surprised that the girls landed this opportunity. Caroline Kindlon of Guilderland, whose daughter, Amy, will be in the show, said she never imagined Amy would have the chance to be part of a national production

#### right here in the Capital District. admitted she's a little nervous

"I thought things like this only happened in New York City or California," Kindlon said. Kindlon's

daughter has been dancing since she was 4. Kindlon describes it as a "passion of hers." Amy has been in some dance

competitions, which Kindlon reasoned probably helped her battle butterflies during the tryout.

"She has had some experience getting over nerves," Kindlon said.

And besides, "The Wizard of Oz" is one of Amy's favorites.

This is a movie that she loves," Kindlon said.

As Munchkins, the girls will dance and do some singing, including the show's signature 'Ding Dong, the Witch is Dead." Cuzdey has gotten used to hearing her students sing the song even when they're not rehearsing for the show.

she's never taken the stage

at someplace as big as Proctors. She's excited,

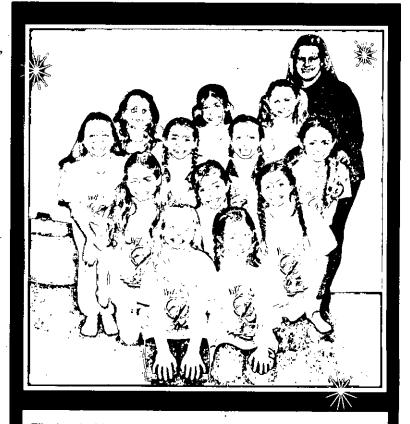
though, for the chance to meet Toto after the show, and she's enjoyed working with the professional actors. "They all

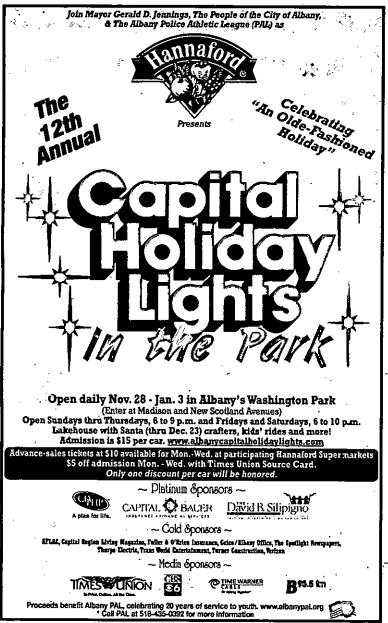
have been very nice to us," she said.

In addition to Jolie and Amy,

the girls playing Munchkins are Chezmin Sheehan, Hannah Valiquette and Allison Goetz of Clifton Park, Mackenzie Quinn of Guilderland, Brooke Colletti of Ravena, Whitney Wilson of Avrill Park, Elizabeth Deyo of Schenectady and Kayleigh McClean, Madison VanCott and Lauren Muia of Colonie.

The Wizard of Oz" will be held on the Mainstage at Proctors on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 26 and 27, at 2 and 7:30 p.m.; and Sunday, Dec. 28, at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$20, \$30, \$40 and \$50. To buy tickets, call Proctors' box office at 346-6204 or visit proctors.org.





"The kids are having a blast," she said. "They're giving me everything they've got."

They even managed to get together for rehearsal when the recent ice storm knocked out power to the dance studio. One of the girl's father's had built a small dance room in the basement of his house, so Cuzdey and the girls worked on their moves there.

Jolie Bell, a fifth-grader at Clarksville Elementary, knows that performing for friends and family is going to be different than dancing in front of thousands at Proctors. A dancer since she was 3, 10-year-old Jolie

The local girls appearing as Munchkins in the "Wizard of Oz" at Proctors theater are, front row, from left: Brooke Colletti and Mackenzie Quinn. Second row, kneeling: Lauren Muia, Kayleigh McClean and Whitney Wilson Third row: Jolie Bell, Amy Kindlon, Hannah Valiquette and Madison VanCott. Back row: Allison Goetz, Elizabeth Deyo, Chezmin Sheehan and World of Dance Co-Director Danielle Cuzdey.

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#### Theater

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#### NUNCRACKERS

From the people who brought you "Nunsense\* comes a Christmas-themed musical comedy, presented by C-R Productions, Cohoes Music Hall, 58 Remsen St., Cohoes, through Dec. 21, call for prices. Information 237-5858.

#### **SLEEPING BEAUTY**

A Japanese theater-inspired twist on classic fairy tale, presented by New York State Theatre Institute, Schacht Fine Arts Center, Russell Sage College, Troy, through Dec. 18, call for prices. Information, 274-3256.

#### **STRIKING 12**

Modern musical based on Hans Christian Anderson's The Little Match Girl, presented by Capital Repertory Theater, 111 North Pearl St., Albany, through Dec. 31, \$27-\$44. Information, 445-7469.

#### TOM, DICK AND HARRY

Cooney play, presented by Curtain Call through Jan. 3, call for prices. Information, 877-7529

#### Music

#### -COYOTE STRANGE

Acoustic classic rock duo, Dec. 19, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany, free. Information, 512-5100.

#### THE GOSPEL TRAIN

Historic American music, Dec. 19, 7 p.m., Java Jazz Cafe & Bakery, 318 Delaware Ave., Delmar, free. Information, 439-1727.

#### SWEET HONEY IN THE ROCK

A capella holiday concert, Dec. 19, 8 p.m., Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, corner of State and Second streets, Troy, \$33-\$39 adults, \$209 students. Information, 273-0038

#### SIMPLE THEORY

Folkified acoustic rock, Dec. 20, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany, free. Information, 512-5100.

#### ALBERT CUMMINGS

Blues master, from the Berkshires, Dec. 20, 8 p.m., Revolution Hall, 421-425 River St., Troy. Information, 274-0553.

Annual holiday concert featuring Bridget Ball and Christopher Shaw, Dec. 20, 8 p.m., and Dec. 21, 2 p.m., Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, corner of State and Second streets, Troy, \$20. Information, 273-0038.

MOUNTAIN SNOW AND MISTLETOE

#### THE FIGGS

Power pop bands, Dec. 20, 9 p.m., Valentine's, 17 New Scotland Ave., Albany.

AND CHARLIE WATTS RIOTS

Information, 432-6572.

#### Comedy WIT&WILL THEATRE

Presenting "Secret Santa and Other Holiday Espionage," a show of improvised comedy, song, dance and poetry, Dec. 20, 8 p.m., Zu Zu's Wonderful Life Inc., 299-301 Hamilton St., Albany, door prices \$12 adults, \$8 students/seniors; reservation prices \$10 adults, \$6 students/seniors. Information, 439-7698.

#### Visual Arts

#### NEW YORK STATE MUSEUM

"Art for the People: Decorated Stoneware Regional premiere of Ray and Michael from the Weitsman Collection," through fall 2009; "Invaders," through March; Theatre, 210 Old Loudon Road, Latham, plus permanent collections on the 9/11 recovery effort, New York state history and geography, Empire State Plaza, Madison Avenue, Information, 474-5877

#### **ALBANY INSTITUTE OF ART**

"Impressionist Giverny: American Painters in France, 1885-1915," through Jan. 4; plus "The Folk Spirit of Albany: Folk Art from the Colletcion of the Albany Institute of History and Art" and exhibits on Hudson River School painting, American sculpture and the history of Albany, 125 Washington Ave. Information, 463-4478.

