

Indian Ladder : Farms' Baby Animal Days, ending Sunday, May 23, offer children a chance to learn about farm animals like sheep, cows, pigs, chickens, turkeys, ducks and a goat named Charlie.

See Page 18.





By CHARLES WIFF. wiffc@spotlightnews.com

A public hearing on a proposed hamlet-style apartment building project in the Glenmont area saw a strong turnout of residents who would neighbor the development, with the vast majority expressing their disapproval of the plans.

Kendall Square would be built at the corner of Feura Bush Road and Elsmere Avenue. The proposal-calls for a total of 110 housing units, mostly apartments, to be divided into three- and eight-□ Square Page 22



Eagles keep pace

The Bethlehem softball team remained tied with Columbia. for first place in the Suburban Council South Division following last Thursday's 3-0 victory over Colonie.

See Page 32.

09859"00020 THE SPOTLIGHT\$.75 **Thacher Park** shut down

#### **Overlook to remain open**

**BV RYAN MUNKS** munksr@spotlightnews.com

After months of uncertainty about the closing of Thacher Park, as of Monday, May 17, the park is closed off to the public due to lack of funding to keep it open.

In February, Governor David A. Paterson announced that 41 parks and 14 historic sites around the state, including Thacher, will be closed due to a 20 percent cut in the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historical Preservation's proposed 2010-11 budget. Park Page 22



This bridge over New Scotland Road in Slinglerlands is one of eight road or river crossings that will need repair before the Albany County Rail Trail can be completed, according to county officials. This bridge would be replaced entirely with a pedestrian walkway.

After hearing public outcry about

the elimination of freshman and repeat sports at the Tuesday, April 13,

school board meeting, the district

said it would entertain the idea of

continuing the sports programs if

they are funded by private sources.

The elimination of the programs

saved the district \$73,000, and af-

board meeting, board member

Emilio Genzano said he was in talks

with the various booster clubs, and

Kathy Burbank, executive direc-

tor of the Guilderland Chamber of

Commerce, to come up with meth-

ods by which the different clubs

□ Sports Page 23

At the Tuesday, May 11, school

fects 220 students.

Charles Wift/Spotlight

# Rail trail waits on funding

Bridges will account for sizable portion of cost

#### **By CHARLES WIFF** wiffc@spotlightnews.com

Albany County officials and local advo-

cates are anticipating a decision on a federal grant that could very well shape how soon the county Rail Trail might come to fruition.

The project, now more than 20 years in the making, has secured \$2.4 million

Trail Page 22

The Bethlehem Police Department has compiled its annual report for the year 2009.

As in past years, the reports contains not only a breakdown of department structure and community programs, but budgetary and statistical information, as well.

In short, the department last year had an operating budget of over \$7.2 million, or nearly 19 percent of the total town budget. Most of the department's overhead are personnel expenses.

As a result of the state's Department of Criminal Justice Incident Based Reporting system, the department has at hand detailed breakdowns of the types of arrests and services calls conducted during the year. Data for the past three years are available.

The data for 2009 show a slight uptick in offenses the police department responded to, up about 150 to 2,746.

for driving under, the resulted in the recovery of influence, down 45 from 2008's number.

While instances of burglary and larceny were up, the number of arrests made for shoplifting were barely half of what they were the year prior. 2 of soreint4

There was a slight decrease in the number of calls for service in 2009, after the number of calls had been on the rise for a number of years.

New to the 2009 report, the department compiled a list of significant cases. Highlights include:

The February seizure of 2,148 "decks" of heroin following a traffic stop.

In July, an investigation later concluded a man found on fire outside his SUV in the Henry Hudson Park in Selkirk had lit himself on fire.

In August, police arrested Daniel Heeren, a volunteer firefighter, and charged him with multiple offenses after he allegedly arranged over the Internet a meeting with what he though was a 14-year-old boy, who was actually a police officer.

The execution of a search warrant in September at a Feura Bush Road home resulted in the seizure of \_ 12 pounds of marijuana. , Police made 142 arrests + Further investigation more marijuana, weapons and stolen property.

The annual report can be found on spotlightnews.com, is on file at the Town Clerk's office, and will be posted on the town's Web site.

Guilderland police arrested Dylan A. Jones, 44, of 7241 Belleview Drive, Schenectady, on Thursday, April 29, and charged him with aggravated DWI.

Police said they observed Jones rear-end another car on Carman Road. Police said they observed a strong odor of alcohol emanating from Jones upon approaching the vehicle. Jones failed subsequent field sobriety tests and was arrested for DWI.

A breath test would later reveal a BAC of 0.33, over four times the legal limit of 0.08. Jones was arraigned at Guilderland Town Court on Thursday, May 13.

#### **Other arrests**

 Guilderland police arrested Lewis Edmund Merritt, 54, of 461 Route 146, Guilderland Center, on Monday, May 10, and charged him with DWI with a prior conviction, a felony.

