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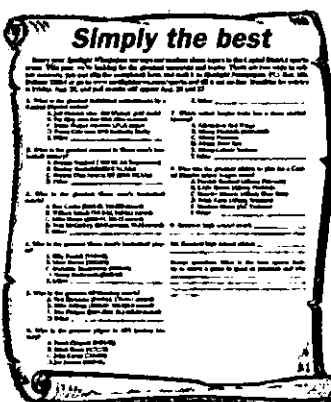
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Attendance was down at this year's Altamont Fair, but organizers still called it a success.  
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### Time simply running out

This is readers' final chance to weigh in on our local sports scene in *The Spotlight's* "Simply the best" poll. Fill out the questionnaire on the back page and mail it to us or visit [www.spotlightnews.com/spotlightsports](http://www.spotlightnews.com/spotlightsports).  
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## Fired BC teacher scolds board

### Educator warns administrators not to 'leap without looking'

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The Bethlehem Central Chinese and Spanish teacher who had been publicly critical of the school administration over her

expected firing has been officially terminated.

Terry Waltz was unanimously terminated by the Bethlehem Board of Education on Wednesday, Aug. 12, at the district offices, but not without getting in a few final words directed at administrators and Superintendent Michael Tebbano at the sparsely attended meeting.

"How many times has the administration failed to properly

inform you before?" she asked. "How many times will you allow this lack of personal and professional responsibility on the part of contract administrators to go unremarked and unresolved?"

She has said that Bethlehem Central terminated her position, along with the adult education courses that she ran, because of a personality conflict and then brought trumped up accusations against her in order to fire her.

She said she was given two termination letters after the first was given to her the day before the board met July 1, and that it was not procedurally correct so they then handed her a second one.

Waltz will be off the school payroll on Saturday, Sept. 12, according to the board vote.

Bethlehem officials, including Tebbano, have repeatedly said they cannot comment on person-

Teacher Page 16



## Fantastic voyage

The community came out in force Sunday, Aug. 16, to celebrate the Quadricentennial of Henry Hudson's visit to the area at the Henry Hudson Town Park in Selkirk.

TOP: Bethlehem Historical Association President Valerie Thompson, right, sits at her display tent between her husband, John, and the famed European explorer Henry Hudson during the Voyage 400 celebration.

RIGHT: Volunteers from Bethlehem Central helped run the day's festivities. From left, students Tori Hammer, Danny Evans and Jen White pose in front of an inflatable bouncy ride they were running.

Jarrett Carroll/Spotlight



## Town loses \$1 million in revenue

Six-month budget review reveals shortfall; officials cut expenditures and dip into reserves

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Although the first six months of Bethlehem's 2009 budget has been a rough one, town officials say it wasn't unexpected, and the worst may have passed.

However, nothing is for certain as sales and mortgage taxes continue to slump and have contributed to the town losing \$1.09 million in revenues this year to date. Bethlehem comptroller Suzanne Traylor presented a financial update to the Town Board during its Wednesday, Aug. 12, meeting.

In order to adjust for the drop in revenues, the Town Board unanimously voted after the presentation to decrease town expenditures by \$968,050 and use \$122,427 of the fund balance to make up the difference.

Borrowing an observation made by Councilman Mark Hennessey at a previous meeting about using the fund balance as a "rainy day fund," Traylor said, "Well it is certainly raining now."

She told the board the town has been bracing for the financial impact.

"You can tell right now our revenue is significantly lower than in 2008," she said. "Which is no surprise to any of us ... we knew this was coming."

Traylor said Bethlehem is simply behind where it used to be.

Halfway through the year, we Revenue Page 16

## Primary debate to be held Sept. 3

**What:** A primary debate between Jack Cunningham and Sam Messina

**When:** Thursday, Sept. 3, 7 to 9 p.m.

**Where:** Bethlehem Town Hall

The *Spotlight* and The League of Women Voters will host a primary debate between incumbent Town of Bethlehem Supervisor Jack Cunningham and challenger Town Councilman Sam Messina on Thursday, Sept. 3, at Bethlehem Town Hall.

"This is the result of a lot of hard work and a wonderful partnership between *The Spotlight*, The League

of Women Voters and the community," said Bill DeVoe, managing editor of *The Spotlight*.

"Public debate is the most unfettered medium for politics. I'm sure this event will benefit the people of Bethlehem in this upcoming primary election."

Both candidates said they're Debate Page 16

# Two injured in Route 9W car crash



An SUV crashed into a utility pole after pulling out of the Town Center Plaza in Glenmont and driving across Route 9W on Wednesday, Aug. 12, at around 2:45 p.m. Bethlehem police arrived on the scene along with Glenmont emergency crews and two people were transported to Albany Medical Center to be treated for injuries from the incident. The male driver had to be restrained with handcuffs after becoming "abusive" toward officers.

Tom Heffernan Sr./Spotlight

# Police Blotter

## G'land police arrest four for DWI

Guilderland police arrested Laura A. Norgrove, 37, of 120 Garnett Lane, Slingerlands, on several charges including DWI on Saturday, Aug. 8, according to police reports.

Norgrove was also charged with assault and recklessly causing physical injury, after Norgrove collided with a vehicle near Church Road and Western Avenue.

Norgrove is scheduled to reappear in court on Thursday, Aug. 20.

### Other arrests

• Guilderland police arrested Jose A. Nunez, 28, of 6 Brevator Ave. in Albany on charges of DWI on Sunday, Aug. 9, according to police reports.

Nunez was arrested near the corner of East Highland Drive and Western Avenue and is scheduled to reappear in court on Thursday, Aug. 27.

• Guilderland police arrested Heather Sunshi Broeckx, 37, of 7-15 Farnsworth Drive in Albany

on charges of DWI on Monday, Aug. 10, according to police.

Broeckx was arrested near the corner of Church Road and Western Avenue and is scheduled to reappear in court on Thursday, Aug. 20.

• Guilderland police arrested Ashlee N. Robilotti, 23, of 7 Undine St. in Albany, on charges of DWI on Thursday, Aug. 13, according to police reports.

Robilotti was arrested near the corner of Fuller Road and Western Avenue and is scheduled to reappear in court on Thursday, Aug. 27.

### Correction

In the article "Cedar Hill used Hudson to keep cool" in the Aug. 12 issue of *The Spotlight* a photograph of The Hampton Hotel was misidentified as being located in Cedar Hill. It is not known where the hotel was located, but the photograph identifies it as "Albany's newest hotel."

*The Spotlight* regrets the error.

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# All's fair in Altamont

Despite smaller crowds, event organizers call it a success

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This year's Altamont Fair wrapped up with attendance slightly down but spirits soaring.

Andrew King, fair president, said overall the event went well, with attendance better in the cool evenings than in the sweltering sun of the August days.

"Attendance appears to be down, I think primarily due to the heat," said King. "The Friday and Saturday night crowds were great."

Jane Lyman, the fair's promoter, said everybody was really positive, and the vendors were happy. King agreed that attendees appeared to be enjoying themselves.

"The new events at the fair seemed to be well received," King said. "We expect most, if not all, of the new exhibits will be back."

King said the managers of the fair will meet periodically to discuss what can be expected in the coming year.

"There's always a lot of stuff cooking; it's just a matter of implementation," said Lyman.

Fan favorites, like karaoke, brought singers from all over the county to the fair.

Bobby Stillwell has been providing karaoke entertainment for the past four years at the fair. He said it is a fun way for music lovers and fair patrons to relax and have a good time.

"It's a place for them to hang out, and they have a chance to sing for free," Stillwell said.

"Taylor Swift and Miley Cyrus are the favorites with the girls," Stillwell said. "Everyone else has been a variety."

The fair also featured Wesley, a clown that would taunt passers-by to try to get them to dunk him in his water tank.

"Are you always that pathetic?" he asked, as the line of people snaked back 50 feet. "You can't mow the lawn, you can't keep a job and you can't dunk a clown."

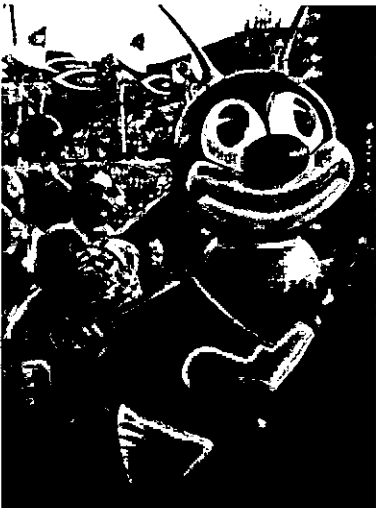
Carli Seminer, 14, was able to take home any prize of her choice after she successfully filled a clown cutout's mouth with colored balls faster than anyone else.

Seminer said the win "felt good."



From left, Joe Parisi, 13, Carli Seminer, 14, Allie Seminer, 11, and Rose Parisi, 11, celebrate the orange elephant Carli won at the fair. Carli was the fastest competitor and had her choice of the spoils.

Photos by Alyssa Simms



Erica Pacheco, 23, and Bella Flanders, 3, buzz around the Altamont Fair on Friday, Aug. 14.

King said at each fair a President's Award is given to one exhibit that awes the audience and really stands out. This year, the Dog Magic exhibit won the award.

"They did a tremendous job," King said. "But that's not to take away from anyone else."

He said the Guitar Hero contest and Hometown Heroes exhibit also got a lot of positive feedback.

A new vendor, peddling double-decker ice cream also caught some eyes, he said.

"We're looking forward to wrapping up this year and planning next year," King said.



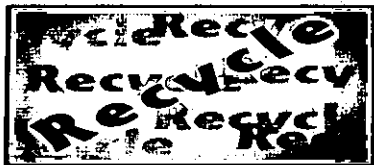
ABOVE: Al Lawrence shows off his karaoke skills.



LEFT: A cow rests in the Miracle of Birth exhibit, which was in its second year.

## Contest winners

- Guitar Hero Contest: Taylor LaPietro, Schenectady
- Teen Battle of the Bands: The Ash Bury, Guilford
- Champion Showperson, youth: Henna Huse, Slingerlands
- Supreme Champion of Beef: Roaming King's Angus, Cobleskill
- People's Choice Art Winner: Chris Testo, Westerlo
- Water Color Art Winner: Robert Lynk, Delmar
- Miss Altamont Fair: Emily Druce
- Junior Miss Altamont Fair: Julianne Reilly
- Young Miss Altamont Fair: Elaine Nimo
- Little Miss Altamont Fair: Zoe Libertucci



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# New Scotland plans moratorium extension

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The Town of New Scotland has set a public hearing for Aug. 31, at 6:30 p.m., for a resolution to extend its moratorium on commercial buildings. The extension would run until Feb. 1.

Roz Robinson, a Republican candidate for town board and former chair of the town's Commercial Zone Advisory Committee, said she initially supported the moratorium, but

based on independent research, has concerns that the town will be liable from a legal standpoint.

"Right around 18 months is where courts are saying you're in violation of property owners' rights," Robinson said.

Robinson said she expected the town to extend the moratorium, and noted that the extension would end a month after a potentially new Town Board is in place.

The town initially enacted the moratorium with the hopes of redrafting its zoning law to

make it more cohesive with the comprehensive plan, although it has not yet completed the task.

The moratorium was initially enacted for six months, then subsequently extended two more times. It was put in place after Sphere Development LLC, a Cazenovia-based company, expressed interest in placing a "big-box" retail store on the former Bender Melon Farm near the intersection of Routes 85 and 85A.

Daniel Mackay, president of New Scotlanders for Sound Economic Development and candidate for New Scotland town board said the measure is "legally acceptable and appropriate."

# GHS grad gets key vet labor job

Raymond Jefferson sworn in Tuesday, Aug. 11

By DAN SABBATINO  
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Former Guilderland High School graduate and Army veteran Raymond Jefferson was confirmed for a position as assistant secretary of labor for veterans' employment and training in President Barack Obama's administration, according to information from the U.S. Senate.

"It's just been a long journey from that hospital bed in Tripler back in 1995 to this room today," Jefferson said during his confirmation hearing.

Jefferson was confirmed on Friday, Aug. 7, and was sworn in on Tuesday, Aug. 11.

He graduated from West Point and served in the Army. He was an officer with the infantry and Special Forces in the Gulf War and in 1995 sustained a grenade injury in combat that resulted in the loss of five fingers from his left hand, according to information from Sen. Daniel Akaka, D-Hawaii.

The injury resulted in him having to spend six months at the Tripler Army Medical Center in Hawaii.

Jefferson went on to graduate from Harvard Business School and its School of Government and served at the White House as a Fulbright Fellow, according to information from Akaka.

Akaka had nothing but praise for Jefferson.

"Ray is an example for all Americans, especially those living with disabilities due to their military service," Akaka said. "When I look at what he has achieved in his life, and how many of those achievements occurred after he lost his hand protecting his fellow troops, I believe that he will do great things for his fellow veterans in his new position. I look forward to working with him to meet the employment and transition needs of veterans and returning service members."

Akaka chairs the Veterans Affairs Committee.

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# Of Billy Mays and other parenting woes

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*Hello, and welcome to a special two-part installment of Pop Culture. Robin's Nest is taking a well-deserved vacation and will be back next month.*

There are a lot of obstacles to becoming a good parent.

And I'm not just saying that because I've been advised by legal counsel to do so just in case this whole family thing doesn't pan out. Something about plausible deniability ...

Anyway, they don't make it easy to raise your kids these days, and it's considered "illegal" to lock them in a closet until they're 18. (This is something I just don't get. If you lock a baby cow in a box and feed it nothing but milk, they call it veal and it's something special. Do the same thing with one of your own children and the neighbors wind up calling the cops and the next thing you know the kids have to stay at their aunt's house for a few days. Oh well, it was a nice little vacation, I guess.)

But I digress. In addition to law enforcement, here are a few things I think come out of nowhere when you're a parent and really throw a wrench in things:

## Billy Mays

I'm not sure why my 6-year-

## Commentary:

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old, Kevin, thinks everything that happens on television is real.

My wife tells me it's because of a brief conversation I had with him about two years ago. I cannot recall the conversation, but my wife assures me it went exactly like this:

I was sitting at the computer one evening, engrossed in something work related. My son walked in with a look of concern on his face.

Him: "Dad, is everything I see on TV real?"

Me, not looking up from the computer: "Yes it is. Do you know how to make coffee?"

Whether that's the reason or not, my son thought that, until his recent demise, Billy Mays was the smartest man in the universe.

"Billy Mays invents everything," he told me once, and the first time he walked through the house we're fixing up now, he said, "We're going to need a lot of Mighty Putty."

One morning I was in the

bathroom shaving when I heard Kevin get out of bed and lumber sleepily to join me. He sat for a few minutes, watching me lather up: I was in my glory. Finally he spoke.

"Dad, when I get older, do you think my beard will be as thick and dark as Billy Mays'?"

So Billy Mays was somewhat of a hero to my son, and then he had to go and die. My son stayed strong through the unrelenting media blitz of possible concussions, heart attacks and drug overdoses.

After all of that, after learning that even your heroes have flaws - in fact, the best ones do - he only had one question:

"Now who will make all the OxyClean?"

## Other drivers

Tell any parent that 20 or 30 years from now, their kids will be talking to themselves, flashing obscene hand gestures and using profanities they have yet to even think of, and those parents will tell you you're crazy.

But it will happen, and happen for one reason alone: Other drivers are jerks.

The roads are full of people that need to zip down a residential street at 70 miles per hour so they can pass you,

cut you off and then slam on their brakes so the two of you can stop at the same red light together.

Contrast that with the guy who zips onto the highway at 70 mph, swings out to the left-most lane - even though you and he are the only two cars on the road - and slows down to 45 mph.

These people make parents scream, curse and shake their fists in rage - all while Junior is strapped into the back seat, watching intently and absorbing the way rational human beings deal with one another.

## Stairs

Stairs are the bane of my 2-year-old's existence.

He has fallen down them so often that he thinks it's entirely acceptable to stand at the top of the stairs, tuck himself into a little ball, hurtle himself down and hope for the best. To date, he hasn't hurt himself, which is a bad thing, because it hasn't given him any incentive to learn to navigate them the correct way like the rest of the free world.

When my wife and I stop playing Nintendo long enough to show him the right way to walk down the stairs, he only grabs the banister, lifts his legs up and descends, hand over hand, like he is in boot camp. He has incredible upper body strength.

We've tried to show him the right way to climb the stairs, in the hopes he'll grasp that concept and just apply it in reverse. He ignores us and sticks with his tried-and-true method of sitting on each stair and lifting his butt to the next. The coordination he has to have to do this is amazing. Sit. Butt. Legs. Arms. Push. Repeat.

How the hell can he coordinate that but not walk up the stairs?

To be fair, he does get up the stairs the normal way sometimes, but he becomes bored about half way up. Then

he usually starts dancing and yelling "Shake your booty!"

Then he falls, laughing, brushes himself off at the bottom of the stairs and starts the whole process again.

## Online Scrabble

The Internet is a terrible, seedy place for kids and it's all because of Scrabble.

Scrabble is a great way to teach kids spelling and vocabulary. Online Scrabble is a great way to teach kids that no one else gives a crap about spelling and vocabulary.

With the regular board game, parents can teach kids new words, problem solving and competition. Online, kids learn that if you can put a vowel in the middle of just about any group of consonants, you have spelled the name of a foreign currency, mythical creature or obscure chemical compound.

The other beef that I have with online Scrabble is that it's just wrong, and it is flagrant in its wrongness. The computer challenger should not be rewarded with a triple word score for spelling "thru." The correct word is "through," and no amount of fast-food signage will ever make "drive-thru" correct and "drive through" incorrect.

I'm particularly upset about this, because the Internet is my sons' godfather (their godmother: the television), and though the majority of its some 800 million Web sites may be devoted to pornography, violence and movie critics, I feel it's reached a new low by allowing online Scrabble to accept "za" as a perfectly acceptable abbreviation of "pizza."

Atrocious.

Anyway, we'll see you next week, when I tackle the obstacles of pets, other people's children and what is probably the biggest and most annoying barrier to good parenting: other parents.



