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## '4Wheeling 4Healing'

Charity provides off-road rides for children with illnesses.

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### Lending a paw

With her soft brown eyes looking on with encouragement, Solange patiently listens to a third-grader read his book. She never judges and always listens.

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### Festa Italiana!

This year's Festa Italiana, presented by the center's Italian American Heritage Foundation, "is going to be bigger and better than ever," said Santa Pasquini, a member of the festival committee. It's slated for Friday, July 31, and Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 1 and 2, at the center, 257 Washington Ave. Extension.

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### Liberty Tour fills ESG void

To help fill the ESG void, track-and-field athletes traveled to Queensbury for the first annual Liberty Tour Empire State Championship

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## Burned body found in Selkirk

**Second charred body in eight months found near Henry Hudson Town Park**

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Bethlehem police are investigating the discovery of a burned

body found late Thursday, July 23, near a burning car on Lyons Road by the Henry Hudson Town Park in Selkirk.

However, police are ruling out homicide at this time.

Lieutenant Thomas Heffernan said after hearing his detectives report, the Bethlehem police are

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Police investigate the scene of a fatality after a local man was found burned to death on the evening of Thursday, July 23, on Lyons Road near the Henry Hudson Town Park.

Tom Heffernan Sr./Spotlight

## They call him Mr. Selkirk



Ronald Selkirk, center, stands at the newly minted New York state historical marker that was unveiled on Saturday, July 25, along with former Bethlehem Historical Association president, Susan Haswell, (left) and Bethlehem town historian Susan Leath (right). The marker honors his great-great-great grandfather who served in the Revolutionary war and founded the hamlet that bares his family's name.

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## Cunningham goes for WFP line

**WFP member challenges Cunningham's petitions**

By JARRETT CARROLL  
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Two objections have been filed in Bethlehem races on both the Working Families Party and the Independence Party lines against Supervisor Jack Cunningham and his slate for running in the fall elections.

### EXCLUSIVE

Independence Party Councilman Sam Messina is challenging Cunningham, a Democrat, for supervisor and is cross-endorsed by the Republican, Conservative and Working Families parties after his own party endorsed Cunningham.

The two are set to face off in September in a primary for the Independence line after Messina petitioned for it. On Wednesday, July 22, Cunningham filed an for opportunity to ballot on the Working Families Party line against Messina, which if accepted by the board of elections would allow party members to write in a candidate.

According to documents obtained by *The Spotlight*, a Working Families Party member filed an objection against Cunningham's opportunity to ballot form the same day Cunningham filed it. The Independence Party member objection was filed on

## Delmar Pointe Condos changes layout

**Town's planning division calls new plans 'an improvement'**

By JARRETT CARROLL  
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A Planned Development District proposal called Delmar Pointe has changed its plans to build a number of condominiums along Delaware Avenue just past

Bethlehem High School.

Developers told the planning board they still intend to build condos - more, in fact - but they have altered the project's layout and eliminated three of the four proposed single-family homes.

Joe Bianchine of ABD Engineers updated the board on Tuesday, July 21, and said the "current economic climate" had motivated some of the changes, as did the town's suggestions at previous meetings in 2008.

"There will be a density of about 4.3 units per acre," Bianchine said. "The buildings will be two stories and contain units between 1,400 and 1,600 square feet"

Micheal Morelli, the town's director of economic development and planning, said the site contains 23.5 acres of land and is located about one-quarter of a mile west of the high school on

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# Police Blotter

## Police arrest man after bout with officer

Guelderland Police arrested Dennis P. Rivenburg, 51, of 3728 Carman Rd. in Schenectady, on several charges, including felony assault with intent to cause physical injury to an officer, on Monday, July 13, according to police.

Rivenburg was also charged with trespassing, escape in the third degree and harassment in the second degree, after he allegedly caused a disturbance in the Serafini Building, located at 3724 Carmen Rd.

Upon police arrival, the report states, Rivenburg was yelling at Angelo Serafini and shouting profane language.

Police also said they heard the sound of broken glass, and described the suspect as "irate and intoxicated." When Rivenburg was asked to put his hands on his head, he allegedly raised his arms "like he wanted to fight," police said.

After complying, Rivenburg was said to have dropped to his knees after a handcuff was placed on his right arm and attempted to tackle the arresting officer. The report states that the officer regained control of his left arm, but Rivenburg still did not comply with orders to put his right arm behind his back. A struggle ensued and mace was used, however Rivenburg

continued to resist.

With the help of Serafini, police were able to get hand cuffs on both hands. Officer Joseph Normadin, the arresting officer and victim of the alleged attack, was treated at Albany Medical Center for pain and swelling in his forearm.

The suspect was decontaminated at the Guelderland police station, and complained of chest pains, which were addressed by EMS.

He was placed in a Western Turnpike Ambulance. He then allegedly spit in another officer's right eye and ear.

Rivenburg was transported to the Albany Medical Center for evaluation and arraigned on Thursday, July 23, the report states.

### Other arrests

• Kevin A. Core, 18, of 822 River Road, Glenmont; Ramiro S. Vasquez, 17, of 48 Dareka St., Amityville; Gentry D. Anderson, 18, of 33 Mirin Ave., Roosevelt; and Valdy J. Delgado, 17, of 115 Colonial Dr., Kingston, were all arrested Thursday, July 23.

The four youths resided at the Glenmont Job Corps and were charged with third-degree grand larceny, a felony; fifth-degree conspiracy; improper license

plates; unlicensed operation of a motor vehicle; and parking on pavement.

Bethlehem Police said a resident called and reported "two youths" on his property and saw Anderson and Core "run from the property and meet up with a third youth [Delgado] and all get into a grey Jeep" and drive north on River Road.

The caller then followed the Jeep but just before Corning Hill Road it pulled to the side of the roadway and stopped, according to the arrest reports. Four people then got out of the vehicle and approached the caller's vehicle causing him to back up his vehicle just before they "ran into the woods."

Another police officer arrived on the scene and found the Jeep on River Road, which was not locked but no keys were found, the report states.

Police said they discovered the license plates on the jeep did not match the vehicle, which were later determined to be U.S. government issued plates from another vehicle at the Glenmont Job Corps.

"A check of the nearby railroad tracks turned up negative for the suspects," the arrest reports state, and the Jeep was towed.

Officers checking at the Glenmont Job Corps later

## Rush-hour ruckus



A head-on collision between two cars, occurred during rush hour traffic on Tuesday, July 21, at the corner of Adams Street and Kenwood Avenue. Bethlehem police and emergency crews arrived on the scene as officers directed traffic for commuters driving home. The vehicles blocked one lane of the roadway until tow trucks arrived.

Jarrett Carroll/Spotlight

discovered the four suspects "climbing into the dorm building through a window," according to police, and they were detained and identified as the ones from the caller's yard and driving the Jeep.

Police took a voluntary statement from the men, who admitted to taking the license plates, and Delgado admitted to taking the keys to the Jeep three days prior to the incident, the report states.

Police said the four men said they only stopped in front of a home to see a vehicle that was for sale and "never meant to cause any harm," but that they threw the keys away in the woods.

They were all taken into custody and transported to the Bethlehem Police Department and arraigned by Bethlehem Town Justice Ryan Donovan, who sent them to the Albany County jail in lieu of a \$10,000 cash bail or bond, according to police.

They are scheduled to appear in Bethlehem Town Court on Tuesday, Aug. 18.

• Guelderland Police arrested Ukinebo Osarogiuwa, 27, of 21 Bruce Ave. in Yonkers, on charges of criminal possession of a forged instrument in the second degree and criminal possession of stolen property in the fifth degree on Friday, July 17, according to police reports.

Osarogiuwa allegedly had six fake credit cards in her possession, which she used at several stores at Crossgates Mall. She also allegedly had a fake New Jersey driver's license.

She was arraigned on Saturday, July 18, the report states.

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# Kai's Crew coaxes major contributions

## Grandmother raises record donations for hospice walk

By DAN SABBATINO  
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There are many ways to keep the memory of a lost loved one alive. Cathy Pettigrew honors her grandson, Kai, by raising record amounts of money for a local hospice program year after year.

Pettigrew, 61, of Guilderland, lost her grandson in 2003 to a grand-mal seizure. Kai, who was 10 and living in California when he died, was otherwise healthy, she said.

Pettigrew, with her son Matthew, Kai's father, and daughter-in-law Katherine, were impressed with the care Kai received from the hospice program out west and wanted to support similar programs.

"It just inspired us. They were just wonderful to him," she said about the hospice program in California.

When Pettigrew came back to the Capital District, she found a Community Hospice walk

pamphlet sitting on a table and decided she would become a part of the charitable event.

"I just knew what I had to do," she said. "It's a way to keep Kai's memory alive."

Pettigrew put a team together for her first walk in 2004, the year after Kai died. That year, "Kai's Crew," as they were known, did not come in first place for raising money at the walk.

But that was the last year that happened. Every year since they have come in first place in fundraising, pulling in a record amount of \$10,084 in the teams category at the last walk, held on June 6.

"Every year we raised more and more money," said Pettigrew. "I was happy to do something special for my grandson."

Steve Manny, director of development for the Community Hospice Foundation said the June walk raised nearly \$122,000, making Kai's Crew responsible for a significant portion of the proceeds.

Manny said Pettigrew does a great job each year, and is an asset to the walk, hosted at the University at Albany Campus.

"It's so important to get the support from Cathy. It's just a great thing," Manny said.

He said in 2008, walkers raised \$147,000 for the Community Hospice.

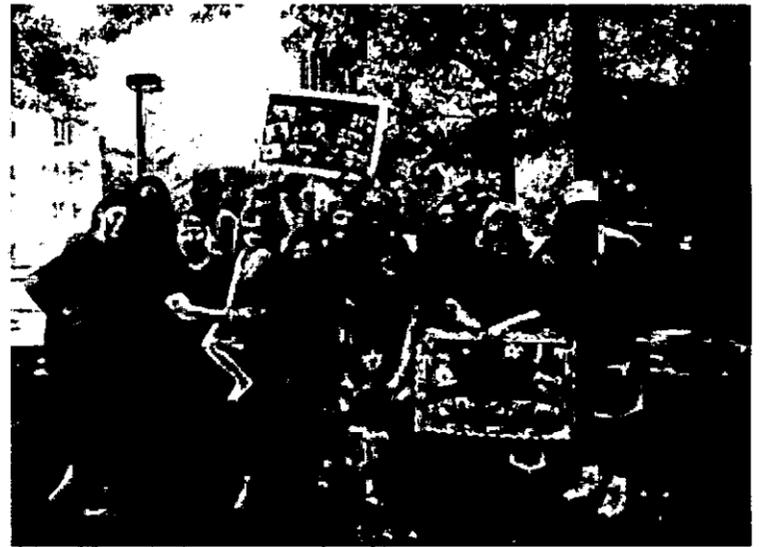
Kai's Crew consists of many of Kai's family members, including his parents and extended family. Pettigrew's partner, John Ibes, is part of the crew, and her stepdaughter,

Jolie, normally makes the trek from New York City to walk in the event, but was in London this year.

Pettigrew said her stepdaughter still wanted to be a part of the event, even if she could not make it to walk, and pledged to raise money while overseas. Pettigrew was thankful, and shocked when she heard her stepdaughter pulled in \$5,000 all by herself.

Pettigrew said she has a network of people at her office in the Supreme Court Appellate Division in Albany, and was able to raise \$900 there. She also seeks donations from other family and friends as well.

Pettigrew has no plans to stop anytime soon she said, and



Kai's Crew, shown here, has helped raise record amounts of money for Community Hospice, including \$10,084 this year for its annual walk. The Crew, led by Cathy Pettigrew, formed after Pettigrew lost her grandson and was impacted by the importance of hospice care.

Submitted photo

has hopes others will keep Kai's legacy alive.

"I'm going to do this until I can't do it anymore," she said. "And I hope my kids carry it on."

Pettigrew said she is confident that Kai walks with them, and watches "with a smile from heaven."

## New Scotland floats moratorium extension

The New Scotland Town Board at its Wednesday, July 22, meeting, sent a draft moratorium extension to the town's planning board.

The moratorium, on commercial development in the town, is slated to be reviewed at the Tuesday Aug. 4 planning board meeting. According to Town Attorney Mike Mackey, the extension could not be sent to Albany County to schedule a public hearing until the planning board reviewed it or 60 days elapsed from the date of its proposal.

The proposal underwent a last-minute change, however, after some residents in attendance suggested postponing the moratorium's expiration date from Jan. 1 to Feb. 1, 2010, to avoid the possibility of having a brand-new administration deal with the expired moratorium on their first day of business.

Town Supervisor Thomas Dolin said he was cautious in extending the moratorium even one more month. "If we haven't done anything by then... I'm not sure we can extend this again," he said.

The extension is the latest of a string of developments that was set off when Sphere Development LLC from Cazenovia outside of Syracuse began looking to develop 179 acres of land in New Scotland that is owned by MLF Enterprises, a group of area professionals who bought it more than 30 years ago.

# Bethlehem promotes new detective

## A former Troy police officer and current Bethlehem cop is named new detective after retirements

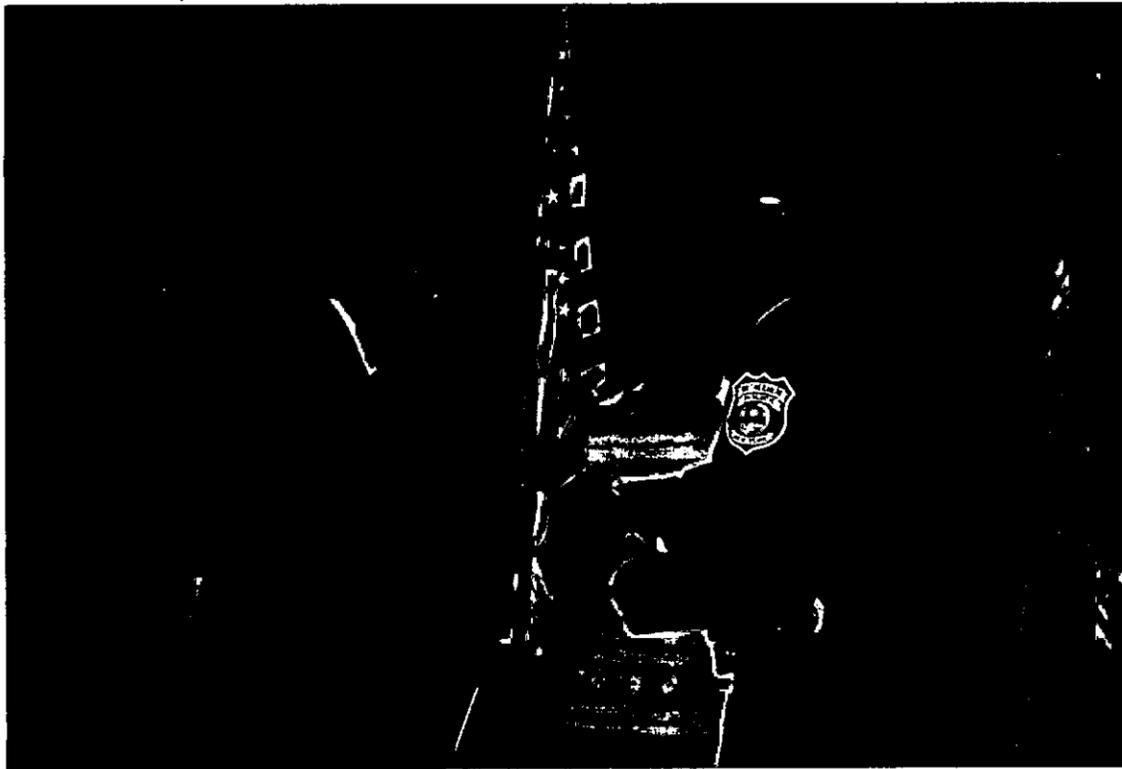
By JARRETT CARROLL  
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The Bethlehem Town Board promoted one of its own to detective on, Wednesday, July 22, at Town Hall during its regular meeting and then swore him into office on Monday, July 27 at the Bethlehem Town Court.

Chief Louis Corsi requested that the board appoint officer Gerald Young to the position of detective with a salary of \$65,545, to which he was unanimously granted.

Young used to make \$53,629 as an officer.

The new promotion comes on the heels of two notable retirements in the detective's office when detective Christopher Bowdish and detective Bruce Oliver retired early this month. Bowdish was best known for his work on the Christopher Porco murder trial while Oliver was Bethlehem Central's first school resource officer.



Supervisor Jack Cunningham presides over the swearing in of now detective Gerald Young at the Bethlehem Town Court on Monday, July 27.

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Deputy Supervisor Daniel Plummer presided over the meeting in the stead of Supervisor Jack Cunningham, who is away on vacation last week, and said Young will be replacing Bowdish's position.

"He's a 13-year veteran of law enforcement and a good cop," Corsi said when introducing Young at the meeting. Later at the induction ceremony, Corsi continued his praise of Young, saying, "Jerry is an outstanding officer and he's going to do a fine job."

Mark Spawn, director of research, development and training for the state's Association of Chiefs of Police, not only lauded Young's accomplishment, but the entire departments.

"This is an opportunity for me to offer a promotion to the Town of Bethlehem," he said about the town being recently recognized for its sex offender management. "On best practices for sex offenders... the Town of Bethlehem's PD got very high marks."