According to police, t

over on Route 146 when they observed an expired inspection sticker on his windshield.

Police said when asked for his license, Merritt said he did not have one. Merritt failed subsequent field sobriety tests and was arrested for DWI.

Police said that Merritt had three previous DWI convictions dating back to 2006, which upgraded the charge to a felony.

Merritt was arraigned in Guilderland Town Court later that day.

• Guilderland police arrested Aaron A. Anderson, 45; of 1031 Van Antwerp Road, on \_Saturday, May 8, and charged him with DWI.

According to police, Anderson was stopped in the parking lot of The Carman Wine and Liquor Store after the store was closed. Police said upon approaching the car they observed a strong odor of alcohol emanating from Anderson. . . . .

Police said Anderson admitted to consuming alcohol and upon failing subsequent field sobriety tests. Anderson was arrested for DWI. A chemical test would later reveal a BAC of 0.18, twice the legal limit of 0.08.

Police Blotter

DWI arrest yields BAC of

over four times legal limit

Anderson will be arraigned at Guilderland Town Court on Thursday, May 20.

• Guilderland police arrested Kyle Brent Harris, 17, of 21 Putnam St. Albany, on Friday, May 7, and charged him with robbery in the 3rd degree, a felony, and petit larceny, assault with intent to cause physical injury, and possession of burglar tools, all misdemeanors.

According to police. Harris allegedly stole a number of clothing items from the Macy's store in Crossgates Mall. Police said Harris allegedly punched a loss prevention officer while making the attempt.

was identified by an was traveling with her loss prevention officer a 12-year-old daughter in while at a bus stop near the car. Crossgates and was taken into custody.

Harris was arraigned

later that day and remanded to Albany County jail.

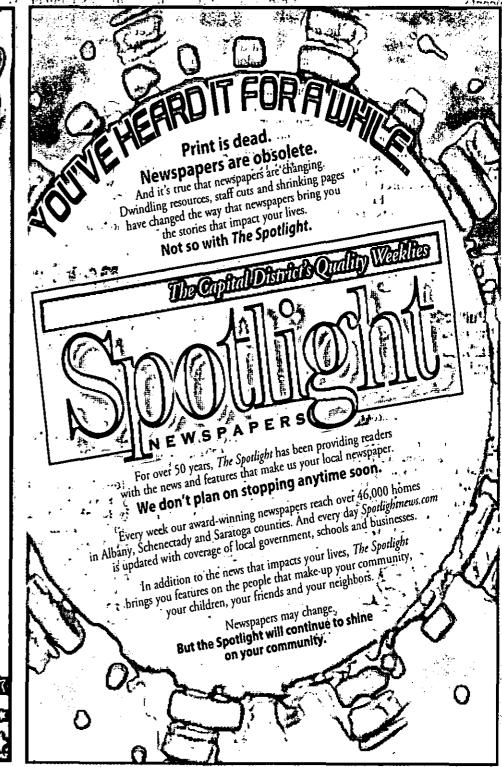
• Guilderland police arrested Michelle Lisa Barbolla, 48, of 3545 Carman Road #37 on Saturday, May 8, and charged her under Leandra's Law.

According to police, Barbolla was pulled over after driving over the white fog line while traveling on Carman Road.

According to police, a strong odor of alcohol emanated from Barbolla. Police said was slow to respond to question and exited the vehicle after being asked to do so three times. Upon failing subsequent field sobriety tests, Barbolla was arrested for DWI. A chemical test would later reveal a BAC of 0.25, over three times the legal limit of 0.08. Barbolla was charged under Leandra's Police said Harrist Law due to the fact she 

She was arraigned at Guilderland Town Court later that day, and a start

police pulled Merritt, -Charles Wiff 511:433 Seh Anna EN STROND Wednesday, June 9, 6:00 P.M. At Myers Middle School, 100 Elbel Court., Albany COST: \$10 per person



\$5 children 12 and under

Emcee - Chris Martin of Moon Radio

Enjoy a musical night of song and dance, plus a few surprises, as the area's most talented seniors take the stage! 

> \$8 per person groups of 10 or more

Senior Idol showcases performers 55. 60 years of age and older

and is presented by: -

With additional support provided by Fidelis Care.

Purchase tickets at 463-4381 or visit www.seniorservicesofalbany.com

ξ. ×

# Locals lend a hand through AmeriCorps

#### **Program provides** service opportunities to every age, type

#### By CHARLES WIFF wiffc@spotlightnews.com

With a job market that's still sparse and a stock market that's none too certain, more and more Americans of all walks of life are taking up volunteerism.

And here in the Capital District there are many examples of how people young and old are getting involved through AmeriCorps, the nationwide program that offers an ever-increasing range of options for those willing to lend a hand. "

Kyla Philbrook, a Latham resident, took time off

"It's an

else."

from studying at UAlbany to enroll in AmeriCorps's National Civilian *experience* Community Corps program. Last October, you can get she undertook a month of training at a NCCC campus in California,. and was then sent out to work with nonprofits around the country with a small team of other young

people. L'"It's an experience I don't think you can get anywhere else," she said.