#### SCHENECTADY MUSEUM

"Putting DNA to Work," through Jan. 25; "Hall of Transgenic Organisms of New York State," through Jan. 25; plus Spirit of Schenectady, collection highlights and planetarium, Noti Terrace Heights. Information, 382-7890.

#### ALBANY AIRPORT GALLERY

"A Remarkable Past: Objects of Outlandish Purpose and Astonishing Configuration," through March 29; "Repetitive Nature," in Concourse A gallery; "Air Craft," photos by Jeffrey Milstein; plus site-specific installations by Larry Kagan and Cara Nigro, as well as installations by Anthony Garner, Baris Karayazgan, Paul Katz, Nancy Klepsch and Victoria Palermo. Informa-

tion, 242-2243.

LOCAL COLOR ART GALLERY 'Fire and Ice," featuring paintings by Colonie Art League artists, through Jan. 31, 961 Troy Schenectady Road, Latham. Information, 786-6557.

#### NATIONAL MUSEUM OF DANCE

\*Dawn of Modern Dance: Music, Myth and Movement," exhibit chronicling the careers of Ruth St. Denis and Isadora Duncan, plus ongoing exhibits, 99 South Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information, 584-2225.

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"A Few Lines to Let You Know: Letters of the Civil War," through Sept. 4, 2009, 6 Charlton St., Ballston Spa. Information, 885-4000.

#### THE HYDE COLLECTION

\*First Impressions: Winslow Homer and the World of Printmaking," through Jan. 11: "California Impressionism: Paintings from the Irvine Museum," through Jan. 18; 161 North Warren St., Glens Falls. Information, 792-1761.

#### **CLARK ART INSTITUTE**

"Drawn to Drama: Italian Works on Paper, 1500-1800," through Jan. 4; 225 South St., Williamstown, Mass. Information, (413) 458-9545.

#### TANG TEACHING MUSEUM AND GALLERY

man: Third Person Singular," and "Maya

Murals: The Art of Power," through Jan. 4;

**ARKELL MUSEUM** 

"American Ruins," featuring Arthur Drook-

ers infrared photographs of historical ru-

ins across the United States, through Jan.

21: "Sleigh Bells, Green Fields and Falling

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spiration: the Marketing of Beech-Nut and

Art for the People," ongoing; Canajoharie.

Call for Artists

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Auditioning for April production of "God-

Information, 673-2314.

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#### Skidmore College, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information, 580-8080.

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

#### SUBURBAN SOUNDS COMMUNITY CHORUS

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

#### FRIENDSHIP SINGERS

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spell," Jan. 12 and 14, 6:30 p.m., Shenendehowa Senior Center, Clifton Common, New, informal, coed a cappella group in Clifton Park. Actors should prepare 32 Delmar, for adults and teens 16 and older. bars from a musical number performed Information, 439-0130. by the character they are interested in. and they should be ready to read from the script or improvise. Information, 877-

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The Spotlight



**NEW SCOTLAND** 

**PIONEER CLUBS** 

For children grades 1 through junior high;

Mountainview Evangelical Free Church,

Route 155, 3:45 - 5 p.m. Information,

YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS

United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New

Saturday, Dec. 27

BETHLEHEM

AA MEETING

First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, Route

Salem, 7 p.m. Information, 765-4410.

#### Wednesday, Dec. 24

#### BETHLEHEM

#### **DELMAR ROTARY**

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

#### 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 are 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.

**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.

#### CHENREZIG PRACTICE AND MEDITATION

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

#### ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave.,

Delmar, 7:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955. BINGO

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

**BOY SCOUT TROOP 58** (WHEN SCHOOL IS IN SESSION) Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Avenue, 7:30 to 9 p.m.

**BC SCHOOL BOARD** district office, 90 Adams Place, 7 p.m. Information, 439-7098.

**BETHLEHEM ELKS LODGE 2233** 1016 River Road (Route 144), Cedar Hill, 8 p.m. Information, 767-2886.

#### 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

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

### Thursday, Dec. 25

#### BETHLEHEM

**BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS** Bethlehern Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave.,

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12:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955.

YOUTH **EMPLOYMENT SERVICES** Parks and Recreation Office, Elm Avenue Park, 12:30-4:30 p.m. Information, 439-0503.

#### 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**

Friday, Dec. 26

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Room 101, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Dela-

ware Avenue, Delmar, 1-2 pm. Sponsored

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AA MEETING

First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, Route

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Friday services, discussion and kiddush

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Slingerlands Community Church, 1499 CHABAD CENTER New Scotland Road, noon, and Delmar Friday services, discussion and kiddush Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., at sunset, 109 Elsmere Ave. Information, 439-8280.

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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.

#### GLENMONT

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

#### Sunday, Dec. 28 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. Bethlehern Lutheran, Church, 85 Elm Ave., 439-4328.

Delmar Full Gospel Church, 292 Elsmere Ave., 439-4407.

Delmar Presbyterian Church, 585 Delaware Ave., 439-9252. Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware

Ave., 439-9929. Family of God Nazarene Church, Krumkill

Road at Blessing Road, North Bethlehem, 453-9953 First Church of Christ, Scientist, 555

Delaware Ave., 439-2512. First Reformed Church of Bethlehem, Route 9W. Selkirk, 767-2243. First United Methodist Church of Delmar,

428 Kenwood Ave., 439-9976. Glenmont Community Church, 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont 436-7710.

Gospel Fellowship, 10 Rockefeller Road, Delmar, 482-2132.

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

KTC Buddhist Center, Doane Stuart School, Route 9W, Albany,10 a.m. meditation, 11 a.m. tea, 11:30 a.m. study course, 374-1792

Mount Moriah Ministries, Route 9W, Glenmont, 426-4510. Slingerlands Community UMC, 1499 New Scotland Road, 439-1766.

Unity of Faith Christian Fellowship, 436 Krumkill Road, North Bethlehem, 438-7740.

**NEW SCOTLAND** 

#### WORSHIP INFORMATION

All Nation's Baptist Church, 2558 Western Ave. Guilderland, 475-9086, ESL and Bible classes, 9 a.m.; Worship Services, 10 a.m. Clarksville Community Church, Route

443 768-2916 Family Worship Center, 92 Lower Copeland Hill Road, Feura Bush, 768-2021

Faith Temple, New Salem, 765-2870. First United Methodist Church, 68 Maple Ave., Voorheesville, 765-2895,

Jerusalem Reformed Church, Route 32, Feura Bush, 439-0548. Mountainview Evangelical Free Church.

Route 155, Voorheesville, 765-3390,

Onesquethaw Reformed Church, Tarrytown Road, Feura Bush, 768-2133

New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Route 85. 439-6454.

St. Matthew's Church, Mountain View Road,

Voorheesville, 765-2805, Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware

Turnpike, 439-5001.

United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New Salem, 765-4410.DAY ---

### Monday, Dec. 29

#### BETHLEHEM

PEACE VIGIL Bethlehem Neighbors For Peace, weekly

peace vigil, Four Corners intersection, Delmar. 5-6 p.m., Information, 439-1968.

#### **DELMAR KIWANIS**

Normanside Country Club, 150 Sailsbury Rd., Delmar, 6:15 p.m. Information, call Chris at 439-3026 or Gary 439-9629

#### PLAYGROUP

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#### YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

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

#### DELMAR COMM. ORCHESTRA

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

#### AA MEETING

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 8:30 p.m.