## WEEKLY WEATHER

Chief Meteorologist Mike Bono

### Albany Almanac

#### Record high/low/year

AVERAGE HIGH 79°	AVERAGE LOW 58°
Day	High/Year Low/Year
Wednesday, August 19	92°/1899 43°/1977
Thursday, August 20	97°/1937 45°/1998
Friday, August 21	98°/1916 42°/1977
Saturday, August 22	93°/1916 39°/1982
Sunday, August 23	94°/1947 44°/1988
Monday, August 24	95°/1947 42°/1971
Tuesday, August 25	99°/1947 35°/1940

#### ANNUAL PRECIPITATION

26.27 inches as of August 14th  
2.32 inches above average

#### This week in weather

On August 19, 1991 Category 2 Hurricane Bob hit New England with up to 100 mph sustained winds and gusts to 125 mph. Portland, Maine recorded 7.83 inches of rainfall in a 24 period, a record. Total damage amounted to \$1.7 billion, while 18 lives were lost in the U.S., 2 in Canada.

#### Sun & Moon

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
Wednesday	6:06am	7:50pm
Thursday	6:07am	7:49pm
Friday	6:08am	7:47pm
Saturday	6:09am	7:46pm
Sunday	6:11am	7:44pm
Monday	6:12am	7:42pm
Tuesday	6:13am	7:41pm

#### Moon Phases



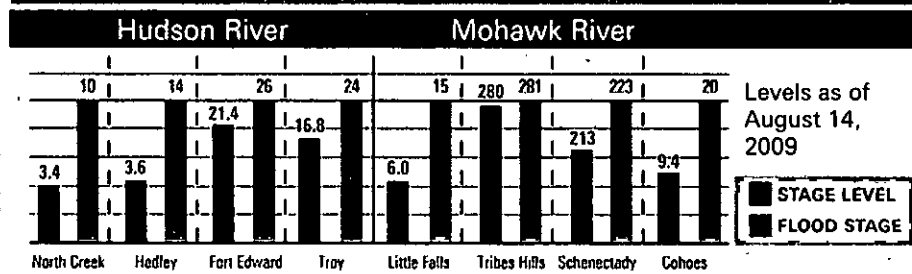
Planets	When	Where
Saturn	Dusk	V Low, West
Jupiter	Evening	Bright E - SE
Venus	Dawn	Bright E, East
Mars	Dawn	Dim, East



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### Rivers & Recreation

#### River Levels



#### Water temp.

Lake George	77°
Bolton Landing	75°
Sacandaga Lake	76°
Saratoga Lake	77°
Jersey Shore	73°
Cape Cod	74°

#### Tides at Albany

Day	High	Low
Wednesday	4:25am, 4:57pm	11:14am, 11:24pm
Thursday	5:17am, 5:49pm	12:03pm, 12:03pm
Friday	6:06am, 6:39pm	12:16am, 12:50pm
Saturday	6:54am, 7:28pm	1:08am, 1:37pm
Sunday	7:41am, 8:15pm	1:59am, 2:23pm
Monday	8:28am, 9:04pm	2:51am, 3:10pm
Tuesday	9:17am, 9:54pm	3:43am, 3:59pm

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# Park home owned by town to be destroyed

**Bethlehem votes to demolish dilapidated house near Hudson River**

By JARRETT CARROLL  
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A town-owned home on the bank of the Hudson River in Bethlehem's Henry Hudson Town Park has seen better days.

Now it will see the town's landfill.

The Bethlehem Town Board voted unanimously to have the single-family ranch style home razed and carted off to the transfer station at its Wednesday, Aug. 12, meeting at Town Hall. Supervisor Jack Cunningham cited a cost of \$150,000 to repair the 157 Lyons Road home at the park, which has been vacant since early June and is assessed by the town at \$116,400, as the main reason for tearing it down.

"That property is desperately in need of repair," Cunningham told *The Spotlight* before the meeting. "It would cost \$150,000 to repair. The property floods frequently because of the river ... and there's no payback on the investment."

Cunningham added that with the town's construction debris landfill slated to be capped, all of the deconstruction work, removal and disposal of the home could be done "in house." The cost will not exceed \$15,000, he said of its removal.

"We can move that building, in pieces of course, to our landfill before we cap it," said Cunningham at the meeting.

During the meeting's public comment period, Glenmont resident Robert Jasinski, a Town Hall regular, asked why the town was tearing down the house and questioned the high cost of its repair.

Cunningham said the town building department recommended it be destroyed and that without a need for its use, the home would be more of a problem than it's worth.

"It would create a safety issue if there was a vacant home down there," he told Jasinski. "It's in really bad shape. ... We really don't have any use for it."



This town-owned home at 157 Lyons Road in the Henry Hudson Town Park is slated to be destroyed after a unanimous Bethlehem Town Board decision. The board reasoned its repair was too costly and a vacant dwelling would be a liability. At left is debris near the home.

Jarrett Carroll/Spotlight

ranch that was built in 1940.

The riverfront property it sits on is assessed at \$75,700.

Cunningham described Wickham's caretaker duties back in January as a sort of "park ranger" to oversee the riverfront park. Wickham used to look over the park, which has restrooms, a pavilion and a boat launch, after hours and on weekends.

Jasinski also asked why the town could not put it up for auction, sell it or deed it over for someone else to salvage.

Councilman Mark Hennessey noted it was his belief that there would be a potentially lengthy and costly process to undedicate the parkland that the home sits on before it could be handed over as a private residence or land use.

It was a notion that town attorney James Potter agreed with.

Charles Wickham, the director of field operations for the Department of Public Works, used to live at the home in return for "caretaker duties." In the past, the home was used by the town's Parks and Recreation Department.

Bethlehem does not pay taxes on the Selkirk home at the park because it is tax-exempt from the school district, town and county. The home is described on the Bethlehem assessment Web site as an 840-square-foot, single-family

The Henry Hudson Town Park home is one of two private dwellings currently owned by Bethlehem. The other home is occupied by Richard Sayward, the chief water treatment plant operator, who lives at 27 Patton Road in Voorheesville on the Vly Creek Reservoir.

Sayward's caretaker duties include a type of night watchman function because he lives at the reservoir and helps to keep the 497.9-acre plot secured around the clock, according to Cunningham.

Sayward told *The Spotlight* during a tour of his home and the property earlier this year that most of the trespassers he finds are people trying to fish the reservoir "at all hours of the night and day."

It is illegal to access the town's drinking supply in the Town of New Scotland.

Sayward moved into the New Salem home after taking over his position from a longtime former employee who had previously lived at the residence and has made many improvements on the property, according to town records acquired by *The Spotlight* under the Freedom of Information Act.

During the meeting Councilman Sam Messina asked, "Whose job was it to take care of this place?"

Cunningham said it was the town's responsibility but that

the property had fallen by the wayside. He said the home was an example of why the town needed to implement a capital project plan to maintain its current infrastructure and properties. (See related story page 13).

"The entire project will be an in-house expenditure," said Cunningham.

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# Matters of Opinion *in the* Spotlight

## A clunker of a deal

Eligible car buyers can save some dough on the purchase of a new vehicle as part of the hugely popular federal "Cash for Clunkers" program.

The bill, introduced by Sens. Dianne Feinstein, D-Calif., Susan Collins, R-Maine, and Charles Schumer, D-N.Y., offers drivers who trade in an older vehicle model with a fuel economy rating of 18 miles per gallon or less a \$4,500 voucher toward a new, fuel-efficient car.

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Don't go checking your bank account just yet, here's the reasoning:

Jeremy Anwyl, CEO of the automotive consumer site Edmunds.com, said the first \$1 billion of the program probably stimulated only about 50,000 sales — that is, sales that would not have occurred without the Cash for Clunkers initiative — based on his firm's surveys.

This means that we, as taxpayers, subsidized additional vehicle sales to the tune of \$20,000 per vehicle.

Anwyl's number is the result of his company's market research, but it's conjecture nonetheless. But it's plausible conjecture.

Not even \$4,500 is enough money to make the financially strapped — or those in the near double digit unemployment category — want to add a monthly new car payment to the list of bills they can't already pay. So, it makes sense that the majority of the cash went only to those owners of clunkers who were already considering purchasing a vehicle.

So, congratulations, you helped — or, rather, your children will help (by the time we have to pay the money needed to fund this bill back) — someone buy a new car. And it isn't even Christmas.

But the ecological benefits are worth it, right?

Well, as it turns out, maybe not.

The bill limits eligibility to fewer than 5 percent of U.S. vehicles, by most accounts, and the participation rate is likely to be much lower than that. Still, that would be a big chunk of old, gas-guzzling SUVs off the road, ideally. But you can't expect someone who drives a clunker SUV onto the lot to drive off in a hybrid the size of a shoebox.

Locally, the plan is working too well. In Saratoga County, the inventory of domestic cars has been devastated because of the program. Local auto dealers are saying this is another unintended consequence of the plan: Buyers are turning to foreign car dealers who have inventory because they weren't suffering as bad as the American car manufacturers that this was brought about to help.

## Editorial

## Setting off on a semester at sea

By LIZ PERRY  
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*The author is a graduate of Shenendahowa High School who lives in Clifton Park. She will be writing more articles about her semester at sea. Look for them in upcoming issues of The Spotlight.*

I was about to go into my second year of school at a local community college when a poster caught my eye. It was a picture of a ship on the ocean with the words "Study Abroad With a Semester At Sea" printed across it in bold letters. I took down the Web site information, and within a week I found myself looking up the information.

I learned that it's a college campus on a ship that can house up to 700 students from all over the world. At each port there are opportunities to go and see each country on the itinerary, although participants travel at their own expense. In South Africa, you can travel to the top of Table Mountain, go on a safari or learn more about the history of the area by visiting Robben Island and District Six. At almost every port there's an opportunity to go on a service visit, which is staying at a college or a house to see how people in that community live and learn new customs and traditions. Students sleep in cabins, two to four to a room. On one of the decks there are eight classrooms.

Many classes only have two exams — a midterm and a final. The rest of the grade is based on journal entries written while at port since there are only classes while you are sailing. On the ship, students are mandated to take 12 to 15 credits, including a global studies course that introduces the ideas and customs of

## Point of View

the next destination on the itinerary. The ship offers many different courses, including business, music and religion.

People of any age, or "lifelong learners," travel with the students and can sit in on classes and participate in the field programs. For lifelong learners, it's the opportunity to see the world and work with many different agencies like the YMCA and Habitat for Humanity at each port we visit.

The more I read about the Semester At Sea, the more I got anxious to see if I would get accepted into the program. In February 2009, I received a letter in the mail stating I have been accepted into the International Shipboard Education program, as long as I was accepted into a university. This was the beginning of a very long process. I applied to the University at Albany and to the University at Binghamton. Right away I heard that I was accepted at Albany, but I focused my energy on hearing from Binghamton. After numerous calls and e-mails, as well as handing in three references, two essays and a resume, I received a letter in the mail saying I was withdrawn from the admission process.

Next I focused on trying to get a loan, but SUNY Albany wouldn't let me take out a loan because I was not seen as a student since I have not taken any classes there. At this point in the process, my mom was getting very frustrated.

In order to get the information I needed, I had to call Semester At Sea representatives, and they were so easy to get a hold of and so willing to help. I finally got a loan through the University of Virginia, which sponsors the Semester At Sea. I also got a scholarship from Hudson Valley Community College and a \$4,000 grant from the University of Virginia.

Next it was time to focus on getting the shots and medication I needed in order to travel to some of the destinations on the itinerary. I had to pay more than \$100 for a yellow fever vaccination and around \$80 for malaria pills to take while I'm at sea. This was the easiest part of the process besides getting my teachers to write recommendations for me.

Now, it is just two weeks before I set sail on a 109-day

voyage around the world to 11 different countries in 14 different ports. I will be majoring in anthropology with the hopes of one day becoming a humanitarian worker to help the hungry and sick around the world. I knew if I did not take this opportunity now, I might never have the chance to ever again. My family has been such a big help in this process. I am the youngest of four girls and my sister who lives the farthest away is still only 10 miles from home. My family will be driving me 13 hours to Halifax, Nova Scotia, where I will board the MV Explorer to live with 721 other students.

Once we leave Halifax on Aug. 28, we will be on our way to Cadiz, Spain, where I am already scheduled to go for a city orientation followed by taking the white town route from Arcos de la Frontera through Ronda following the Tajo River. The next day I will be visiting Seville, learning about its history in religion and architecture.

After Spain we will travel to Casablanca, Morocco, where I will also go to a city orientation, with the following days spent at a service visit to learn about the SOS Children's village. Then off to learn about Rabat, a 1,000-year-old town. On the last day in Morocco, I will spend an evening with a Moroccan family.

The next couple of destinations I will be choosing field programs while I am on the ship porting in Accra Ghana, Cape Town, South Africa, where I hope to learn more about apartheid and the history of Robben Island. Then it's off to Port Louis in Mauritius (which is in the middle of the Indian Ocean); Chennai, India; Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam; and two destinations in China porting in Hong Kong and Shanghai. After China, we visit Yokohama and Kobe, Japan, where I will be spending the night with a host family in Kobe and participate in the daily routines. After Japan we will be traveling to a couple of U.S. destinations in Honolulu and Hilo, Hawaii, with our departure destination in San Diego on Dec. 14.

Even though the application process was hard and took up most of my time during the last semester at school, I still would do it again knowing in a short couple of weeks I will be seeing those places that many only dream of visiting. In the middle of my voyage I will be writing another article that will focus on the people and cultures I will be introduced to.

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# Your Opinion in the Spotlight

## Messina puts people's interests above politics

Editor, *The Spotlight*:

The subject of a Bethlehem noise ordinance came up at the Town Board meeting this week, and it was a clear reminder that as one of the eight members of the Task Force, I was pleased with the work that we did and the report and draft ordinance we submitted to the Town Board. However, I will probably never again volunteer to be on a committee under the current Supervisor Cunningham's administration. Let me explain the good and the ugly.

First, regarding the work that the Task Force did: Councilman Sam Messina chaired the

task force. He brought the team together, demonstrated professionalism throughout the 16 months of process and put in a huge amount of hours researching, managing and drafting. The end result was a report and ordinance submitted to the Town Board on time, in early April, so that the town could implement the ordinance for the summer.

The reasons why I will likely not volunteer under the current town administration again are painfully clear to me. After more than four months, Mr. Cunningham has done nothing to advance the noise ordinance,

and his and the Town Attorney's statement that they were going to check with Colonie is not persuasive justification for four months of inactivity and silence.

Also, and even worse in my opinion, near the end of the Task Force's work, at a time when Sam Messina was on vacation, at one of our less well attended meetings, Councilman Hennessey, a recent appointee to the Task Force, jammed through an inferior and unfinished document to the Town Board, without Sam Messina's knowledge or approval. I voted and spoke against this action. And two other Task Force members sent e-mails to

Supervisor Cunningham and Councilman Kotary objecting to the process and the product. Unfortunately, Mr. Cunningham and Mr. Kotary took an "all is well, the board has it now" approach to things.

Upon Mr. Messina's return home from vacation, he went to see Mr. Cunningham, pulled back the documents, got us all back together again, and led the team to submit an excellent report and ordinance on time.

Readers can make up their own minds if just plain poor leadership or politics is behind the actions of Mr. Cunningham, Mr. Kotary and Mr. Hennessey, but I don't see

any other reasonable choices.

And yes, I am supporting Sam Messina for supervisor. I am a conservative, and Sam's philosophy differs from mine in some respects. But over the past several years, as a regular attendee at Town Board meetings and on the Noise Ordinance Task Force, I have seen him work effectively with people, try to find middle ground, and raise questions and issues that need to be raised. Sam has put the people's interests above politics, and that is very important to me.

Robert Jasinski  
Glenmont

## Thanks for the support

Editor, *The Spotlight*:

D.A. Bennett recently moved to 333 Delaware Ave. and became a neighbor to our new Center for Disability Services Delmar Day Hab program at the same address. On Saturday, July 25, D.A. Bennett hosted an open house and a \$2 to enter contest to benefit the Center's Day Hab. Program administrator Donna Margiasso and her son attended the festivities and reported they had a great time. D.A. Bennett matched the dollars collected and presented us with a generous check. We plan to add to our library of electronic equipment and games with the gift. We'd like to publicly acknowledge D.A. Bennett for this thoughtful good neighbor gesture.

Day Habilitation programs offer site activities for adults who have disabilities. Participants live at home with family members or in a residence with support from

staff. Day Hab offers them the opportunity to learn or add to daily living skills, volunteer, and in general, be a productive part of the larger community.

The center also operates three residences in the Delmar/Bethlehem area, and in each case, we have been embraced by the neighborhood and included in church, block party, and other activities.

To learn more about the center and its many programs and services, please visit our Web site at [www.cfdsny.org](http://www.cfdsny.org). On behalf of everyone at the Center for Disability Services, we extend a special thank you to D.A. Bennett, and our heartfelt appreciation to the Delmar community for making our employees, residents, and Day Hab participants so welcome.

Alan Krafchin  
President and CEO  
Center for Disability Services

## Bring Jack back as supervisor

Editor, *The Spotlight*:

Over the last few weeks I have followed the news regarding the upcoming Bethlehem Supervisors election via *The Spotlight*.

It appears we have a very active campaign to look forward to. I have known Jack Cunningham for many years and support his re-election. We grew up together in Bethlehem. While I moved away for a number of years after college, I was fortunate to be able to return to Delmar over 20 years ago and now make my home in Glenmont.

Jack is a talented, hard working, dedicated individual who truly loves Bethlehem. He has a background in the private sector, proven experience in public office — with the town board and as our supervisor — while having a number of key contacts in local and state government. This mix of skills, private and public sector experience, and a sincere desire to serve the town, makes him a very strong supervisor.

We are fortunate to have Jack as our supervisor. It is a difficult job and will likely be even more so

in the years ahead with the need to balance growth and quality of life with financial discipline. We need his experience and skills to lead and advocate for Bethlehem. That is why I will be voting for Jack in the Sept. 15 Independence primary election and in the general election in November.

It is rare to know a candidate running for office to any real degree. In this case I know Jack and know the needs of our town and therefore support his re-election.

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## Town listens to Colonie's noise law

**Councilman asks what happened to ordinance proposal, supervisor cites legal issues**

By JARRETT CARROLL  
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The Town of Bethlehem is listening to Colonie's noise ordinance before moving forward on its own proposed noise law.