Spawn extended a special

thanks to Sergeant Robert Helligrass and Lieutenant Thomas Heffernan for their work throughout the town's evaluation process.

The Town Board also unanimously voted at the July 22 meeting to approve a labor contract for the Bethlehem Telecommunicators Local 443, Council 66, for the period Jan. 1, 2007 through Dec. 31 of this year.

It is unclear whether the department will seek to replace Oliver's detective position but Cunningham and Corsi said previously that the town is actively looking to hire two new police officers to fill the void left by Bowdish and Oliver's retirements.

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# Society suffering a bad case of the claps

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No one applauds anymore. I was at the circus with my family a couple of months ago, and virtually no one clapped for anything.

A woman fired herself out of a cannon. Nothing.

A man walked upside-down along the rafters of the stadium we were in by hooking his feet into tiny ropes. Not one round of applause.

A performer balanced a running chainsaw on his chin while juggling household appliances. I looked over and saw a man playing Tetris on his cell phone.

I made a point of compensating for the lack of claptitude by applauding as loudly and for as long as I could. This embarrassed and annoyed my 6-year-old, Kevin.

"Why are you clapping so loud?" he whined at me.

"Because a man just rode a motorcycle straight up a flagpole while a half-naked woman dangled from his exhaust pipes, that's why," I said bitterly. "I can't do that, can you?"

"You just took the training wheels off my bike yesterday."

"Exactly."

What's odd is that the child who didn't give a rat's behind when a man was putting his head into the mouths of white tigers the same one who accused me of being the

worst father in the world when I didn't buy him a \$28 snowcone in a plastic white tiger mug.

People are weird when it comes to what they're going to get excited about. In the case of the circus, I suppose you could make the case that media and technology have desensitized us to the point where if a man sets himself on fire and walks a tightrope, it's really nothing to bat an eye at.

"(Yeah, that's cool I guess, but I did that a few times yesterday on my Wii Fit balance board," says little Johnny.)

There are some people, however, who will applaud for anything. The Oscars are a good place to see examples of this. Some past-his-prime actor will walk out on stage to introduce candidates for "Best Pretending in a Film with a Twerking Badger" and he'll get a 10-minute standing ovation just for introducing himself.

I don't get an ovation when I introduce myself. I've tried waiting 10 minutes just to see if anyone would applaud my very presence, but nothing so far. I had to speak at an event that

was filled with friends and family once, and thought it might be a good idea to bring along one of those lighted "Applause" signs to help with my reception. The funeral director asked that I take it off the casket.

I don't get people who clap at basketball games.

I have to admit, I'm not the biggest sports fanatic. I like watching hockey, lacrosse and, when I find myself awake at 3 a.m. on a Tuesday morning, Australian- rules football. These sports seem to cater to my ferret-like attention span and my propensity to be attracted to things with waning or non-existent popularity (newspaper, anyone?). In the case of Australian- rules football, the fact that I have no idea of just what in the hell is going on makes it easier for me to enjoy. One Tuesday morning, watching all of those ex-convicts kick, bounce and run around with that melon-looking thing got me cheering so loudly I woke up the wife and kids.

Kevin was the first down the stairs. "Is this Quidditch? Is that Harry Potter?"

"What are you doing?" asked the angry young woman who is my wife.

"Watching Australian- rules football," I said. "I'm pretty sure the field is shaped like an oval."

She was drawn in by the melange of upright posts, weirdly drawn chalk lines and handsome

men pummeling each other for no apparent reason.

"Who's winning?" she asked. "I have no idea," I said, "but they just had to stop play because a guy got a thumb in his eye."

"A whole thumb? Was it still attached to someone's hand?"

Back to basketball. I don't get why people get so excited over it.

A team goes up the court, puts the ball in the hoop, and half the people in the stadium go nuts. The other team is handed the ball directly thereafter and does the same exact thing. Once again, half the people go nuts.

This happens approximately 716 times over the course of a regulation game, and every time it happens, half the people in attendance freak out as if they've never seen it before.

Here's an idea: Save your energy. Just wait until the end of the game and clap once.

I find it encouraging that people still applaud at parades. While parades are sort of the anticircus (for the most part, the main attraction is people walking), I find it refreshing to see members of a community come in force and applaud other members of the community.

The company I work for takes part in a few of these parades, and if you've never experienced watching *The Spotlight Newspapers* van lumber along in a Fourth of July, Flag Day or Groundhog Day parade... well, it's your loss, really.

I don't mean to denigrate our news organization or disparage the communities in which we have had the honor of participating in a parade, but *The Spotlight* van is — well, let's just say that the van is a little less than flattering on the eyes. If *The Spotlight* van were the ugly daughter of a prominent politician or celebrity, we in the news business would describe it as "unfortunate looking."

That may be understating things. How about this:

If *The Spotlight* van were a Transformer, its name would be Rustimus Grime. It would transform into a 48-year-old fry cook who is two years behind on

his child support.

My son and I had the honor of driving the van in the short procession that preceded Town of Bethlehem tree lighting ceremony last winter. We decked the van out with ornaments, a wreath and Christmas lights that we rigged to this portable, rechargeable jump-starting/flashlight/inverter device.

I charged that thing all day, knowing that Kevin was looking forward to throwing the switch as we stepped off, lighting the van up like a rolling Christmas tree and making the magic happen in front of the good people that came out to see us, despite the cold weather.

When the time came, we took our place between a float with Santa Claus on it and a shiny, well-lit fire engine. We stepped off from the parking lot at Town Hall, and when the front tires hit the street, I gave the signal to my son to flip the switch. The lights beamed almost as brightly as his smile did.

They stayed on for about a second-and-a-half and then they were out before the rear tires hit the pavement.

"What's happening?" Kevin screamed like the Poseidon just tipped over.

"I don't know," I said and tried to look at our little generator without rear-ending Santa. "Try flicking the switch on and off."

That seemed to work for a while, but every time he cut the switch on, the lights got progressively dimmer.

People were still applauding us, although I bet it helped being sandwiched between Old St. Nick and a beautiful fire truck.

By the time we rolled into the end of the route, the lights were dead, the ornaments were broken and I'm pretty sure the wreath had gotten under the van somehow and its plastic pine needles were melting onto the muffler.

"Let's hurry up and get this thing back to the office before it explodes," I said to Kevin.

"Wait a minute, Dad," he said. "They're still clapping."

He stood up in the cab of the old white van and took a bow.



## WEEKLY WEATHER

Chief Meteorologist Mike Bono



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### Albany Almanac

#### Record high/low/year

AVERAGE HIGH 82°	AVERAGE LOW 60°	
Day	High/Year	Low/Year
Wednesday, July 29	97°/1894	47°/1987
Thursday, July 30	100°/1933	44°/1968
Friday, July 31	98°/1917	49°/1978
Saturday, August 1	101°/1933	46°/1964
Sunday, August 2	97°/1975	45°/1976
Monday, August 3	97°/1975	44°/1976
Tuesday, August 4	98°/1955	46°/1966

ANNUAL PRECIPITATION  
21.64 inches as of July 23rd  
.23 inches as of average

#### This week in weather

On August 2, 1975 Known as "Hot Saturday," all-time state heat records were set on this day in areas of eastern New England. Parts of Massachusetts reached a scorching 107 degrees, while areas in Maine and New Hampshire hit 105. Albany was 97 on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>.

#### Sun & Moon

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
Wednesday	5:44am	8:19pm
Thursday	5:45am	8:17pm
Friday	5:46am	8:16pm
Saturday	5:47am	8:15pm
Sunday	5:48am	8:14pm
Monday	5:49am	8:13pm
Tuesday	5:50am	8:11pm

#### Moon Phases

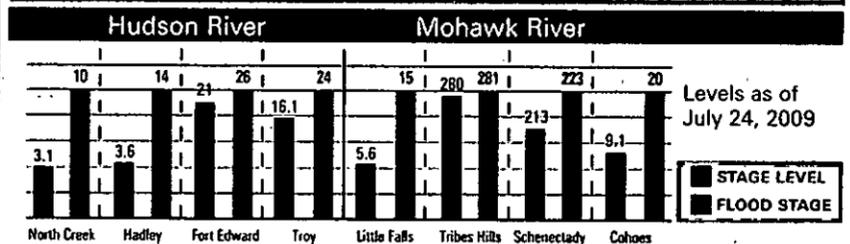


#### Planets When Where

Planet	When	Where
Jupiter	Evening	Rising, ESE
Mars	Dawn	Dim, East
Venus	Dawn	Bright, East
Saturn	Dusk	Low, West

### Rivers & Recreation

#### River Levels



#### Water temp.

Lake George	73°
Bolton Landing	74°
Sacandaga Lake	74°
Saratoga Lake	75°
Jersey Shore	72°
Cape Cod	67°

#### Tides at Albany

Day	High	Low
Wednesday	11:34am, 6:00am	6:14pm
Thursday	12:15am, 12:32pm	6:57am, 7:08pm
Friday	1:11am, 1:31pm	7:53am, 8:02pm
Saturday	2:06am, 2:28pm	8:48am, 8:55pm
Sunday	2:59am, 3:32pm	9:39am, 9:46pm
Monday	3:48am, 4:11pm	10:28am, 10:35pm
Tuesday	4:34am, 4:57pm	11:15am, 11:21pm

**IN BRIEF**

**Five Rivers plans wildlife program**

Five Rivers Center will hold a nature program on the care and life styles of wildlife in captivity on Saturday, Aug. 1, at 10 a.m.

Participants will learn about the wild animals featured in the Exhibit Room at Five Rivers. They will discover what these animals eat and how they survive in the wild. There will also be an outdoor walk to visit the animals' natural habitat.

This program is open to the public free of charge. Participants are urged to dress for outdoor activity. In the event of inclement weather this program may be canceled.

Five Rivers is at 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar. For information, call the center at 475-0291.

**Planetarium plans Saturday programs**

Henry Hudson Planetarium will host a Saturday Star Show on Aug. 15 at 11 a.m. at the Albany Heritage Area Visitors Center, corner of Broadway and Clinton Avenue, Albany. Public parking is available via Spencer Street.

The cost is \$3 for all seats.

The event will feature an interactive program exploring the stars, planets, comets and constellations in the night sky. In celebration of the quadricentennial of Henry Hudson's voyage, children will meet Henry Hudson (puppet) and discover how he used the stars to sail his boat here in 1609.

The program is geared to children ages 3 to 7 and their families.

The planetarium will also host a program called "Albany Star Sighting" at 1 p.m. This program identifies stars, planets, comets and constellations in the night sky and the tools and techniques for becoming an amateur astronomer.

**Messina hasn't yet raised any money**

**Bethlehem supervisor race continues with the incumbent far out raising his challenger**

By JARRETT CARROLL  
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They say money isn't everything. In a political campaign, however, it certainly helps.

The first major financial filings in the 2009 Bethlehem town races are in and show that incumbent Democratic Supervisor Jack Cunningham has raised over \$20,000 since the beginning of the year.

Independence Party Councilman Sam Messina has yet to raise any money in his bid to unseat Cunningham.

The deadline for filing financial disclosure reports to the state or county board of elections was on July 15. Because Messina has not collected any money his campaign "Friends of Sam Messina," is well below the threshold to report financial activity to the board of elections.

"If it's under \$1,000 he doesn't have to file anything with us and if it's under \$50 he doesn't have to file with the county's board of elections," said John Conklin, a spokesman for the New York State Board of Elections.

Conklin said not even a "no activity" filing is necessary if it is under the state mandated thresholds. Messina told *The Spotlight* that after a computer software problem his campaign's treasurer John Smolinsky manually filed his financial disclosure reports to the board of election.

The state's board of elections Web site states a total contribution balance of "\$0.00" for Messina.

"I've spend a little over \$1,000 of total expenditures so far,

namely on my Web site and palm cards," Messina said. "From my understanding this should be reported on my next financial disclosure statement."

Cunningham held a well-attended campaign kickoff and fundraiser at the Normanside Country Club when he announced his intentions to run for re-election in March. His campaign said it anticipates holding several more fundraising events as well.

Messina has not held a fundraiser to date, but said some are in the works.

"I have raised no money but I'm going to have a couple of major fundraisers," he said. "I plan to have one at my home in mid-August and one with the community at a restaurant in mid-October."

Cunningham's contributions reported by the state since Jan. 1, states a total of \$20,621.25. It also lists his expenditures in the same time period as \$8,326.48.

Cunningham's expenditures appear to be fairly typical with receipts from the post office and printing shops for campaign literature, as well donations to other political organizations such as \$1,300 to the Albany County Democrats, \$150 to the county's Independence and Conservative parties, and \$50 to Sheriff James Campbell's re-

election fund.

His campaign fund, called the "Committee to Elect Cunningham," also contributed \$100 to the Bethlehem Food Pantry and \$90 to the Bethlehem VFW.

On the income side, Cunningham received his two biggest individual contributions in the form of \$1,000 checks from Thomas Burke of Delmar, a developer and franchisee of several Capital District Dunkin Donuts, and Thomas Connolly of Delmar, an attorney who is also the town's IDA attorney.

Burke and Connolly regularly contribute thousands to political campaigns on both sides of aisle each year, according to federal disclosure reports.

Burke contributed \$2,100 to former Republican Congressman John Sweeney in 2006 and gave \$1,000 to Albany County Legislator Phil Steck, a Democrat, in 2008 for his Congressional run. Connolly contributed to presidential hopefuls Sen. John McCain, R-Arizona, and Secretary of State Hillary Clinton, as well as President Barack Obama in 2008. He also decided to back Coeymans attorney Tracey Brooks last year, giving \$1,000 to her congressional bid.

Cunningham has also received \$250 from the BBL PAC, one of

the biggest construction firms in the area and a manager of the Vista Technology Campus project in Slingerlands, as well as donations from a number of area politicians such as state Sen. Neil Breslin, D-Delmar; Albany County Executive Michael Breslin; Assemblyman Tim Gordon, I-Bethlehem; and several others.

"Our strong fundraising success, along with the large number of petition signers and our dozens of dedicated volunteers, demonstrates the broad and deep support for my candidacy," said Cunningham. "I am anxious to meet with the voters and discuss my record and vision for the future of Bethlehem."

Messina said a momentary lack of money would not derail his bid for office.

"I will raise enough money to have a viable and successful campaign," Messina said. "I think local elections should focus on meeting and talking with the residents of the community."

Both candidates are soliciting donations on their campaign Web sites. Cunningham's is [www.keepcunningham.com](http://www.keepcunningham.com) and Messina's is [www.messinaforsupervisor.com](http://www.messinaforsupervisor.com).

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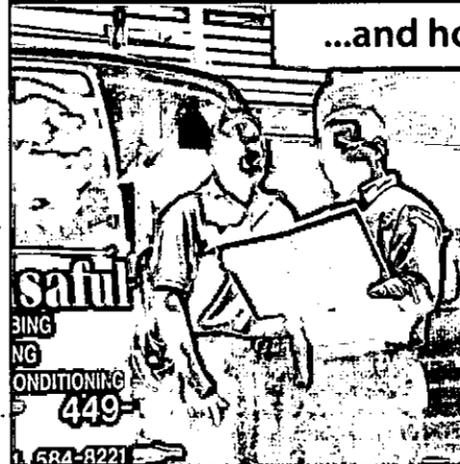
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## A place for dueling ideas

There's a lot to be said for a musket ball to the ribs.

On the morning of July 11, 1804, Alexander Hamilton and Aaron Burr sought to resolve a long-standing personal and political rivalry by trying to kill each other.

They raised their dueling pistols and took aim. Hamilton, the former secretary of the treasury, had been a thorn in the political side of Vice President Burr for some time. Had it not been for Hamilton's interference on behalf of Thomas Jefferson, Burr might have been the president. When Burr's term as vice president was almost over, he ran for governor of New York. Hamilton, again, opposed his candidacy.

Fed up with Hamilton's meddling, Burr challenged Hamilton to a duel and shot the man through the ribs. Hamilton died the next day.

These days, politicians duel in different, sneakier ways that assassinate people's character instead of ending their lives.

"Cyber-squatting," "click fraud," attack blogs, and erroneous Web sites have made subterfuge easier than debate; chicanery that much easier than what little straight talk politicians have deigned to provide us with in the past.

But it would be highly irresponsible of us to sit here and promote violence as a means to end political discord — even if a pistol duel is a little more romantic and a hell of a lot more manly than a mean-spirited Tweet.

With that being said, we offer the following venues for our readers and our beloved politicians to duel with words and thoughts:

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The final dates that campaign-related letters will appear in *The Spotlight* are Wednesday, Sept. 2 for primary elections and Wednesday, Oct. 21 for general elections.

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## Editorial

## Be financially independent

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This past Independence Day holiday reminded us that we can all declare our own independence financially; that families can beat the broad economic trends by taking practical steps to protect assets and choices.

Families can declare their freedom from worrying about living paycheck to paycheck, from worrying about shrinking savings and retirement balances, even from worrying about how to pay for the kids' college expenses. It all depends on getting back to common-sense money management basics that can help any family move toward financial independence.

There are five simple and valuable tips to help build up savings, plan for retirement, pay down debt, and move toward financial self-sufficiency. Some of these will sound familiar, but you'll find some new ideas among them, too.

### Think small, save big.

The secret to saving large amounts of money is to save small amounts on a regular basis over time. Or, to put it another way: To save large amounts of money over time, save small amounts all the time. Develop and work toward savings goals that you set at specific dollar amounts and time frames, and break your overall savings goals down into manageable chunks. Save a set number of dollars over a week or a month.