"I did it just because I had never been further away-from Albany than Delaware. I knew there, was a lot about this country. fighting poverty, and its all that I didn't understand."

Over 540,000 Americans have participated in AmeriCorps since its founding in 1993. From relatively simple roots, the program has grown into working with parents in background to manage the

a multifaceted effort that has opportunities for many levels of service, from local community building work to traveling groups that go where they're needed.

That brings a diverse spectrum of people to AmeriCorps. The base requirements are that you be over 17 and willing to devote 9-to-12 months to service.

Now, Philbrook is stationed in New Orleans, where she and 10 other volunteers are installing free compact fluorescent lights in homes as part of the Green Light New Orleans program. They've also been going into area the environment and living green, which translates well to Philbrook's goal to become a high school for their children.

counselor.

receive an educational I don't think \$5,000 upon completion of anywhere - Kyla Philbrook, student loans.

Latham resident and AmeriCorps Philbrook's participant

is Bryant Gilchrist, who, entirely Oswego with a degree-in -

enroll in AmeriCorps's ' Vista program.

'Vista's aimed at about building sustainable organizations and giving people the resources to help themselves," he said.



Eyla Philbrook, a Latham resident and UAlbany student, installs a compact fluorescent lightbulb at a home in New Orleans."

-948 E.M. schools to teach kids about low-income Washington, D.C. school districts to advocate for better educational opportunities

> But the program She'll also isn't only for the young. Delmar resident Terry Rooney is well into his stipend of first year participating in AmeriCorps, and in his ninth year of retirement the program from the state Department to go towards of Transportation. He's her tuition and an avid volunteer, but AmeriCorps's modest stipend appealed to him. Leading

"You don't make much team of 18 to with AmeriCorps, but 24-year-olds it was a tough year last year for retirees," he said. "I thought this was an by coincidence, hails opportunity to volunteer from Watervliet. When and continue my work, and he graduated form SUNY also get a small stipend:" He'll also be able to education, he decided to transfer the educational supend offered to younger, volunteers to a family member once he completes

his year. Rooney has spent his AmeriCorps time with the Schenectady Inner City Ministry, which runs a Gilchrist spent a year food pantry serving 4,000 before going to NCCC . city residents. He uses his



Delmar resident Terry Rooney works at the Grand Street Community Arts Center in Schenectady. His volunteering with AmeriCorps has him helping at the Schenectady Inner City Ministry. Submitted photos

#### group's books.

Rooney continues his work volunteering elsewhere in the city. He spends time as an Englishas-a-second-language teacher, primarily tutoring Afghan refugees, and volunteers at the Grand Street Community Arts Center, also in Schenectady.

Having a spirit of vclunteerism has helped Rooney make the most ou: his AmeriCorps experience, he said

'You have to kind of know what you want and know your passion or

interest, then you can use Americorps to kind of spring off of," he said. "It's definitely a great thing for retirees, its wonderful. Retirees know what they're doing.'

'Philbrook said her only regret is that she didn't enroll sooner, and that the program has helped her realize what she wants to do after she finishes her final two years of school.

"I wish I had done it straight out of high school," she said. "I didn't know what I wanted to dò.'... I wasted time and college credits. ... If you're . not sure and you don't volunteer.

have that direct path in

mind, I think it's a great experience for anyone who's not sure." Philbrook, Gilchrist

and the rest of the NCCC team will soon, be moving their sites to the St. Bernard Parish of New Orleans, which was largely destroyed by Hurricane Katrina, in order to supervise and help volunteers; doing construction and rebuilding work.

Visit www.americorps. gov for more information on AmeriCorps and to, 

# New Scotland OKs property tax break for Cold War vets

Public hearings in the coming weeks to address a number of local laws on the table

By RYAN MUNKS

In the weeks leading however concerns were up to Wednesday, June raised by Edie Abrams, \* Toposed this year, with the law. the exception of the size- "I think it's irresponsible

9, the town will also hold a town resident, who public hearings on all wanted more information \$ The Town Board also

#### property value, the town stands to lose \$413 by. passing the law.

of the other Local Laws about the fiscal impact of considered Local Law E. which would allow the Town Board to determine by resolution the technician specification for pipes and fittings for water mains and apparatuses. Although there was no comment or depate on the law, the board tabled it at the request of Town Attorney Michael Mackey. "Speaking with Keith [Menia, town engineer,] today, he felt we should have this apply to several other subdivisions of our Local Law," said Mackey.

public hearings on Local <sup>4</sup> voting no. Law C, a law providing new rules for homei, he voted no because of occupations, allowing the use of an accessory structure, and Local Law D. providing a code of

At the time, Reilly said the potential for the law to negatively effect existing \_ businesses, while Baron said she feels the law will only allow residential development in the town's commercial zone.

munks@spotlightnews.com

The Town of New Scotland passed its first' Local Law of the year Wednesday, May 12, granting an additional property tax exemption for veterans of the Cold War.

	ij
Editorial Pages6-7	
Sports	
Entertainment18	
Classified	
Crossword19	
Legals	
Real Estate25	
At Your Service26	A
····	<i>.</i>

cap law.

labeled Local Law 1 of 2010, would allow 15 percent of she said. the real property value of a home, up to \$36,000, to be exempt from the town's share of the property tax for veterans of the Armed Forces who served between 1955 and 1991. The exemption will not apply to the more burdensome school property tax.