Councilman Sam Messina, who headed up the town's Noise Ordinance Task Force in drafting a townwide proposal, brought up the topic during the Wednesday, Aug. 14, Town Board meeting.

The noise law would be in effect from 11 p.m. until 7 a.m. seven days a week, according to the proposal.

"I wanted to know what's going on with it and what our plan is," he said during the "other business" portion of the agenda.

Supervisor Jack Cunningham said the proposed noise ordinance was being reviewed, but that the draft noise law hit some snags.

"After the proposed noise ordinance was given to the Town Board, counsel did review it," Cunningham said at the meeting. "There were major issues with the proposed plan because there was some First Amendment right issues."

Town Attorney James Potter told *The Spotlight* after the meeting that although there are no First

Amendment issues, there could be enforcement issues as well as the notion of how objective the proposed statute would be.

The problem with the Bethlehem noise law could be interpreting "annoying and unreasonable noise," he said.

Cunningham said the noise ordinance was put on hold after problems with the recent Colonie law arose.

"After that, we had started to look at [the proposal] when Colonie started having all of their issues, and we were waiting," Cunningham said.

Potter said at the meeting that Colonie's move to a decibel-limited system was one way of quantifying unreasonable noise.

"They had a noise ordinance based on a subjective view on what would be offensive noise, but what they found was that their police officers had some difficulties in enforcing that or not enforcing that," he said. "They were contemplating a noise ordinance that would quantify a noise level in terms of decibels."

Colonie's noise law passed at its Thursday, July 16, Town Board meeting, and provides for an enforceable limit of 65 decibels from 10 p.m. to 7 a.m. from Sunday to Thursday, and 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. on Friday and Saturday.

At that same meeting, after a lengthy public hearing that spanned two different board meetings,

Colonie Supervisor Paula Mahan motioned to change the weekday start time from 11 p.m. to 10 p.m., which would be an hour earlier than Bethlehem's proposed weekday ordinance.

Potter said there could be just as many problems with a decibel system including calibration, distance, pitch, frequency, the length of the noise, as well as who was present when the noise occurred and any number of other factors.

"It's a very complex task to come up with a noise ordinance," Potter said. "I give our Noise Ordinance Task Force credit. ... It has not been an easy task and the Town Board will have more work to do."

Potter said the Town Board is legally required to hold a public hearing before it votes on any or all parts of the recommendation.

Messina said he recommended holding forums for officials, residents, experts and those interested to "bounce ideas around" on the town's proposed noise law, which has had wide support thus far.

That recommendation has not been moved forward by the Town Board at this point.

"Although it is not a cost factor, it's a quality of life factor. Clearly it was enthusiastically engaged by the public," Messina said at the meeting. "We had about 70 people either at our public meeting or e-mailing us roundly in support of it."

## Bethlehem Board of Ed sets official tax rates

The Bethlehem Board of Education officially adopted its 2009 tax rates during its Wednesday, Aug. 12, meeting.

Using final assessment figures provided by the towns of Bethlehem and New Scotland and final equalization rates set by the state this summer, this year's tax rates are \$19.10 per \$1,000 of assessed property value in Bethlehem and \$18.90 per \$1,000 of assessed value in New Scotland.

These rates resulted in tax rate increases of 1.76 percent in Bethlehem and 2.37 percent in New Scotland. The district projected a 1.76 percent tax rate for district property owners in both municipalities at the time of the May budget vote.

Each year, the New York State Office of Real Property Services sets what are known as equalization rates to make sure the tax levy is fairly distributed between a taxing entity's communities, which may use different assessment practices. This year, according to the district, the state's final equalization rates for Bethlehem and New Scotland resulted in a slight shift in the apportionment of the district's total tax levy between the two communities compared to earlier projections.

In addition, changes to final assessment figures, often the result of successful property assessment challenges, affect the final rates.

Not accounting for the state's STAR program, in Bethlehem, the owner of a property assessed at \$250,000 will see a school tax increase under the final rates of about \$83, which was what was projected. In

New Scotland, the owner of a property assessed at \$250,000 would see a tax increase of \$109, or about \$28 more than had been projected.

On May 19, nearly two-thirds of those who voted approved an \$87.56 million budget for 2009-10 that carried the lowest spending increase in the district in 26 years. The budget was the result of a months-long process that incorporated substantial community input. The tax levy increase was limited to 2 percent.

The district said it also wanted to make sure residents are aware of a change to the state STAR program this year that resulted in lower exemption amounts for Bethlehem and New Scotland. STAR allows property owners to exempt a certain amount of their assessed value, and thus lower their tax bills. Residents enrolled in the STAR program will still see savings from it this year. Yet, the change in STAR exemption amounts may mean that property owners will see a greater increase in their tax bills, as a percentage, than the increase in the district's tax rates.

For more information about the STAR program, residents can go to the state's Office of Real Property Services Web site at [www.orps.state.ny.us/star/index.cfm](http://www.orps.state.ny.us/star/index.cfm).

In addition, the STAR Middle Class Rebate Program has been discontinued, meaning that property owners should not expect to see a rebate check from the state this fall as they have the last two years.

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# Local unions fight county furloughs

**Groups file grievances against what they deem 'improper' practice**

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Local unions are saying Albany County Executive Michael Breslin has violated their contract, and its members are opposing his decision to enact furloughs in order to trim a budget deficit.

Kathy Garrison, Civil Service Employees Association president, said five separate grievances have been filed and strategies are being considered to deal with the furloughs.

She said the CSEA is working on the situation and "there will be some type of action" on Aug. 28, the first of the dates the furloughs are scheduled for.

"Our employees are ready and willing to go to work on the 28th," she said of the CSEA employees who were given a notice to not come in on that date. "I think we have a great case."

The social services, mental health, general services, highway and health departments all had filed grievances as of June 30.

Garrison said an arbitrator will hear the grievances, although a date has not yet been determined.

Garrison also said separate improper practice charges have been filed with the Public Employees Relations Board on Thursday, July 16; and a conference has been scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 16, to hear arguments.

"They're violating their contract. They're locking our employees out," Garrison said. "Their salary and their workweek is defined in their contract."

Darcy Wells, a spokeswoman for the Public Employees Federation, which represents 100 probation officers in the county said that group has also filed a grievance also said the PEF is working toward an improper practice charge.

She said the furlough is a safety concern

"We think it's improper, and we're going to fight it," she said. "Any time you take probation officers off the street, even for one day, it's a safety concern."

Wells said the county has agreed to see an arbitrator, and is willing to "fast track a hearing."

Mary Duryea, a spokeswoman from the Albany County executive's office, confirmed that the two sides have agreed to arbitration.

"We feel that we are on firm legal ground," she said. "We don't feel the need for [contract] negotiations at this time."

She said the county executive expected opposition from the unions and consulted its legal counsel before enacting the furloughs.

Duryea confirmed that no date has been set for a hearing regarding the grievances.

Albany County Legislator Shawn Morse, D-Cohoes, spoke against the furloughs, saying that the county has an obligation to the taxpayer during poor economic times.

Morse said other cost-saving initiatives, such as a prescription drug card and purchasing drugs through the Canadian drug company CanaRx, are being stalled while the furlough program is enacted.

"I believe the unions will prevail in their grievances against the furloughs, and this will cost the county additional money," Morse said in a written statement. "The better solution, as I suggested, is to build collaborations with the unions and work with them to find solutions."

The county's budget gap is close to \$20.5 million. The proposed dates for the furloughs are Aug. 28, Sept. 25, Oct. 25, Nov. 25 - the day after Thanksgiving, and Thursday, Dec. 24 - the day before Christmas, and the plan is expected to save approximately \$1.4 million.

## Sneak preview



Delmar resident Janet Griffin, right, recently met documentary filmmaker Ken Burns, second from left, at the home of Franklin D. Roosevelt in Hyde Park. Griffin, the former director of planning for the New York City Parks Department, was among the invited guests for a preview of Burns' new documentary, "The National Parks: America's Best Idea." The six-part series is scheduled to air on PBS starting Sunday, Sept. 27. Also pictured are Brian E. Andersson, New York City commissioner of the Department of Records and Information Systems, and Marianne Andersson, administrator of Pelham Bay Park, New York City Parks Department.

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# Hailstorm inundates area roofers

**Roofs and cars in Guilderland damaged on large scale**

By DAN SABBATINO  
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For Guilderland residents, the end of summer means school is back, football season and possibly a leaky roof, once the winter settles in.

The Guilderland Chamber of Commerce and Better Business Bureau are offering advice to residents: Check your roof for storm damage. A July 16 hailstorm has left a number of homes, and cars with damage, and in time that damage could lead to leaks from rain and melting snow. While the damage on the cars is more visible, a damaged roof is not as easily spotted.

The organizations are also offering advice when it comes to shopping around for a contractor. With so much damage, contractors from around the country have set up shop, and while some residents have expressed mistrust of companies that are not originally from Guilderland, there are plenty of honest contractors to choose from.

Guilderland Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Kathy Burbank offered some advice to the residents affected by the recent hailstorms.

"Don't panic if a roofing company comes to your door, check a reference or two from the company, and don't sign anything you are not comfortable with. Many roofs were damaged, and need to at the least be looked at, but you don't have to sign a contract to just get you roof looked at," Burbank said.

Peggy Penders, public relations manager with the Better Business Bureau also weighed in.

"It brings the best in people who are helping each other, but it also brings the scammers," she said of a weather related event.

She said it is not uncommon for out of area contractors to come in after a storm to set up shop.

"Consumers definitely should be aware of a door-to-door solicitor," she said. "That's just more homework for the consumer," she said.

She said businesses in the BBB are always a good choice, but they are not the only choice.

"Certainly there are roofers who are not accredited with the Better Business Bureau and have a good standing with us."

Penders said the BBB recommends asking neighbors for contractors they have worked with and to ask for references.

She also said often after damage is done, it is easy to become emotional, but decisions

should be made objectively.

The Better Business Bureau offers the following advice: get at least three competitive bids before making a decision, prepare a written contract before a contractor begins work on your home and do not pay cash for any work done.

It also recommends being cautious of door-to-door contractors who claim they have "left-over materials" from other jobs.

Freda Laiacona, spokesperson for State Farm Insurance, said the agency has a preferred provider network, and can make resources available to homeowners that they might not have been aware of. She said, though, the insurance company does not recommend specific contractors. And a homeowner is free to choose whomever he or she likes.

Laiacona said State Farm policyholder's can participate in a Premier Service Program that allows them to pick from our list of authorized contractors.

"State Farm has interviewed and selected authorized contractors for this program. Participating contractors warrant their workmanship for up to 5 years," said Laiacona in a written statement.

Todd DeWald, president of Burns Management said his roofing business is swamped with work.

DeWald has joined the GCC and the BBB and said he has many offices around the country that do similar work.

DeWald is working out of an office on Western Avenue near the Guilderland Fire Department. He has offices in Oklahoma and Texas as well as other locations throughout the country, and said he makes a living "following the storm."

"I looked at it on the weather to see how bad it was," he said.

He said a relative living in the area alerted him to the

storms.

DeWald's office will provide an inspection, take pictures and make a damage report, he said. If there is sufficient damage, the insurance company comes in and makes a determination or "ex-actimate" on the work that needs to be done. The work is usually itemized, DeWald said.

Homeowners insurance will cover wind, tornados and hail or other "acts of God" and do not consider them to be the fault of the owner. Premiums tend to go up, DeWald said, three to five percent for everyone affected, rather than a large amount as if the owner was personally responsible.

"We're there to assist them in appropriating the claim," he said.

The damage could lead to leaks down the road, possibly six months to a year.

"If it gets inside your house and interior, in your insulation, you could get mold and we're talking tens of thousands," he said.

The hail that came down on July 16 was described as 2.5 inches in circumference, approximately the size of a lacrosse ball.

Roofs are not the only valuable inundated with damage, though.

Lisa Kaese, manager of the Lia Collision Center on Central Avenue in Colonie said she has seen a large number of cars from Guilderland come in with damage, fluctuating in severity, but said special "hail-teams" from around the country have come in to help handle the repairs.

Kaese said this is the third summer the dealership has experienced a hailstorm doing significant damage to a large number of vehicles, and said the collision teams have made repairs to more than 100 cars so far.

## IN BRIEF

### Academy to seek doctor nominations

The New York State Academy of Family Physicians seeks nominees for its annual competition in which it awards one family physician the title of Family Doctor of the Year for his or her outstanding service to patients, the community and family practice.

The nominees must be members in good standing of the New York State Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP). Individuals may send letters of nomination to the New York State Academy describing why their family physician should receive the Family Physician of the Year Award.

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### Program to raise money for CRAAB

"There and Back: An Evening of Broadway Songs, Dreams and Memories" will be held Friday, Aug. 21, at 7 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. and Saturday, Aug. 22, at 2 p.m. to benefit the Capital Regional Action Against Breast Cancer (CRAAB). The event will be held at Zuzu's Wonderful Life, 299-301 Hamilton St., Albany.

Three Broadway veterans, Anny DeGange, Debbie Pigliavento and Michele Pigliavento, will share their hopes, dreams and fears while looking back on their experiences performing on Broadway as a group of young performers in New York City. The actors have appeared in such shows as "A Chorus Line," "Anything Goes," "Evita," "42nd Street," "Gypsy," "Hello, Dolly!" "Mame" and "Les Miserables."

The event was written and directed by Robert Whiteman. Admission is \$10. For information, call 451-9619.

### State museum hosts weekly music jams

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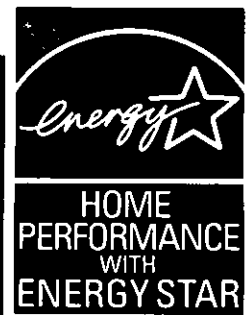


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# Bethlehem making plans for capital projects

**Aging infrastructure and panel's recommendation calls for the creation of a long-term plan**

By JARRETT CARROLL  
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There is a problem in Bethlehem, and it grows bigger, each and every day.

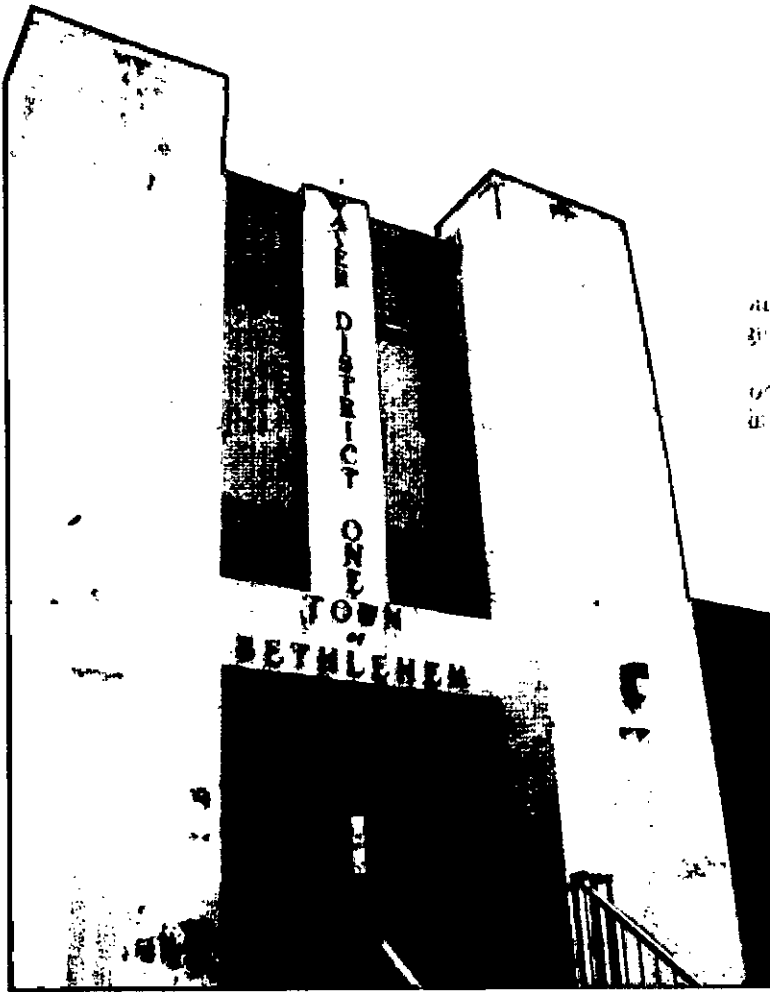
Some of it cannot even be seen, with the exception of a few aging buildings, as much of it is underground, in the walls, or behind decorated facades. The problem is that Bethlehem has a long list of housekeeping that is quite overdue, and it has no capital project plan in place to replace and upgrade its infrastructure.

The Bethlehem Town Board is hoping to change that.

The 20/20 Advisory Committee suggested the town revamp its infrastructure and prepare for further economic development ventures such as the Vista Technology Park, the Selkirk Yard Industrial District, and a possible new Thruway interchange near Clapper Road.

Public Works Commissioner Josh Cansler gave a presentation on the current status of the town's Capital Project Planning to the Town Board on Wednesday, Aug. 12.

"We organized a committee earlier this year," Cansler told the board about the capital



project plan. "It's a blueprint for the community's capital expenditures."

Cansler said the town has gone on too long neglecting some of its structures and infrastructure as was evident with the town-owned home in the Henry Hudson Town Park that is slated to be destroyed.

(See related story, page 5.)

He told board members Bethlehem needs to coordinate its needs for "five years and beyond," by creating a plan and then updating it every year by order of importance and immediate need.

"As you can see, there's a lot of names on this list, and there's a reason for that," Cansler said during a PowerPoint presentation on its current needs. "One of the problems we've had is we let some of our capital needs creep up on us."

Cansler said the 1994 Clapper Road water plant was the last major capital improvement in Bethlehem aside from some sewer upgrades, which is a minor cost compared to a water plant.

"There hasn't been a whole lot going on in that last 15 years," said Cansler.

The first step was to take inventory of what the town had in its possession and to assess what needed to be done at each structure, according to Cansler. The final result was surprising, he said, when town officials learned "the real problems were on the facility side," and that Bethlehem owns nearly 100 structures.



LEFT: The town's New Salem Water Plant in Voorheesville needs to be replaced. Half of it was built in the 1940s and the other half in the '70s.