Savings, by the way, are a perfect example of buck-the-trends money management for individuals and families.

Americans' savings rate dipped into negative territory

## Point of View

in 1995 for the first time since the Great Depression, meaning that we spent not only all our after-tax income but also dipped into savings or borrowed to spend more. The housing boom encouraged people to feel wealthy and spend freely. That spending naturally bolstered the consumer economy, so employment growth was strong then, too. But as the housing bubble burst, employment fell, so of course spending did, too. Meanwhile, increasingly cautious Americans have gradually increased their saving.

While the current fall in consumer spending and rise in savings are not great for the overall economy in the short term, both are very good for individual families because savings create financial freedom and widen the range of all available future financial choices. When the U.S. Commerce Department reported recently that the national savings rate had soared to 6.9 percent — its highest rate in years — the Dow and the S&P dropped on fears of cuts in consumer spending. But those families who increased their savings are clearly in a better financial condition than those key market indicators.

### Think about saving, then save without thinking.

Automate savings through direct deposit. By directly depositing a specified amount of your paycheck into a savings account — essentially paying yourself first — you can save automatically, without having to think about it.

### Plan for the future. It will be here soon.

Conventional wisdom is full of cautionary axioms about this: Fail to plan and you plan to fail; it wasn't raining when Noah built the ark. And they're all true. It's never too early to start saving for such major life changes as retirement or college. Maximize contributions to 401(k) accounts to benefit from employer match programs and invest regularly in your own IRA and/or Roth IRA plans to build your nest egg. Making automatic deposits into a 401(k) or IRA is another way to save without thinking about it. Above all, avoid the common 401(k)-related mistakes:

Always contribute, so you can take advantage of employer matches. About 25 percent of American employees fail to sign up for available 401(k) plans, missing an opportunity to save for the future.

Take only reasonable investment risk, based on your

own situation, such as your time horizon to retirement, when you will have to start accessing funds.

Don't cash out early and incur penalties. Use other means of accessing short-term capital in cash crunches rather than wasting money on penalties and fees.

Some employers automatically enroll employees in their company 401(k) plans, typically allocating 3 percent of earnings to the plans initially and increasing the allocation by 1 percent every year thereafter. Similarly, many companies automatically roll over the 401(k) plans of departing employees into IRAs, a good strategy to keep investment momentum and protect assets. However, other companies leave these choices to employees. Review your options carefully as you consider these choices, and as you plan your investment strategy for growing the funds in your 401(k).

### Make a budget, and stick to it.

As hard times hit, many American families recently adopted budgets for the first time. Good idea. Planning and sticking to a budget was something our grandparents and parents often did, but it fell out of favor in the boomer era of high consumer spending when many regarded budgeting as quaint. Now it's coming back and for good reason.

As the economy improves, continue to use budgeting tools for your family. If more money starts coming in as recovery continues and wages begin to rise again, stick to your budget and place the extra money into savings or retirement accounts to ensure financial independence regardless of the economic outlook.

### Consolidate debt.

Combining existing debts into a lower-interest-rate loan is a popular way to reduce the amount of interest owed, while also paying down debt faster. For some, this may be a "cash-out re-fi" — refinancing a home mortgage at a lower interest rate than before, while borrowing additional money to pay down credit card balances or other high-interest loans. Check with your banker to see if this makes sense for you. Reducing your interest payments can be as positive and productive a step as increasing your savings.

Using these five tips can help make your family more financially independent by managing your money more efficiently, preserving your assets and enjoying greater security.

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# Your Opinion *in the* Spotlight

## Delmar resident can sleep easy with good Glenville government

Editor, *The Spotlight*:

Over the past few years I have been awakened now and then from a sound sleep (at least as sound a sleep as an elder like me can muster) by an errant phone call at 6:30 a.m., my deepest sleep time. My "Caller ID" displays the number and identifies the caller source as "Glenville, Town of". I answer with a rudely awakened attitude, but there is no response. I hang up frustrated and call back the displayed number, but after 15 rings it reverts to a sustained high-pitched tone, like a fax machine. I growl louder than the phone tone.

Finally, on the first business day opportunity after a Saturday morning, July 18, awakening, I call the Town of Glenville information number to complain. A recorded message invites me to leave a message, in turn. Yeah, well, what can I expect from a municipality that calls me for no apparent reason, doesn't answer when I pick up or return the

call, and whose borders are in a county far beyond where I live. Government as usual, ugly and getting uglier, right?

Lo and behold, Tony Germano, Town Administrator, calls me later that morning and inquires as to my problem. I explain. He promises to look into it and get back to me. Yeah, well, so far so good, but don't hold my breath.

No sooner had I exhaled then Tony calls me back with news that he thinks he knows what the problem is and will address it. Hmmm, I think, a responsive municipal leader? Hold your breath again.

Three exhales later, Roger calls me. Roger works at the Glenville Water Department's Pumping Station and explains the problem. It seems that an alarm company in Delmar where I live has my phone number mistakenly included on its call list. Whenever someone enters the pump station and doesn't cancel the alarm system, I'm one

of the numbers that gets called. Roger assures me that he will contact the alarm folks to remove my number. God bless Roger!

Later that day, Tony calls me back to make sure Roger followed through. I am overwhelmed by the service-oriented attention paid a non-Glenville resident with a Glenville problem. Does anyone know of a legal way I can vote in the next Glenville election? If not, at least I'm still confident I will no longer lose any sleep thinking about Glenville, a wonderful place!

Norman G. Cohen  
Delmar

## Thank Verstandig's for the beautiful business district

Editor, *The Spotlight*:

We are so grateful for the beautiful baskets of seasonal flowers lining Delaware Avenue's historic business district.

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## Clarksville residents invite you to Heritage Day

Editor, *The Spotlight*:

The Clarksville Historical Society (CHS) will be hosting its fourth annual Clarksville Heritage Day celebration on Saturday, Aug. 1, and we would like to invite you to join us.

Clarksville Heritage Day, a celebration of life in Clarksville, was created to bring the community and surrounding area together, at least once a year. Clarksville Heritage Day is also CHS' major fund raising event. This year we are proud to be affiliated with the region's Hudson 400 Celebration.

Most of the planned activities will occur at the Clarksville Community Church, with exceptions noted. There's something for everybody - food, crafts, car show, demonstrations and exhibits, bounce ride, raffles, and more food. Music will be provided by our very popular DJ - Kevin Hotaling.

CHS will sponsor the very popular Car Show and will issue 35 judged awards and dashboard plaques, and offer car-related memorabilia. By popular demand, we will offer the Clarksville Heritage Day booklet that can be purchased as a souvenir.

There will be plenty of opportunities for food. CHS and the Clarksville Community Church will host a Giffy's chicken barbeque dinner, with proceeds benefiting both organizations. Tickets will be sold in advance and food will be available on a first come, first served basis. For advanced purchase tickets call 518-768-8133 and leave a message or contact a CHS board member.

Ice cream donated by Toll Gate and Stewarts will also be sold by CHS. The Onesquethaw Volunteer Fire Company will host

a buffet breakfast in the morning. A lunch is also being served by CHS and the Church from 11:00 am - 3:00 pm. The Meadow Brook Farms Dairy 4H Club will host a bake sale.

For the nature lover, the Mohawk Hudson Land Conservancy will host an information booth. The Onesquethaw Fish and Game Club and Onesquethaw Coeymans Watershed Council are both presenting educational events. The AAA Hudson Valley will present "Otto the Auto" robot.

Other educational booths include Boy Scouts of America, the New Scotland Historical Association, Onesquethaw Union Cemetery, Northeastern Cave Conservancy, and Dutch Barn Preservation Society. The Albany Masonic District will present their Free Child ID Program.

The Mountain Treadler Fiber Arts Group will demonstrate weaving and spinning arts, as well as offer crafts for sale. Blacksmithing and skills will be demonstrated by Joe Merli, who has been very popular in past venues. He is joined by Walter Fleming demonstrating tinsmithing skills.

There will be many other crafters and artisans. To wrap up the day's entertainment, we will have the 4th annual raffle as well as a 50/50 raffle with 7 incredible prizes.

And, of course, we will be looking forward to another highly successful community-wide garage sale.

We hope you will come out and join us, rain or shine, as we support CHS and have fun as a community.

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# Residents push for Selkirk sewers

**Families say they've tried to get access for years**

By JARRETT CARROLL  
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Some of us dream of winning the lottery or taking a vacation in a tropical location, but Cindy Radliff of Selkirk says she dreams of getting a sewer line brought to her properties.

She owns properties on Cottage Lane near Beaverdam Road and Maple Avenue, neither of which have sewer connections. A high water table and small lot sizes make septic systems unsavory choices, she said.

Radliff spoke at a public hearing at Town Hall during the Tuesday, July 21, planning board meeting for a four-lot subdivision on Maple Avenue. She along with a handful of other residents said they have been trying to get sewer access for years, but to no avail.

"I've been trying to get sewer for the past 32 years and was always told to wait until homes are in back of you. Well, there are homes behind me and nothing has happened," she told the board. "I am getting a petition to try to bring sewer in."

Another nearby resident, Russell Sawyer, told developers "that natural drain has to be protected," referring to a natural slope where surface water can flow away from the properties. Sawyer said water currently sits

on the lots, "even after just a little bit of rain."

Radliff also said she took notice that the nearby Stewart's Shop on Route 9W had sewer, but the houses nearby did not.

The town's assistant engineer and land surveyor Terrence Ritz told The Spotlight that without more development in the area, little could be done because the cost would be so prohibitive for the few users that could take advantage of it.

"With new development, the developer actually builds the sewer hookups and sewer district extensions have to be voted on by the Town Board," Ritz said. "Five or six years ago there was proposal to build a cul-de-sac with a dozen homes on it and to bring in sewer."

Ritz said the plans fell through, but noted during the planning board meeting that new homes in the area are built higher than older ones because of the water table problem. He said the Albany County Department of Health permits and inspects problems with septic systems.

Ritz said there had been "some problems" with septic in the area.

He questioned whether even sharing the costs with neighbors would justify the high cost of sewer as it correlated to their property's value.

"It just expensive, no matter what," said Ritz.

Radliff met with planning

division members to discuss the sewer situation on Thursday, July 23. Although the meeting went well and she discussed several options with the town, Radliff said she is going forward with her petition to the Town Board.

"I spoke with many nice and concerned property owners when I did this petition. I found out like me, money was a very important factor, so I advised the town that the cost was a very important factor. No one can afford this with out help," Radliff said. "I honestly feel that this project can be done because of the ARI (America Recovery and Investment Act) and of course with the Town of Bethlehem's help and determination."

She gave a final public pitch to her neighbors.

"I urge those property owners who signed the petition to get involved and ask for ARI funds," she said. "I am also very concerned about the wetlands and possible more run-off water from nearby subdivisions. I want to make sure that these wetlands are not destroyed or damaged."

The developer of the four-lot subdivision said bringing sewer in for the four lots was not something that was economically feasible at this time and that the federal wetlands in the area keep the density very low, therefore preventing the amount of homes necessary to constitute the costs of sewer.

Those interested in Radliff's petition can contact her at [cradliff001@nycap.rr.com](mailto:cradliff001@nycap.rr.com).

"I want to thank Terry Ritz, Robert Leslie, Josh Cansler and the other town employees that will hopefully help us make this dream come true," Radliff said.



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## Delmar woman is named 2009 Zontian of the Year

On June 10, the Zonta Club of Albany honored Margaret J. Welch, a Delmar resident, as the 2009 Zontian of the Year.

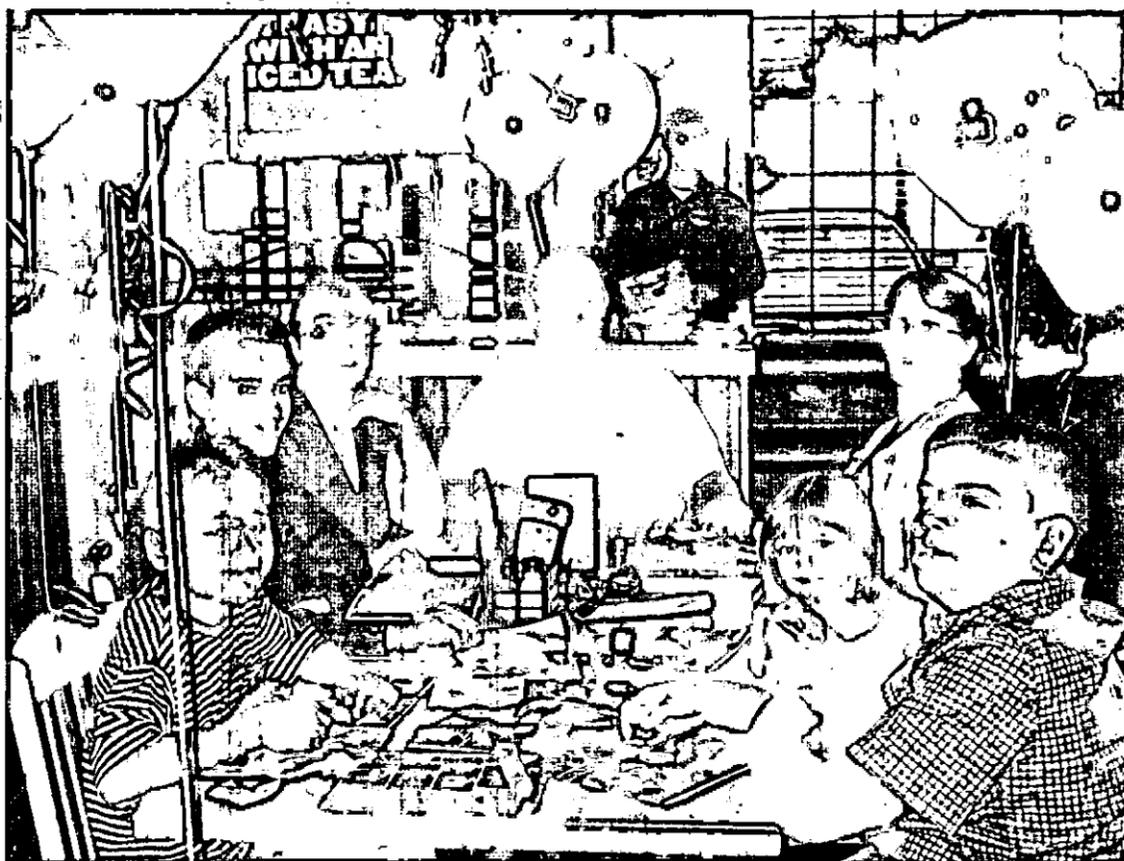
Zonta International, of which the Albany club is a member, is a global organization of executives and professionals advancing the status of women worldwide through service and advocacy.

Welch has been a member of the club for over 30 years and has held all of the officer

positions and chaired nearly all of the committees. Her accomplishments in the club are numerous, and she is also a community volunteer, both locally and internationally, carrying out Zonta's commitment to international service.

Welch serves on the Board of the Capital City Rescue Mission's New Faith Family Center and the Board of the Fundamental Baptist Mission to India in Trivandrum, India.

## 'My papa is a hero'



Brian Snyder of Feura Bush was honored by the Glenmont Applebee's on Thursday, July 23, as a "Real Hero of New York State" with a year's worth of burgers, an honorary plaque and dinner for his family and friends. Snyder works more than 55 hours a week in construction. He lost a son, survived prostate cancer and helped his wife through the loss of her parents all just months apart. His wife, Bonny, nominated Brian. From left are Snyder's nephew, Jonathan Torres; son Austin Snyder; sister-in-law Tina Brody; Snyder; wife Bonny Snyder; granddaughter Jocelyn Soto; and son Jake Snyder. Applebee's held a "Dining-to Donate" fundraiser in Snyder's honor that evening, donating 20 percent of all guest checks to the American Cancer Society - Capital Region. "My papa is a hero," said Jocelyn, 3.

William DeVevo/Spotlight

## Five Rivers plans program on history of turtles

Five Rivers Center will hold a program on the natural history of turtles Tuesday, Aug. 11, at 7 p.m.

The program is open to

the public free of charge. Participants are urged to dress for outdoor activity. In the event of inclement weather the outdoor portion of this program

may be canceled. Five Rivers is at 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar.

For information, call the center at 475-0291

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# Therapy dogs offer a helping paw to young and old

**Specially trained animals keep seniors company and help kids read**

By JARRETT CARROLL  
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With her soft brown eyes looking on with encouragement, Solange patiently listens to a third-grader read his book. The next day she will listen to an elderly woman with Alzheimer's disease reminiscing about a school dance in 1942.

She never judges and always listens.

Solange is a 3-year-old German shepard, but more importantly she's a therapy dog who helps children become better readers and gives the sick and elderly a reliable companion.

If you ask her owner, Renée Lampila, a retired nursing home administrator of 27 years, Solange isn't just a therapy dog, she's a member of her family and a valued member of the medical and academic communities. Solange works at the Blue Creek Elementary School and Gilda's Club in Latham and The Springs Nursing and Rehabilitation Centre in Troy.

She usually leaves the driving to Lampila, though.

Solange and Lampila sat down with *The Spotlight* at their Delmar home to walk through a typical day of their volunteer work.

"We really have the greatest job in the world," Lampila said. "We make reading fun."

Lampila still does some part-time work as a nursing-home consultant but now dedicates much of her time as a volunteer — and Solange's chauffeur — to area organizations in order to do what they do best: listen.