#### **NEW SCOTLAND**

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

United Pentecostal Church, Route 85, New 7:15 p.m. Information

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Voorheesville Public Library, 51 School

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

Wednesday, Dec. 31

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study, 7 p.m. Information, 439-4314.

e-mail, info@drchurch.org.

Information, 374-1792.

Avenue, 7:30 to 9 p.m.

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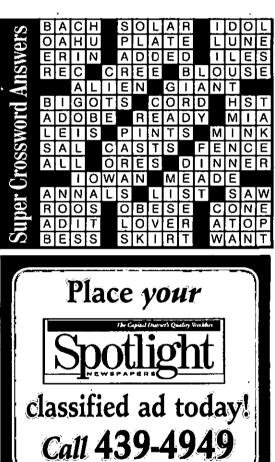
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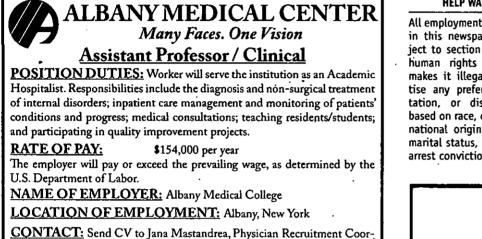
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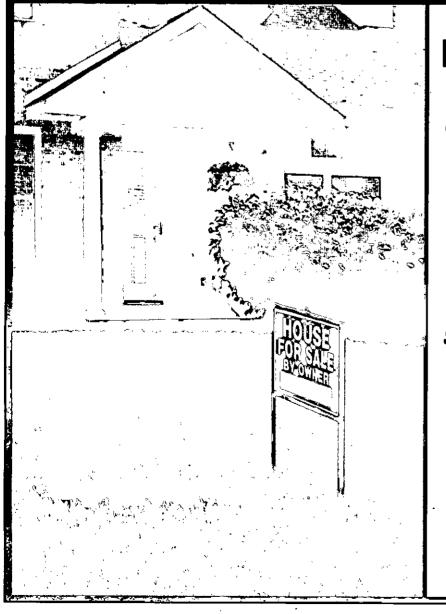
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ment of State, Division of Corporations, State Records and UCC, Albany, NY 12231, Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law, Name: ROUTE 85 EN-TERPRISES, LLC. Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 8/19/2008. The county is: Albany. The SOS is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The address within or without this state to which the SOS shall

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tion: Schenectady County.

SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon

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Notice of Formation of Calabar Consulting Group, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/07/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shail mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20003 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Eris

Acts of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/31/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to All-state Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20004 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Nasrin Wolf, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/04/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20005

(December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Evergreen Boiler Repairs, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/06/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1. Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20006

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Goldamigo.com, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of

#### LEGAL NOTICE LD-20012

York (SSNY) on 11/07/08. Office location: Albany County. (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: ELAD **BUILDERS LLC. Articles** of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/07/08. 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 Fe-lus, 600 Columbus Avenue, Apartment 7N, New York, New York 10024. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20013 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: Brewster Building, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 8/25/08. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to Brewster Building, LLC, c/o Patrick F. Mahoney, 79 North Pearl Street, 4th Floor, Albany, New York 12207.

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: BVB REALTY, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/13/08. 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, 17 Gregory Lane, Loudonville, New York 12211. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20015 LD-20015

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LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Jerusalem II Pizza, LLC. Arts Of Org, filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 09/04/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 1037 St. Lucille-Drive, Schenectady, New York 12303. Purpose: For any lawful ourpose. whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260 Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20016

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WASHINGTON LLC. Articles of Organization were LEGAL NOTICE filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) Notice of Formation of 807 Johns Realty LLC. Arts on 03/20/08. Office location: Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on Albany County, SSNY has 05/29/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: INRS LLC, Articles

of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/10/08. 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, 36 3rd Street, Apartment 4-R, Brooklyn, New York 11231 Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20022

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of DRRMNY, LLC a NYS LLC Formation filed with SSNY on 09/15/08. Off. Loc.: Al-bany Co. SSNY designated as agt. of LLC, upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to: The LLC, 41 State Street, Suite M104, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: Any Lawful purposes. LD-20023

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of BLUE JAY CONSULTING, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/07/08. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Illinois (IL) on 04/21/06. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207-2543. Address of principal office of LLC: 4700 Millenia Blvd., Ste.175, Orlando, FL 32839-6015. Arts. of Org. filed with Jesse White, Secy of State of IL, 213 State Capitol, Spring-field, IL 62756. Purpose: Any lawful activity. LD-20025

(December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: ODYS-SEY ENERGY SOLUTIONS LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/12/08. OFFICE LOCA TION: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to Odyssey Energy Solutions LLC, 12 Shanks Place, Detmar, New York 12054. PURPOSE: For any lawful purpose. LD-20027

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) The name of the LLC is Kim Rocky Point V LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on November 12, 2008. 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

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whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Robert Previto, Esq., 235 Brooksite Drive, Hauppauge, "New York State, Depart-New York 11788, Purpose: PREPAID LEGAL ASSIS-TANCE FOR NONPROFITS, PLLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 11/4/08. Office in Albany

Office location: Albany Coun- ty. SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Omni Housing Development LLC Attn I. Da-	County, SSNY desig, agent of PLLC upon whom pro- cess may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 272 Broadway, Albany, NY 12204, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: To practice law. LD-19992 (December 24, 2008)	state to which the SOS shall mail a copy of any process. against the LLC served: The LLC, 18 Darnley Greene, Delmar, NY, 12054. For any lawful purpose." LD-20001 (December 24, 2008)	amigo.com, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/25/08. Of- fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com- merce Plaza, 99 Washington	may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, Post Office Box 224, Parkville Station, Brooklyn, New York 11204. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20011 (December 24, 2008)	whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corpo- rate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20017 (December 24, 2008)	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/c
vid Swawite, 40 Beaver Str., Albany, NY 12207. Purpose:		LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of ARIS-	Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may	LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION	LEGAL NOTICE	Dean DeVito, 621 Columbia Street, Cohoes, New York
For any lawful purpose. LD-19983	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of SH	TOMACO REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT LLC. Arts.	be served: Alistate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza,	OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: ARIELL	Notice of Formation of AE2F Designs, LLC. Arts Of Org.	12047. LD-20028
(December 24, 2008)	BAKERY, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY	of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/18/02. Office location:	99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260.	CONSTRUCTION MAN- AGEMENT LLC. Articles	filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 07/10/08. Of-	(December 24, 2008)
LEGAL NOTICE	(SSNY) on 11/07/08. Office location: Albany County. LLC	Albany County. SSNY des- ignated as agent of LLC	Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20007	of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State	fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent	LEGAL NOTICE
Notice of formation of AHA SOUTH END II, LLC. Arts.	formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/31/08. SSNY designated	whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail	(December 24, 2008)	of New York (SSNY) on 11/07/08. Office location:	of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	NOTICE OF FORMATION
of Org. filed with NY Secy. of State(SSNY) on 5/9/2008.	as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be	process to: c/o The LLC, 46- State Street- 3rd Floor, Alba-	LEGAL NOTICE	Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of	SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corporate Svcs	COMPANY, NAME: MZNA CONSULTING LLC. Articles
Office location: Albany Coun- ty. SSNY is designated as	served. SSNY shall mail process to c/o Corporation		NOTICE OF FORMATION	the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	Corp., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste.	of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State
agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be	Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207-2543.	Services Inc. at the same address, Purpose: all lawful	OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: DREAM-	SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Fe-	1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity.	of New York (SSNY) or 10/03/08. The latest date of
served. SSNY shall mail process to: Albany Housing	DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400,		HOME TECHNOLOGIES DSC LLC. Articles of Orga- nization were filed with the	lus, 600 Columbus Avenue, Apartment 7N, New York,	LD-20018 (December 24, 2008)	dissolution is 12/31/2068. Of fice location: Albany County
Authority C/O Joseph M. Brennan, 200 S. Pearl Str.,	Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of	(December 24, 2008)	Secretary of State of New	New York 10024. Purpose: For any lawfu! purpose.		SSNY has been designate
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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, East 77th Street, Unit 239. New York, New York 10162. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20032