Jarrett Carroll/Spotlight

ABOVE: Supervisor Jack Cunningham talks with Rep. Paul Tonko, D-Amsterdam, about Bethlehem's capital project needs and gives him a copy of the town's 2009 "priority projects."

Submitted photo

"It's been quite an eye opener," he said. "We really didn't know the shape some of the buildings were in."

Councilwoman Joanne Dawson told Cansler she was pleased with the prospect of a capital project plan.

"I just think the timing of this is excellent," she said. "I really believe you make better decisions when you're under some restraint and proceed with caution."

Councilman Mark Hennessey said with so many other municipalities competing for the same tax dollars as Bethlehem, having a concrete plan is the best plan.

"The only way I think we're going to get assistance from the government is to plan ahead," he said.

That is something Supervisor Jack Cunningham has been stumping for, too, he said.

Cunningham attended a series of meetings with federal, state and county leaders and personally presented some Bethlehem projects to Rep. Paul Tonko, D-Amsterdam; state Sen. Neil Breslin, D-Delmar; Assemblyman Tim Gordon, I-Bethlehem; and County Executive Michael Breslin.

He said he also discussed the projects with representatives from the offices of U.S. Sens. Charles Schumer and Kirsten Gillibrand.

"We are working on a capital plan and have several projects, which really need federal, state or county funding and assistance, and we are being very proactive," Cunningham said in a statement. "That's the only way we are going to get projects on track and completed, particularly during this time of scarce resources at every level of government."

Some of the projects Cunningham has been pitching are job opportunities at the Vista Technology Park in Slingerlands; development of the Selkirk Yard Industrial District; improving traffic flow along the Route 9W corridor; leveraging low-cost power from the Selkirk Cogeneration plant; and entering into a health consortium project.

"The concerns of the Bethlehem community are my concerns, and I will bring them to Washington as I actively seek funding for our projects and support for our community programs," Tonko said in a release. "We have to do whatever we can to keep the great quality of life we enjoy here in our Capital Region communities."

Councilman Sam Messina said a capital project plan is something he has been pushing for some time now.

"This is where the rubber meets the road in terms of good governance," he said. "I think we should have been here a year and a half ago."

He asked Cansler what kind of timeline was in place for an actual plan proposal.

"I can't really give you an exact date; we're cranking away on that," he said. "Like I said, this was an eye opener. I wish we were further along."

Hennessey told Cansler to continue to do his homework before submitting a plan.

"Now is the time to plan, take your time, do it right," he said. "Now is not the time to spend money."

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# Man honored for engineering excellence

**Trade association gives prestigious award to area worker**

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The pieces of John Rinaldo's career fit like clockwork.

The Union College graduate and East Greenbush resident



John Rinaldo

was honored for a lifetime dedicated to engineering excellence, and will formally receive the honor at a conference in September.

His work with gears, compressors and aerodynamics has led him to receive the Distinguished Service Award from the American Gear Manufacturers Association.

Joe Franklin, AGMA president, said the award is not given out every year. It recognizes past service while acknowledging Rinaldo still has a career ahead of him.

"This is not a 'thanks for what you've done, now go away' award. This is a, 'thanks for what you're doing, keep doing it' award," Franklin said.

Rinaldo, 57, started his career at Turbonetics, and moved to the Allis Chalmers Compressor Division in 1979, and then returned to Turbonetics in 1981, which had been purchased and was under the control of Atlas Copco.

He began his career working with aerodynamics, but eventually

moved to compression, and in 1987, had completed the transition.

In 1992, Paul Dean, a consultant working for Comptec ended his tenure there, and Rinaldo was asked to recall work he had done 16 years earlier, a list of gears he comprised, using old designs when applicable, according to the AGMA. After that, Rinaldo began attending AGMA committee meetings and working on standardizing gear designs.

"I worked to standardize the description of gears and document the formulas," he said. "You would think with gears being in use for hundreds of years, they'd know these things by now, but we're still talking about it."

He said he has worked for years to make gears work better, more efficiently and for less money.

Rinaldo is a technical specialist and engineer and has sat on numerous committees dealing with industry standards.

He works in the research and development division of Atlas Copco Comptec, a subsidiary of a Swedish company that employs more than 20,000 people

worldwide.

He works for Atlas Copco as a senior development engineer at a factory in Voorheesville on School Road. The factory specializes in centrifugal compressors that are sold and used in air compressors.

"[Gas] doesn't just flow to the other end, you need a compressor," Franklin said. "The mechanisms move at incredible velocities, very high speeds."

The compressors range in horsepower from 400 to 7,000, he said; and to give perspective, he noted that the largest compressor one could purchase at Sears is 5 horsepower. Compressors from the factory are used worldwide, but also can be found locally at Saratoga and Albany's wastewater plants.

Rinaldo said from 1999 to 2007 he served on an international committee with representatives from the Netherlands, Germany, France, Italy and the United Kingdom, who spent countless hours documenting the geometry of gears.

"These are the top engineering people in the country," Franklin said.

Despite the thrill of working

with the brightest engineering minds in Europe, Rinaldo cites another feat as the highlight of his career.

Through the AGMA, Rinaldo works on a committee dealing with software that makes applying geometrical formulas easier. He serves as vice-chairman of that committee and has been active on it since 1992. He said he finds the work stimulating and important.

Rinaldo said he is working toward lowering the cost of manufacturing gears, which aids commerce, he said.

"It helps businesses in the United States compete globally," he said.

Franklin said the AGMA is a great resource for international and domestic companies because it allows individuals to network and problem solve, but does not compromise the cutting-edge research of each company.

"John is a tremendous technical

mind and contributor to the industry," Franklin said.

Franklin said the technical requirements for gearing are very exact, a testament to Rinaldo's attention to detail.

Rinaldo graduated from Union in 1975 with a degree in mechanical engineering. He has resided in Wisconsin and Belgium and was born in Newton, Mass.

Rinaldo will be formally presented with his award at a technical conference in Indianapolis on Sept. 15 to 17.

"I'm very happy to receive the award," Rinaldo said. "I want to thank my wife for supporting me."

Rinaldo said he was often traveling on weekends and working long hours.

He also thanked Atlas Copco for letting him participate in the AGMA committees and attending its events.

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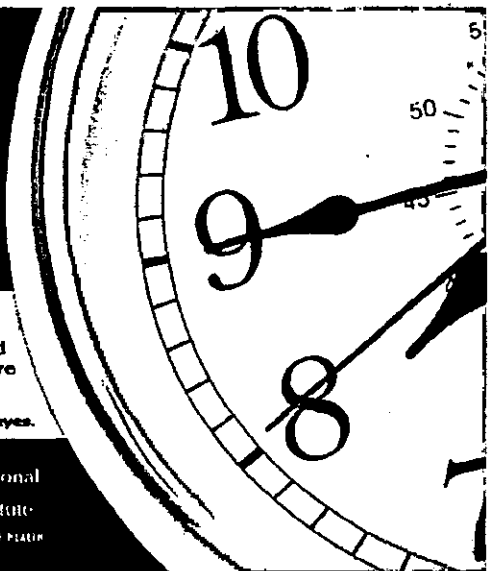
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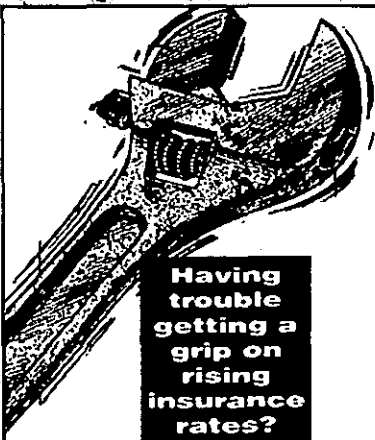
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# Bethlehem teacher travels to study Twain

**Educator attends workshop in Connecticut**

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Even though Mark Twain once said, "I have never let my schooling interfere with my education," English teacher Jack Rightmyer recently went to the famous author's Connecticut home to learn some lessons for his own school.

Rightmyer, 51, a Bethlehem Middle School teacher living in Burnt Hills, attended a special workshop July 13 through 17 at The Mark Twain House and Museum in Hartford along with teachers from 31 states and three countries. The week-long workshop included lectures and experts on the life and times of Twain.

Officially titled "Huckleberry Finn in Post Reconstruction America: Mark Twain's Hartford Years, 1871-1891," the workshops were funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Rightmyer, who tries to use humor and satire to keep his students satirized at bay during the waning, warmer school months, said he was honored to be selected to attend the program on one of his favorites.

"There was a general e-mail sent out about various workshops, mostly social studies related, but when I saw the one for Mark Twain, who has always been my favorite writer, I thought, 'That would be great,' he said. 'I applied for one of the weeks and when I got it I was really excited.'"



LEFT: Bethlehem Central Middle School English teacher Jack Rightmyer teaches some Twain satire in his Delmar classroom.

Submitted photo

ABOVE: Mark Twain poses with his family and their family dog.

Courtesy of The Mark Twain House and Museum

Craig Hotchkiss, program director of The Mark Twain House and Museum, organizes the conference and said they were delighted to include one of Bethlehem Central's own.

"We sent out more applications than we have room for so the application process is a competitive one," he said. "We try bring in people with different backgrounds so that it's quite a range of experience."

Hotchkiss said the workshop addressed the importance of the satirical ways Twain, born Samuel L. Clemens, used to confront issues of race and social inequity during the two decades he and his family lived in Hartford.

Among some of the topics explored were Twain's

evolution from a Southern-born son of a slave owner to a progressive "Connecticut Yankee"; the importance of his years in Hartford as a catalyst for his evolution as a national luminary; and his attitude toward the social and progressive movements of his time.

Special attention was given to the sensitive racial issues and use of dialect involved in the reading and teaching of "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn," which is something that Rightmyer was particularly interested since he has used the book when teaching at the high school level.

"During my seven years as a high school teacher I taught 'Huckleberry Finn,' but in the middle school I tend to teach his short stories," he said. "A

lot of it's very cutting."

Hotchkiss said even though Twain died 100 years ago next year, his works are still being taught and disseminated.

"Mark Twain is a pivotal figure in the history of the United States," he said. "His work has remained vibrant and relevant to the present day." Rightmyer agreed.

"When he wrote *Fuck Finn*, he really wanted a discussion," said Rightmyer. "And here we are today, 100 years later, and it's kind of the elephant in the room and it is still here today."

Living from 1835 until 1910, Twain was well known for his hatred of politicians and his sometimes scathing but nearly almost always hilarious satire. Mixing intelligent social

observation with his salt-of-the-earth personality, Twain used satire to address everything from politics to the bank on the corner with quotes like, "A banker is a fellow who lends you his umbrella when the sun is shining, but wants it back the minute it begins to rain."

The duality of Twain's personality is what makes his work so timeless, according to Rightmyer.

"When humor is good, it will always be good," he said.

And good humor can keep even the not-so-good students listening.

"At the end of May it can be hard to keep their attention; understandably so when you get those first 80-degree days outside," said Rightmyer, who recently published a book about humor in course curriculum. "I started experimenting with humor in the classroom and they started to really enjoy it and even liked coming to class."

The students were not the only ones to notice, according to Bethlehem Central Assistant Superintendent Jody Monroe, who was previously the principal at the middle school.

"Jack is a very talented teacher who inspires his students by bringing humor into his classroom," she said of his 22-year career at BC. "When you walk into his classroom, it is evident that not only are they engaged, but they are also having fun."

The Mark Twain House and Museum has restored the author's Hartford home, where he and his family lived from 1874 to 1891. Twain wrote some of his most important works there, including "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn," "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer" and "A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court."

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# Finance *in the* Spotlight

## Don't be complacent about back-to-school costs

By ANTHONY J. LANZILLO  
Senior Vice President, KeyBank

In 1972, Alice Cooper's classic rock anthem, "School's Out," caught the imagination of kids and shot to the top of the charts. Perhaps you've heard the lyrics:

School's out for summer.  
School's out forever.  
No more pencils.  
No more books.  
No more teacher's dirty looks.

Unlike Cooper's hit song, however, school is never out forever. September rolls around quickly and with it comes the back-to-school expenses. For a family with two students in K-12, the average cost of supplies can be as much as \$1,000. In any economy, that's a tough pill to swallow. But in today's economy, it can be budget busting, which is why parents can no longer afford to be complacent about planning for back-to-school expenses.

### What to Expect: The Basics

**Elementary school.** Today's elementary student still needs all the basic school supplies that you would expect—pencils, pens, ruler, scissors, glue, notebook, backpack, lunchbox, etc. Pretty much the same things that a kid going to school in 1972 would need; however, even basics add up quick, and some teacher's require more than others. So it is wise to have a comprehensive list before the fall arrives. In addition, elementary students often have field trips, music and athletic fees. Some parents may also choose to go above and beyond to give their student an advantage with tutoring and educational toys and games.

**Middle and high school.** While the older student also needs basic supplies, one big thing has changed since 1972—education has gone high-tech. Today's students are often required, or can benefit from, high-tech calculators, laptops, software, summer reading books and test prep fees. This doesn't even include a cell phone, which whether you agree with it or not is often considered a must-have for both parents and kids.

And we haven't even discussed the new fall wardrobe...

But don't let it overwhelm you. With careful planning and budgeting you can be relaxed and prepared for the new school year.

### How to Budget and Save

Save yourself the headache of having to scramble to pay the back-to-school expenses with a few simple guidelines.

**Make a list.** This seems obvious, but it is really the most sensible way to start. Find out exactly what your student will need and how much it will cost. Check with schools/teachers to see what the requirements are for supplies. Sit down with your child and draw up two lists: one of necessary items and one "wish list" of things that he or she may really want but might not actually need.

**Save early.** In an ideal world, you would begin to put money away in the spring, perhaps even earlier. For those of us who do not live in that ideal world (most of us, by the way), try to save what you can every month. Every little bit helps come August, and the more you save, the better prepared you will be for school expenses.

**Share the spending.** Kids need to learn how to manage money. It is one of the most valuable skills you can teach them. So take this opportunity to teach them about the value of saving and spending wisely. Even an elementary student can contribute to the back-to-school fund and learn an important lesson about responsibility in the process. Think beyond your own family as well—carpool to sporting events, summer programs, etc. It might only help a little, but even a little helps.

**Spread out spending.** If you don't need it right away, wait to buy. Buy the essentials and perhaps one "splurge" item. We definitely live in a culture of instant gratification, but this often leads to overspending and overextending. Maybe those expensive new sneakers and trendy backpack can wait.

**Shop wisely.** You've saved money, made a comprehensive list with your student and now you're ready to hit the stores. Shop wisely so you don't undo all your hard work. Check circulars and sale flyers, comparison shop different stores if you have time and find sales on the items you need. Take advantage of tax-free shopping weeks, and buy used if you can.

### The Student's Role

Place some expectations on your child when it comes to money and preparing for the new school year. You want to provide for your children, but at the same time you can enable them to learn about financial independence.

Provide the opportunity to learn respect for money by making them responsible for a portion of their expenses instead of fostering a sense of entitlement.



Anthony Lanzillo

are some tips for working with different school-age groups:

**Elementary school.** When kids start school, they are old enough to have an allowance based on chores, which is a great new financial learning experience. Require your

If you start teaching your child to save at a young age, you will be teaching her or him to develop life-long good spending habits. Before your child even starts school, he or she can learn to save with a piggy bank. Kids feel very proud when they purchase things with their own money. Here

children to purchase certain items, and they will be motivated to save. As your student nears double digits in age, you can introduce a bank account and more opportunities to earn. Encourage your children to set savings goals—that cool new backpack or those hot sneakers—and allow them to spend when the time comes.


**High school.** The older kids get, the more pressure there is to spend. Be the voice of reason. This is the time to instill values in your kids, to build on previous financial lessons instead of caving. Encourage your children to earn a paycheck and set financial goals. Begin discussing college costs with them and explore investments. Teenagers can understand long-term saving, so enable them to take ownership of their finances.

### Being Prepared Is All About Preparation

If there is one lesson we can take away from the last decade, which has been marked

by natural disasters, devastating acts of terrorism and now a deep economic recession, it is this—persevering and surviving is much easier when you have a plan in place. Back-to-school budgeting is the same. After all, summer days are meant to be long, lazy, and full of quality family time. If you get a grip on your back-to-school expenses now, you'll be able to relax and enjoy the summer. More important, when the school year rolls around (Sorry, Alice Cooper, school really isn't out forever); you'll be less stressed and confident that you and your student are well prepared for what is most important—settling into a routine and building a strong foundation for their future.

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## Teacher

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nel matters, but in documents provided by Waltz, the district claimed it was seeking to let her go on June 12 because she "exercised poor professional judgment in interactions with students and made inappropriate comments to students."

Waltz said she took issue with the term "inappropriate" and the various things it could imply between a student and a teacher and that the district should "just come out and say why they are firing me."

She described the district's charges as "ridiculous" and stated the district has every right to terminate her from the probationary teaching position but that they do not need to tarnish her reputation in the process.

Two of the reasons that came up, which Waltz specifically rebutted, included the use of the term "fat" in a Spanish class and the use of a paper doll as part of Chinese for vocabulary development.

The board of education made the unanimous decision after Waltz spoke at the public comment period.

"Well, I know my kids learned Chinese pretty well last year. The administration has heard from a number of parents and students, although I doubt the board has seen any of these communications," Waltz said before rhetorically asking, "But what else are they learning? They are learning that it's OK to use exaggerated labels that incite and defame, as long as it suits your purpose. Would any of you honestly characterize this as 'inappropriate material?'" she asked while holding up a paper doll of President Barack Obama. "Better have a word with Dover Publications, then."

She continued to speak at

length about what students are learning in terms of the grievances she has with the board over the matter.

"They are learning that it's OK to vote without informing oneself of the particulars of the issue. Only one of you who received the rebuttal document by e-mail bothered to ask why it would not open."

Board of Education President James Dering said the board could not publicly respond to her charges after she sat down.

"Unfortunately this is a personnel matter so we cannot comment on it," he

told her.

Waltz is a State Department Chinese interpreter and translator. After teaching in Taiwan for several years with an international background in lecturing and education, Waltz was originally hired to head up the district's new Chinese program started last year.

Tebbano said the district is still committed to continuing and growing the successful program.