"I've always noticed the relationship the residents had with dogs, and that it was completely non-judgmental to their disability," Lampila said of Solange's calming effect. "What does a therapy dog do? The bottom line is they make a house a home."

Although Lampila's

background is in working with the elderly, she said, "We realized Solange was more aligned with working with children. Therapy dogs are born, they're not made."

Solange does have her working papers, however. She was certified by Therapy Dogs International in October of 2008 as part of its children reading to dogs program called "Trail Waggin' Tutors." She listens to third- and fourth-graders read books at the Blue Creek school in an effort to make the children more comfortable reading and to simply make leisurely reading fun and exciting for the kids.

Third-grade teacher Kathy Berger and former reading tutor Peg Murphy had talked about the possibility of bringing in a therapy dog to help some of their struggling students, and Berger piloted a program after getting the green light from the board of education.

"My only real goal is to have kids find some joy in reading. If finding is hard for you and it's something you don't like to do, then you'll do less of it," Berger said. "I really believe it enhances their ability to read and will hopefully help make them life long readers. ... It's been a huge success."

Berger said the program is not an instructional reading class, but that it "goes above and beyond" the students' regular reading and tutor classes. Kids have to get permission slips signed by their parents to participate.

"Solange lays on one beanbag and the kids sit on the other and read to her. Some of the third-graders really think Solange is listening," she said. "They pick books with dogs in them because they think Solange will like it better."

Lampila said that's because she does listen.

"Some of the students need confidence building, some need to improve classroom behavior or just struggle with reading and the dogs only job is to listen in a non-threatening and

non-intimidating way," she said. "The dog just cuddles up to the kid and within in seven or eight minutes she is fast asleep."

Solange took it upon herself to connect with children.

"Sometimes she'll put her head on child's leg or interact in some way," Lampila said. "We never taught her to do this so I don't know where it came from."

Kathy Rogers, a therapy and service dog trainer who works at the Shaker Veterinary Hospital in Latham, said service dogs are usually "working dog" breeds, while a therapy dog can be any breed.

"Service dogs are a companion for one person and is very individualized to that person while a therapy dog is a comfort dog that is used to dealing with lots of people," said Rogers. "It can take up to two years to train a therapy dog."

Rogers said it's a concept that is being put to use more and more.

"Alzheimer's patients are very comfortable with dogs. Sometimes a patient could be staring off into space and will reach out and start automatically petting a dog next them," she said. "I see it growing all the time."

Lampila said Solange's calming effect could lower a person's heart rate and blood pressure by simply being in their presence.

"They seem to be connected with their human pack and they like things to be calm," she said about Solange's ability to pick up on human subtleties and tension well before voices are raised. "It's really an amazing thing and there's benefits to the staff as well."

Solange doesn't just walk into a job, either. She has to be interviewed just like everybody else.

"We went to the elementary school and she was interviewed by the principal and librarian and then the teachers," Lampila said. "One little girl twirls her ear and another boy just pets her the whole time."

"All we do is make reading fun," she said.



Renée Lampila and her therapy dog, Solange, sit behind their Delmar home on Tuesday, July 21, after talking about the benefits of the reading to dogs program at the Blue Creek Elementary School in Latham.

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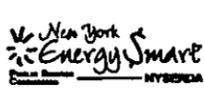
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ABOVE: Colleen Grimshaw, 5, of Guilderland, has her face painted by Freckles the Clown at D.A. Bennett's open house in Delmar on Saturday, July 25.  
 RIGHT: D.A. Bennett employees Kelly Winn, left, and Kelly Roach shred some tunes on Guitar Hero at D.A. Bennett's open house in Delmar on Saturday, July 25. The company celebrated its move to 333 Delaware Ave., just down the road from their old offices with a cookout, raffles, games and music.

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## Service group names chair

Sam Messina, Bethlehem resident and town councilman, has been named chairperson of Family and Children's Services of the Capital Region, the oldest counseling and family services not-for-profit social services organization in the United States.

"After five years as a Samaritans Suicide Intervention volunteer at Family and Children's Services and then working with our terrific board members for the last year, I consider it a privilege to serve as our board chair," said Messina.

"Some not-for-profit organizations truly get to help people where and when they really need help. Family and Children's Services of the Capital Region is one of those that impact the lives of people in vitally important ways," he said.

Family and Children's Services serves the Capital Region through a number of services: the 2-1-1 Human Services Information hotline, an Employee Assistance Program, Counseling Services for individuals and families, the Center for Problem Gambling, Youth Empowerment Services for at risk youth and other services.

## Area artists team up for storytelling event

Delmar resident and author Norman G. Cohen and storyteller Nancy Marie Payne, of Berne, will team up for a storytelling event and book signing Wednesday, Aug. 5, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. at Delmar Place 467 Delaware Ave., Delmar. Admission is free.

Payne, an accomplished area storyteller, will tell stories from Cohen's "Fables by jambbal, simple stories for complex people...and children," available for purchase online at [www.fablesbyjambbal.com](http://www.fablesbyjambbal.com), or at the book signing event for \$19.95 plus tax.

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# Senior Projects collecting school supplies

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Question: What do Bethlehem Senior Transportation, the Bethlehem Food Pantry and school supplies for children whose families use the Food Pantry all have in common?

Answer: Bethlehem Senior Projects, Inc.

While Bethlehem Senior Projects owns half of the vehicles that provide Senior Transportation, it also sponsors the Bethlehem Food Pantry. One important and necessary function of the Food Pantry is to provide school supplies to children who need them, and this past year approximately 100 children who live in our community received supplies that parents were unable to purchase.

Bethlehem Senior Projects is already anticipating a growing need for school supplies for children beginning the 2009-10 term in September. Why not assist Senior Projects now and donate items that are annually found on classroom teachers' lists of needed materials: composition notebooks; wide-ruled filler paper; pens; pencils; folders of various colors; crayons; highlighters; Fiskar scissors; rulers; 3-ring colored binders; scientific calculators (used TI-30 are fine); Master locks for lockers; and backpacks (new or gently used).

Let's plan ahead and not wait until late summer when we are busy with other end-of-summer activities.



### Monday, Aug. 3

• Seniors age 62+ can play at Colonial Acres Golf Course for \$11 (greens fee for nine or 18 holes). Special senior rates on Mondays only. For information, call 439-2089.

### Tuesday, Aug. 4

• Farmers Market, First United Methodist Church parking lot, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, weather permitting. Local vendors with plants, fresh fruits, vegetables and other products. Bethlehem senior transportation leaves Town Hall at 2 p.m. with home pickup available on a pre-arranged basis. Suggested van donation \$2. For reservations, call 439-5770.

• Seniors in Motion - a low-level aerobic exercise class to music, Bethlehem Town Hall auditorium, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 9 to 10 a.m. No registration necessary. \$3 fee per class.

### Wednesday, Aug. 5

• Senior Discussion Group, Bethlehem Town Hall, Room 107, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10:30 a.m. to noon. Led by Jane Sanders, LMSW, Senior Services Outreach staff member. Discussion targets life-cycle events, human interest stories and reminiscences of the past. Transportation can be arranged by calling 439-4955, ext. 1176.

• Seniors grocery shopping for residents of Elsmere, Delmar, Slingerlands, North Bethlehem

and Marie Rose Manor. For reservations, call 439-5770.

### Thursday, Aug. 6

• V.F.W. Picnic at Slingerlands Fire Pavilion, with the popular chicken barbecue lunch, at noon. Bethlehem senior transportation leaves Town Hall at 11 a.m. with home pick-up available on a limited first-come, first-served basis; the van returns home at 2 p.m. Reservations required by calling 439-4955, ext. 1176.

• Bethlehem Senior Citizens Club meets for an enjoyable social afternoon of games and entertainment, Bethlehem Town Hall auditorium, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 11:30 a.m. All seniors welcome. For information, call 439-4955, ext. 1176.

• Seniors grocery shopping for residents of Glenmont, Selkirk and South Bethlehem. For reservations, call 439-5770.

### Friday, Aug. 7

• Seniors in Motion (see Tuesday's activities for details)

• Seniors grocery shopping for residents of Good Samaritan Senior Housing and Van Allen Senior Apartments. For reservations, call 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

## Five Rivers to hold butterfly search

A family-oriented search for common butterflies of the Capital District will be conducted on Saturday, August 15, at 2 p.m., at Five Rivers Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar.

Adults and families are welcome free of charge. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Participants are urged to dress for outdoor activity. Nets and/or binoculars are welcome.

In the event of inclement weather, this program may be canceled.

For information or to register, call Five Rivers at 475-0291.

## YWCA plans annual New York wine event

The YWCA of the Greater Capital Region will be hosting its 3rd annual "Cheers to New York Wines" event Tuesday, August 4, from 6 to 8 p.m.

The event benefits the Women in Transition program. It will be held at Harmony House Marketplace, 184-190 Remsen St., Cohoes. The event will feature wines of New York state and tapas. A special commemorative wine glass will be given to each attendee. Tickets are \$25.

For tickets, call 274-7100 or e-mail sherryr@wca-troy.org.

# Seniors reminded that town offers transportation services

The Town of Guilderland provides transportation service to medical appointments, grocery stores, pharmacies, and area shopping centers such as Wal-Mart. Bus service is also given to those who attend the Tuesday Luncheon Program, special events and selected trips. To register, make an appointment with the Senior Office.

### Mammography screening

A mobile mammography screening, co-sponsored by the Town of Guilderland and Bellevue Hospital, will be held Thursday, Aug. 27, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Town Hall. Call Mary Ann at 356-1980, ext. 1095, to schedule an appointment.

### Monday, Aug. 3

Mall Shopping

Scheduled Shopping

9 a.m. Aerobics

10:30 a.m. Sr. Fitness

10:30 a.m. Strong Bones +

1:30 p.m. Strong Bones +

### Tuesday, Aug. 4

9 a.m. Strong Bones +

11:30 a.m. Luncheon: Chicken Primavera or Cold Plate

12:30 p.m. Bingo/Games/Billiards

### Wednesday, Aug. 5

Mall Shopping

Scheduled Shopping

9 a.m. Line Dancing

10:30 a.m. Strong Bones +

## Town of Guilderland SENIOR CALENDAR

10:30 a.m. Bridge  
11:45 a.m. Sr Fitness  
1 p.m. Needlecraft  
1:30 p.m. Strong Bones+

Thursday, Aug. 6  
Scheduled Shopping  
9 a.m. Strong Bones +  
1 p.m. Pinochle/Games

Friday, Aug. 7  
Scheduled Shopping  
10 a.m. Painting  
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# Parking lot excavation under way at library

Excavation for Phase I of our parking lot improvement project is under way. This week, the stormwater system will be put in place and a fence will be constructed on the property line. Several existing trees — spruce and hemlocks — will be transplanted to their new home on a landscaped berm at the street end of the property.

Phase I will result in 30 new parking spaces, new walkways, greenspace, and a new one-way entrance. Work on Phase I should be completed by the end of August.

Construction crews begin work at 7 a.m. and end their day, at 6 p.m. Impact on our current parking area should be minimal at this stage, but we remind our patrons to be careful entering and exiting the lot and the library building. Hold small children by the hand, and pay attention to any posted signage. We will regularly notify you of developments through Web site bulletins ([www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org](http://www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org)) and on-site signage. Details about the project are also available on our



Web site, and a site drawing is on display in the library lobby and online.

We appreciate your patience during this project. The result will be safer access for motorists and pedestrians, more parking spaces, safer and more convenient drop-off points, and retention of green areas.

### Book drop relocated

The curbside book drop has been temporarily relocated to accommodate construction. It now stands in the northeast corner of the parking lot.

### Room on the bus

There's still room on the bus to The Bronx Zoo on Saturday, Oct. 3.

Reservation deadline for this Friends-sponsored trip is Saturday, Sept. 19.

Cost is \$52 for Friends and \$58 for nonmembers and includes zoo admission. To reserve a place, send your check along with the reservation form found in the July/August issue of the library newsletter, "Footnotes;" you'll also find a link to the form on our homepage at [www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org](http://www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org). Call Polly Hartman at 439-3291 for more information.

Friends of Bethlehem Public Library is dedicated to increasing community awareness of library services, offering cultural and educational programs to educational residents, and assisting the library with special projects. Friends contributions to the library include underwriting most of our museum passes, sponsoring our Writers and Friends author series and our Sunday, and hosting the annual Riverway Storytelling Festival's closing event at our library. The Friends' annual appeal is now under way. Pick up a brochure in the library or visit the Friends online at [www.friends.bethlehempubliclibrary.org](http://www.friends.bethlehempubliclibrary.org).

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### Evening on the Green tonight

Red Haired Strangers plays blues and country music for our final Evening on the Green concert tonight at 7 on the Green. Bring a blanket or lawn chair. The music will move indoors if it rains.

### Your family story

Wednesday, Aug. 12, 11 a.m. Bring along family members to help make art that tells your family's story. Grades K to 12 and families. UHLS Explore Your Shore program.

### Spanish guitar on the Green

Thursday, Aug. 13, 6 p.m. Flamenco and classical guitarist Kevin Prockup will perform and answer questions afterwards about his instrument and the music he plays. All ages.

### Pokemon and Bakugon club

Friday, Aug. 14, 11 a.m.

Meet other fans, both kids and adults. Bring your cards, books and collectors' items to show and talk about. Grades K to 12.

### Teen time

Friday, Aug. 14, 2 to 4 p.m. DDR, Guitar Hero, Wii, and games for grades six and up.

### Code breaking

Monday, Aug. 17, 2 p.m. Learn about codes and ciphers and write a secret message to a friend. Grades three and up.

### Magic Tree House

Tuesday, Aug. 18, 2 p.m. A variety of activities related to Mary Pope Osborne's popular series. Grades two to five.

Louise Grieco

• All library programming is free and open to the public. The Bethlehem Public Library is located at 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar. For information, call 439-9314.

# Come create a comic book at the library

Teens, if you like comic books, we have a great opportunity for you.

Art teacher Mike Lewandowski is coming to the Voorheesville Public Library to teach a two-part workshop on how to turn your ideas into your own comics that you and your friends can read and enjoy. Mike will have you working on a storyboard and show you how a real comic is made and published.

You don't need art skills — you can learn some. You don't need supplies — we'll provide them. All you need is enthusiasm and a commitment to attend for two days, Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 18 and 19, from 10:30 a.m. until noon. Registration is required. This is for grades four and up.



### Summer Reading programs

2009 Summer Reading programs for next week:

Monday, Aug. 3, at 2 p.m. - Monday Stars: "Dazzle Dogs" will delight and amaze you with this performance.

Tuesday, Aug. 4, at 6:30 p.m. - Teen Crafts: Make a mini-star booklet/ornament

Wednesday, Aug. 5, at 10:30 a.m. - Club 1-2-3: Let's Make Healthy Snacks.

Thursday, Aug. 6, at 2 p.m. - Summer Survivors: Salad Toppers — make your own salad creations and some dressings, too.

### PAWS dogs

Bella and Jill, our PAWS dogs, are available to be read to on Tuesday, Aug. 4, from 2 to 4 p.m. If you are in grades one to five, and want to curl up and read stories with Mrs. Brown and the dogs, call for an appointment.

### Book discussions

It is not too late to read "Tamar: A Novel of Espionage, Passion and Betrayal" for the High School/College Book Discussion that meets on Wednesday, Aug. 12, at 7 p.m. Stop at the reference desk for a free paperback copy of this great WWII read for young adults and sign up for the lively discussion.

"26 Fairmount Avenue" by children's author-illustrator Tomie dePaola is the topic for second to fourth grade book

discussion on Friday, Aug. 7, at 10:15 a.m.

### Game day

There is a game day on Friday, Aug. 7, from 1 to 4 p.m. Kids (and adults!) can come in and use the Wii, play board games and have snacks.

### Babygarten

Babygarten, play/storytime for caregivers and babies up to 24 mos., meets Thursday, Aug. 6 and 20, at 10:15 a.m. Drop in.

Barbara Vink

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## IN BRIEF

### Five Rivers plans ladybug program

Five Rivers Center will hold a family-oriented program on ladybugs Saturday, Aug. 1, at 2 p.m.

Center Naturalists will lead a walk to find, catch, and then release them back into their habitat unharmed. Learn the myths and lore of ladybugs; their importance as pest predators, and how imported ladybug species have changed their ecological dynamics. Bring a blanket to sit on while we play games and make a ladybug craft. Parents and their children will work together. Registration is required by Tuesday, July 28.

There is a materials fee of \$2 per family. Participants are urged to dress for outdoor activity. In the event of inclement weather this program may be canceled.

For information, call Five Rivers at 475-0291.

Five Rivers is at 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar.

### Voorheesville church to host Bible camp

The First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville is hosting Vacation Bible Camp Monday to Friday, Aug. 10 to 14, from 9 a.m. to noon.

The camp is for children ages 4 to 11. The cost is \$15 per child.

The church is at 68 Maple Ave., Voorheesville. For information, call the church office at 765-2895.

### Miss Altamont Fair applicants sought

Applications are now being accepted for the Miss Altamont Fair competition.

Females ages 15 to 21 can from Albany, Schenectady and Greene counties can apply at [www.altamontfair.com](http://www.altamontfair.com) or by calling 861-6671. Applications must be in by 3 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 8.