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: LION GATE AGAMI CAB LLC Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New

York (SSNY) on 11/07/08. 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. 404 East 66th Street, 7F New York, New York 10065. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20033

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: FOLISI **REALTY LLC. Articles of Or**ganization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/06/08. 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, 3 Monroe Place, Brooklyn, New York 11201. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20034

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Cathy-ann Collyer, OT, LMT, PLLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/28/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corpo-rate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Registered Ågent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: professions of Occupational and Massage Therapy.

LD-20036 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Paragon Die Cutting and Finish-ing, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/23/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Regis-tered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20037

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dovini LLC. Arts Of Org. filed. with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 08/06/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20039 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: I DON'T CARE EITHER, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/05/08. 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 Jylmas Productions Inc., 146 West 57th Street, Apartment 66E, New York, New York 10019. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20040

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of NEW WORLD MEDIA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/27/2008. Office location: Albany Coun-ty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Corporation Service Company, 80 State St., Al-bany, NY 12207, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Term: until 7/31/2058. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20041 生 (December 24, 2008)

#### **LEGAL NOTICE**

NOTICE OF ORGANIZA-TION OF ILMH, LLC On August 25, 2008, ILMH, LLC (the "LLC") filed Articles of Organization with the New York State Department of State. The offices of the LLC will be located in Albany County, New York. The New York Secretary of State has been designated as the agent upon whomprocess against the LLC may be served. The post office ad-dress to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against LLC is ILMH, LLC, c/o James B. Crane, II. Crane, Parente & Cherubin, 90 State Street, Albany, New York 12207. The LLC is organized for the purpose of providing a wide array of consultant services in connection with government public affairs, communication services, and any other lawful business. LD-20043

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NÓTICE OF FORMATION LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY.NAME: BRIDGE-

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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, 145 99th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11209. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20045 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 11 N. BROADWAY ASSOC., LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/12/08. 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, 11 North Broadway; Sche-nectady, New York 12305 Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20046 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: CAPS-CAR LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/12/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been desig-nated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 354 Humbolt Street, Brooklyn, New York 11211 Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20047 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: VIR-GINIA DAVIS DESIGN LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/20/08. Office loca tion: 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, 421 West 21st Street, #1D, New York, New York 10011. Purpose: For any lawful

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purpose. LD-20055

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CHARLEASE, LLC. Arts, of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/19/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 33 Lynn Drive, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20056

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Notice of Qualification of TALISAM, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/19/08. Office

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Delaware ("DE") on 10/1/08. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Park Strategies LLC, 101 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10178. Address of LLC: 160 Greentree Dr., Suite 101, Dover, Kent County, Delaware 19904. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Townsend Bldg., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20058

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: BISTRO CROSSING LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, November 19, 2008. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to c/o Equinox Compa-nies, 116 Wolf Road, Albany, New York 12205. LD-20059

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COM-PANY, NAME: PRESSBURG HOSPITALITY GROUP LLC Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/19/08. 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 Michael Seewald, 19-19 24th Avenue, #L116, Astoria, New York 11102. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. D-20061

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF PROFESSIONAL SER-VICE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: MID-WOOD DENTAL ASSOCI-ATES, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/28/08. 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 Wagshall, 2525 Nostrand Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11210. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Dentistry. LD-20063

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: 1512 WESTERN AVENUE AS-SOC., LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 10/03/08. Office location: Albany Coun-ty. SSNY has been desig-nated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 1512 Western Avenue, Albany, New York 12203.

#### LEGAL NOTICE

LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) lawful activities. on 07/30/08. Office location: LD-20075 Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process (December 24, 2008) against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 148 Old Notice of Formation of Las Ramblas Restaurant LLC. Loudon Road, Latham, New York 12110. Purpose: For

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any lawful purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: CIAO ANDIAMO, LLC. Articles Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/17/08. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2107. 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 15 Oaks Hunt Road, Great Neck, New York 11020. Purpose: For any lawful purpose LD-20070

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMA-TION OF LIMITED LIA-BILITY COMPANY, NAME: HARPEQUITIES, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/18/08. 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, 12-65 150th Street, Whitestone, New York 11357. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20072 (December 24, 2008)

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: KEVIN RAFFERTY PRODUC-TIONS, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/18/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been desig-nated as agent of the LLC Lounge LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/24/08. Ofupon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Susan H. Bodine, fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process c/o Cowan, DeBaets, Abrahams & Sheppard, LLP, 41 Madison Avenue, 34th Floor, New York, New York 10010. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20073

## LEGAL NOTICE

#### NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC Wetherbee Wealth Management, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on November 18, 2008. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom pro-cess may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC, at LLC, 54 State

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shall mail process to Ail-state Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-

merce Plaza, 99 Washington

Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent

upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza,

99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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INTERNATIONAL LLC. Arts.

of Org. was filed with SSNY on 04/24/02. Office loca-

tion: 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 Cor-porate Services Inc. at the

same address. Purpose: all

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Notice of Formation of MIR-OQ LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 11/21/08.

Office location: Albany Coun-ty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom pro-

cess against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to:

c/o The LLC, 46 State Street,

2nd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA

Corporate Services Inc. at 19 W. 34th St., # 1018, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: all

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against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to

Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-

merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Registered Agent

upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp.

Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260.

Purpose: any lawful activity.