The board of education also voted unanimously to hire Lu Jiang as a "0.6 Chinese Teacher" at the middle and high school for \$25,052 a year. She is certified to teach Mandarin in grades seven through 12 and the reason of her hiring listed on the board of education's agenda states "termination of Terry Waltz."

Jiang is slated to begin on Monday, Sept. 14, and will be under contract until June 30.

Waltz said the district is losing an experienced educator in its language program and ended her statement to the board by speaking in Chinese before translating, "Better to ask the way than go astray."

Waltz then told the school board members, "If Dr. Tebbano recommended that I jump off a bridge, I would look down to see if there is water first."

## Revenue

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are about 6.6 percent less than we were at in 2008," said Traylor. "What does that mean in term of budget? We're 9 percent off of the budget."

It is not all bad news, according to Supervisor Jack Cunningham, who said at the meeting that after conferring with state officials and reviewing national financial trends, many experts are predicting the American economy is on the rebound.

Traylor added to the good news by stating, "We're right where we expect to be with the highway budget, and that's really a tribute to [highway superintendent] Gregg Sagendorph and his management."

She also said there were positive numbers coming from the water and sewer departments despite having a cool, rainy summer up until recently, and the town saw savings in fuel costs after basing the budget on last year's \$4 a gallon prices.

The comptroller said the drop

in expenditures and the fund balance was made with town residents in mind.

"To be fair to the town and the taxpayers, we're recommending a mid-budget fund change," she said. "We're going to use that additional \$122,000 to close the gap."

By and far, Traylor said the "big hit" in revenue tax was from revenues outside of the town's control.

"The mortgage tax was significantly lower than we expected," Traylor said. As for the sales tax, she said, "We're all praying it will go up in September."

Bethlehem is receiving FEMA funds for the December's ice storm that downed power lines and tree limbs and caused widespread damage, which Traylor noted would increase the town's highway fund balance.

She, along with the rest of the board, thanked the town's department heads in controlling its individual expenditures, which included a hiring freeze, limiting furniture acquisitions, maintaining vehicles longer and other such measures.

Councilman Kyle Kotary said he was proud of making cuts in

the mid-year budget as apposed to other measures of closing the gap and asked Traylor if she thought the sale tax "would bounce back."

She told Kotary that the Sept. 30 numbers would show the third-quarter numbers, but that if the numbers are bad, Bethlehem "may need to do a third-quarter mid-budget cut."

Hennessey agreed with Kotary's sentiments, stating, "I think it's great we're reducing our spending."

Councilman Sam Messina spoke about the fund balance and, drawing from the recommendations of the 20/20 Advisory Committee, said Bethlehem needs to address the issue judging from a recent trend of using the fund balance for budget shortfalls.

"There still has been a general progression of the fund balance going like that," he said. "We have some opportunities here [to change that]."

Traylor told Messina, "I know the dwindling fund balance you are speaking of," but described the town's fund balance as being around 13 percent of its budget and "still very healthy."

## Debate

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excited to have the opportunity to address each other publicly.

"I look forward to the upcoming debate as it is an opportunity to discuss our record of accomplishment and the challenges that lie ahead for us as a community. During my first term as supervisor, we have advanced our economic development initiatives such as the Vista Technology Park and the Selkirk Yard Industrial Zone. We have also worked to implement our

Comprehensive Plan, and we have begun to address the issues of aging infrastructure. We have increased citizen participation and delivered on all commitments to improve our sidewalk and bicycle network," said Cunningham. "I hope to advance these initiatives in my second term while managing the challenges that our economic downturn has created for us. I have been working with community leaders as well as representatives at the federal, state, and local levels to find innovative approaches to these challenges. I hope to continue this work in my second term."

"I think a debate is one of the best ways for voters, residents and business people to see what the candidates are all about. I'm excited about doing it," said Messina. "For me, it's a forum where I can connect with people, and that's what government is all about. It's my intention to deal very directly and completely with the issues. And those issues aren't just about policy, they're about people and how we govern."

The debate is scheduled from 7 to 9 p.m. Attendees are encouraged to bring questions for the candidates.

## Dance company plans first show of season

The Ellen Sinopoli Dance Company will present "From the Mind/of a single, long vine/one hundred opening lives "Sunday, Aug. 23, at 7 p.m. at Freedom Park, Scotia.

"Vine" is a full evening work created by Artistic Director El-

len Sinopoli in collaboration with wood sculptor Jim Lewis. The dance delves into the stories emanating from nine distinctively designed "sitting structures" by Lewis.

The event is free and open to the public. It is the company's

first show of the season. For information, visit ESCD's Web site at [www.sinopolidances.org](http://www.sinopolidances.org) or the Freedom Park Web site at [www.FreedomParkScotia.org](http://www.FreedomParkScotia.org).

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Diane VanDusen, CSW, of the Eddy Alzheimer's Services will be the presenter in this new fun program to be held at Bethlehem Town Hall, Room 101, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, on Sept. 14 and 21, and also on Oct. 5 and 19. Be aware, however, that you will have to remember to sign up for the classes, and they may fill up quickly. To do so, call 439-4955, ext. 1176.

Please save the date of Wednesday, Sept. 23, for the first-ever Bethlehem Senior Projects, Inc.'s Golf Tournament at the town's Colonial Acres golf course. Tee-off time is 9:30 a.m., with light brunch and camaraderie. The event is a fund-raiser for Bethlehem Senior Projects, a nonprofit organization that owns half of the vehicles that provide senior transportation in our town. In addition, it sponsors the Bethlehem Food Pantry, as well as other vital programs for our town's older citizens. For details, call 439-4955, ext. 1176.

### Program highlights

#### Saturday, Aug. 22

• Delmar Farmers Market, Bethlehem Middle School, 322 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Interesting variety of vendors.

#### Monday, Aug. 24

• Seniors ages 62 and older 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.

#### Wednesday, Aug. 26

• Caregivers Support Group, Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 10:30 a.m.-noon. Caregivers of a spouse or loved one diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease and other dementias are welcome to share concerns, successes, difficulties and experiences with others in similar caregiving situations. For information, call Jane Sanders, 439-4955, ext. 1174.

• Seniors grocery shopping for residents of Elsmere, Delmar, Slingerlands, North Bethlehem and Marie Rose Manor. For reservations, call 439-5770.

#### Thursday, Aug. 27

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

#### Friday, Aug. 28

• 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



## Bringing home the gold

Two local high school athletes participated in the 2009 San Antonio Maccabi games and brought home gold medals. Maccabi is an international Olympic-style competition for Jewish athletes between the ages of 13 to 16. Sam Burgasser of Guilderland High School and Jordan Sperber of Bethlehem High School joined the basketball team for the Greater Buffalo Jewish Community Center. They played seven games, competing against JCC basketball teams from Los Angeles, Philadelphia, Dayton, Orlando, Kansas City, Boca Raton and lastly Detroit, to bring home a gold medal. Both boys' families belong to Congregation Beth Emeth.

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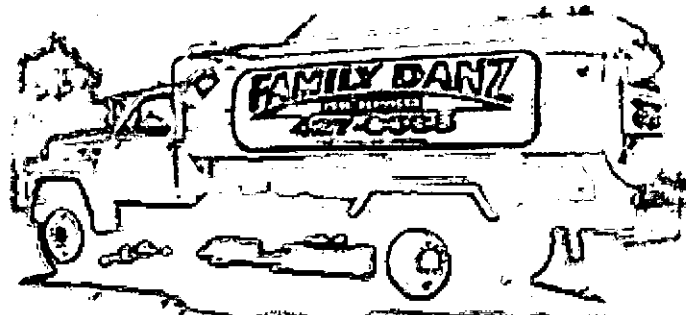
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# Entertainment *in the* Spotlight

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The service for Paul Strausman drew a standing-room only crowd. The line to get inside stretched out the door.

It was a fitting tribute for a man whose music had touched scores of Capital District residents, many of counting Strausman's songs among their earliest memories.

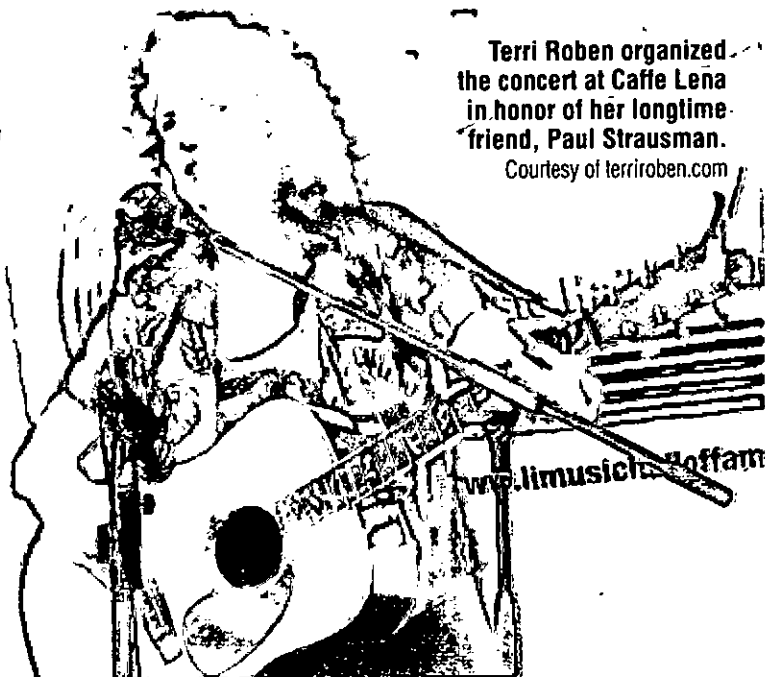
"A lot of people in this area grew up with his music," said fellow children's musician Terri Roben. "He had an amazing ability to write beautiful music. Soothing is a good word for his music. He just had this incredible sweet, gentle spirit. ... Nobody could believe he just died."

Strausman died of a heart attack on Dec. 21. He was 51. He left behind his wife, Carol Coogan, a daughter, Raina, and sons Shea and Arlen.

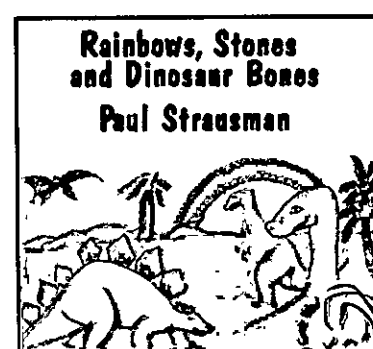
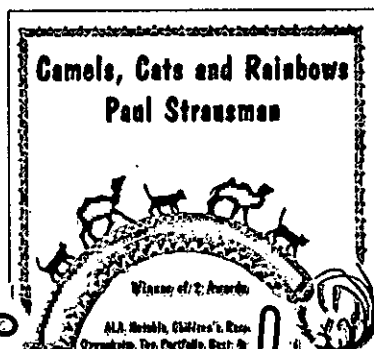
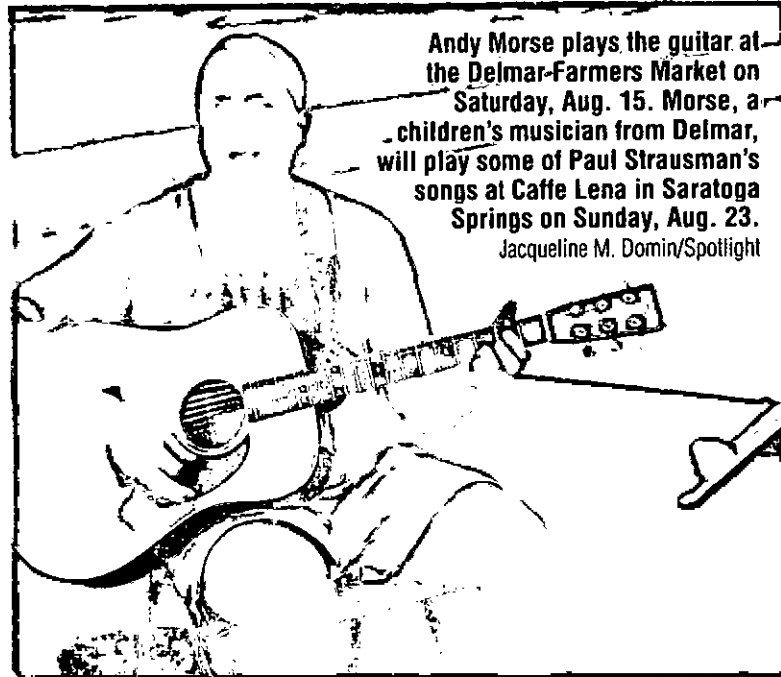
Roben knew Strausman long before he became a household name in the Albany area. Back in the early '70s, both were playing at political rallies and coffeehouses. They formed a friendship that continued as each married, started families and built a career around children's music.

In the spirit of that friendship, Roben, of Ballston Lake, has organized a children's concert to benefit Strausman's family. She and Andy "The Music Man" Morse, a children's musician from Delmar, will play Strausman's songs at Caffè Lena in Saratoga Springs beginning at 3 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 23. Roben hopes other musicians and friends of Strausman's will join them on stage, but if they don't, she's not worried. She and

Terri Roben organized the concert at Caffè Lena in honor of her longtime friend, Paul Strausman.  
Courtesy of terriroben.com



Andy Morse plays the guitar at the Delmar-Farmers Market on Saturday, Aug. 15. Morse, a children's musician from Delmar, will play some of Paul Strausman's songs at Caffè Lena in Saratoga Springs on Sunday, Aug. 23.  
Jacqueline M. Domin/Spotlight



## Musical memories

Area musicians to perform at tribute to Paul Strausman

Morse each regularly perform their own children's concerts, so filling the typical 45 minutes that such a concert lasts "won't be a challenge for us," she said with a laugh.

She and Morse both love the enthusiasm that comes from performing for kids. "Kids are just such a blast," Roben said. "It's very energizing."

Roben first started playing for children when her daughter, now 25, was in nursery school and the teacher asked Roben to perform for the class. She called

it a "natural evolution," since she had been singing since she was only about 2. Today, she teaches Music Together classes for children and caregivers in addition to performing throughout the area.

Music has always been a part of Morse's life, too. He was a huge fan of the Grateful Dead, so much so that he spent a year following the group around the country, selling tie-dyed T-shirts.

Back in Albany, Morse met Strausman back in the mid-1980s, when Morse was dating a woman who worked at a day care center where Strausman performed. Morse remembers being impressed that Strausman was making a living playing for kids.

"I thought, that's really cool," Morse said.

Strausman eventually graduated from day care and began playing and teaching at schools around the region, including the Albany Academies and St. Catherine's Center for Children. At the time of his death, he was a music teacher at Pieter B. Coeymans Elementary School in the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk district.

Morse, meanwhile, followed in Strausman's footsteps. After



Paul Strausman

being hired as a teacher at Albany Medical Center's Kioskeller Day Care Center, Morse began singing and playing for his students. Word began to spread, and Morse decided to take his show

on the road - in a local sense.

"You could go from school to school and make money," he said. "It was an avenue to do what I really love."

Because he was working with young students, his songs weren't just about making melodies or having fun. He was actually helping students learn, singing songs on topics like number and letter recognition.

"They were like little sponges," Morse said, remembering the parents who told him their child rarely talked but had been going around singing Morse's songs.

Morse is active in the Children's Music Network, as is Roben. It's an international organization of performers, songwriters, educators and more. The group helped Morse reconnect in recent years with Strausman, and they laughed about how Morse had picked up where Strausman left off, playing the area daycare scene.

Today, Morse plays at schools throughout the

Northeast and is a fixture at teacher workshops. He also plays some music geared for older listeners, belonging to an acoustic trio and a five-piece rock 'n' roll band called Unknown Legends.

Late last year, Morse went down to Java Jazz in Delmar to see Strausman, who lived just a few miles away from the coffeehouse in Albany. Strausman invited Morse to sit in with him, and they performed "This Land is Your Land."

"It was nice to finally have a chance to sing with him," Morse said.

It was the last chance he would ever have. Strausman died about two weeks later.

"I feel really grateful for Paul," Morse said. "He was really kind of a mentor to me."

Roben called Strausman "just a great person."

"He was like a big teddy bear," she said.

She hopes the concert will expose some people to Strausman's songs for the first time, as well as give old fans another chance to hear them performed. CDs will be for sale, and they are also available at [www.gentlewind.com](http://www.gentlewind.com), the Web site for A Gentle Wind, a recording company owned by Strausman's sister, Jill Person, of Albany.

Tickets to the concert are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children younger than 13. Caffè Lena is at 47 Phila St. in Saratoga Springs.

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# Arts & Entertainment

## Theater

### CRAZY FOR YOU

Gershwin musical comedy, presented by Mac-Haydn Theatre, 1925 Route 203, Chatham, through Aug. 23, Wednesdays through Sundays, adults \$26-\$28, children under 12 \$12. Information, 392-9292.

### DISNEY'S HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL

TV movie comes to life on stage, presented by Park Playhouse, Washington Park, Albany, through Aug. 23, free. Information, 434-0776.

### GODSPELL

Classic Broadway musical, presented by On Our Own Productions, Freedom Park, Schonowee Avenue, Scotia, Aug. 20-22, free. Information, 372-5656.

### OF MICE AND MEN

American classic, presented by GJ Ruggerio Productions, Charles R. Wood Theatre, 207 Glen St., Glens Falls, through Aug. 23, \$9-\$16. Information, 798-9963.

### SHEAR MADNESS

Wacky whodunit set in a hairstyling salon and where the audience helps solve the mystery, presented by Capital Repertory Theatre, 111 North Pearl St., Albany, through Aug. 23, \$36-\$46. Information, 445-7469.

## Music

### JODY SHAYNE DUO

Original jazz, Aug. 20, 7 p.m., Stockade Inn, 1 North Church St., Schenectady, free. Information, 346-3400.

### TALIA SEGAL

Folk rock/pop artist, Aug. 21, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany, free. Information, 512-5100.

### CHRISSY

### BUDZINSKI

Folk/blues musician, Aug. 21, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's Uptown, Town Center Plaza, 1704 Western Ave., Guilderland, information, 250-4196.

### AL HAUGEN DUO

Accordion player, Aug. 21, 7 p.m., Stockade Inn, 1 North Church St., Schenectady, free. Information, 346-3400.