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IN BRIEF

# Have a ball with Flat Henry this summer

## Fundraiser to benefit collie rescue group

New England Border Collie Rescue will hold its fourth annual fund-raising event, Dog Dayz of Summer, on Saturday, Aug. 1, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Sugar bush Farm in Stephentown.

Admission is \$10 for adults and \$2 for kids 5 to 15. Children younger than 5 will be admitted free.

The event will feature dog sport demos, vendors, a canine themed raffle, lunch and doggie games. There will be agility run-throughs for \$3 per run starting at 8 a.m. CGC and TDI testing will be offered, as well as microchipping. All proceeds benefit New England Border Collie Rescue.

For information, e-mail info@nebcr.org or call 800-760-1569.

The farm is at 760 East Road.

## Altamont Fair to run from Aug. 11 to 16

The Altamont Fair will be held Tuesday to Sunday, August 11 to 16.

Tickets are \$15, children 12 and under are admitted free. Parking is free, and there is CDTA bus transportation available.

For information and advanced tickets for \$10, visit [www.altamontfair.com](http://www.altamontfair.com).

In the picture book "Flat Stanley" by Jeff Brown, Stanley discovers all a boy can do when he becomes flat as a pancake.

The RCS Community Library invites vacationing families to take Flat Henry Hudson along on their vacations this summer to discover what a flat explorer can do. Take our Flat Henry to the Cape or camping or wherever you may go this summer. He's a good traveler and never whines in the back seat.

Snap a photo of Henry on the beach, at a baseball game or at the amusement park; he loves to have his picture taken. Submitted photos will be displayed at the library and on the library's Web site as we track Henry's latest travels. Come to the Circulation desk for details and to check Henry out for your next adventure.

## Teen writing group to meet

The Teen Writer's Group will meet on Friday, Aug. 7, from 1 to 4 p.m. in the RCS Community Annex. Linda Miller will lead this latest session. All previous participants are invited to re-join the group, and new members

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are welcome. If you are writing on your own or would like to be, join this welcoming group of aspiring writers. Register by calling 756-2053 or emailing [felstenj@uhls.lib.ny.us](mailto:felstenj@uhls.lib.ny.us).

## Young writers' reception

Participants in the Young Writer's Workshop and their families are invited to attend the annual Young Writer's Reception on Wednesday, Aug. 12, at 7 p.m. Celebrate your writer's completion of their own original story this summer.

## Free summer teen/tween activities

Teens and tweens, are you bored this summer? Colleen Wolfe, our newest library assistant, invites you to join her for adventures in art this summer. This program is for creative kids ages 10 and up who are looking for summer activities. Upcoming projects include aluminum can sculptures, manga illustrations, "green"

collages and wire figure sculpting.

The group will take over our annex twice a week for projects that will excite and challenge them. Meet with Colleen Wednesdays and Thursdays from 1 to 3 p.m. No need to sign up; just bring your imagination.

## Rewarding Readers

This week's winners in the Rewarding Readers were Edward Ruxton, Richard Baker, Anna Doane and Andrew Brennan. Winners get to choose an item from our gift basket of donations from local businesses. Read three books, fill out a Rewarding Readers coupon at the Circulation desk, and you could be a winner, too.

## What's new

- Adult fiction

"Get Real" by Donald E. Westlake

"The Moon Looked Down" by Dorothy Garlock

"There's Something About St. Tropez" by Elizabeth Adler

- Adult nonfiction

"The Complete Idiot's Guide to the Perfect Job Interview" by Marc Dorio

"Paper It! 50 Home Décor and Gift Ideas Using Scrapbook Papers" by Martingale & Company

"Tears in the Darkness: The Story of the Bataan Death March and Its Aftermath" by Michael Norman and Elizabeth M. Norman

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# More wheels, more heals

## Charity group gives off-road rides for ill children

By DAN SABBATINO  
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When Dan Quaglieri was asked to "make-a-wish" after being diagnosed with Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma, he could have chosen to meet his favorite athlete, movie star or musician, but all he wanted was to cruise on a snow-mobile or ride on an all terrain vehicle.

Unfortunately, the Make-A-Wish Foundation cannot provide "motorized wishes," according to Dan's dad, Tom, of Guilderland. It is because of Dan's love of off-road vehicles, and Tom's desire to give back to the community, that Tom founded 4Wheeling 4Healing after his son was diagnosed with cancer in the seventh grade. Now, Dan is 18 years old, and giving ATV rides to other kids with cancer, heart-disease and other hospitalizing illnesses as part of the 4W4H program his dad set up.

Dan also acts as an active ear for those who take rides, listening to their stories and sharing experiences battling cancer.

"It made him become a lot more outgoing," he said.

Tom went on to praise the Make-A-Wish Foundation, which provided a trip for his family to Hawaii and spent thousands of dollars trying to give Dan happy memories.

"It really is a phenomenal organization," Tom said. "Don't get me wrong. But we said, 'You know what, we're going to fill in that void in the system there.'"

Tom said he was never able to gain a totally clear understanding of the legalities behind why Make-A-Wish does not provide "motorized wishes" but said he wanted to do something where he could grant that sort of present for a child who wants it.

He said his organization receives permission from the doctor, making sure the child is healthy enough to ride; and then Tom, or one of his six family members who participate take them to a trail nearby for a day of fun and excitement.

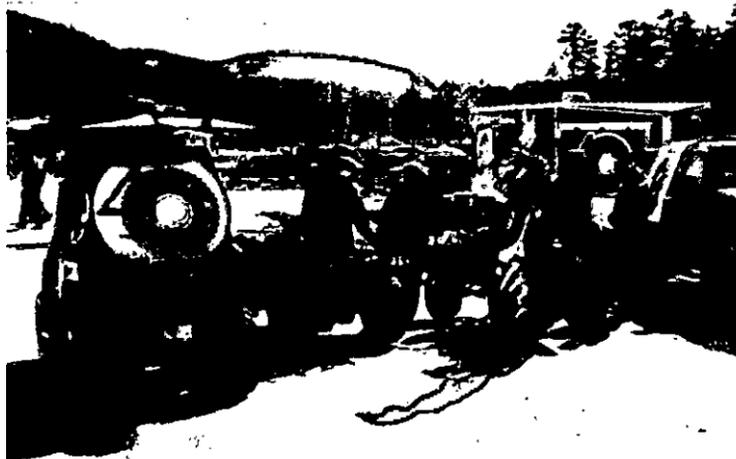
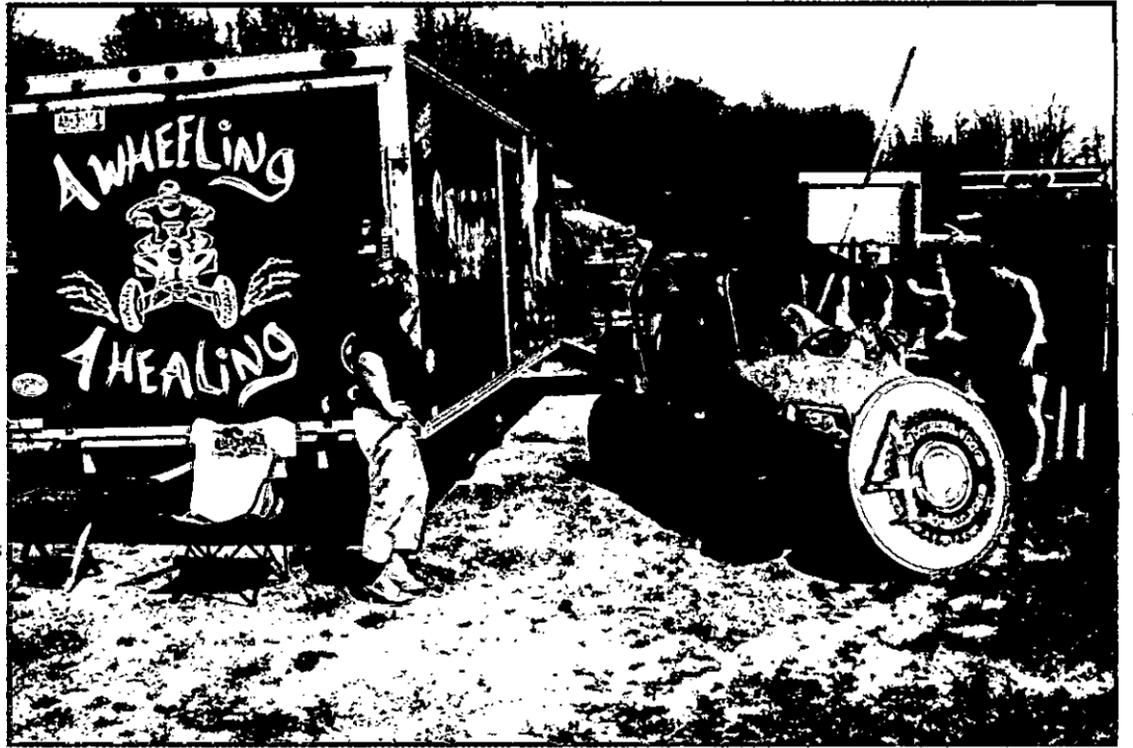
He said there are multiple benefits to providing the rides, especially for kids who are used to playing sports or who were otherwise active before getting sick.

"If you were athletic, you might miss a season or two," he said. "You lose the adrenaline rush."

He said riding on the machine lets you get that rush back.

"Even if you were a team player, you can get that rush from you and the machine," he said. "It's a release."

Tom takes the kids on a Polaris Razor side-by-side unit. Each one costs close to \$10,000. Quaglieri said he has three units, and is expecting to replace two. Each was purchased with his own money, but he said he is actively seeking sponsorship



Charity Organization 4Wheeling 4Healing provides off-road rides for children with long-term hospital stays. The group was started by Tom Quaglieri, of Guilderland, after his son, Dan, was diagnosed with Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma.

Submitted photos

for his organization.

He said 4W4H caters to kids all around the state, and will make the effort to come

to doctors and hospitals rather than make the child or family travel.

Tom said the Trail Riders Expo, at the Indian Lookout County Club south of Amsterdam, from Thursday Aug. 20 to Sunday, Aug. 23, will provide his program with an opportunity to both raise money for 4W4H and to meet other riders who he can network with and discuss trails in areas outside on the Capital District where he can give rides when traveling.

Tom said \$5 from each ticket will go to 4W4H, and he can put that toward gas, maintenance, T-shirts, hats and amenities for the kids as well as other expenses associated with the program.

Bob Ski, promoter of the Trail Riders Expo, said the program is thrilled to be a

part of 4W4H charitable efforts, and is also participating in the Marines Toys for Tots program as well.

"Anything we can do for the kids," Ski said. He said an opening ceremony featuring a demonstration by military personnel, fireworks, rides, local and regional bands and more will be available. Participants will have the opportunity to camp on site if they desire, and tickets start at \$35.

"Manufactures will be on hand with some of the vehicles," Ski said. "It's a real good time, a very family oriented event."

For information on 4W4H, call 355-4028 or 928-7679 or visit 4Wheeling4Healing.com. For information on the expo, call 1-888-OHV-EXPO or visit www.TrailRex.com

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# Line

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Monday, July 20, and is a general objection to the designating petitions of Cunningham, Mark Jordan, Kyle Kotary, Nanci Moquin and Gregg Sagendorph.

The Independence objection was general, but the Working Families Party objection lists three specific objections to Cunningham's five-signature petition. It states the witness signatures pre-date the signers' signatures, with signers dated on July 19 and 20 and the witness statements signed on June 21; there is no sheet number on the petition; and that the objectors "believe no oath was administered at time of signatures."

Cunningham said he doesn't believe the Independence Party objection was filed on time. Albany County Board of Elections Democratic Commissioner Matthew Clyne, who is also Bethlehem's Democratic chairman, said they received the Independence Party general objection but has not received a specific objection.

Clyne said specific objections would have to be received six days after the general objection or "there would be no objection."

One was not handed as of press time on Monday, July 27, which was the last day it would be due.

As for the Working Families Party objection, Clyne said "the ruling will be made later on this week," by himself and the Republican Commissioner, John Graziano, who is also the Albany County Republican chairman.

Messina said he was "up front" with all political parties in telling them he was seeking the support of a coalition of political parties to represent all people. *The Spotlight* confirmed with each of the party chairs that endorsed Messina that they knew he was running on the other lines, including the Conservative and Working Families parties.

Cunningham said he is appealing "directly to the people" of the Working Families Party, which he said has a political philosophy more in line with his own than that of Messina who has the backing of Republicans and Conservatives.

"I am seeking the support of the Working Families Party. The party leadership is not where that determination is made," Cunningham said. "That authority lies with the party members, first through the petition process and later through a vote on primary day."

Karen Scharff, spokeswoman for the Working Families Party of the Capital District, said Cunningham never interviewed with her party and they believe Messina is the better supervisor candidate because of his calls for more open government, which has become a contentious issue in both campaigns.

"If Jack Cunningham had wanted our endorsement he could have talked with us. Now all of a sudden because Sam has the line he wants our support," Scharff told *The Spotlight*. "We choose candidates to allow voters to have a choice and they're attempting to take away that choice through subterfuge."

Cunningham said he thinks an opportunity to ballot will only serve to open up the process and questioned the petition objection from a Working Families Party member.

"Unlike my opponent, I did not file objections to attempt to prevent the party members from having the opportunity to vote," he said.

For the latest on the petition objections at the Albany County Board of Elections, go to [www.spotlightnews.com](http://www.spotlightnews.com).

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Lyons Road is closed off while Bethlehem Police investigate the scene of a fatality after a local man was found burned to death on the evening of Thursday, July 23.

Tom Heffernan Sr., *Spotlight*

# Body

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not pursuing criminal charges in the incident.

The cause of the fire is still under investigation, according to Heffernan, but he identified the body found as that of a "middle-aged Bethlehem man."

"We received a call just before 3 p.m. yesterday for a car fire on Lyons Road," Heffernan told *The Spotlight*. "Upon arrival we found a man obviously deceased."

Heffernan said an autopsy

report revealed that the man died from "carbon monoxide inhalation from an automobile fire."

He said the vehicle was fully engulfed when the Selkirk Fire Department emergency crews arrived and that the man frequented the town park. The matter remains an open investigation at this time, he added.

On November 4, 2008, police found the burned body of 39-year-old Michael Freemar of Menands in the same area on Winnie Road and that death was ultimately ruled a suicide.

# Condos

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Delaware Avenue.

The property contains several steep ravines and federally protected wetlands.

The applicant has changed the original plans of building 56 condos on 13.7 acres of land with four single-family homes on an additional 10 acres of land, to having 66 condos on 20.5 acres of land and only one single family home on a three-acre plot.

"It's a better plan," Morelli said before handing a memo to the planning board that said Delmar Pointe Condominium's new layout and proposal was "an improvement."

Bianchine said the applicant is proposing to use a stone facade and composite siding on the buildings, and although the development will cater to seniors and "empty nesters," there would be no age restrictions on living there.

He said the project would be good for Bethlehem's tax base.

"Usually there's not a lot of children involved

in a condominium project," Bianchine said. "It will be a positive impact in terms of taxes."

Planning board member Christine Motta said she liked the plan to build a CDTA bus turnout on the site, referring to the plans and comments of Bianchine that the transportation authority had been contacted about the plan.

Morelli said he thought it was unlikely that bus service would actually come into the project because there wouldn't be enough demand, adding that he didn't think a bus currently comes down that far on Delaware Avenue.

He did say the bus turn around could be converted into a school bus pickup if any children were to move in, but agreed with Bianchine's

assessment that not many children are expected with such a project.

"We actually didn't have a single child in the school district come from Walden Fields," he said, referring to another condominium project in town.

The property is currently zoned Residential A and will have access to public water and sewer, according to planning records.

Planning Board Chairman George Leveille agreed the news plans were an improvement.

"You're headed in the right direction," he said, to which Bianchine responded, "Good, that's what we wanted to hear."

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# Entertainment *in the* Spotlight

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Jim Sano often thought back on the tight-knit Italian neighborhood in Albany where he grew up.

The area had changed over the years; people had moved away and St. Anthony's, a church that was one of the cornerstones of the neighborhood, had closed. Sano missed the comraderie he had once enjoyed.

"I never felt like I'd be able to recapture that," he said.

Then Sano joined the Italian American Community Center, and he immediately felt the same kind of rapport that marked his old surroundings.

Sano and his family became deeply involved in the community center, and when the members decided to hold an Italian festival 19 years ago, Sano was one of the planners. He said the event was an attempt to bring back an "old-time street festival" — similar to what St. Anthony's used to hold.

The event proved a success — so much so that it has grown each year. This year's Festa Italiana, presented by the center's Italian American Heritage Foundation, "is going to be bigger and better than ever," said Santa Pasquini, a member of the festival committee. It's slated for Friday, July 31, and Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 1 and 2, at the center, 257 Washington Ave. Extension in Albany.

That first year, the festival wasn't open to the public, Sano said. It was pretty much just a venue for community centers to come together to celebrate their culture and heritage.

But over the next couple of years, organizers noticed that as word was spreading about the festival, the public was showing up anyway. So, four years into it, the festival opened its doors to everyone.

That's not the only change. The festival was initially held



only on a Sunday afternoon. But organizers decided to add some activities the preceding Saturday, too.

"It was a way to tap into a crowd that prefers to come out at night," Sano said.

Friday activities have been held intermittently over the years, but there's a full slate this year. There will be a wine and cheese tasting, music, dancing, games of chance, vendors and, of course, plenty of Italian food.