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porate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of RUNZAB LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 11/21/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail activities. LD-20082

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of TEL VATA LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 11/21/08. 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-2nd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at 19 W. 34th Street, # 1018, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Eastern Pharma Associ-ates LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 11/09/07. LLC Formed in Delaware (DE) on 07/02/07. Office loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: C/O Allstate Corp Svcs., 341 Raven Circle, Wyoming, DE 19934. Arts. Of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20084

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Jump Trading, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY SSNY) on 11/7/08. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 9/29/06. 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 Avenue of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Address to be maintained in DE: 160 Greentree Dr., Ste. 101, Do-ver, DE 19904. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Do-ver, DE 19901 Purpose: lawful activities. LD-20085

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of DMK Realty Holdings LLC. Arts Of

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LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of LET-MIA LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 11/21/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as of LLC

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Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/24/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-

process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street, 2nd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at 19 W. 34th # 1018, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: all lawful

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Royal	STONE PROPERTIES LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)	on 03/17/05. SSNY desig-	Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20067 (December 24, 2008)	Street, 8th Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The street address of the principal business loca- tion is 54 State Street, 8th	cess against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street, 2nd Floor, Albany, NY 12207.	of NY (SSNY) on 06/13/08 Office location: Albany Coun- ty SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process
Virgin LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/10/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent.	on 11/14/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process	whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St.,	LEGAL NOTICE	Floor, Albany, NY 12207. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which lim- ited liability companies may	The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at 19 W. 34th St., # 1018, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: all	against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com- merce Plaza, 99 Washington
of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-	against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Ste- ven Goldstein, 335 Centrat Avenue, Lawrence, New York	Arts. of Org. filed with New	Notice of formation of Devine Driscoll LLC filed with Secy of State of NY on 10/13/2008. Office Location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent	be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act. LD-20074	lawful activities. LD-20080 (December 24, 2008)	Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp.
merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may	11559. Purpose: For any law- ful purpose. LD-20044 (December 24, 2008)	PO BOX 628, Trenton, NJ 08646-0628. Purpose: Any lawful activity. LD-20057	of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Devine Driscoll LLC,	(December 24, 2008)	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of OTS- MA LLC. Arts. of Org. was	Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20086
be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity.	LEGAL NOTICE	LEGAL NOTICE	48 Wendell St, Ravena NY 12143 LD-20068 (December 24, 2008)	Notice of Formation of SO- LARIS MANAGEMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 03/31/08. Office lo- cation: Albany County. SSNY	filed with SSNY on 11/21/08. Office location: Albany Coun- ty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom pro- cess against may be served.	(December 24, 2008)
LD-20038 (December 24, 2008)	OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 9824 4th AVENUE REALTY LLC. Articles of Or-	Notice of Qualification of THE COMPASS COMPANY CONSULTANTS, LLC. Au- thority filed with Secy. of	LEGAL NOTICE	designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC.	SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street, 2nd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA	Notice of Formation of ThA- LoveMovement, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/19/08.
LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Mon-	ganization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/12/08. Of-	State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/7/08. Office location: Al- bany County. LLC formed in	OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: CAR- LEEN'S A HAIR RETREAT,	46 State Street, 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207. The reg- istered agent is: USA Cor-	Corporate Services Inc. at 19 W. 34th St., # 1018, New York, NY 10001. Purpose: all	Office location: Albany Coun- ty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process

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against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20087 (December 24, 2008)

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Notice of Qualification of Tomasz and Grzegorz Con-struction, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 06/28/06. LLC Formed in Connecticut (CT) on 10/27/04. Office loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corporate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. CT-address of LLC: 19 Wardwell St., Stamford, CT 06902. Arts. Of Org. filed with CT. Secy. Of State, 30 Trinity St., Hartford, CT 06115. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20088

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Notice of Formation of HUDI Improvements, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State IY (SSNY) on 06/12/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Alistate Corpo-rate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20089

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Notice of Formation of Eurovision.426 Development, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/19/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20092

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Notice of Formation of 1470 Premium LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/09/08. Of-fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corporate Svcs

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Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: LD-20101 any lawful activity. (December 24, 2008)

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Notice of Formation of 9 Notice of Formation of 9 Judge Street LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/20/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. Purpose: any lawful activity LD-20104.

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#### Notice of Formation of Open Minded Concierge Of Southampton LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/03/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. urpose: any lawful activity. I D-20094 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 256 Jefferson Management LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/24/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Regis-tered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity.

LD-20095 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of KO-PRO LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/13/08. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Avenue of The Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-20096 (December 24, 2008)

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Notice of Formation of Albany Product Concepts. (December 24, 2008)

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LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of RL Air, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/12/08. Office ocation: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process SSNY shall mail process to Albert Tucker And As-sociates, LLC, 295 Madison Ave., Ste. 1010, New York, NY 10017. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza,

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Incognition LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 10/30/08. LLC Formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/18/06. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-

## vertownsGuide.com, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/17/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-

ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20106 (December 24, 2008)

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in Amer Darkroom, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on LD-20107

of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/21/08. Office location: NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: RZD.NY LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary Albany Co. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/07/08. Office location: 41 Great Jones St., 5th Fl., NY, NY 10012. Purpose:

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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

Ronald & Zorianna DeMilt, 455 East 86th Street, Apart-

ment 29D, New York, New

York 10028: Purpose: For

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NOTICE OF FORMA-TION OF LIMITED LIABIL-ITY COMPANY. NAME: 7

GRAMMES COFFEE LLC.

Articles of Organization were

filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on

11/18/08. The latest date of

dissolution is 12/31/2075. 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, c/o O'Connell, 215 Mott

Street, #D2, New York, New York 10012. Purpose: For

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NOTICE OF FORMATION

OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: JOHN-

SON WATERFORD LLC.

Articles of Organization were

filed with the Secretary of State of NewYork (SSNY)

on 11/13/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has

been designated as agent of

the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.

any lawful purpose.

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SNY shall mail a copy of

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OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY.NAME: B. PARK-

WAY REALTY LLC. Articles

of Organization were filed

with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on

11/25/08. 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, 1530 East 22nd Street, Brooklyn,

New York 11210. Purpose

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OF LIMITED LIABILITY

COMPANY. NAME: NEW

Articles of Organization were

filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/25/08. The latest date of

dissolution is 12/31/2108. Of-

fice location: Albany County.

For any lawful purpose.

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MTB LLC.

any lawful purpose.

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any lawful purpose.

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any lawful activities.

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LD-20112

Notice of Qualification of Cincinnati Intermediaries, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/16/08. Office location: Al-bany County. LLC formed in Ohio (OH) on 4/25/05. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Incorp Services, Inc., One Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 805-A, Albany, NY 12210-2822. Address to be maintained in OH: 3975 Erie Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45208. Arts. of Org. filed with OH Secy. Of State, 180 Broad St., 15th Fl., Columbus, OH 43215. Purpose: any lawful activities LD-20113

(December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Universal Debt Recovery, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/6/08. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Colorado (CO) on 3/2/08. 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 Avenue of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Address to be maintained in DE: 280 E. Colfax Ave., Suite #3, Bennett, CO 80102. Arts. of Org. filed with CO Secy. Of State, 1700 Broadway, Ste. 200, Denver, CO 80290. Pur-pose: any lawful activities. LD-20114

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF COTTAGE ROW LLC Notice is hereby given of Cottage Row LLC as a limted liability company. The date of filing of the Articles of Organization with the New York State Secretary of State was November 26, 2008. The county in which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany. The Secretary of State has been designated as the agent of the Company upon whom process against it may be served and the post office address within this state of the Company where the Secretary of State shall send a copy of any process served on it is c/o Nigel D. Johnson, 23 Myrtle Avenue, Albany, New York 12202, such address being the street address of the principal business location of the Company. The Company has no registered agent or specific date of dissolution. The Company is organized for all ourposes permitted under the laws of the State

of New York, Filer: The

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#### Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11217. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20122 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: J & A CENTRAL BAKING LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/26/08. 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 Ira Lampert, 31 Fountain Lane, Jericho, New York 11753. Purpose: For any

lawful purpose. LD-20123 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: RAP-PEPORT METS TICKETS, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/01/08. 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 Howard Rich, 73 Spring Street, Suite 408, New York, New York 10012. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20124