The Spotlight (USPS 396-630) is published each Wednesday by Community Media Group, LLC, 125 Adams St., Delmar, N.Y. 12054. Postage paid at-Delmar, N.Y., and at additional mailing offices. Postmaster: send address changes to The Spotlight, P.O. Box 100, Delmar, N.Y. 12054. Subscription rates: Albany County, one year \$26, two years \$50, elsewhere, one year \$35... Subscriptions are not refundable. Subscriptions are not refundable. 1.00

to pass a revenue bill The law, officially without knowing what the fiscal impact of that bill is,"

"[The town] anticipates probably seven people will apply for this," said Supervisor Tom Dolin.

He said that the maximum exemption a person can gain from the law would be \$59 dollars per year. If seven property owners apply for the exemption and all The law passed without seven claim the maximum debate by the Town Board, exemption of \$36,000 of

The Town Board will consider a revised version Town Board meeting on Wedr.esday, May 26.

Also at that meeting. the Town Board will hold conduct and term limits for members of the Planning Board.

The board will hold the last of its schedulec public hearings at its Wednesday, June 9, meeting, on Local Law A. a law establishing a code of ethics for town officials and employees, and establishing the structure of the town's ethics bcard.

The only proposed local law not being considered in the next few weeks is Local Law B, also known as the size-cap law. The size-cap law was defeated in March of the law at its next, after the board failed to gain the supermajority needed to pass it, with council members Rich Reilly and Deborah Baron

Since then, Councilman Daniel Mackay has taking the lead on the size-cap law.

"We are drafting language that seeks to appropriately address issues they [Baron and Reilly] have raised. My next step will be to discuss this material with them, and then present a revised size cap law to the board and public for discussion," said Mackay.

He said he hopes to have a revised version of the law ready by early June at the latest.

#### Page 4 • May 19, 2010

# They just grow up so darn fast

#### By WILLIAM R. DEVOE devoew@spotlightnews.com

My son turned about 30 over the weekend.

It started Saturday afternoon when my wife, Jess, and I were outside doing some gardening. Kevin, the 7-turned-30-yearold in question, and his 2vear-old brother were inside. posting videos on YouTube or something. I'm perfectly willing to let our kids run rampant through the house, exposed to all sorts of media and probably beating each other with curtain rods if it means I can have a little quiet time outdoors with my wife.

Jess had to ruin the day by deciding the weather was too good for the kids to be inside. When we went inside to get them. Kevin told us we needed to call Grandma back.

"It's not that important, but she'd like a call back," he said businesslike.

"Did you talk to Grandma or did she leave a message?" asked Jess.

"We talked for a little bit and then she talked to Nathan," he said.

This took us aback. It was, as far as I know, the first time he's answered the phone and had a conversation unsupervised. I'm just glad it wasn't some 



politician or salesman.

The next morning, I'm awoken to the sort of whisperyelling people do when urgency and stealth are of equal importance.

"Bill! Bill!" my wife is shaking me awake. "Get up. I think someone's in the house!"

"What?" I'm still half asleep. "I heard the door open," says

my wife. "I think someone's breaking in." "We don't have much, they'll be gone soon enough," and I

turn back over. Jess has more of a sense of

urgency about the safety of her children than I do. She thinks of all the potential harm that could come from our house being burglarized with us still in it, and I think of the wonderful learning opportunity this would present to the kids - don't leave your valuables out in the open, don't talk to strangers even if they're in your room, and so forth.

"Dammit, Bill, get out there and make sure the kids are OK!"

So up I get, and I arm myself with the only things I can find in our room: wire hangers.

"Doesn't anyone in this house play baseball?" I ask.

"Get out there!"

a ninja — an old, overweight ninja with wire hangers in his hands. I think back to the handto-hand combat training I got in the Army and am immediately. disappointed.

I was a crewmember on a M1A1 battle tank and the training went something like this:

Drill Sergeant to my training unit: "Can all of you maggots throw a punch?"

Us: "Yes, Drill Sergeant!"

Drill Sergeant: "If you pukes make it through boot camp you' will be gunners on a 65-ton, \$4 million battle tank that can engage a target up to two miles away. If you find yourself in a situation where you have to throw a punch, something has gone seriously wrong.'

After that, we were dismissed.