Pasquini rattled off a long list of Italian specialties that will be available: pizza, pasta, greens

and beans, eggplant Parmesan, sausage and peppers, pasta fagioli and fried calamari. There will also be fried dough, "which is a huge seller," she said.

Another treat is Italian pastries from Schenectady bakery Villa Italia, which will also offer coffee and drinks.

For kids who prefer something other than Italian food, there will be hot dogs, as well as

popcorn, cotton candy and snow cones, Pasquini said. Rides and games will cater to kids, too.

Meanwhile, for adults, food won't just be for sale — it will take center stage for some competitive eating contests. Saturday will feature a pizza-eating contest and a pasta-eating contest, while Sunday offers a cannoli-eating contest.

A different type of contest takes place Sunday. Wine-makers will try to earn the highest marks from a panel of judges.

"The wine tasting is new and different," Pasquini said.

Sano added that the center hopes the wine tasting "really takes off" and becomes an annual event.

Games of chance are already an old favorite at the festival. In better economic times, the games were so popular that the center was able to distribute some of the proceeds to a variety of charities: Little League, the American Cancer Society and The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

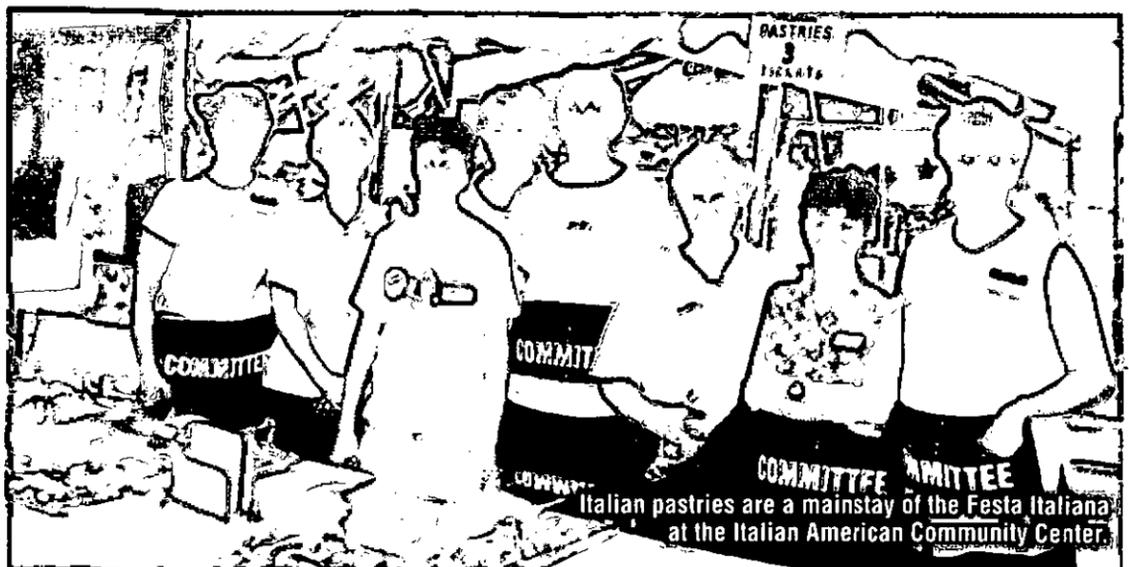
The center has used its own share of the proceeds for a variety of cultural activities, Sano said, such as community presentations and trips to the opera.

Sano, who worked at the center as a lifeguard after college and is now its pool director, said that the festival has drawn as many as 1,000 people over three days in its most popular years. Organizers are hoping that this year will bring record crowds.

The festival runs from 5 to 10 p.m. on Saturday, from noon to 10 p.m. on Saturday and from noon to 8 p.m. on Sunday. It will be held rain or shine. Admission is free. For information, visit [www.italianamerican.com](http://www.italianamerican.com).



The Italian American Community Center has more than 300 member families, many of whom volunteer at the Italian festival.



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# Calendar of Events *in the* Spotlight

## Wednesday, July 29

**BETHLEHEM**  
**DELMAR ROTARY**  
Normanside Country Club, 7:30 a.m., Information, 767-2015

**EVENINGS ON THE GREEN (JULY)**  
Bethlehem Public Library's Free Summer Concert Series, 7 p.m. Information, 439-9341.

**BINGO**  
American Legion Blanchard Post No. 1040, 16 Poplar Drive, Delmar. 7:30 p.m. Food available.

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

**SOLID ROCK CHURCH**  
Evening prayer service 7:00 p.m.; Bible study 7:30 p.m.; 1 Kenwood Ave., 7 p.m. Information, 439-4314.

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

**NEW SCOTLAND**  
**PRAYER MEETING**  
Small groups meeting throughout the week for evening prayer and Bible study, Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155. Call for times and information, 765-3390.

**PIONEER CLUBS**  
For children grades 1 through junior high; Mountainview Evangelical Free Church,

Route 155, 3:45 to 5 p.m. Information, 765-3390.

**AA MEETING**  
First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville, 68 Maple St., 8 p.m. 765-2895.

## Thursday, July 30

**BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS**  
Meets Thursdays at 1 p.m. in Town Hall Auditorium, 445 Delaware Ave. Activities include cards, games, bingo and conversation. A bi-monthly newsletter is available in the senior services office. Information, 439-4573.

**AA MEETINGS**  
Slingerlands Community Church, 1499 New Scotland Road, noon.

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

**BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN (SEPTEMBER THRU MAY)**  
children's choir, 6:15 p.m., senior choir, 7 p.m., 85 Elm Ave. Information, 439-4328.

**PRAYER MEETING**  
Small groups meeting throughout the week for evening prayer and Bible study, Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155. Call for times and information, 765-3390.

## Friday, July 31

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

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

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

## Saturday, Aug. 1

**BETHLEHEM DELMAR SATURDAY FARMERS MARKET**  
The Delmar Saturday Farmers Market will be open June 6 until October 31 from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. rain or shine. The market is located at the Bethlehem Middle School, 322 Kenwood Ave. For more info, go to [www.delmarmarket.org](http://www.delmarmarket.org).

**AA MEETING**  
Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. Information, call 439-4328.

**GLENMONT**  
Story Hour at Tea and Tattered Pages Used Books, 329 Glenmont Road, Glenmont. Information, 447-9910.

**PRAYER MEETING**  
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## Sunday, Aug. 2

### WORSHIP INFORMATION

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

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

### NEW SCOTLAND

**WORSHIP INFORMATION**  
All Nation's Baptist Church, 2558 West 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, Aug. 3

**SLINGERLANDS**  
Adamsville Slingerlands and Drum Corps; rehearsal 7-9 p.m., October-May. Information, 439-8727.

**BETHLEHEM**

**PEACE VIGIL**  
Bethlehem Neighbors For Peace, weekly peace vigil, Four Corners intersection, Delmar, 5 to 6 p.m., Information, 439-1968.

**PLAYGROUP**  
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**CLASS IN JEWISH MYSTICISM**  
Delmar Chabad Center, 109 Elsmere Ave., 7 p.m. Information, 439-8280.

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

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## Tuesday, Aug. 4

**BETHLEHEM**

**FARMERS MARKET (SUMMER ONLY)**  
Market and Chicken Barbeque, 2:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. rain or shine, First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave.

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

**ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**  
New Scotland Town Hall, Route 85, 7 p.m. Information, 765-3356 Fourth Tuesday of each month.

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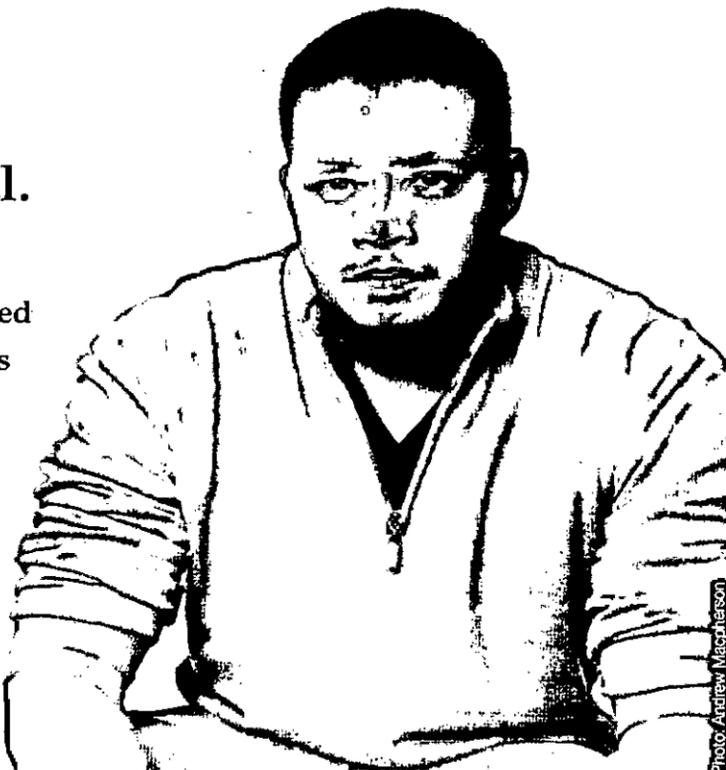
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# Milestones *in the* Spotlight

## Klaas, Jordan to wed

Walter and Diane Klaas of Latham, NY, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Lisa Klaas, to Kevin Jordan, son of Joseph and Ann Marie Jordan of Bluffton, SC.

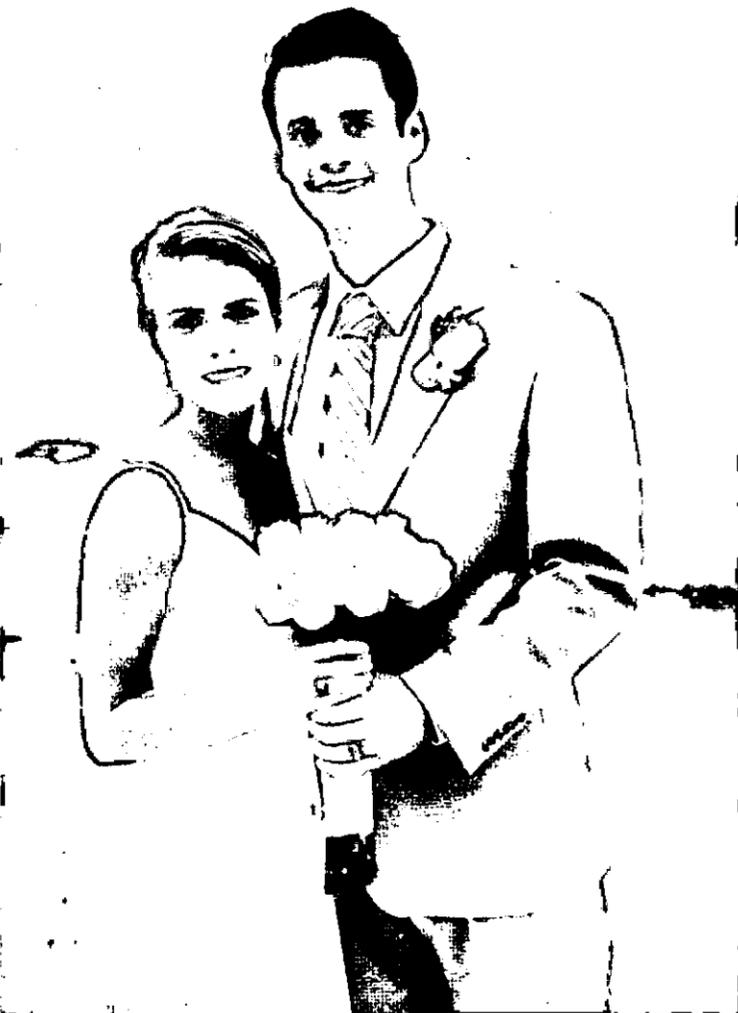
The future bride graduated from Shaker High School in 2003. She went on to earn a B.S. in Chemical Engineering from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in 2007. Lisa is a Chemical Engineer at Gulfstream Aerospace in Savannah, Georgia.

The future groom is a graduate of Niskayuna High School (2003) and Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (2007), where he received a B.S. in Management. Kevin is an Industrial Engineer at Gulfstream Aerospace in Savannah, Georgia.

The couple will wed on October 3, 2009.



Lisa Klaas and Kevin Jordan



Julie and Andrew Zahurak

## Manganò, Zahurak wed

Julie Marie Manganò and Andrew James Zahurak were married May 9, 2009 at Coronado Beach, San Diego, CA. Pastor Joseph Coyle officiated. The reception followed at Old Venice Restaurant in San Diego, CA.

The bride is the daughter of Jim and Kathy Manganò of Oswego, NY. The groom is the son of Steve and Carol Zahurak of Rotterdam, NY.

The Best Man was Todd Zahurak, brother of the groom.

Julie is a 1998 graduate of Oswego High School. She went on to SUNY Binghamton, where she graduated in 2002 with a B.S. in Nursing. She is a Registered Nurse in neonatal intensive care at University of California, San Diego Medical Center.

Andrew is a 1998 graduate of Mohonasen High School,

and a 2002 graduate of SUNY Binghamton, where he earned a B.S. in Environmental Science. He is an Environmental Scientist at SCS Engineers in San Diego, CA. The groom enjoys playing the saxophone as a studio recording musician.

Julie and Andrew honeymooned in Paris, France. They reside in San Diego, CA.

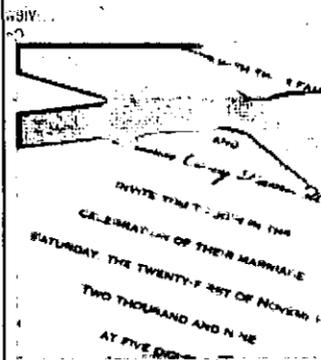
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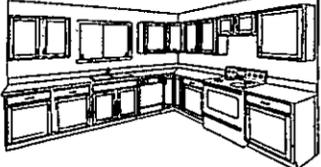
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# Milestones

# State lawmakers unlikely to give OK to recall law

## Arlene E. Krueger

Arlene E. Krueger, 88, of Center Valley, PA, passed away Sunday, July 19, 2009, in St. Luke's Hospice House, Lower Saucon Township.



She was the wife of the late Charles Krueger, who died in 1986.

Born in Palmer Township, she was the daughter of the late Preston E. and Elma M. (Frankenfield) Saylor. Arlene and her husband owned and operated Krueger's Greenhouses on Rt. 378 in Center Valley and after his death, she was the proprietor for a total of 40 years until 2000. She was also a member

of the Order of the Eastern Star Calypso Chapter of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania Farm Bureau and Pennsylvania Flower Growers Association.

Survivors: son, Charles Krueger, Jr. and his wife Barbara of Delmar, NY; sister, Evelyn I. Haas of Allentown, PA; and a grandson, Charles R. Krueger.

Services: Calling hours were held Wednesday, July 22, 2009 from 4-6 PM in the Long Funeral Home, 500 Linden St, Bethlehem, PA. Arlene's funeral services were private. Online condolences may be made at [www.longfuneralhome.com](http://www.longfuneralhome.com)

Contributions: in lieu of flowers, to Boy Scout Troup #58, c/o David Rees, 27 McCormack Rd, Slingerlands, NY 12159 or charity of choice.

**Use of the measure is limited where it does exist**

By CHARLES WIFF  
[wiffc@spotlightnews.com](mailto:wiffc@spotlightnews.com)

While holding New York's elected officials to the possibility of a recall might be a way to prevent the political jockeying that resulted in a month long stalemate in the state Senate, experts say that it's unlikely such a measure will ever be adopted.

Assemblyman James Tedisco, R-Schenectady, announced on Saturday, July 11, that he would introduce a recall bill that would allow voters to petition for the removal of statewide officers and state legislators.

In a statement, Tedisco singled out Democrat Senator Pedro Espada, who crossed the aisle with Hiram Monserrate in June to give Republicans the majority in the Senate. Monserrate rejoined Democrats days later while Espada remained, causing a stalemate that badly tangled state government before he returned to the Democratic Caucus on July 9.

"What Senator Pedro Espada has done, aided and abetted by many of his colleagues, is nothing less than an outright mugging of our democratic process and those who should and still can be the most powerful voices in our government," said Tedisco.

Calls made to Espada's office were not returned.



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— Assemblyman James Tedisco, R-Schenectady

The proposed law would require 50,000 signatures for the recall of any statewide office, and 10 percent of the electorate or 5,000 signatures, whichever is lesser, for the recall of a state legislator. A vote would ensue 90 days from when the Board of Elections certified the recall.

Recall legislation is not unusual nationwide, according to SUNY Albany Professor of political science Joe Zimmerman, who is also the author of "The Recall: Tribunal of the People" and does regular research into recall trends.

"At the state level, there are 18 states that have constitutional provisions authorizing the recall," said Zimmerman, who added that numerous local government charters and laws provide for the recall.

Despite being available in many places, he continued, its use is rare. The most famous example is the 2003 gubernatorial recall in California in which Arnold Schwarzenegger replaced Gray Davis.

"If it exists, it will encourage legislators to be more responsible

knowing they can be used at any time," said Zimmerman. "I view them as standby devices, but they would not be used often but they would be available when the people get upset enough."

And how upset are New Yorkers today? A Siena Research Institute poll released on Monday, July 20, indicates that voters are deeply unsettled by the protracted row in Senate, with the body's approval rating plummeting to 20 percent. 62 percent of those polled said they believe voters will remember the incident come Election Day in 2010.