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 1010 WINES LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)

process to the LLC, 427 New Karner Road, Albany, New on 11/26/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has York 12205. Purpose: For been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 9 Ro-chelle Drive, Kendall Park, New Jersey 08824. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20125 NOTICE OF FORMATION

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Notice of Formation of Jamaica Park LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/21/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any tawful activity. LD-20126

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Notice of Qualification of AFAR MEDIA LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY

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Delaware (DE) on 10/22/08. SSNY designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Avenue of the Americas, Stè. 501, NY, NY 10001, also registered agent. Address of the principal office: Nuprecon/CST Holdings, LLC, 1700 Seventh Ave., Ste. 2300, Seattle, WA 98101. Name/address of genl. ptr. available from SSNY. Cert. of LP filed with DE Secy. of State, John G. Townsend Bldg., Ste. 401, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-20128

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of ES-ATTO LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 11/25/08. 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, State Street, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-20129

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of BROTHER LIGHTS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 11/26/08. 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 ame address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-20130

(December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION LIMITED LIABILITY OF COMPANY Name: Pryde Rock Properties, LLC (LLC). Articles of Organization filed with NY Dept. of State on 12/2/08. Office location: Albany County. NY Secretary of State (SOS) is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to 11 Rosemont Street, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. LD-20133

(December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: ENTER-PRISE 60 WEST LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/02/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LL C upon whom process the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Peter J. Tarantino CPA, 225 Croyton Terrace, Milton, Georgia 30004. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/29/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to All-state Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity.

merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. DE address of LLC: 12260. DE address of LLC: C/O Allstate Corp Svcs., 341 Raven Circle, Wyoming, DE 19934. Arts. Of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity LD-20105 (December 24, 2008) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Ri-

Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415,	LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with		DiFabio Law Firm, P.C., 4	as agent of the LLC upon	(SSNY) on 11/24/08. Office location: Albany County.	(December 24, 2008)
Albany, NY 12207. Regis- ered Agent upon whom, process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp. 41 State St., Ste. 415,	Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/20/08. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY desig- nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of GC- 5 Realty LLC. Arts Of Org.	Automation Lane, Suite 100, Albany, New York 12205. LD-20115 (December 24, 2008)	whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 872 Madison Avenue,	LLC formed in Arizona (AZ) on 4/6/06: SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be	LEGAL NOTICE
Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20091 (December 24, 2008)	be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 44 Oak Tree Lane, Niskayuna, NY 12309. Purpose: any lawful activities.	filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/05/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom	LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY	Suite 2A, New York, New York 10021. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20121 (December 24, 2008)	served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corpora- tion System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process	OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: ENTER- PRISE 38 LLC.Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New
LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Wood-	LD-20098 (December 24, 2008)	process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corpo- rate Svcs. Corp., 41 State	COMPANY, NAME: DEMAR EQUITIES I LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New	LEGAL NOTICE	may be served. Principal of- fice of LLC: 40 Gold Street, San Francisco, CA 94133. Arts. of Org. filed with AZ	York(SSNY) on 12/02/08. Of- fice location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon
ake G-10 LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 08/09/07. Of- fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of MT- TAQ Productions, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/7/08. Office location: Al-	St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corpo- rate Svcs. Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful	York (SSNY) on 10/14/08. 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	NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: BG CHI- CAGO REALTY, LLC. Ar- ticles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)	Corp. Commission, 1300 W. Washington , Phoenix, AZ 85005. Purpose: all lawful purposes. LD-20127 (December 24, 2008)	whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Peter J. Tarantino CPA, 2475 Northwinds Parkway, Suite 200, Alpharetta, Geor- gia 30009. Purpose: For any
SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Regis-	bany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom	activity. LD-20108 (December 24, 2008)	the LLC, 150-11 7th Avenue, Whitestone, New York 11357. Purpose: For any lawful pur- pose.	on 11/20/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of	lawful purpose. LD-20137 (December 24, 2008)
lered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415,	cess to: The LLC, 601 West 26th St., Ste. 1762, NY, NY 10001. Purpose: any lawful activities.	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Can-	(D-20116 (December 24, 2008)	against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Zelig Bergman and Martin Goldin, c/o The Goldin Group 25 8th	Marcor Environmental, L.P. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/2/08. Office location: Al- bany County LP formed in	LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION

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COMPANY, NAME: WAL-RUS CONSULTING, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/02/08. 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 Indian Terrace, Kings Park, New York 11754. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-201397 (December 24, 2008)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY NAME: HACKEL FAMILY

ASSOCIATES, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/26/08. Office local tion: 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 Henry Hacket, 179 East 70th Street, New York, New York 10021. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20140

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) The name of the LLC is ROCKY POINT HARBOR BASIN LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Sec-retary of State on November 24, 2008. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any law-ful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Sec-retary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is c/o Dean DeVito, 621 Columbia Street, Cohoes, New York 12047. LD-20152

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Name: COLUMBIA QC DOLSON LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, Decem-ber 4, 2008. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 302 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12203. LD-20154

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of True North Operations Group, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec y of State (SSNY) 6/10/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of with SSNY 07/30/08 Off. 12/05/08. Office location: merce Plaza, 99 Washington Loc in Albany Co. SSNY Albany County LLC formed Ave. Sto 1009 Washington designated as agent of LLC = upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 69A Rose Ct, Albany, NY 12209. Purpose: Any lawful

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: LEVEL 10 FACILITY SERVICES, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State

New York (SSNY) on 11/13/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, c/o Nicholas J. Ruvolo, 207 Barlow Avenue, Staten Island, New York 10308. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20159

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: TRAA DEVELOPMENT LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/25/08. 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, 151-55 22nd Avenue, Whit-estone, New York 11357. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20160

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: DES-PINA REALTY, LLC. Ar-ticles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 11/20/08. Office location: Albany County, SSNY has been designated

as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may NOTICE OF FORMATION ube served. SSNY shall mail a OF A DOMESTIC LIMIT (copy of process to the LLC, ED LIABILITY COMPANY 20-59 29th Street, Astoria, New York 11105. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20161

(December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: KID-VILLE EAST CHELSEA, LLC. Articles Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/05/08. 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, 163 East th Street, New York, New York 10028. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20162

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07/19/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be Svcs., 1. Commerce Plaza, served. SSNY shall mail 99 Washington Ave., Ste. process to c/o Corporation. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Service Co., 80 State St., Purpose: any lawful activity. purposes. Service Co., 80 State St., Purpose: any lawful activi LD-20158 Albany, NY. 12207-2543. LD-20170 (December 24, 2008) NC address of LLC: One, (December 24, 2008) Wachovia Center, Ste. 3500;

Charlotte, NC 28202-6037. Arts. of Org. filed with Dept. of the Secy. of State of NC, 2 S. Salisbury St., Raleigh, NC 27601-2903. Purpose: Any lawful activity. LD-20164 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Cor nerstone Conservation, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/21/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to All-state Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. /cs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. urpose: any lawful activity. LD-20166

#### LEGAL NOTICE

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Notice of Formation of Fulton Capital Partners, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/02/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY mail process to Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave.; Ste. 1008, Albany, NY, 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20167

(December 24, 2008)

Notice of Formation of HYK-53 Realty LLC. Arts Of Org. LEGAL NOTICE filed with Secs. Of State of A NY (SSNY) on 09/21/07. Of Notice of Formation of NOof LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corporate Svcs Corp., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20168 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Raytheon Performance LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 08/01/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC

Albany County. LLC formed Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY in North Carolina (NC) on 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp.