Anyway, I hear Kevin's voice in the backyard and immediately think someone is abducting him. I ready my wire hangers and spring onto the deck with a mighty "Hiyaaah!"

There I see Kevin and the

dog playing fetch on the lawn. "Hi dad," Kev says nonchalantly.

"What are you doing out here, Bubba?'

"The dog wanted to play, and I take the first corner like I didn't want to wake you up. Don't worry, I wasn't going to go off the lawn.'

> "Well, you scared the daylights out of your mother. You should really tell us before you go outside, even if you have to wake us up.'

"All right," says Kevin. Then, "What's with the hangers?"

Kevin's been getting too old for quite some time now, and it doesn't help that kids these days (really? Did I just use the phrase "kids these days?") have more electronic gizmos than Bill Gates.

IPhone, PSP, Dsi, iTouch - you name it, Kevin wants it.

"I need a phone," he tells me the other day in Target. We were there because I happen to need. a new cell phone because the one I use now is so old it has a rotary dial on it.

"Kevin, you're 7 years old; you don't need a phone."

"Robert has a phone and he's 7," Kevin says, invoking the "all the other kids do it" line of reasoning.

"First off, I'm not Robert's dad," I say. "And secondly, who does Robert call? Seriously, who could Robert possibly be calling at his age?"

He could call me, but I don't

have a phone," says Kevin. "Robert's got a 'Friends and Family' plan."

"You're kidding me, right? I don't have a 'Friends and Family' plan and you don't need one, either." I point to Jess, who is pushing Nathan in the shopping cart. "Kevin, your friends and family are right here, OK? A third of your 'Friends and Family' plan is riding in the cart, stuffing goldfish in his mouth and cannot use the potty, let alone a cell phone.'

"Oh, Nathan's not in my Fave 5," says Kevin.

"Kev, this is all moving a little too fast for me," I say. "Why don't your mother and I talk about this for a while, all right?"

"OK, but please hurry," he says. "I'm going to need that phone when I start to drive."

#### Did you know?

"Pop Shots," a shorter, but no less remarkable version of the award-winning Spotlight column "Pop Culture," now appears in the monthly publication Capital District Parent Pages.

Call Parent Pages editor Kristen Roberts at 439-4949 ext. 32 to find out where you can get your copy and see what other amazing things are going on at the Capital District's No. 1 resource for parents.

And as always, visit spotlightnews.com to read "Pop Culture" and "Pop Shots" online. 

× · • ·

have not

. :\* :

- فل

14

**TIME WARNER** 

SHOW YOUR FATHER WHAT YOU DD, SWEETY! I THINK I PREFER COME ON, SHOW YOUR FATHER YOUR KISS! A GOOD HANDSHAKE By Matt Zalen WWW.B2BCOMIC.COM 05/19/10 . CAN YOU BELIEVE THAT CHILD? I SPENT THE TEN YEARS EARLER ... BYE, MOIN' SEE YA OH, A KISS ??? THANK YOU!! FOR HM TO KISS ME, AND JUST WHEN HE STARTED, HE SUDDEMLY STOPPED! THANK YOU !!! THANK YOU ACKI



Spotlight Newspapers welcomes announcements of programs or events occurring in our coverage area.

All events must be open to the public and announcements should contain the date, time, location and cost (if any) of the event, along with contact information. Announcements are published space and time permitting.

Submissions can be e-mailed to news@spotlightnews.com. The deadline for all announcements is noon Friday prior to publication.

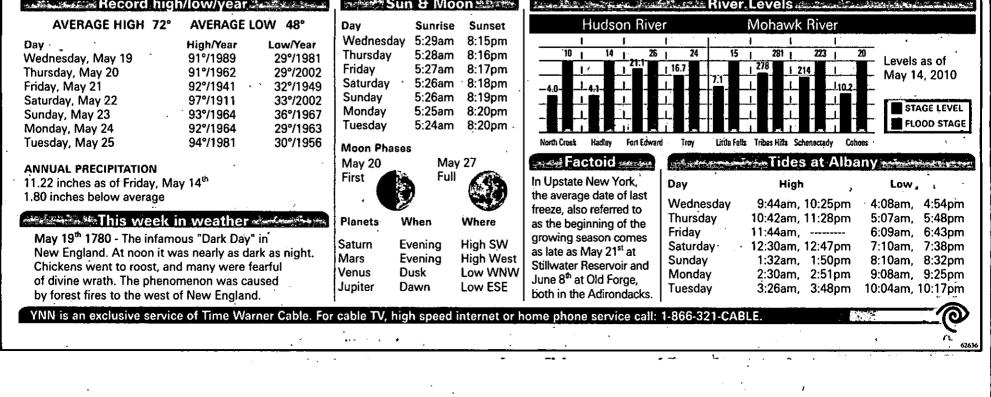


Albany Almanac

## **Chief Meteorologist Mike Bono**

VEEKLY WEAT

**Rivers & Recreation** 



# **Guilderland panel** revises zoning law

#### Crossgates fails. within 'conforming uses' under new wording

#### By RYAN MUNKS munksr@spotlightnews.com

After a number of issues were raised by the Town Board, Guilderland's **Zoning Review Committee** met at a working session on Friday, May 14, to consider revising amendments to the town's zoning law. Among the changes made were making Crossgates a conforming use, adding a definition of uses that will not need a permit for a minor home occupation, and clarifying what may be considered mixed-use development.