### ODED BEN-AMI

Schenectady composer/songwriter, Aug. 21, 7 p.m., Professor Java's Coffee Sanctuary, 217 Wolf Road, Colonie, free. Information, 435-0943.

### SONNY AND PERLEY

Husband and wife duo performing jazz and American standards plus international cabaret music, Aug. 21, 8 p.m., Caffe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, \$12 advance tickets, \$15 at door. Information, 583-0022.

### 2 LATE

Acoustic folk duo, Aug. 22, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany, free. Information, 512-5100.

### JIM OSBORN

Acoustic folk, Aug. 22, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's Uptown, Town Center Plaza, 1704 Western Ave., Guilderland, information, 250-4196.

### GEORGIE WONDERS ORCHESTRA

Big band music, Aug. 23, 5 p.m., Crooked Lake House, 2339 Route 43, Averill Park, \$15. Information, 674-3894.

### AL STEWART

Veteran pop-folk singer-songwriter, Aug. 23, 7 p.m., Caffe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, \$30 advance tickets, \$35 at door. Information, 583-0022.

### SOUL SESSION

Featuring Garland Nelson, Aug. 25, 7 p.m., Congress Park, Broadway, Saratoga Springs, free. Information, 587-3241.

## Comedy

### MOP AND BUCKET COMPANY

Capital District improv comedy troupe, Aug. 22, 8 p.m., Caffe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, \$12 advance tickets, \$15 at door. Information, 583-0022.

## Dance

### ELLEN SINOPOLI DANCE COMPANY

Capital District modern dance group, Aug. 23, Freedom Park, Schonowee Avenue, Scotia, free. Information, 372-5656.

## Visual Arts

### NEW YORK STATE MUSEUM

"Bernice Abbott's Changing New York: A Triumph of Public Art," through Oct. 4; "1609" through March 10; plus "Beneath the City: An Archeological Perspective of Albany," permanent collections on the 9/11 recovery effort, New York state history and geography, Empire State Plaza, Madison Avenue. Information, 474-5877.

### ALBANY INSTITUTE OF ART

"Different at Every Turn: Contemporary Painters of the Hudson River," through

Aug. 23; "Life Along the Hudson: Photographs by Joseph Squillante," through Oct. 4; "Hudson River Panorama: 400 Years of History, Art and Culture," through Jan. 3, 2010; plus "The Folk Spirit of Albany: Folk Art from the Collection of the Albany Institute of History and Art" and exhibits on Hudson River School painting, American sculpture and the history of Albany, 125 Washington Ave. Information, 463-4478.

### ALBANY CENTER GALLERY

Works by Ben Schwab and Blake Shirley, through Aug. 22, 39 Columbia St., Albany. Information, 462-4775.

### SCHENECTADY MUSEUM

Spirit of Schenectady, FETCH! Lab, collection highlights and planetarium, Nott Terrace Heights. Information, 382-7890.

### ALBANY AIRPORT GALLERY

"Out of this World: Transcending the Terrestrial in Contemporary Art," through Nov. 29; "Repetitive Nature," in Concourse A gallery; "Air Craft," photos by Jeffrey Milstein; plus site-specific installations by Larry Kagan and Cara Nigro, as well as installations by Anthony Garner, Baris Karayazgan, Paul Katz, Nancy Klepsch and Victoria Palermo. Information, 242-2243.

### LOCAL COLOR ART GALLERY

"The Great Sunflower Show," through Aug. 31, 1138 Troy Schenectady Road, Latham. Information, 786-6557.

### NATIONAL MUSEUM OF DANCE

Ballet Russes exhibit, "On Broadway," chronicling the progression of dance on Broadway, and ongoing exhibits, 99 South Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information, 584-2225.

### SARATOGA AUTOMOBILE MUSEUM

"The Syracuse Mile," featuring two of the central New York's famous stock cars, plus ongoing exhibits including "East of Detroit" and New York racing, 110 Avenue of the Pines, Saratoga Springs. Information, 587-1935, ext. 20.

### BROOKSIDE MUSEUM

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

### TANG TEACHING MUSEUM AND GALLERY

"Tim Rollins and K.O.S.: A History," through Aug. 30; "Lives of the Hudson," through March 14, 2010; Skidmore College, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information, 580-8080.

### CLARK ART INSTITUTE

"Dove/O'Keefe: Circles of Influence," through Sept. 7; "Through the Seasons: Japanese Art in Nature," through Oct. 18; 225 South St., Williamstown, Mass. Information, (413) 458-9545.

### THE HYDE COLLECTION

"Degas & Music," through Oct. 18, 161 Warren St., Glens Falls. Information, 792-1761.

### ARKELL MUSEUM

"Arkell's Inspiration: the Marketing of Beech-Nut and Art for the People," ongoing; Canajoharie. Information, 673-2314.

## Call for Artists

### SCHENECTADY LIGHT OPERA COMPANY

Holding auditions for its production of "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat," Sept. 14 and 16, 7 p.m., SLOC Musical Theater, 826 State St., Schenectady, actors should prepare 16-32 bars of a Broadway song. Information, e-mail Matthew Teichner mschne1@mac.com.

### ARTISTS ON THE STREET

Seeking visual artists, musicians, performance artists and writers for its weekly event on Beekman Street in Saratoga Springs, held on Saturdays from noon to 8 p.m. through Sept. 12, free to participate. Information, e-mail Amejo Amyot amejo51@gmail.com.

### SARATOGA ARTS

Seeking local artists and fine crafters to display their works at its downtown gallery shop. Information, Adrianna Flax 584-4132 or aflax@saratoga-arts.org.

### SARATOGA SPRINGS HOLIDAY SHOWCASE OF ART

Seeking fine arts and crafts vendors for second annual show at the Art Center Theatre, 320 Broadway, Saratoga Springs on Saturday, Nov. 21, booth cost \$50. Information, Frenchy Loeb 461-4893.

### MOP AND BUCKET COMPANY

Holding auditions for a substitute accompanist to provide music for its improvised comedy shows. Information, contact Michael Burns at michaelburns@mopco.org or Kat Koppett at kalkoppett@mopco.org.

### CAPITLAND CHORUS

Openings for all voice parts for women who love to sing and perform, rehearsals are at 7 p.m. Thursdays at New Covenant Presbyterian Church, corner of Oranoso and Western avenues, Albany. Information, 785-3567.

### TANGO FUSION DANCE COMPANY

Auditioning professional dancers by appointment at Arthur Murray Dance Studio, 75 Woodlawn Ave., Saratoga Springs. Information, 306-4173.

### ADIRONDACK PASTEL SOCIETY

Seeking new artists that work in pastels.

meetings are the first Tuesday of every month at the Dave Francis Gallery, the Shirt Factory, Glens Falls. Programs, artist demonstrations and exhibitions are planned throughout the year. Information, 793-9309 or 793-9350.

### DELMAR COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

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

### COLONIE TOWN BAND

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

### COLONIE CENTENNIAL BRASS CHOIR

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

### SUBURBAN SOUNDS COMMUNITY CHORUS

Openings in mixed chorus, rehearsals Sundays at 7 p.m. at Lynnwood Reformed

Church, Route 146, Guilderland. Information, 861-8000.

### FRIENDSHIP SINGERS

Openings in women's singing group, focusing on old favorites and show tunes, rehearsals Tuesday mornings at Delmar Reformed Church, Delaware Avenue, Delmar. Information, 439-2360.

### A CAPPELLA

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

### SIENA CHAMBER ORCHESTRA AND CHOIR

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

### THE ORCHESTRA ON THE COMMON

Openings in the string section, also need French horn, trombone, flute and bass drum players, rehearsals Friday at 9 a.m., Shenendehowa Senior Center, Clifton Common, Clifton Park. Information, 372-5146.

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## Weekly Crossword

### ACROSS

- 1 Tin
- 4 Vise device
- 9 Egyptian martyr
- 14 Baseball stat.
- 15 Rhinoceros relative
- 16 Cease-fire
- 17 Long time
- 18 Engraved stone pillar
- 19 Bounds
- 20 Declare openly
- 22 Assam silkworm
- 23 Seersucker, e.g.
- 24 Units
- 26 Follows
- 28 Draw back
- 30 Man-shaped mug
- 34 A small Tom
- 37 Killer whale
- 38 Obi pendant
- 39 Rent again
- 40 Nautical chain
- 41 Happen
- 42 Saroyan hero
- 43 Depletes
- 44 Golfer Calvin
- 45 California lake

### 46 Secreted

- 48 Assessor
- 50 Nail polish
- 54 Hiking paths
- 57 Every one of
- 59 Hindu ascetic
- 60 Competitor
- 61 Vote to accept
- 63 Anglo-Saxon coin
- 64 French school
- 65 Bar used as a pry
- 66 Japanese coin
- 67 Taut
- 68 Grenoble's river
- 69 Greek vowel

### DOWN

- 1 Coffee additive
- 2 From the beginning: L.
- 3 Curtain fabric
- 4 Partner of dols.
- 5 Most recent
- 6 Mimic
- 7 Veterans Day features
- 8 Evangeline's home, Grand -
- 9 Stable part
- 10 Nov. 11, 1918

### 11 Confers a title upon

- 12 Beloved of Galatea
- 13 French head
- 21 Goals of some of 7 Down
- 23 Pocket bread
- 25 Obligation
- 27 Admittance
- 29 Take turns
- 31 Fairy tale start
- 32 Dry wine
- 33 Ancient times
- 34 Mine vehicle
- 35 Leander's love
- 36 Bator
- 41 Candid
- 43 JFK sights
- 47 Assistant
- 49 Walk through the trees
- 51 Elk
- 52 Plumed heron
- 53 Tropical vine
- 54 Weight allowance
- 55 Chinese staple
- 56 English river
- 58 World-turner
- 61 Clay now
- 62 Uno plus due

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# Calendar of Events *in the* Spotlight

## Wednesday, Aug. 19

### 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.

#### BETHLEHEM LIONS CLUB (NOT IN JULY OR AUGUST)

Normanside Country Club, Delmar, 7 p.m. Information: 439-4857. First and third Wednesday of each month.

#### ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

Northeast NY Alzheimer's Association meetings for families, caregivers, and friends; Delmar Presbyterian Church, 585 Delaware Ave., 7 p.m. 439-9252

#### 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.

#### ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 7 p.m. Information, 439-4955. First and third Wednesday of each month.

#### BC SCHOOL BOARD

District office, 90 Adams Place, 7 p.m. Information, 439-7098.

#### HEALING TESTIMONY MEETING

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

#### 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, Aug. 20

### BETHLEHEM

#### 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.

#### YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

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

### AA MEETINGS

Slingerlands Community Church, 1499 New Scotland Road, noon.

#### BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN (SEPTEMBER THRU MAY)

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

#### NEW SCOTLAND KWANIS CLUB

New Scotland Presbyterian Church, Route 85, 6:30 p.m.

### V'VILLE LIBRARY

Lap sit stories for newborns to age two at 10:15 a.m. Signup required. Call 765-2791. First and third Thursday of each month.

### 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, Aug. 21

### AA MEETING

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

### CHABAD CENTER

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

### NEW SCOTLAND

#### 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.

### STORY TIMES

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

## Saturday, Aug. 22

### 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

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.

## Sunday, Aug. 23

### 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 Western Ave., Guilderland, 475-9086, ESL and Bible classes, 9 a.m.; Worship Services, 10 a.m.

Clarksville Community Church, Route 443, 768-2916.

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

Faith Temple, New Salem, 765-2870.

First United Methodist Church, 68 Maple Ave., Voorheesville, 765-2895.

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

Mountainview Evangelical Free Church, Route 155, Voorheesville, 765-3390.

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

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

St. Matthew's Church, Mountain View Road, Voorheesville, 765-2805.

Unionville Reformed Church, Delaware Turnpike, 439-5001.

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

## Monday, Aug. 24

### SLINGERLANDS

Adamsville Ancients Fife 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

First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave. Meets 10:30 a.m. to noon in the nursery. The playgroup provides opportunities for child care takers and pre-nursery school age children to socialize in a relaxed atmosphere. Information, 439-9976 ext. 228

#### YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Parks and Recreation Office, Elm Avenue Park, 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. Also Wed. 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. Information, 439-0503.

#### 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.

### AA MEETING

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 85 Elm Ave., 8:30 to 10 p.m.

### 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.

## Tuesday, Aug. 25

### BETHLEHEM

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

#### TREASURE COVE THRIFT SHOP

First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. gently used brand name clothing and accessories at very low prices.

#### CHURCH LUNCH (JUNE, JULY, AUGUST)

Sponsored by the South Bethlehem United Methodist Church, Willowbrook Cate, weekly on Tuesdays, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Information, 767-9953.

### NEW SCOTLAND

#### STORY TIMES

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

#### NIMBLEFINGERS/QUILTERS (SEPTEMBER-JUNE ONLY)

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.

#### 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.

## Wednesday, Aug. 26

### 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, 439-9976, ext. 228.

#### BETHLEHEM SENIOR CITIZENS

Daytime Caregivers Support Group. Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave. Every fourth Wednesday, 10:30 a.m. to noon. Information, 439-4955.

#### MOTHERS OF PRESCHOOLERS (MOPS)

Christian fellowship group for mothers of preschool children, at the Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave., nursery care provided, 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m., Information, call Jennifer at 439-9929 or e-mail, [info@drchurch.org](mailto:info@drchurch.org). Second and fourth Wednesday during the school year. [www.mops.org](http://www.mops.org)

#### 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.

#### BC SCHOOL BOARD

district office, 90 Adams Place, 7 p.m. Information, 439-7098.

#### BETHLEHEM TOASTMASTERS

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

#### SECOND AND FOURTH

#### HEALING TESTIMONY MEETING

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

### NEW SCOTLAND

#### TOWN COUNCIL

New Scotland Town Hall, Route 85, 7 p.m. Information, 439-4889. Second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

#### 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.

#### TOWN BOARD

Bethlehem Town Hall, 445 Delaware Ave., 5:30 p.m. Information, 439-4955. Second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

#### AA MEETING

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

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# Milestones in the Spotlight



Nancy Reuter and Todd Wickham

## Reuter, Wickham to wed

Dennis Reuter and Renae Salerno of Athens, NY are pleased to announce the engagement of his daughter, Nancy Reuter, to Todd Wickham, son of Herbert and Diana Wickham of Selkirk, NY.

The future bride graduated from Coxsackie Athens Central High School in 1995. She went on to earn a B.A. in from The College of Saint Rose (2000). She will receive a M.A. in December 2009 from Sage Graduate School. She is an Intake Coordinator at Mohawk Opportunities in Mental Health Inc., in Schenectady, NY. The bride enjoys the outdoors, cooking and spending time with her family and friends.

The future groom graduated from Ravena Coeymans Selkirk High School in 1997 and went

on to Hudson Valley Community College (1999). Todd is a Quality Assurance Inspector for AIM (Alliance Inspection Management). The groom enjoys hunting and fishing.

Todd and Nancy also enjoy antique collecting. The couple will wed at The Mansion at Cedar Hill on September 18, 2010.

## Larsen, Sanchez marry

Andrea Marie Larsen and Steven Michael Sanchez were married July 3, 2009, at Delmar Reformed Church in Delmar, NY. Reverend David Corlett officiated. A reception followed at The Century House in Latham, NY.

The bride is the daughter of Bill and Mona Larsen of Glenmont, NY. The groom is the son of Michael Sanchez of Colonie, NY, and Lynne Sanchez, of Delmar, NY.

The Matron of Honor was Christy Venter, cousin of the bride. Bridesmaids were Melanie Canavan, Deeda Lipman and Jessica Sanchez. The Best Man was Sean Johnson, cousin of the groom. The Groomsmen were Tom Larsen, Michael Martin and Nicholas Colucci.

Andrea Marie is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School. For college, she attended SUNY Plattsburgh, where she earned a degree in Childhood Education. The bride went on to graduate school at SUNY Albany, where she received a degree in Special Education.

Steven is also a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School. He went on to earn a degree in Marine Engineering from SUNY Maritime. The groom is a Steam Turbine Controls Engineer at General Electric in Schenectady, NY.

The couple took a honeymoon trip to Sandals Negril in Jamaica. They reside in Slingerlands, NY.



Andrea Marie and Steven Michael Sanchez

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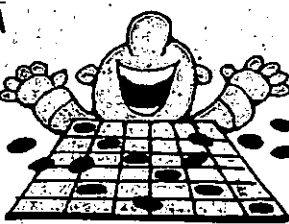
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Year 2009 has brought many changes to the rules applicable to IRAs. One significant change is the suspension of Required Minimum Distributions (RMD). Another is a U.S. Supreme Court case that has clearly spoken as to the rights of ex-spouses in former spouses retirement accounts. Also, the rule allowing the direct transfer of charitable gifts from an IRA to a charity has been reinstated. Then there is the reason why now may be a good time to do a Roth IRA conversion.

This class will cover discussing the new RMD for 2009; ex-spouses rights in their former spouses retirement accounts, Roth IRA conversions, gifts to charity from an IRA, Stretched-out IRAs; other topics designed to update you on current important information pertaining to IRAs.

The workshop will be conducted by Robert Wolff, J.D., L.L.M. Tax who has been certified as an Elder Law Attorney by the National Elder Foundation, and has been designated a Chartered Retirement Planning Counselor by the College for Financial Planning.

**For more information call Robert L. Wolff at (518) 271-0801.**

# Milestones *in the* Spotlight

## Frances Josephine (Bilderback) Dowling

Saratoga Springs: Frances Josephine (Bilderback) Dowling, 87, formerly of Glenmont, New York died Wednesday, August 12, 2009 at Wesley Health Care Center, Saratoga Springs, New York. Frances was born in Gray, Georgia on February 11, 1922, the daughter of the late Boyce and Mary Josephine (Driscoll) Bilderback. She attended Gray High School and Georgia State College for Women in Milledgeville.

On October 12, 1944, Frances married the late Thomas William Dowling in Manmouth, N.J. They met the previous year at Camp Hale, Colorado where Tom, originally from Watervliet, N.Y. was in training with the Army's 10th Mountain Division and Frances was visiting her brother who was also stationed there. For 60 years she was the loving wife of Tom and the loving mother of her three daughters. After raising her children, Frances enjoyed working part time in the real estate industry. During her life time Frances and her family lived in several lovely towns in Up-State New York, she and her husband traveled frequently in Europe and the Caribbean and she loved their last home in Colonial Acres, Glenmont, New York. Frances enjoyed gardening, cooking, decorating, and going for long drives in the country with Tom. She was a beautiful woman and a lovely Southern lady. She will be greatly missed by her daughters, grandchildren and friends.