State lawmakers are elected to two-year terms.

Of course, the very people whom the law most directly affects would be required to pass it. Zimmerman said this fact kills almost any chance of seeing a recall make its way into state law.

"The elected officers do not like these devices in general," he said. "If you were in office, you probably would not like to be threatened daily with the possibility of a recall."

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#### Senior Services hosts Sundays in the Park

The City of Albany and Senior Services of Albany will host Senior Sundays at the Corning Preserve, special concert barbecues for older adults, on Sunday, Aug. 9, with Guytonno (register for lunch by Aug. 6).

The concerts are free, and lunch is \$2.50.

Transportation is available through Senior Services of

Albany at 434-4219.

#### Fresh Air Fund still needs hosts

The Fresh Air Fund is seeking more families to give inner-city children a two-week experience this summer.

Families who volunteer as a host family for The Fund's Friendly Town program help give a child a break from the heat and noise of the crowded city streets.

There are no financial requirements for hosting a Fresh Air child.

First-time visitors are 6 to 12 years old, and reinvited youngsters may participate in the Friendly Town program through age 18.

To learn more about hosting a Fresh Air child this summer, contact Kristen O'Brien at 800-367-0003 ext. 8889, or call The Fresh Air Fund at 800-367-0003. You can also visit The Fund's Web site at [www.freshair.org](http://www.freshair.org).

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## A helping hand



Dan Lang of Delmar volunteers at STRIDE Adaptive Sport's "I Can Ride" bike camp by helping 7-year-old Alex Graziano of Niskayuna practice riding at Union College's Achilles Rink in Schenectady. STRIDE Adaptive Sports, together with the Down Syndrome Aim High Resource Center and the Albany Chapter of the Autism Society of America, provided the program from July 6 to 10 to teach children how to ride bicycles.

Submitted photo

## Blotter

(From Page 2)

• Guilderland Police arrested Kyle A. Armstrong, 25, of 500 Legion Drive, on charges of DWI on Sunday, July 19, according to police reports. The report states his blood-alcohol content was 0.14 percent.

Armstrong was arrested near DiCaprio Park and was arraigned on Thursday, July 30.

• Damien D. Moore, 34, of 329 Glenmont Road, Glenmont, was arrested on Tuesday, July 21, on a warrant for second-degree criminal possession of a forged instrument, a felony.

Moore was transported from the Albany County Correctional Facility after it was discovered he was wanted on an active arrest warrant signed by Bethlehem Town Justice Ryan Donovan, according to the arrest report.

After arraignment by Donovan, Moore was sent back to the county jail because he had three prior felony convictions, and his case was waived to a grand jury, the report states.

• Guilderland Police arrested Niral A. Patel, 29, of 2 Jackson Road in South Glens Falls, on charges of DWI on Saturday, July 11, according to police reports.

Patel was arrested near the corner of Carmen Road and Western Avenue. He was arraigned on Thursday, July 23, the report states.

• Guilderland Police arrested

# Library to show 'Lion King'

The Guilderland Public Library's Disney Family Friday movie at 7 p.m. on July 31 tells the story of a cute little lion cub who flees into exile and abandons his identity as the future king ... for a time, anyway.

Kids will love the animation and the story, and adults will get a kick out of hearing the voiceover stylings of Matthew Broderick, James Earl Jones, Nathan Lane, Jeremy Irons and other leading actors. (Extra credit if you can identify the voice of Banzai.)

This will be our first Pizza-and-a-Movie Night as, thanks to the generosity of Jeff and Jennie Heidbreder, owners of the Little Caesars at 1800 Western Ave., there will be free pizza snacks. This will be shown outdoors in the Community Literary Garden, weather permitting. (Rain place: the Helderberg Room.) So come on over, bring a lawn chair or a thick blanket to spread out on, and have a great time watching this fun Disney classic.

### Dazzled by dogs

Join us for a fun filled afternoon with the Dazzle Dogs, at 2 p.m. on Thursday July 30. This program is open to all, and is a chance to experience the wonder of this group of dogs who delight audiences with their exceptional talents. They dance, skirt obstacles and perform amazing stunts you won't quite believe.

### Share Your 'Sizzler'

We love your reviews! The "Summer Sizzlers" reading club for adults is receiving enormous response across all genres. Some reviews are pithy, some edge right up to the 1,000 character max, but all are fun to read and delightfully insightful.

If you have not yet taken part in the program, now's the time. Just read a book and post your original review on the Summer Sizzlers page on our site at [www.guilpl.org](http://www.guilpl.org). You'll automatically be entered for a chance to win a

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And be sure to read the reviews your neighbors have posted to the "Sizzlers" page. Who knows? You might see something that catches your interest and might become your next "best summer read."

### Save the dates

A few upcoming events to make note of:

• Family Fun Day at the library will be Saturday, Aug. 15, from 1 to 4 p.m. It's going to be even more fun than last year.

• "Champlain's Dream," a discussion about this outstanding book, will be held on Monday, Aug. 10, at 7:30 p.m.

• Teen Open Mic Night, your last chance to "Express Yourself @ Your Library," will blow the doors off the library at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 12.

• The Happenings of 1969, a series of events focusing on this amazing year, slides into being the week of Sept. 13, man.

Details about these events are available at our Web site at [www.guilpl.org](http://www.guilpl.org).

Note: All library events are free unless otherwise noted. The Guilderland Public Library is at 2228 Western Ave., Guilderland. Call 456-2400 x 12 for more information, or visit the library's Web site at [www.guilpl.org](http://www.guilpl.org). Please e-mail any comments you have about the library or its programs to [pio@guilpl.org](mailto:pio@guilpl.org). Please note that the library is closed on Sundays during July and August.

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Notice of Formation of The Law Office of Jaclyn S. Coleman, PLLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/04/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: profession of law. LD-21330 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of KBL Wealth Advisors, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/11/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21331 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Reisdorf-Parker Landscape Design LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 04/29/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21332 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Agent Orange Media, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/26/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21333 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of DJ Miss Saigon, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/26/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21334 (July 29, 2009)

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NOTICE OF GUIDANCE
Notice of Formation of Guidance Group Digital, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/12/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21335 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of American Home Debt Modification, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/02/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21336 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of London Investors LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/11/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21337 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Connaught Street Property LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/10/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21338 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of MPH Funding LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/16/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21339 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of I.J.R. Realty Holding LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/09/08. 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., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21340 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Safety Planning Group, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/16/09. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Nevada (NV) on 3/11/09. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Avenue of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Address to be maintained in NV: 1000 East Williams St., Carson City, NV 89701. Arts. of Org. filed with NV Secy. Of State, 208 North Carson St., Carson City, NV 89701-4298. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21342 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF Berkshire Insight, LLC. Article of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on June 05, 2009. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. The Post Office address to which the SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him is C/O United States Corporation Agents, Inc. 7014 13th Avenue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, New York 11228. Purpose of LLC: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Street address of Principal Business location is: 12165 State Route 9W, Suite 280, West Coxsack, New York 12192 LD-21346 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: COLUMBIA QC

## LEGAL NOTICE

EAST MAIN LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, June 19, 2009. 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-21348 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Lotus & Phoenix Productions LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/19/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Raphael Brown, 118 Fort Greene Place, #9, Brooklyn, NY 11217. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21349 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of FREEDOM4D L.L.C. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/12/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o United Corporate Services, Inc., 10 Bank St., Ste. 560, White Plains, NY 10606. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21350 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of MASON STREET CREATIVE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 6/22/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21351 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of JOSEPHINE&LAURENTINA LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 6/22/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21352 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Name: Trajan Group, LLC (LLC). Articles of Organization filed with NY Dept. of State on 6/19/09. 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 595 New Loudon Road, Suite 207, Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. LD-21371 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Boomershine Consulting Group, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/17/09. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Maryland (MD) on 3/27/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 3975 Sharp Rd., Glenwood, MD 21738, also the address to be maintained in MD. Arts. of Org. filed with MD Secy. Of

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State, 301 West Preston St., Baltimore, MD 21201. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21372 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: MERCHANT CREDIT CARD NETWORK LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/05/09. 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 Aufrechtig & Aufrechtig, P.C., 300 East 42nd Street, Fifth Floor, New York, New York 10017. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21373 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 731 NEW HOPE LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/08/09. 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, 406 Avenue F, Brooklyn, New York 11218. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21374 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 59-25 70th STREET, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/28/09. 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, 59-25 70th Street, Maspeth, New York 11378. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21375 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 302 KINGSLAND, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/05/09. 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, 35 West 20th Street, New York, New York 10011. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21376 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 302 KINGSLAND, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/05/09. 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, 35 West 20th Street, New York, New York 10011. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21376 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

1. The name of the Professional Service Limited Liability Company is Jeffrey Ryan Family Medicine, PLLC.  
2. The Articles of Organization were filed April 23, 2008.  
3. The office of the Professional Service Limited Liability Company is located in Albany County.  
4. The Secretary of State has been designated as the agency of the Professional Service Limited Liability Company upon whom process against it may be served.  
5. The purpose of the Professional Service Limited Liability Company is to engage in any lawful activity for which a Professional Service Limited Liability Company may be formed. LD-21378 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Pursuant to New York Limited Liability Company Law §206, 390 COLUMBIA LLC publishes the following legal notice:  
1. The name of the limited

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liability company is: 390 COLUMBIA LLC.  
2. The articles of organization were filed with the Secretary of State on December 3, 2004.  
3. The principal offices of 390 COLUMBIA LLC (the "Company") will be located in Albany County, New York.  
4. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the Company upon whom process against it may be served, and the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against it served upon him or her to the Company at 20 Turnberry Drive, Slingerlands, New York 12159.  
5. No registered agents have been designated for service upon the Company.  
6. The Company has not specified a date of dissolution, or any events that will automatically cause the dissolution of the Company. The Company shall be engaged in the operation of a limited liability company, as well as any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York. LD-21379 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Jwinarski LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/28/09. 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. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21388 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC Creble Road Properties, LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on 05/28/09. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC, c/o McNamee, Lochner, Titus & Williams, P.C., 677 Broadway, Albany, NY 12207. The street address of the principal business location is 435 Creble Rd., Selkirk, NY 12158. 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-21398 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC Forrest Pointe III LLC, filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on 06/30/09. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to the LLC, c/o Dawn Homes Management, LLC, 20 Corporate Woods Blvd. 5th Floor, Albany, NY 12211. The street address of the principal business location is c/o Dawn Homes Management, LLC, 20 Corporate Woods Blvd., 5th Floor, Albany, NY 12211. 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-21399 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Models of the Runway SPV, LLC. Authority filed with

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Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/26/09. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/22/09. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 375 Greenwich St., NY, NY 10013, also the address of the principal office. Address to be maintained in DE: 160 Greentree Dr., Ste. 101, Dover, DE 19904. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21401 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of ARLENE HARRISON CONSULTING LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 6/25/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21404 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of GAB CONSULTANTS, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/2/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21405 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of THE HOUSE OF TUTOR, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/1/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21406 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of FIRST WINNERR LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/6/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21407 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of RR Knightly Law, PLLC, Art. of Org. filed Secy of State (SSNY) 6/4/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to Robert J. Knightly, 210 Elm St., Albany, NY 12202. Purpose: to practice the profession of Law. LD-21409 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Region 27 LLC. Authority filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 06/09/09. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Georgia (GA) on 01/08/09. Principal office of LLC: 2170 Satellite Blvd., Ste. 460, Duluth, GA 30097. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail

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process to the GA address of LLC at 2170 Satellite Blvd., Ste. 460, Duluth, GA 30097. Articles of Organization were filed with GA Secretary of State at 315 West Tower, 2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr., Atlanta, GA 30334. Purpose: Any lawful activity. LD-21410 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: PMT MANAGEMENT, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/10/09. 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, 230 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21412 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: SUNSALE INTERNATIONAL, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/08/09, with an existence date of 07/01/09. 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, 25 Concord Road, Port Washington, New York 11050. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21413 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

W.J. RIEGEL RAIL SOLUTIONS, LLC Notice of formation of W.J. Riegel Rail Solutions, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 7/2/09. Office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC, 22 Hamilton Lane, Glenmont, New York 12077. The purposes of the LLC are to perform construction and repair operations in connection with railroads. LD-21415 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

SELKIRK REALTY ASSOCIATES, LLC Notice of formation of Selkirk Realty Associates, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 7/2/09. Office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC, 22 Hamilton Lane, Glenmont, New York 12077. The purposes of the LLC are to acquire, own, hold, improve, manage and operate the real property known as 46 Bridge Street and 0 Bridge Street, in the Town of Bethlehem, New York. LD-21416 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of a Limited Liability Company (LLC): Name: SABRA'S CUSTOM CELEBRATIONS, LLC, Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/23/09. 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: C/O SABRA'S CUSTOM CELEBRATIONS, LLC, 37 Lakeshore Dr., Apt. 1c, Watervliet, NY 12189.

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of KDC Apparel LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/26/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21419 (July 29, 2009)

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Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose. Latest date date upon which LLC is to dissolve: No specific date. LD-21417 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of KDC Apparel LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/26/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21419 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Smart Turf Solutions LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/02/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21420 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Bearcat Services Group, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/22/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21421 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Avenue F Realty LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/15/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21422 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Vbrucha Mazel LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/23/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21423 (July 29, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Churchill Suites LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/31/07. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC

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up, whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 41 State St., Ste. 415, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21424 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Arshadnia LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/24/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21425 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Price PR, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/30/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21426 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Joie De Vivre Communications, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/30/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21427 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Liang Law Office, PLLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/02/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: profession of law. LD-21428 (July 29, 2009)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Deor Web & Graphic Design LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/02/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21429 (July 29, 2009)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of The New York Burlesque Festival LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with

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Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/16/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21430 (July 29, 2009)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 112-114 W 14 ST. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/29/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Capitol Services, Inc., 1218 Central Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. LD-21439 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Melt Management LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/5/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 100 Wall St., 23rd Fl, NY, NY 10005. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21440 (July 29, 2009)

LEGAL NOTICE

Name of LLC: NGPC, LLC. Articles of Org. filed Dept. of State of NY on 6/26/09. Office location in NY: Albany City. Principal bus. loc.: 90 State Street, Suite 1507, Albany, NY 12207. Secy. of State designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Sec. of State shall mail a copy of process to: The LLC, 90 State Street, Suite 1507, Albany, NY 12207, Attn: Manager. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21441 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of SCHISM PRODUCTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/8/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21443 (July 29, 2009)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of MET-AL MECHANIC PROCURE-MENT SOLUTION-MPS, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 6/8/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21445 (July 29, 2009)

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WESTCORE INTERNATIONAL LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/10/2009 Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. The registered agent is: Accumera LLC at the same address. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21446 (July 29, 2009)

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SHAWLINE HOLDINGS LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/10/2009 Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. The registered agent is: Accumera LLC at the same address. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LD-21447 (July 29, 2009)

LEGAL NOTICE

ZENNOR CAPITAL LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/10/2009 Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. The registered agent is: Accumera LLC at the same address. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LD-21448 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Dean & Classon Realty, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/01/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21451 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Yuen Yuen Realty, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/01/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21452 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Dowell Consulting LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/03/09. 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., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21453 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of First Avenue Dental PLLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/06/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: Allstate Corp. Svcs., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: profession of dentistry. LD-21454 (July 29, 2009)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY

LEGAL NOTICE

COMPANY NAME: OSBORN CUSTOM WOODWORKS, LLC Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 7/2/09. 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 at its principal business location: 18 Elmwood Street, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: For any lawful purpose LD-21458 (July 29, 2009)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of DecisionQuest Holdings, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/10/09. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 7/8/09. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: DecisionQuest, Inc., Attn: President, 21545 Hawthorne Blvd., Ste. 310, Torrance, CA 90503, also the address of the principal office. Address to be maintained in DE: 615 South Dupont Hwy., Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21459 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Qualification of Bounce Energy NY, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/10/09. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/29/09. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 2802 Albany St., Houston, TX 77006. Address of the principal office: 160 Greentree Dr., Ste. 101, Dover, De 19904. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste 4., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21460 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of N302TC LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 7/2/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 159 Delaware Ave., Ste. 249, Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21472 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Qualification of Daisy Brand, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/13/09. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Texas (TX) on 6/26/07. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Capitol Services, Inc., 1218 Central Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205. TX address of LLC: 12750 Merit Drive, Ste. 600, Dallas, TX 75251. Arts. of Org. filed with TX Secy. of State, PO Box 13697, Austin, TX 78711. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. LD-21473 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of DEGA REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/18/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 28-07 Hobart Street, Woodside, NY 11377. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21474 (July 29, 2009)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION CK EXCAVATING I, LLC