The committee has been working to update the town's zoning law since August. The proposal streamlines the process for home occupations, and allows for mixed-use developments to contain a number of residential uses in addition to a large as Macy's. business.

The law was considered at a public hearing at the Tuesday, May 4, Town Board meeting and drew a number of criticisms from councilmen Mark Grimm and Warren Redlich, as well as Supervisor Ken Runion.

Grimm and Redlich nsaid the law should include a list of conditions in which a person 'working from home would not need a permit. **Redlich and Runion** said making Crossgates a non-conforming use by limiting regional shopping centers to 1 million square feet (with Crossgates being 1.6 million square feet) would have a negative impact on the town. Redlich said doing so would invite legal action against the town, while Runion said making it a non-conforming use would devalue the mall and have an impact on its tax assessment from which the town benefits. The Zoning Review Committee changed the draft to allow Crossgates, a super-regional shopping center, to be in conformity with town law up to 2 million square feet, which would allow the shopping center to expand an additional 400,000 square feet. "I think we should allow Crossgates to expand," said Donald Cropsey, chief building and zoning inspector. - Kathy Burbank, <sup>fr</sup>member of the committee and executive director Cof the Chamber of Commerce, said "We are looking to make this stick for 20 years. What is

Crossgates going to be in 20 years?"

Chuck Klaer, a former member of the Zoning Board, questioned the committee's decision. saying that the town's comprehensive plan does not favor Crossgates expanding to 2 million square feet, and that the mall does not have enough parking to handle an additional expansion.

"The only thing [the comprehensive plan] doesn't favor is another super large retail center," said Stephen Feeney, chairman of the Planning Board.

Feeney said there could be additions to Crossgates that complement the services already offered without having a negative effect on the surrounding community.

Peter Barber, chairman of the zoning board, said he was more in favor of a 200,000-square-foot expansion, which could accommodate a space as

Ken Brownell, chairman of the committee, said that ultimately, the decision on how much Crossgates would be allowed to expand is up to the Town Board.

The committee also considered Rumion's concern that allowing more residential uses in mixeduse development would lead to overdevelopment along Western Avenue. In the end, the committee left the proposed law relatively, unchanged, with the exception of adding a line that says "the residential use is intended to be secondary to the

non-residential use:"

Feeney, who proposed the change, said including the sentence would give direction to the Zoning Board in determining what qualifies as a mixeduse building.

"I think this alleviates Runion's concerns too," said town planner Jan Weston.

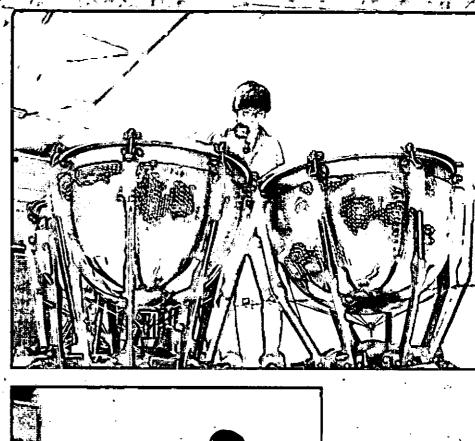
Feeney cited development in the area, specifically on the SUNY Albany campus, and the residential opportunities that come along with the development.

"I think we need to take advantage of residential opportunities along Western Avenue," he said.

He also said given the limitations imposed in the law, such as limit four units per building in the local business district, and two units per building in the business non-retail professional district, a second wave of development is unlikely.

Finally the committee amended the proposed law to define conditions under which a person working from home would not need a permit. The law now says "a certification or fee is not required if the minor home occupation has no advertisement, Internet presence, phone listing or other public information, associated with the minor home occupation, and complies with conditions for minor home occupations."

The local law will likely be considered by the Town Board at its second meeting in June.





## **Daylily Society to hold monthly meeting**

The Hudson Adirondack Daylily Society, local member of the American Hemerocallis Society, holds its monthly meeting at 10 a.m., Saturday, June 18, at Cornell Cooperative Extension of Albany County, 24 Martin Road,

Voorheesville.

The featured presentation, "Digital Photography" by Frank Almquist, will give special, attention to capturing floral images outdoors. New members are welcome at any time.

The group is open to the public. Coffee and breakfast items served prior to the meeting and a potluck lunch follows.