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of AS MY WHIMSEY TAKES ME, LLC, a domestic LLC. Arts of Org. filed with the SSNY on 11/24/08. Office loca tion: Albany County, SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: The LLC 180 Lenox Ave, Albany, NY 12208. Registered agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served: Anna C. Taaffe, 180 Lenox Ave, Albany, NY 12208. Pur-pose: Any Lawful Purpose LD-20172

(December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of GEN-LEES LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 12/05/08. 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-20173

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of RON-MO LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 12/05/08. Office location: Albany Coun-12260. Registered Agent ty. SSNY designated as upon whom process may 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. 6

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fice location: Albany County, DROD LLC Arts, of Org. was SSNY designated as agent filed with SSNY on 12/05/08. Office location: Albany Coun-ty.~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-20175

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of GI-YLO LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 12/05/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to:

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Notice of Qualification of ROCK CREEK REALTY CAPITAL LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY CONVC of 200000 (SSNY) on 12/09/08. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 11/14/08. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to c/o Corporation Service Co., 80 State St., Albany, NY ,12207-2543. DE address of LLC: 2711 Centerville Rd., Ste. 400, Wilmington, DE 19808. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, Townsend Bldg., 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: Any lawful activity. . LD-20178

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 6810, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/01/08. 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, 6810 14th Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11219. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

LD-20179 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF PROFESSIONAL SER-VICE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: SCOTT AMER, D.M.D. PLLC, Articles of Organization were filed with the

Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/01/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been desig-nated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall, mail a copy of process to the PLLC, c/o Scott Amer, 1551 Broadway, Hewlett, New York 11557. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of Dentistry. LD-20180

(December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING OF AN LLC On 12/10/2008, Seven Seas Abstract, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secre-tary 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 Seven Seas Abstract. LLC, at the street address of the principal business location, 4 British American Blvd., Albany, 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-20181

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Albany County. SSNY has been designated same as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may ~ the office of Clough Harbour be served. SSNY shall mail a ` & Associates LLP, III Winners copy of process to the LLC, 140 Elm Drive, East Hills, New York 11576. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20183 (December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Please take notice that the organizational meeting for the Slingerlands Fire District of the Town of Bethlehem, County of Albany, New York, will be held on the 6th day of January, 2009, at 7:30 p.m. on that day at the Slinger-lands Firehouse, 1520 New Scotland Road, Slinger-lands, New York 12155. This notification is being given to the new media pursuant to the provisions of Section 174(2) of the Town Law of the State of New York. The requtar monthly meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Slingerlands Fire District will immediately follow the Organizational meet-ing. By order of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Slingerlands Fire District. Gayle Griffiths, Secretary Slingerlands Fire District. LD-20184

(December 24, 2008)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMA-TION OF LIMITED LIA-BILITY COMPANY, NAME: HEALTHY WISDOM LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/09/08. 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 Bru-mett, 365 West 25th Street, #18G, New York, New York 10001. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20185

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS TRANSMITTER REPLACE-MENT PROJECT CON-TRACT 1 TOWN OF BETH-EHEM ALBANY COUNTY, NY Notice is hereby given that the Town of Bethlehem hereby invites sealed bids for the Transmitter Replacement Project for Water District No. 1 with work located at the Town's existing Water Treat-ment plant, off New Salem South Rd, in Voorheesville, New York Sealed bids will be received by the Town of Bethlehem at the Bethlehem Town Clerks Office, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054 until 2:00 p.m., on Thursday, January 15, 2009, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Bids shall be addressed to Mr. John H. Cunningham, Supervisor, Town of Bethle-hem, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York 12054. Bids shall be in sealed envelopes which shall bear on the face thereof, the name and address of the bidder and subject of the bid. All bids must be made on the official Bid Form or an exact copy by reproduction thereof and enThe Spotlight

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with the transmitter replace ment. Drawings and Specifi-cations may be examined at

Circle, Albany, New York and at the Town of Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York 12054. Complete sets of the drawings, specifications and bid forms may be obtained from Clough Harbour & Associates LLP, III Winners Circle, Albany, New York 12205, in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders. Contract Documents will be provided electronically on Compact Disc (CD) in pdf format and may be obtained by faxing a request to (518) 453-4773. There will be no cost for the CD or shipping via USPS media mail. Also, the CD does not need to be returned. The successful Bidder will be required to furnish construction performance and payment bonds in the full amount of the contract price. The successful bidder will be required to comply with all provisions of the Federal Government Equal Employment Opportunity clauses issued by the 21, 1968 and published in the Federal Register (41CFR Part 60-1, 33 F2 7804). The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities in and/or to reject any or all bids and the right to disregard all nonconforming, non-re-sponsive or Conditional Bids. ENGINEER OWN-ER CLOUGH HARBOUR &

ASSOCIATES LLP III Winners Circle Albany, NY 12205 Phone: (518) 453-4500 TOWN OF BETHLEHEM Town Hall 445 Delaware Avenue Del-mar, NY 12054 Phone: (518) 439-4955 TOWN OF BETH-EHEM Kathleen A. Newkirk, MMC, RMC TOWN CLERK

Dated: December 12, 2008 LD-20189 (December 24, 2008)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: TXT

LLC. Articles of Organization, were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/09/08. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2109. 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 Michael Lebowitz, 415 East 37th Street, Suite 8C, New York, New York 10016. Purpose: For, any lawful purpose. LD-20192

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: 126 LEX-INGTON, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the ganization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/09/08. The latest date of dissolu-tion is 12/31/2058. 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 LLC, New For

Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-20155 (December 24, 2008)	LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A	it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to All- state Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-	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	OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: SNOR- ING ISN'T SEXY LLC. Ar- ticles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of	closed in a sealed envelope. Original and One Copy shall be Submitted. This is a lump sum bid as described in the Instructions to Bidders. No	copy of process to the LLC, 126 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York, Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20193
	DOMESTIC LIMITED LI- ABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: CHUCK SOHL	12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp.	LD-20176 (December 24, 2008)	State of NewYork (SSNY) on 12/03/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has	Bidder may withdraw his bid within forty-five calendar days after the actual date of the opening thereof. Each	(December 24, 2008)
Notice of Formation of School Aid Specialists LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 11/3/08. Of-	BASEBALL, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, Oc- tober 17, 2008. Purpose:	99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260.	LEGAL NOTICE	been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of	bid must be accompanied by a bid security in the amount of five percent of the base bid	LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY
fice location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process	to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State	Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-20169 (December 24, 2008)	Notice of Formation of LAY- TA LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 12/05/08. Of- fice location: Albany County.	process to the LLC, 315 East 70th Street, #7H, New York, ' New York 10021. Purpose:	in accordance with Instruc- tions to Bidders The work includes providing all labor,	COMPANY. NAME: 568 AL- BANY AVE., LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with
against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 1366 Berne Al-	is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 10 Friar Tuck Road, Albany,	LEGAL NOTICE	SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall	For any lawful purpose. LD-20182 (December 24, 2008)	materials, machinery, tools, equipment and other means of construction necessary and incidental to the comple-	the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/09/08. Of- fice location: Albany County.
tamont Rd., Altamont, NY 12009. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-20156	NY 12203. LD-20163 (December 24, 2008)	Padula Enterprises LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secv.	mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State Street, 3rd Floor, Albany, NY 12207.		tion the work shown on the plans and described in these specifications including, but	SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall
(December 24, 2008)	LEGAL NOTICE	12/04/08. Office location:	The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities	NOTICE OF FORMA- TION OF LIMITED LIABIL- ITY COMPANY, NAME: AC	not necessarily limited to the following: Furnishing and installing six (6) transmitters	mail a copy of process to the LLC, 568 Albany Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11207.
LEGAL NOTICE Notice of formation of CW	Notice of Qualification of TURKINGTON USA, LLC. Authority filed with Secy.	upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY	LD-20177 (December 24, 2008)	CAPITAL GROUP LLC. Ar- ticles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of	at the water treatment plant. Remove and dispose of six (6) mercury filled transmit- ters. All related electrical and	Purpose: For any lawful pur- pose. LD-20194
Bliss LLC art. of org. filed	of State of NY (SSNY) on	state Corp. Svcs., 1 Com-	-94e	State of New York (SSNY) on 11/26/08. Office location:	mechanical work associated	(December 24, 2008)