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Under Section 206 of the Limited Liability Company Law First, the name of the Limited Liability Company is CK Excavating I, LLC Second, the articles of organization were filed with the New York Department of State on June 30, 2009. Third, the County in which the Limited Liability Company is located is Albany County, New York. Fourth, The Secretary of State of the State of New York has been designated as agent of the Limited Liability Company upon process against it may be served. The principal addresses of the Limited Liability Company is 33 Normanskill Road, Voorheesville, New York 12186. Fifth, the purpose of the Company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which Limited Liability Companies may be organized under the New York Limited Liability Law. LD-21477 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Qualification of Santa Barbara Medical Innovations, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/7/09. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 3/30/09. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Capitol Services, Inc., 1218 Central Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205. DE address of LLC: c/o The Corporation Trust Company, 1209 Orange St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. LD-21481 (July 29, 2009)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Elmwood Park Fire District which is located in the Towns of Guilfordland, New Scotland and Bethlehem, in Albany County, are hereby holding a Special Election on August 25th, 2009 between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. at the Elmwood Park firehouse located at 589 Russell Road, Albany, New York 12203 for the purpose of selling their 1991 Central States 1500 gallon pumper/tanker which was declared to be surplus, pursuant to Section 176(23) of the Town Law, to the Ellisburg Fire Department located in the Town of Ellisburg, Oswego County at a price of \$75,000.00. All voters registered with the Albany County Board of Elections on or before August 2nd, 2009, who are residents of the fire district for thirty (30) days preceding the election, shall be eligible to vote. LD-21842 (July 29, 2009)

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Notice is hereby given that the Planning Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York, will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, August 4, 2009 at 6:00 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, New York, on the application of Charles Crisafulli, Jr. for a Special Use Permit for the construction of a two (2) car garage at Maple Manor Apartments located at 101 Cherry Avenue, Delmar, NY, Albany County, N.Y., as shown on map entitled: MAP OF SITE PLAN; PROPOSED GARAGE ADDITION, "MAPLE MANOR" APARTMENTS, STREET No. 101 CHERRY AVENUE, FOR CARMELO CRISAFULLI, Jr., Town of Bethlehem, map prepared by Paul E. Hite, Licensed Land Surveyor, 230 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054. George Leveille Chairman, Planning Board NOTE: Disabled individuals who need assistance in order to participate should contact

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the Town Clerk's Office at 439-4955 Ext.1183. Advance notice is requested. LD-21488 (July 29, 2009)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY NAME: SELECT PERSONNEL SERVICES LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/08/09. 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, 570 7th Avenue, Suite 500, New York, New York 10018. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21485 (July 29, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of SANBORN GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/21/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21489 (July 29, 2009)

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SELKIRK FIRE DISTRICT PERMISSIVE REFERENCE DUM At a meeting of the Selkirk Fire District held on July 20, 2009, a resolution was adopted permitting the purchase of a new security system for each of the three fire houses. The expenditure shall be from an existing capital reserve account established for equipment. The total purchase price shall not exceed Fifty-Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars. The resolution shall not take effect until 30 days after the Board of Fire Commissioners meeting on July 20, 2009. The resolution is subject to a permissive referendum. Frank With, Secretary LD-21491 (July 29, 2009)

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on August 12, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. at the Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY to consider Extension #31 to Bethlehem Sewer District. The proposed Troubador extension will provide sanitary sewer service to five lots within the Troubador residential subdivision and 1022 Route 9W, Selkirk. The maximum amount proposed to be expended for the improvement is not to exceed \$2,500.00 per year; cost of the proposed district to the typical residence will be \$0.32 per thousand dollars of assessed valuation per year, and a \$450 hook-up fee will be required. Description of Proposed Troubador Extension #31 to Bethlehem Sewer District All that certain tract, piece of parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Town of Bethlehem, County of Albany, State of New York, lying along US Route 9W, and being more particularly bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at a point at the intersection of the division line between Lot 6 Thoroughbred Circle on the North and the lands now or formerly of Rick Hallenbeck, Tax Map Parcel No. 121.0-1-20 on the South with the Westerly boundary of Route 9W as shown on a map entitled "Preliminary Plat Subdivision Plan Troubador Estates Subdivision," Town of Bethlehem, County of Albany, New York, prepared by C.T. Male Associates, P.C., dated August 29, 2003, last revised March 25, 2005, and runs thence from said point of beginning in a Westerly direction

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along the above mentioned division line 85± feet to its intersection with the existing sewer district line; thence in a generally Northwesterly direction along a curve to the left along said existing sewer district line 782± feet to a point; thence continuing along said existing sewer district line in a Northerly direction 456± feet to its intersection with the Northerly boundary of Lot 31 as shown on the said hereinabove referenced filed subdivision map; thence in a generally Easterly direction along the Northerly boundary of said Lot 31 as shown on the above mentioned filed subdivision map 62± feet to its intersection with the Northerly boundary of said Lot 31 as shown on the said hereinabove referenced filed subdivision map; thence in an Easterly direction along the Northerly boundary of said Lot 31, a distance of 29± feet to its intersection with the common Northeast-erly boundary of Lots 23, 29 and 31 as shown on the said hereinabove referenced filed subdivision map; thence along the above last mentioned common lot line the following three (3) courses: 1) in a Southeasterly direction 369± feet to a point; 2) in a Northerly direction 15± feet to a point; and 3) in an Easterly direction 117± feet to its intersection with the Westerly boundary of Route 9W; thence in a generally Southerly direction along the Westerly boundary of Route 9W, a distance of 32± feet to a point, said point being the Southeastery corner of Lot 23 as shown on the said hereinabove referenced filed subdivision map; thence in a Southerly direction crossing Route 9W, a distance of 220± feet to a point on the Easterly boundary of Route 9W, said point being the Northwestery corner of Tax Map Parcel No. 121.00-3-2; thence along the Northerly and Easterly boundary of said Tax Map Parcel No. 121.00-3-2 and along the Southerly and Westerly boundary of Church Road the following two (2) courses: 1) in an Easterly direction 57± feet to a point; and 2) thence in a Southerly direction 523± feet to its intersection with the Southerly boundary of Tax Map Parcel No. 121.00-3-2; thence in a Westerly direction along the Southerly boundary of said Tax Map Parcel No. 121.00-3-2, a distance of 194± feet to its intersection with the Easterly boundary of Route 9W; thence in a Westerly direction crossing Route 9W, a distance of 86± feet to the point or place of beginning. The above described proposed sewer district is shown on a map entitled "Sewer Report Map Troubador Subdivision," Town of Bethlehem, County of Albany, New York, prepared by C.T. Male Associates, P.C., dated March 25, 2005, last revised July 12, 2007. All parties in interest and citizens will have an opportunity to be heard at the said hearing. The Town of Bethlehem provides reasonable accommodations for the disabled. Disabled individuals who need assistance in order to participate should contact the Town Clerk's office at 439-4955, ext. 1183. Advanced notice is requested. BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LAUREL HILL LANE, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/22/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21494 (July 29, 2009)

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Bethlehem's Sam Smith crosses the finish line in the men's decathlon 1,500-meter race at the Liberty Tour Empire State Championship Sunday. Smith won the decathlon with 5,366 points. — Rob Jonas/Spotlight

## Meet

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"We were thrilled to hear about this," said Mary Collins-Finn of Menands, a regular masters division competitor at the Empire State Games. "I didn't hear about it early on [this year]. I think I fell off [the Liberty Tour's] e-mail list because I only heard about it by chance, but once I did, I signed right up."

"I like to put my kids in the Empire [State Games] because it's about the state, but this is good," said Thomas Francis, president of the Zodiacs Track Foundation from the Bronx.

Like the Liberty Tour — a summer-long series of five regional track meets — the Empire State Championship is the brainchild of Ballston Lake

resident Anthony Mills.

"It was more of a natural process for us," said Mills. "We were on our way to establishing a statewide meet when the Empire State Games were canceled [last winter]."

The object of Mills' meet was to give track athletes of all ages a chance to compete against the best in the state.

"We're offering this to people in all age ranges from the very young to older athletes," said Mills. "The Empire State Games ... didn't offer anything for the youth levels."

The establishment of the meet couldn't have come at a better time for masters division athletes such as Collins-Finn, since that division was cut from this year's Empire State Games before the whole five-day, multi-sport event was canceled when the state cut

its funding.

"I was very disappointed about the Empire State Games eliminating the masters division," said Collins-Finn, who competed in the 10,000- and 5,000-meter races at the Empire State Championship. "I wrote one of those letters that wound up going to the governor expressing my disappointment."

"We understood the state of the economy and our roles in the Games ... but we were very disappointed that they decided to cut our division," said Zach Gobel of Ballston Spa, another veteran masters division competitor.

Despite not having the Empire State Games to compete against, turnout for the inaugural Empire State Championship was lighter than hoped for.

"We were a bit disappointed in the turnout, but the competition has been good," said Schenectady's Chris Rush, president of the United States Association of Track and Field's Adirondack chapter.

Still, the athletes that competed at the Empire State Championship were glad to have a meet to go to on the last weekend in July.

"I would have loved to have been [at the Empire State Games]," said Scotia-Glenville track star Tim Holzhauer, who competed in the decathlon. "I would have loved to have gone there just for the competition. But, this is a good meet."

"I think it's a great start," said Gobel. "I know Anthony [Mills] did a lot to get this pulled together, and I think it can grow into something else."

## Smith wins decathlon title

Bethlehem Central High School graduate Sam Smith decided to test himself at last weekend's Liberty Tour Empire State Championship in Queensbury.

Instead of doing one or two events, Smith competed in the 10-event decathlon and came out on top in the boys 15-18 age division with 5,366 points, 54 points ahead of Scotia-Glenville graduate Tim Holzhauer.

"The decathletes in my division were awesome," said Smith. "It was two long days of the most fun you'll ever have this summer."

Smith finished first in six of the 10 events: pole vault, discus, shot put, high jump, 1,500-meter run and 110-meter hurdles. Holzhauer won the other four events: long jump, 400-meter dash, 100-meter dash and javelin.

"[The results] proved to me that I need to get my numbers up [for next year]," said Smith.

— Rob Jonas

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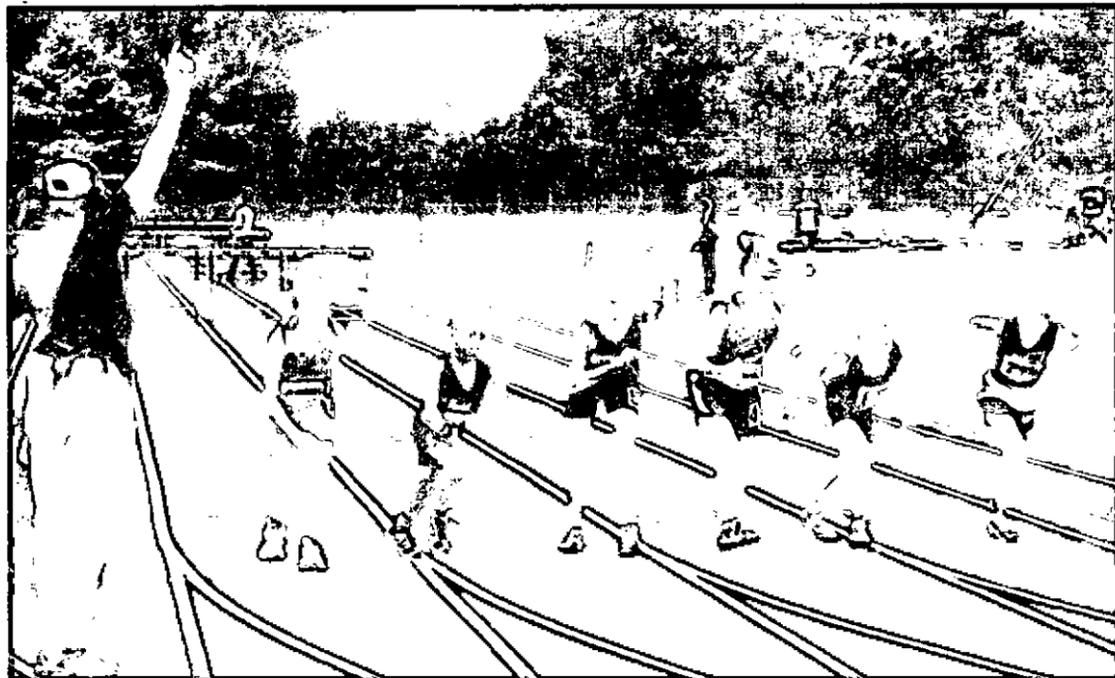
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# Sports *in the* Spotlight

## New meet fills ESG void



Runners take off from the starting line in the bantam division 800-meter race at the Liberty Tour Empire State Championship Sunday at Queensbury High School. *Rob Jonas/Spotlight*

**Liberty Tour event offers opportunity for all ages**

By ROB JONAS  
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Last weekend should have been when thousands of competitors from across New York convened in Poughkeepsie for the Empire State Games.

But a poor economy and subsequent budget cuts led to the suspension of the annual Olympic-style event.

To help fill the void, track-and-field athletes traveled to Queensbury for the first annual Liberty Tour Empire State Championship — a two-day meet with an age range from elementary school students to retirees.

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## Here's hoping the sun shines on Saratoga

Some quick thoughts as we get ready for the heat of summer (which, incidentally, came last weekend):

- Let's hope the rain stays away from Saratoga Race Course as the 141st season begins Wednesday at the legendary Union Street thoroughbred track. The weather didn't cooperate for the first two weeks of last year's meet, which literally put a damper on attendance figures. We don't need a repeat of that.

- What Saratoga could also use is appearances by Mine That Bird and Rachel Alexandra in this year's Travers. I don't know if it will happen, but I'd like to see it. I know NYRA would love to see it.

- With the New York Giants coming to town next week for what may be their last training camp in Albany (there's a rumor the G-men will be holding future camps at their Meadowlands training facility), it will be interesting to see if quarterback Eli Manning can find a new go-to receiver. Here are the leading candidates:

- Domenik Hixon — showed loads of promise last year; can he take the next step?

- Sinorice Moss — hasn't lived up to expectations; needs to show something in his fourth season

- David Tyree — known for his helmet catch in Super Bowl XVI; missed 2008 season with a knee injury

- Steve Smith — was the Giants leading receiver last year with 57 catches, but that's not the total of a true No. 1 receiver

- Hakeem Nicks — the Giants' first-round draft pick; he has the size and the speed; just not the experience.

- The New York Mets made their first smart move in years when they fired vice president for player development Tony Bernazard following several incidents over the last couple of weeks, including a clubhouse tirade in Binghamton when he reportedly challenged all the players to fight him. I don't know if this will help rebuild the Mets' barren farm system, but it pokes a ray of sunlight through the dense, black cloud hanging over the organization.

- I wonder what generated bigger TV ratings Sunday — the end of the Tour de France, or the Brickyard 400? I say this because I would have rather watched the Baseball Hall of Fame induction ceremony, but I couldn't find the telecast. I found the other two sporting events, though. Sad.

- Finally, a request for those filling out the Spotlight Sports Survey. When naming the greatest high school coach and athlete, include the school where they come from. It's for bookkeeping purposes only. Thanks.

## Simply the best

Every year, *Spotlight Newspapers* surveys our readers about topics in the Capital District sports scene. This year, we're looking for the greatest moments and teams. There are two ways to submit answers: you can clip the completed form and mail it to *Spotlight Newspapers*, P.O. Box 100, Delmar 12054 or go to [www.spotlightnews.com/sports](http://www.spotlightnews.com/sports) and fill it out on-line. Deadline for entries is Friday, Aug. 21, and poll results will appear Aug. 26 and 27.

1. What is the greatest individual achievement by a Capital District native?

- A. Jeff Blatnick wins 1984 Olympic gold medal
- B. Pat Reilly wins five NBA titles as coach
- C. Dottie Pepper wins two LPGA majors
- D. Funny Cide wins 2003 Kentucky Derby
- E. Other \_\_\_\_\_

6. Who is the greatest player in RPI hockey history?

- A. Frank Chiarelli (1951-55)
- B. Adam Oates (1982-85)
- C. John Carter (1982-86)
- D. Joe Juneau (1987-91)
- E. Other \_\_\_\_\_

2. What is the greatest moment in Siena men's basketball history?

- A. Beating Stanford (1989 NCAA Tournament)
- B. Beating Vanderbilt (2008 NAAs)
- C. Beating Ohio State in OT (2009 NAAs)
- D. Other \_\_\_\_\_

7. Which minor league team has a more storied history?

- A. Adirondack Red Wings
- B. Albany Firebirds (1990-2000)
- C. Albany Patroons
- D. Albany River Rats
- E. Albany-Colonie Yankees
- F. Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. Who is the greatest Siena men's basketball coach?

- A. Dan Cunha (1941-65, 246-225 record)
- B. William Krisch (1972-82, 142-111 record)
- C. Mike Deane (1986-94, 166-77 record)
- D. Fran McCaffery (2005-present, 58-36 record)
- E. Other \_\_\_\_\_

8. Who was the greatest athlete to play for a Capital District minor league team?

- A. Derrick Rowland (Albany Patroons)
- B. Eddie Brown (Albany Firebirds)
- C. Geordie Kinnear (Albany River Rats)
- D. Ralph Kiner (Albany Senators)
- E. Mariano Rivera (A-C Yankees)
- F. Other \_\_\_\_\_

4. Who is the greatest Siena men's basketball player?

- A. Billy Harrell (1949-52)
- B. Marc Brown (1987-91)
- C. Doremus Bennerman (1990-94)
- D. Kenny Hasbrouck (2005-09)
- E. Other \_\_\_\_\_

9. Greatest high school coach \_\_\_\_\_

10. Greatest high school athlete \_\_\_\_\_

5. Who is the greatest RPI hockey coach?

- A. Ned Harkness (1949-63, 176-96-7 record)
- B. Mike Addesa (1979-89, 186-124-9 record)
- C. Dan Fridgen (1994-2006, 211-193-38 record)
- D. Other \_\_\_\_\_

Bonus question: What is the best sports facility to watch a game in (past or present) and why \_\_\_\_\_