Drum

donation

The Bethlehem Music

Association has donated

four new timpani drums to

the district. BMA President Karen Latter presented

a check for \$9,570 for

the drums to the district

at the April 21 Board of

Education meeting. BCHS

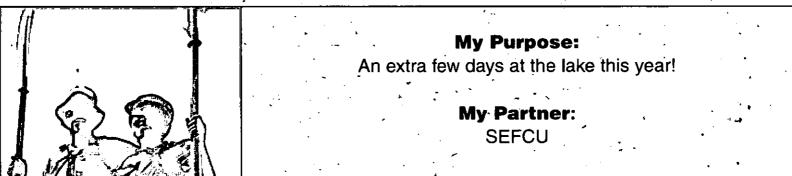
junior percussionist Eric

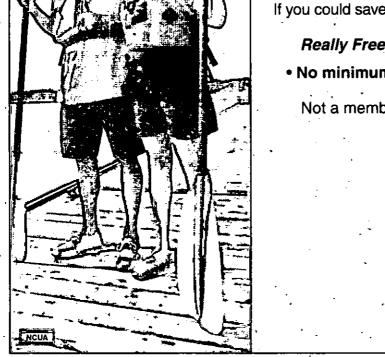
Segerstrom is shown with

Submitted photos

the drums.

For information, visit www.ahsregion4. org/hads.htm or call Jim Healey at 438-1819.





If you could save on fees every month, what would you do with the money?

Really Free Checking can help you achieve your purpose -

 No per-check or monthly charges No minimum balance

Not a member yet? Joining is easy... Click, call, or stop by today.

# Banking with a Purpose

(518) 452-8183 · www.sefcu.com

#### Page 6 • May 19, 2010

# Matters of Opinion in The Spotlight

## Can Rail Trail dodge Is your family eating too much salt? Thacher's fate?

It's a bad week for parks and trail lovers in the Capital District.

After the John Boyd Thacher State Park was padlocked on Monday, May 17, The Spotlight has learned the 20-year-old plan to construct an Albany Rail Trail is being held up by a federal grant application.

From Charles Wiff's page one story on the matter, the county has secured \$2.4 million in funding under the Federal Transportation Improvement

Plan, but that will not cover the cost of completing the 9-mile trail. To do that, as well as repair eight pedestrian bridges along the trail, the county has applied for \$5 million from the Department of Energy's Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program, which would almost cover the remainder of the estimated \$7.8 million cost of the project. Officials hope to

If you go to the county's Rail Trail Web site, www.albanycounty.com/railtrail, you'll see the county planned on being done with the planning and design phase of the project by now and scheduled construction to be finished by the fall of 2010.

We know that's not the case.

know the results within the month.

But we at The Spotlight think the Rail Trail may have a brighter future than Thacher Park, and we have state finance law to thank for it.

There is a misconception that our state constitution requires a balanced budget — it does not. Our state constitution (a copy of which can be found at www.dos.state.ny.us/info/constitution. htm) mandates the governor submit a balanced budget to the state legislature, but makes no requirement for the legislature. to adopt a balanced budget...

That provision is made by state finance law, and it is that provision that gives the Rail Trail better odds at getting funding than Thacher Park.

Here's why: Unlike New York state, the federal government has no provision for a balanced budget and can spend like a drunken sailor. One of the ways it does this is by using various federal departments, like the Department of Energy, to act as sugar daddies for projects like the Albany County Rail Trail.

The DOE grant program is intended to assist municipalities to develop, promote, implement and manage energy efficiency and conservation projects and programs designed to reduce fossil fuel emissions; reduce the total energy use of the eligible entities; improve energy efficiency in the transportation, building, and other appropriate sectors; and create and retain jobs.

Maybe the Rail Trail does all that and maybe it doesn't, but one thing's for sure — Albany County, the seat of the state capital and home of numerous politicians that preside over a state that can't afford to keep its own parks open, knew it had to look to the federal government for the Rail Trail funding.

Maybe they can do the same for Thacher.

#### By KATHERINE McCARTHY news@spotlightnews.com

Weekly poll

Last week's poll results:

Does your family eat healthy?

This week's question is:

that small-town feel: 34%

The writer is the senior regional director of communications for the American Heart Association and American Stroke Association.

Reaching for the salt shaker can just be a habit. And every recipe calls for a pinch of salt. But they all add up, and when you take into account the salt that goes into prepared food, we're eating an awful lot of unnecessary salt.

Why cut down on salt? Mostly, to avoid American Heart the National collaboration led by the City of New York, share a common goal to gradually in the American diet.

"Lowering sodium is Americans

a major risk factor for heart, comes from processed foods. disease and stroke," said Nancy. Association. · \* . . .

"Adjusting our taste develop it in their lifetime.... and marketing methods isn't easy, - but efforts such as National Salt Reduction Initiative are steps in the right direction. These efforts are to be commended as an important first-step toward significant sodium reduction in the food supply," Brown said.