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Clockwise from top left: Colonie Little League's Jordan Johnson leaps to make a catch at the fence on Mike Graves' fly ball during the District 13 Championship — a game Graves and his Tri-Village Little League teammates won 8-6, but a play that wound up on ESPN SportsCenter's "Top 10 Plays;" Delmar native Mike Leveille celebrates with his Syracuse University lacrosse teammates after winning the NCAA title; Bethlehem's Sarah Fudin scores y a goal in a game against Guilderland; Bethlehem's Mike Nash throws a pitch in a Suburban Council game at Ballston Spa.

Photos by Robert Goo (Johnson, Graves and Fudin), Rob Jonas (Nash) and Syracuse University 🕨

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: BROOK-LYN HEIGHTS WINE BAR LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/12/08. Office loca-tion: 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 James Montemarano, 42 Henry Street, Brooklyn, New York 11201. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

#### ITY COMPANY, NAME: 944 KINGS LLC.

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Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/12/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LL C upon whom process 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, 320 Shore Boulevard, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. I D-20197 LD-20197

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on 12/12/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has 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, 231 Beaumont Street, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20199 (December 24, 2008)

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SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 231 Beaumont Street, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20201 (December 24, 2008)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: 172 U LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/12/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of

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OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: 1627 EAST 18 LLC. Articles of Or-ganization were filed with the

Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/12/08. Office location: Albany Coun-

ty. SSNY has been desig-nated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against

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OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: 1208 ST. NICHOLAS LLC. Articles of Organization were ticles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/12/08. 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, 231 Beaumont Street, Brooklyn, New York 11235 Purpose New York 11235. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-20206

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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-20208

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of AZAR 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 process to: c/o The

c/o James Montemarano, 42 Henry Street, Brooklyn, New York 11201. Purpose: For	(December 24, 2008)	NOTICE OF FORMA- TION OF LIMITED LIABIL-	of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/12/08. Office location:	it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the	For any lawful purpose. LD-20206 (December 24, 2008)	fice I SSN LLC
any lawful purpose. LD-20195	LEGAL NOTICE	ITY COMPANY. NAME: 435 KINGS LLC." Articles of Organization were	Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process	LLC, 231 Beaumont Street, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose: For any lawful		may mail
(December 24, 2008)	NOTICE OF FORMA- TION OF LIMITED LIABIL-	filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)	against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of	purpose. LD-20204	NOTICE OF FORMATION	LLC Floo
LEGAL NOTICE	ITY COMPANY. NAME: 801 KINGS LLC. Articles of Organization were	on 12/12/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of	process to the LLC, 231 Beaumont Street, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose:	(December 24, 2008)	OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: 1122 U	The Corp the s
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY	filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)	the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	For any lawful purpose LD-20202.	LEGAL NOTICE	LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)	all la LD-2
COMPANY. NAME: 1994 CENTRAL AVENUE AS-	on 12/12/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has	SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 320	(December 24, 2008)	NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY	on 12/12/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has	(Dec
SOC., LLC. Articles of Or- ganization were filed with the Secretary of State of New	been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	Shore Boulevard, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.	LEGAL NOTICE	COMPANY. NAME: 1408 CONEY ISLAND LLC. Ar- ticles of Organization were	been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process	
York (SSNY) on 12/12/08. Office location: Albany Coun-	SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 320	LD-20200 (December 24, 2008)	NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY	filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)	against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 320	Noti DEA
ty. SSNY has been desig- nated as agent of the LLC	Shore Boulevard, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose:		COMPANY. NAME: 1654 SHEEPSHEAD BAY LLC.	on 12/12/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has	Shore Boulevard, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose:	Org. on 3 Alba
upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the	For any lawful purpose. LD-20198 (December 24, 2008)	LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION	Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)	been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	For any lawful purpose. LD-20207	igna
LLC, 24 Mathers Avenue, Schenectady,	(December 24, 2008)	OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: 1819	on 12/12/08, Office location: Albany County, SSNY has	SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 231	(December 24, 2008)	be s proc
New York 12304. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.		KINGS LLC. Articles of Organization were	been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process	Beaumont Street, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose:	LEGAL NOTICE	46 S Alba
LD-20196 (December 24, 2008)	NOTICE OF FORMA- TION OF LIMITED LIABIL- ITY COMPANY. NAME: 720	filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/12/08, Office location:	against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 231	For any lawful purpose. LD-20205	Notice of Formation of MIL- DERATE LLC. Arts. of Org.	ister pora sam
LEGAL NOTICE	KINGS LLC. Articles of Organization were	Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of	Beaumont Street, Brooklyn, New York 11235. Purpose:	(December 24, 2008)	was filed with SSNY on 3/05/08. Office location: Al- bany County. SSNY des-	lawfu LD-2
NOTICE OF FORMA- TION OF LIMITED LIABIL-	filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY)	the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	For any lawful purpose. LD-20203		ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may	(Dec
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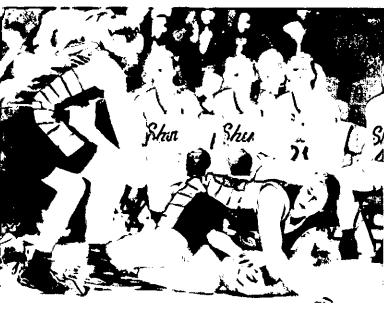
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ce of Formation of NSGATE LLC. Arts. of was filed with SSNY 3/05/08. Office location: iny County. SSNY dested as agent of LLC me process against may served. SSNY shall mail cess to: c/o The LLC, State Street, 3rd Floor, any, NY 12207. The reg-red agent is: USA Cor-tic Santiac large to the set the te Services Inc. at the e address. Purpose: all ul activities. 20210 ember 24, 2008)



# **THE YEAR IN PICTURES**







Clockwise from top left: Guilderland's Tony Campagnano tumbles over a Bethlehem player; Guilder-land's Drew Smith is fouled by a Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake player; Bethlehem's Sean Murphy is met by two Guitderland defenders; Bethlehem's Jake Platel clears the bar at the Engineer Games; Bethle-Mohonasen defenders; Guilderland's Mike Farragon competes and a Bethlehem player fights for the basketball in a Suburban



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