Frances is survived by her three daughters, Theresa Dowling, Allyce Dowling, and Karen Silverman; two sons-in-law Malcolm Litwiller and Robert Weidlich; and three grandchildren Robin Weidlich, Mollie Shapiro and Tziona Shapiro.

Relatives and friends are invited to call Sunday, August 16, 2009 from 5 to 7pm at the Applebee Funeral Home, 403 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, New York. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Monday, August 17, 2009 at 9:30 am at the Church of St. Thomas the Apostle, Delmar. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery Cossackie along side her late husband Tom.

## Joseph Stanczak

Kissimmee, Fla.: Joseph Stanczak, 88 formerly of Halfmoon, passed away at his home in Kissimmee, on June 22, 2009 with his loving family at his side. He is survived by his wife



Roberta Benson Stanczak, his son Lance Stanczak of Halfmoon, three sisters Millie La Valle, Eva Jarose, and Elizabeth Brady of Clifton Park and many nephews and nieces. He was the son of the late Stephen and Tekla Stanczak and brother of the late Alexandria Gabriel, Mary Danusiar and Anna Danusiar. Joe was a heavy equipment operator and owner of Stan's Trucking in the Halfmoon-Clifton Park area for many years. Family and friends are invited to a memorial service which will be celebrated on Saturday, August 22, 2009, at 11:00 AM at The River Of Hope Church, Ushers N.Y., led by Pastor Rich Ingui and Pastor Nancy Ingui.

## Births

### Albany Medical Center

March 29

Danika Theone Krause, daughter of Stephanie and Kevin Krause of Selkirk

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Lindsey Hallenbeck and Jason Bradt

## Hallenbeck, Bradt engaged

Richard and Teresa Hallenbeck of Delmar, NY are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Lindsey Nicole to Jason Andrew Bradt, son of Susan and Mark Panza of Slingerlands, NY and Dennis and Kathleen Bradt of East Greenbush, NY.

The bride-to-be received an AAS of Early Childhood Education from Maria College and a B.S. of Early Childhood Education from The College of Saint Rose. Currently she is employed at Emil J. Nagengast Florist while continuing to pursue a position in the field of education.

The groom-to-be is a Communication Specialist for the city of Albany. Additionally, he is an active participant in the Delmar Fire Department as a certified EMT and volunteer fireman.

The couple plan a June 2010 wedding.



Shaun McCarthy and Julianna Visconti

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## Visconti, McCarthy to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Al Visconti of Ravena announce the engagement of their daughter, Julianna Elizabeth, to Shaun Michael McCarthy, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Kevin McCarthy of Delmar. Both are music majors at the College of St. Rose and will graduate spring of 2010. A fall 2011 wedding is planned.

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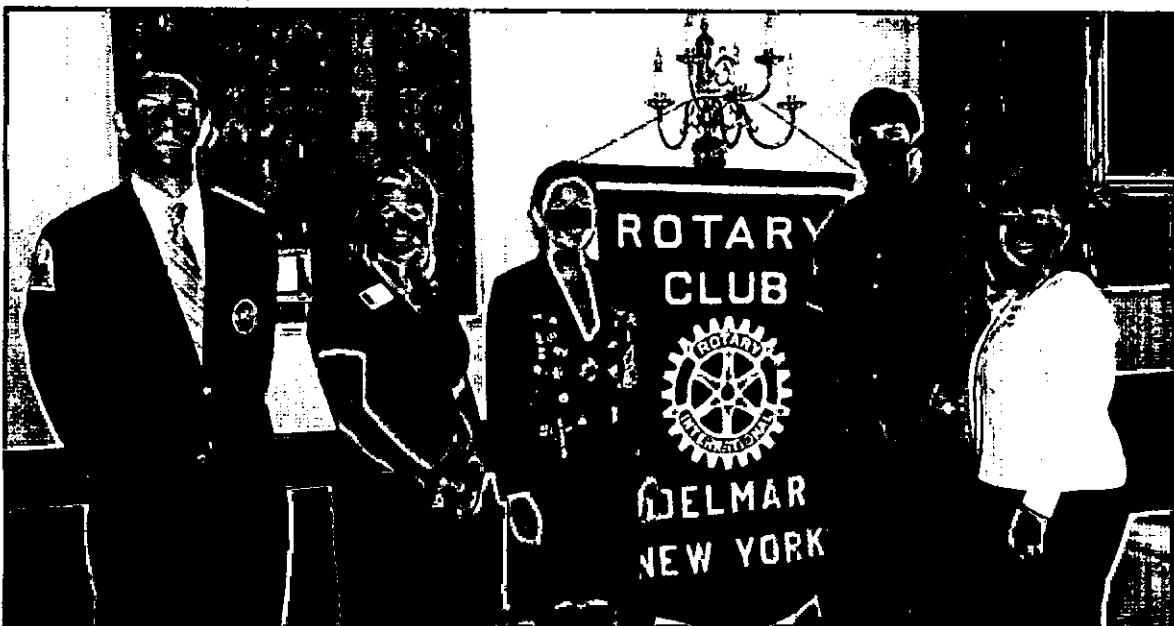
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## Change of the exchange



Delmar's Madison Lang returned from a year as a Rotary Youth Exchange Student in Norway and spoke at the meeting of the Rotary Club of Delmar held at the Normanside Country Club on Wednesday, Aug. 12. Other Bethlehem students sponsored by the club also attended the meeting. From left, outgoing student Gil Strizich, who left for a year in Argentina, stands with Rotary youth exchange coordinator Ginger Landy; Lang; Daniel Gally, who returned from a year in Brazil; and Rotary Club of Delmar President Laura Warkowski.

Submitted photo

## Disney goes to the dogs at Guilderland library

On Friday, Aug. 21, at 7 p.m., we conclude this first group of Disney Family Fridays by showing the animated classic that tells the story of Pongo and 100 other dalmatians (you remember we can't actually tell you the name of the film, right?) and their struggle to avoid becoming, well, a coat.

This is the 1961 animated version, the one that made dalmatians instantly popular. Set in London with suitably foggy scenes and offbeat accents, it featured the classic image of "puppy love" (between Perdita and Pongo) and the famed "twilight bark" that alerted all London that something was amiss in dogdom. Eventually a motley menagerie, led by an indomitable shaggy dog called The Colonel and a cat named Sergeant Tibbs, come to the rescue of a boatload of missing puppies.

We again want to thank state Sen. Neil Breslin for helping us obtain the audio-visual equipment used to show these movies. At press time, Breslin is anticipated to attend the movie. If the weather holds (and our luck has not been great, but we'll give it another shot), we'll have this movie outside in the Community Literary Garden. This series has been so popular that we will continue it in the fall. Watch this space and check [www.guilpl.org](http://www.guilpl.org) for dates and times.

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### Improve your exercise output

The Guilderland YMCA's fitness coordinator, Maureen Connolly presents, on Saturday, Aug. 29, at 10 a.m., "Great Ways to Improve Your Exercise Output," part of the library's summer-long Fit for Life series.

This class will focus on exercising at proper intensity, establishing core strength (abs and back) and improving flexibility. We'll also discuss ways to incorporate cross-training exercises into your daily routine. Participants should wear comfortable clothing and be prepared to do some light core and flexibility exercises.

Take advantage of this opportunity to learn from an expert. This is the last in our series of Fit for Life exercise and nutrition classes. You must register for this program by calling 456-2400 x 7.

*Note: All library events are free unless otherwise noted. The Guilderland Public Library is at 2228 Western Ave., Guilderland. Call 456-2400, ext. 12 for more information, or visit the library's Web site at [www.guilpl.org](http://www.guilpl.org). The library is closed on Sundays during July and August.*

## Library busy with book discussions

"People of the Book" by Geraldine Brooks will be discussed at Bethlehem Public Library's AfterDinner Books meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 9, at 7 p.m. The novel by the author of "March" revolves around the rediscovery of the Sarajevo Haggadah.

"The Good Wife" by Stuart O'Nan is the topic for the library's DayBooks meeting on Monday, Sept. 21, at 1:30 p.m. A young bride begins a 28-year wait for her husband's release from prison.

"Garden Spells" by Sarah Addison Allen is the topic for YarnOver Books on Thursday, Sept. 24, at 7 p.m. A curious garden holds a legacy for an equally



curious family. Participants are invited to bring a knitting project to work on during the discussion.

Copies of the books are available at the information desk. New members are welcome. Books under discussion are sometimes available in large-print or recorded format; call 439-9314 for information.

### Teen time

Friday, Sept. 4, 2 to 4 p.m.

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Louise Grieco

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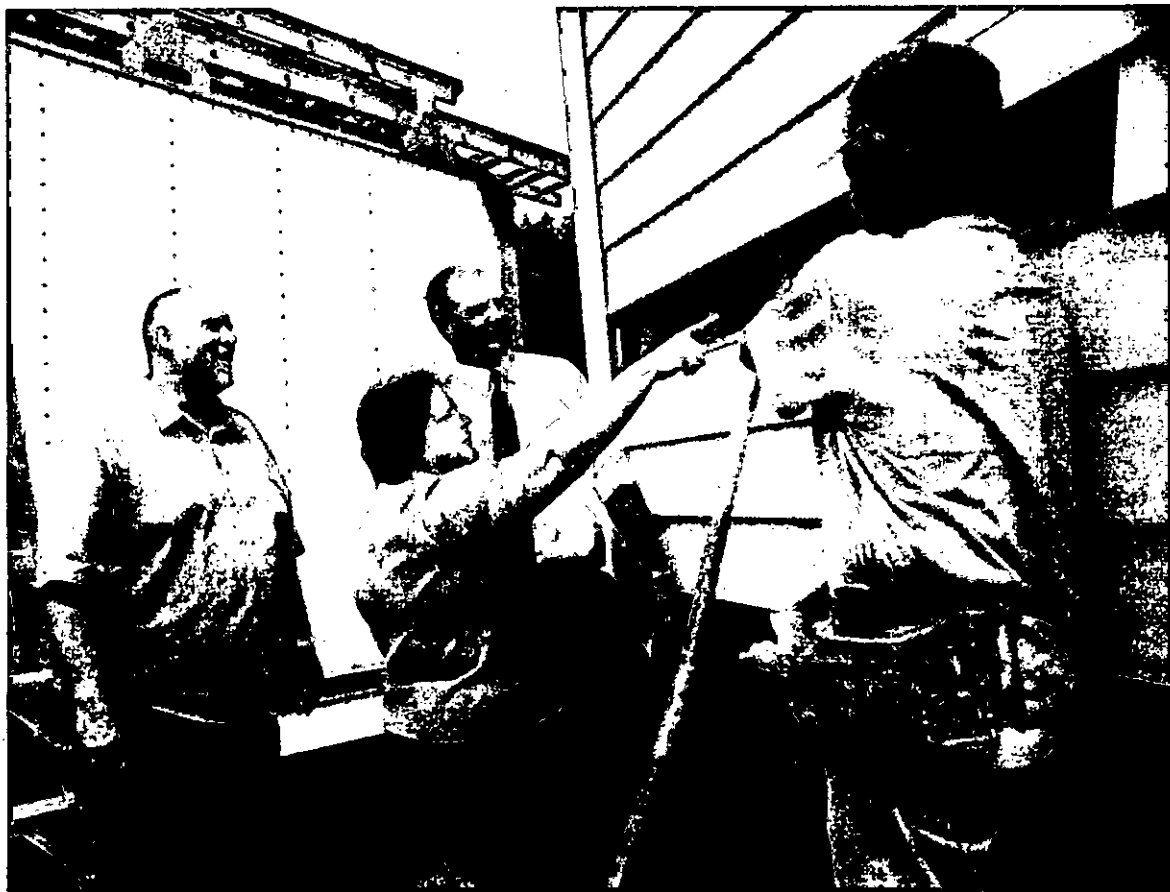
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## Home improvement



Homeowner Connie Keane shows Assemblyman Tim Gordon weatherization improvements being made to her Delmar residence, while Butch Lawyer from Cornell Cooperative Extension of Albany County looks on.

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## More teen/tween programs on tap

### RCS COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Our new Teen/Tween program will continue with activities and art projects for the next three weeks, ending on Aug. 30. The group meets from 1 to 3 p.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays in our annex. It is for kids age 10 and up, and no registration is required.

Our newest library assistant, Colleen Wolfe, has spent the month of July with local kids creating unique projects intended to beat summer boredom and spark creativity and new friendships. Their work is on exhibit in the library and in the annex windows along the side of the village building.

#### Young writers book display

Twenty-two young writers completed books this summer in our annual workshops. Magic, mystery, pets, parties and social dilemmas were this year's main themes. If you want a short, fun read, browse the 2009 Young Writers Workshop display.

July participants were Lucy Bonafide, Khaliel Felder, Caelin Gordon-Stacey, Alexandra Griffith, Jonah Hotaling, Shane Hotaling, Regina McGuire, Brandon Mogul and Kyle Tunney.

August participants were Ezra Anderson, Lucy Anderson, Elizabeth Dewsbury, Sierra Flach, Macey Jourdin, Kathryn Legg, Sydney Meredith, Emily Moore, Alicia Moss, Renee Perrotte, Aliyah Poinsette, Erica Salisbury and Lucy Zhang.

#### Rewarding readers

Congratulations to the past two week's winners in the Rewarding Readers program. Winners Evan Melick, Joan Pemberton, Beth Rienti, Mary Doane, Fran Williams and Georgette Furey will get to choose an item from our gift basket of donations from local businesses. If you've read three books this summer, stop by our Circulation Desk for a coupon and you may be a winner this summer.

• All library programming is free (unless otherwise noted) and open to the public. RCS Community Library is located at 15 Mountain Road, Ravena. For information, call 756-2053 or visit [www.uhls.org/RCSCL/](http://www.uhls.org/RCSCL/).

## New cookbook in works

It has been 10 years since we published our Centennial Cookbook, comprised of recipes for mouth-watering delights from local cooks. Copies are still in demand and queries have been made about producing another book, so a second community cookbook is in the works.

Recipes are being collected on Festival Day, Saturday, Sept. 12, at the VPL Friends information booth. You may also drop off or email recipes to the library ([voorefq@uhls.lib.ny.us](mailto:voorefq@uhls.lib.ny.us)). Give us a copy of a family favorite or your own personal specialty. Check carefully that all ingredients and quantities are listed accurately and legibly. Include your name, which will be printed with the recipe, and a phone number to be used in case we need to get in touch with you. You may include a descriptive tag line about the dish, such as: "My son Ridley invented this variation on the traditional peanut butter and jelly sandwich."

Time is getting short to plan your participation in the festival, which is designed to acquaint residents of the Town of New Scotland with crafters, organizations and businesses in town. Pick up an application at VPL to have a booth. Food vendors should call Rebecca Pahl at 765-3024. Submissions are also being accepted for the art

### Voorheesville Public Library

exhibit. Please contact Barbara Vink at the library at 765-2791.

Festival clowns are especially needed.

#### Musical guest

Children's music specialist Lisa Russo will be the guest at a special Interactive Music Evening Storytime on Tuesday, Aug. 25, at 6:30 p.m. No signup is necessary. Regular storytimes are over for the summer and will resume Sept. 15. The 2009 Summer Reading Program is over except for the grand finale on Monday, Aug. 31. Details next week.

#### Game day

There is a game day on Friday, Aug. 21, from 1 to 4 p.m. Kids (and adults) can come in and use the Wii, play board games and have snacks.

Barbara Vink

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**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 (August 19, 2009)

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**Notice of Qualification of Models of the Runway SPV, LLC**. Authority filed with 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 (August 19, 2009)

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## LEGAL NOTICE

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**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 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-21424 (August 19, 2009)

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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 (August 19, 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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**Notice of Formation of Dector 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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**Notice of Formation of The New York Burlesque Festival 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-21430 (August 19, 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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**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 (August 19, 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 Cty. Principal bus. loc.: 90 State Street, Suite 1507, Albany, NY 12207. Secy. of

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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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**Notice of Formation of METAL MECHANIC PROCUREMENT 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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**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 purpose. LD-21446 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**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 (August 19, 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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY 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 (August 19, 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 (August 19, 2009)

## LEGAL NOTICE

**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

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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 (August 19, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of N302TC LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. 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 (August 19, 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 (August 19, 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 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FORMATION CK EXCAVATING I, LLC**  
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 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

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 (DE) formed in Delaware (LLC) 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.

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of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. LD-21481 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**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 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

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 whom process against 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 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

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 whom process against 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 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company. Name: MIMiCo Deli, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 6/9/09. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent to the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC c/o Michelle Hughes 113 Eileen Street Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21496 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of PHILIP TURNER BOOK PRODUCTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/24/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Frankfurt Kurnit Klein & Selz, P.C., 488 Madison Ave., NY, NY 10022, Attn: Michael R. Williams, Esq. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21499 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC The Capital Region Strategic Employee Benefit Services, LLC.** filed Articles of Organization with the New York Secretary of State on 07/21/09. 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, at LLC, 1201 Troy Schenectady Road, Suite 120, Latham, NY 12110. The street address of the principal business location is 1201 Troy

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Schenectady Road, Suite 120, Latham, NY 12110. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act. LD-21504 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of MS-NYC REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/24/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21505 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF BIG JOHN'S, LLC**  
Under Section 206(c) of the Limited Liability Company Law  
FIRST: The name of the Limited Liability Company is BIG JOHN'S, LLC.  
SECOND: The Articles of Organization of the Limited Liability Company were filed with the Secretary of State for the State of New York on July 13, 2009.  
THIRD: The office of the Limited Liability Company is to be located within the County of Albany and State of New York.  
FOURTH: The Secretary of State is designated as the Company's agent on whom process against the Company may be served.  
FIFTH: The Post Office Address within the State of New York to which the Secretary of State will mail a copy of any process against the Company is 100 Deer Path Lane, Altamont, New York 12009.  
SIXTH: The Company's purpose is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which the Limited Liability Company may be organized under the Limited Liability Law for the State of New York. /s/ John R. VanWormer  
JOHN R. VAN WORMER - Organizer /s/ Joshua M. VanWormer  
JOSHUA M. VAN WORMER - Organizer  
LD-21509 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of limited liability company (LLC). Name: Silver Pines Properties, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 07/09/09. 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 the LLC, 3215 Traber Road, Schenectady, New York 12303. LD-21510 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**HAMILTON STREET TWO, LLC** (the "LLC") filed Articles of Organization with the NY Secretary of State ("SOS") on 7/14/2009. LLC office is in Albany County, NY. SOS was designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SOS shall mail copy of process served to Hamilton Street Two, LLC, 773 Madison Avenue, Albany, New York 12208. The purpose is for any lawful act or activity. LD-21512 (August 19, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Newkirk Associates LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 06/17/09. 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

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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-21514 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of Del-Mar Real Estate Services LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/24/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Romulo E. Samaniego, 57 Beverly Dr., Avon, CT 06001. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21515 (August 19, 2009)

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Notice of Formation of Acute and Chronic Pain Management and Medicine, 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 medicine. LD-21516 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of Pacific Grand Realty LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/15/09. 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-21517 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of JGDO, LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 07/21/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 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-21518 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of formation of CO-HERE STUDIO, LLC a NYS LLC Formation filed with SSNY on 06/19/09 Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agt. of LLC, upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, 190 Waverly Place, New York, NY 10014. Purpose: Any Lawful purposes. LD-21522 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).** Name: EMPIRE EDISON DEVELOPMENT, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, January 15, 2004. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State

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is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to PO Box 2183, Malta, NY 12020. LD-21525 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of THANK YOU HAVE A NICE DAY, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/31/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 69 Fuller Rd., Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21526 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of 147 Greenpoint Ave. Entertainment LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/31/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21527 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of JIEDA CAPITAL MANAGEMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/30/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21528 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of ATLANTIC LEASE HOLDINGS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 7/30/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21529 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF E WIRED AUCTIONS, LLC**  
1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is: e Wired Auctions, LLC.  
2. The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed with the Secretary of State on September 1, 2004.  
3. The County within New York State which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany.  
4. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against the Company may be served and the post office address within this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company served upon it is: c/o Brian B. Selchick 12 Blackwood Street, Apt. 422 Boston, Massachusetts 02115-5126  
5. The registered agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against the liability company can be served is: e Wired Auctions, LLC, 12 Blackwood Street, Apt. 422, Boston, Massachusetts 02115.  
6. The character of the business is to conduct any lawful business activity for profit that is not otherwise prohibited by the laws of the State

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of New York. LD-21531 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of Lorraine-Michaels Dance Centre, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/3/09. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 69 Fuller Rd., Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21532 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of Vincent Best Holding LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/31/09. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Harvard Business Services, Inc., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 805-A, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21533 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Qualification of One World Enterprises, LLC. Fictitious name: One Natural Experience, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/31/09. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/15/05. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1401 Westwood Blvd., Ste. 200, Los Angeles, CA 90025, also the address of the principal office. Address to be maintained in DE: 108 West 13th St., Wilmington, DE 19801. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. LD-21534 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: ENGINEERED SUCCESS, LLC.** Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/27/09. 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: 16 Manor Drive, Glenmont, NY 12077. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21535 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of FASHION BIBLE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/3/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 167 Eagle St., Albany, NY 12202. Purpose: any lawful activity. LD-21536 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of ORMOND SOLUTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 8/4/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. LD-21543 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Name: Airside HVAC, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with New York Secretary of State (SSNY) on: 7/24/09. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process c/o James R. Schultz, Esq., of counsel, Maynard, O'Connor, Smith & Catalinotto, LLP, 6 Tower Place, Albany, New York 12203. Term: No specific date of dissolution. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized. LD-21545 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).** Name: 40 NS HOLDINGS LLC. Original Articles of Organization under the name 40 NS INVESTMENT LLC filed with NYSOS, June 22, 2009. Certificate of Amendment changing name to 40 NS HOLDINGS LLC filed with NYSOS June 25, 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 East, Albany, NY 12203. LD-21546 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Registration of Horne LLP. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/3/09. Office location: Albany County. LLP registered in --Delaware (DE) on 12/21/04. SSNY designated as agent of LLP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Capitol Services, Inc., 1218 Central Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205. DE address of LLP in jurisdiction of organization: 1218 Central Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: practice the profession of Certified Public Accountants. LD-21547 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: MULOY RE LLC.** Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/27/09. 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, 154 St. James Place, Brooklyn, New York 11238. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21548 (August 19, 2009)

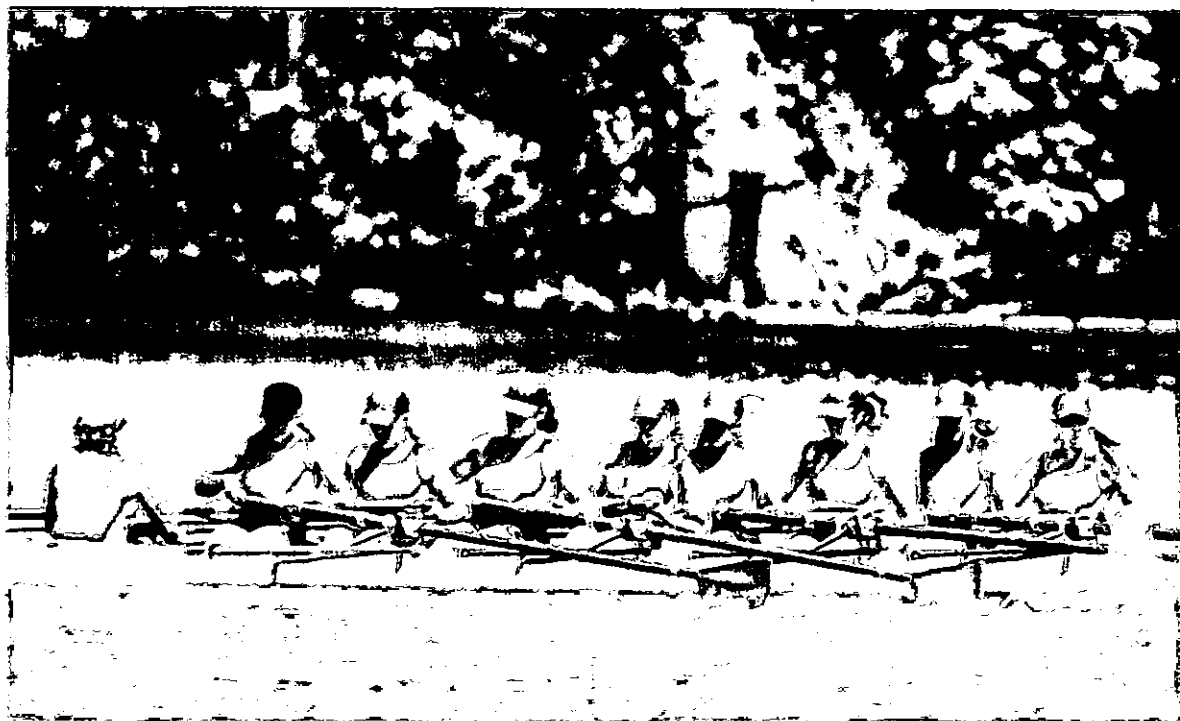
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**NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: CDM CARE LLC.** Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/20/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 317 Madison Avenue, 21st Floor, New York, New York 10017. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. LD-21549 (August 19, 2009)

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Publication TOWERSHIP LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 8/10/2009 Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: any lawful purpose. LD-21551 (August 19, 2009)





The Albany Rowing Center's Junior 8-plus-coxswain boat reached the finals of the recent Royal Canadian Henley Regatta in St. Catharines, Ont. Bethlehem's Emilie Johnson and Meaghan Keefe were among the rowers on the team.

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## Keefe, Johnson place third at regatta

Bethlehem Central High School students Meaghan Keefe and Emilie Johnson had a big weekend for the Albany Rowing Center team at the recent Royal Canadian Henley Regatta.

Keefe and Johnson placed third in the under 17 two-person race and teamed up with Shaker's Amanda Marsh and Melissa Urquhart to take third place in the under 17 four-person race. They were also part of an eight-person boat that reached the finals.

Albany Rowing Center sent 16 competitors to the Royal Canadian Henley Regatta, which annually draws more than 4,000 rowers from around the world. ARC boats reached the finals in three of the 10 events they competed in.

The ARC team represented seven Capital District schools. Rowers included:

Bethlehem Central High School — Elizabeth Helmer, Emilie Johnston, Meaghan Keefe, Killala Kite, Margaret Morrell

and Kristen Manning

Shaker — George Hardwick, Amanda Marsh and Melissa Urquhart

Maple Hill — Alex Timmons and Nicholas Timmons

Albany Academy — Sarah Gannon

Albany — Sam Garrison

Catholic Central — Becca Herron

Kent School — Mike Lindberg

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games: Bethlehem Central High School is limiting the number of night home games, even for football. Only one football game is currently scheduled to start at 7 p.m. — the Eagles' Thursday, Sept. 17, home contest against Columbia. The girls soccer team has two night home games in October, but the boys soccer team won't play under the lights in Delmar.

The good news is that beyond those changes, the fall sports landscape hasn't drastically changed. All the sports that were offered in New York last year are being offered again, and there are still state titles to play for.

So, what if there are fewer non-league games? There are still games to look forward to, starting with golf and football in the first week of September.

With that said, here are a couple of quick thoughts from the sports world outside of Section II athletics:

- Don't be surprised if Tiger Woods loses more majors on the final day. He's in his mid 30s, he's got health issues and he has a family to look after. He won't be spending all of his spare time practicing golf like he did when he was dominating the world.
- Memo to Carlos Beltran and Carlos Delgado: don't bother returning to the New York Mets' lineup. With David Wright possibly out for the season with post-concussion syndrome, the Mets' chances of a miracle comeback are over, anyway.

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**Girls swimming**

Sept. 12 — Shaker (diving only), 9 a.m.

Sept. 15 — at Shaker, 4:30 p.m.

Sept. 22 — at Niskayuna, 4 p.m.

Sept. 24 — Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m.

Sept. 30 — Shenendehowa, 4:30 p.m.

Oct. 6 — at Saratoga Springs, 4:30 p.m.

Oct. 14 — Mohonasen/Schalmont, 4 p.m.

Oct. 20 — Guilderville, 4:30 p.m.

Oct. 22 — at Ballston Spa, 4:30 p.m.

**Girls tennis**

Sept. 9 — Averill Park, 4 p.m.

Sept. 11 — at Mohonasen, 4 p.m.

Sept. 14 — at Colonie, 4 p.m.

Sept. 16 — at Shaker, 4 p.m.

Sept. 17 — Saratoga Springs, 4 p.m.

Sept. 21 — at Niskayuna, 4 p.m.

Sept. 23 — Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m.

Sept. 25 — Columbia, 4 p.m.

Sept. 30 — at Guilderland, 4 p.m.

Oct. 2 — Shenendehowa, 4 p.m.

Oct. 5 — at Ballston Spa, 4 p.m.

**Boys volleyball**

Sept. 8 — at Shenendehowa, 4 p.m.

Sept. 11 — at Mohonasen, 4 p.m.

Sept. 14 — Colonie, 4 p.m.

Sept. 16 — at Shaker, 4 p.m.

Sept. 21 — at Niskayuna, 4 p.m.

Sept. 23 — Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m.

Sept. 25 — Columbia, 4 p.m.

Sept. 30 — at Guilderland, 4 p.m.

Oct. 2 — Shenendehowa, 4 p.m.

Oct. 7 — at Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m.

Oct. 9 — Saratoga Springs, 4 p.m.

Oct. 14 — Mohonasen, 4 p.m.

Oct. 16 — at Colonie, 4 p.m.

Oct. 19 — at Columbia, 4 p.m.

Oct. 21 — Guilderland, 4 p.m.

Oct. 23 — Shaker, 4 p.m.

Oct. 26 — at Saratoga Springs, 4 p.m.

Oct. 28 — Niskayuna, 4 p.m.

**Girls volleyball**

Sept. 4 — Colonie, 10 a.m.

Sept. 8 — at Averill Park, 4 p.m.

Sept. 10 — Mohonasen, 4 p.m.

Sept. 15 — Shaker, 4 p.m.

Sept. 16 — Albany, 5:45 p.m.

Sept. 17 — at Saratoga Springs, 4 p.m.

Sept. 22 — Niskayuna, 4 p.m.

Sept. 24 — at Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m.

Sept. 25 — at Columbia, 4 p.m.

Sept. 26 — at Schenectady Tournament, TBA

Sept. 29 — Guilderland, 4 p.m.

Oct. 1 — at Shenendehowa, 4 p.m.

Oct. 6 — Ballston Spa, 4 p.m.

Oct. 8 — Averill Park, 4 p.m.

Oct. 10 — at Shenendehowa Tournament, 8 a.m.

Oct. 13 — at Mohonasen, 4 p.m.

Oct. 15 — at Colonie, 4 p.m.

Oct. 20 — Columbia, 4 p.m.

Oct. 22 — at Guilderland, 4 p.m.

Oct. 24 — at Ravena Tournament, TBA

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# Sports *in the* Spotlight

## Last chance to vote

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 online. Deadline for entries is Monday, Aug. 24, 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 Riley wins five NBA titles as coach
- C. Dottie Pepper wins two LPGA majors
- D. Funny Cide wins 2003 Kentucky Derby
- 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 \_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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



## High school teams gear up for new season

Fall sports practices began Monday around the Suburban Council, but only for football, cheerleading and golf.

The other sports – soccer, cross country, volleyball, field hockey, girls swimming and girls tennis – begin their practices next week.

The departure from the norm is an extension of the cuts made in sports schedules across New York as mandated by the state's public high school athletic association. With fewer non-league games on the schedule, some sports will be starting later.

For example, the Suburban Council used to have a pre-season boys soccer tournament with the Foothills Council, but that isn't on the schedule this year. So, many teams won't be starting their seasons until the league schedule kicks into gear on Tuesday, Sept. 8.

Not every team cut back on their schedules, though. The Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake girls volleyball team is still hosting two tournaments and heading to events at Baldwinsville and John Glenn high schools, and the Shenendehowa girls soccer team is continuing its tradition of hosting the Shen Scramble to kick off its season. Several Section II cross country teams are also hitting the road for major meets this fall including the Manhattan Invitational and the Great American Invitational in North Carolina.

One Suburban Council school is making a concession beyond cutting back on the number of

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# Bethlehem releases fall schedule

The following is Bethlehem Central High School's varsity sports schedule for the fall season (home games in bold):

### Boys cross country

Sept. 12 – at Ed Springstead Invitational, 9 a.m.  
 Sept. 15 – Averill Park, Mohonasen, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 19 – at Fort Plain Invitational, 9 a.m.  
 Sept. 26 – at Galway Invitational, 9 a.m.  
 Oct. 3 – at Grout Run, 9 a.m.  
 Oct. 13 – Shenendehowa, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 17 – at Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake Invitational, 9:30 a.m.  
 Oct. 20 – Niskayuna, Colonie, 4 p.m.

### Girls cross country

Sept. 12 – at Ed Springstead Invitational, 9 a.m.  
 Sept. 15 – Averill Park, Mohonasen, 4 p.m.

Sept. 26 – at Queensbury Invitational, 9 a.m.  
 Oct. 3 – at Great American Race, TBA  
 Oct. 13 – Shenendehowa, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 17 – at Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake Invitational, 9:30 a.m.  
 Oct. 20 – Niskayuna, Colonie, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 23 – at Albany County Championships, 4 p.m.

### Field hockey

Sept. 4 – Niskayuna, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 11 – Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 14 – at Shenendehowa, 4:15 p.m.  
 Sept. 16 – at Shaker, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 21 – Saratoga Springs, 4:15 p.m.  
 Sept. 23 – at Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 26 – at Columbia, 1 p.m.  
 Sept. 30 – Guilderland, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 2 – Shenendehowa, 4:15 p.m.  
 Oct. 5 – Shaker, 4 p.m.

Oct. 9 – at Saratoga, 4:15 p.m.  
 Oct. 14 – at Guilderland, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 16 – Columbia, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 19 – at Niskayuna, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 21 – Johnstown, 4:15 p.m.

### Football

Sept. 4 – at Guilderland, 7 p.m.  
 Sept. 11 – Ballston Spa, 4:30 p.m.  
 Sept. 17 – Columbia, 7 p.m.  
 Sept. 25 – at Schenectady, 7 p.m.  
 Oct. 2 – at Shaker, 7 p.m.  
 Oct. 10 – LaSalle, 2 p.m.  
 Oct. 17 – Colonie, 1:30 p.m.

### Golf

Sept. 3 – Columbia, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 4 – Colonie, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 8 – at Saratoga Springs, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 9 – Averill Park, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 10 – at Mohonasen, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 11 – at Guilderland, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 14 – at Colonie, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 16 – Shaker, 4 p.m.  
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 Sept. 29 – Ballston Spa, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 30 – Guilderland, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 1 – at Shenendehowa, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 6 – at Averill Park, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 7 – Mohonasen, 4 p.m.

### Boys soccer

Sept. 8 – Averill Park, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 10 – at Mohonasen, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 12 – at Colonie, 1 p.m.  
 Sept. 15 – at Shaker, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 17 – Saratoga Springs, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 22 – at Niskayuna, 4 p.m.  
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 Sept. 29 – at Guilderland, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 2 – Shenendehowa, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 6 – at Ballston Spa, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 8 – at Averill Park, 7 p.m.  
 Oct. 13 – Mohonasen, 4 p.m.  
 Oct. 15 – Colonie, 4 p.m.

Oct. 20 – at Columbia, 7 p.m.  
 Oct. 22 – Guilderland, 4 p.m.

### Girls soccer

Sept. 4 and 5 – at Shen Scramble, TBA  
 Sept. 8 – at Averill Park, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 10 – Mohonasen, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 12 – Colonie, 1 p.m.  
 Sept. 15 – Shaker, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 17 – at Saratoga, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 22 – Niskayuna, 4 p.m.  
 Sept. 24 – at Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, 4 p.m.  
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