High blood pressure is a major risk factor for heart disease and stroke. The vast majority of Americans are consuming 4

# Point of View

sodium at levels that are too high to be considered safe.

The American Heart Association recommends that all Americans consume less than  $1,500 \,\mathrm{mg/day}$  of sodium – a nearly impossible task for most people in a national food environment where over 75 percent of the

Log on to www.spotlightnews.com to cast

your vote and see results.

Question: "What is the best way to save small towns?"

· Linkage. Communities have to be walkable to retain

A milligram count should follow the sodium or sodium content description. You can also take a look at the % DV, or percent of the recommended daily intake. If it's more than 20 percent, pass the product by: too much sodium! If the sodium content is 5 to 20 percent, use with caution and monitor the portion size. If a food has 0 to 5 percent sodium, it's a low-sodium food.

How does a family cut down on salt? Experts say that by

> gradually reducing salt content, our taste buds will adjust.

Here are-some other tips: • -

1. Go for flavor - have some fun with herbs, spices, garlic and lemon juice.

2. Add more natural foods with low levels of sodium into your diet. Fruits, vegetables whole grains and beans are low in sodium and high in fiber.

3. Snack wisely. Go for dried fruit, unsalted crackers or nuts instead of salty snack like chips, nuts and salty cheeses.

4. Avoid processed food Replace processed cheeses

and meats with fresh chicken, lamb or turkey and cheeses. like mozzarella, cheddar, cream cheese and cottage cheese,,

5. Choose low-sodium products. Look for low-salt stock cubes; low-sodium or reducedsodium condiments.

6. Breakfast cereals. Check the sodium content; go for lowsodium products.

7. Eating out. Ask the chef to hold the extra salt, and have the sauces on the side.

8. Rinse! Run canned tuna, salmon, feta cheese and capers under water before eating and you'll remove some of the excess salt.

9. Take the salt shaker off the table. In time, your taste buds will adjust to your new, healthier lifestyle.

10. Eat potassium-rich foods. Fruits and vegetables are high in potassium, which will help reduce the negative effects of sodium.

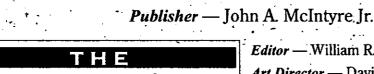
For information about healthy diets, blood pressure and family heart-health, visit americanheart. org. To learn more about the American Heart Association's 2020 goal and Life's Simple Seven, seven measures for health, visit mylifecheck.heart.org.



or reduce high blood pressure. To that end, the Association and Salt Reduction Initiative. a national lowertheamount of sodium (salt)

essential to reversing the trend of more,

 Small-business development. Mom-and-pop stores are the backbone of small towns.: 41% factories.: 10%



Editor - William R. DeVoe Art Director - David Abbott

#### . No big-box or industrial development. Small towns are built around people, not retail mega-marts or smoke-belching • Raise taxes. That's the only way we'll be able to promote

small business and build sidewalks without an industrial or big retail tax base .: 13%

developing high blood pressure , sodium consumed by Americans

Currently, one in three Brown, the chief executive Americans has high blood officer of the American Heart, pressure, and an estimated 99 percent of middle-aged adults will •

> The American Heart Association has set a goal for 2020 to improve the cardiovascular health of all Americans by 20 percent while reducing deaths from cardiovascular diseases and stroke by 20 percent. Part of that goal is helping people reduce the amount of sodium they eat to less than 1500 mg/day.

> We must – and we can – work together as a country to help each and every American eat a heart healthy, delicious diet while consuming, no more. than 1,500 mg/day of sodium," Brown said.

Eating too much salt also puts people at risk for osteoporosis and cancer. The damage to the heart from high blood pressure can be great. When the heart has to work hard to push blood through the arteries, it creates small tears in the artery walls. As the body mends these with scar tissue, they can trap plaque, which can lead to heart attacks. To check sodium content. read the labels on foods you buy.



Copy Editor - Kristen Roberts Editorial Paginator --- Jackie Domin Sports Editor - Rob Jonas Reporters --- Sean Ahern, Alyssa Jung, Ryan Munks, Dan Sabbatino, Charles Wiff *National Sales Manager* — Cyndi Robinson Legals/Reception - Jennifer Deforge

Graphic Design — Martha Eriksen Advertising Representatives - Nigar Hale, Susan O'Donnell, John Salvione, Carol Sheldon Classifieds/Business Directory — Lynne Sims Graphic Design Assistant — Laura Golon

For the latest news on your community, visit

## PHONE: (518) 439-4949 • FAX: (518) 439-0609

P.O. Box 100, 125 Adams St., Delmar 12054 OFFICE HOURS: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday to Friday

NEWS: news@spotlightnews.com SPORTS: sports@spotlightnews.com NOTICES: milestones@spotlightnews.com

**UNLINE AT** 

- C -

Find us on

AN CONTRACTOR AND SHOULD

. . .

Facebook

ADVERTISING: advertise@spotlightnews.com CLASSIFIEDS: classified@spotlightnews.com SUBSCRIPTIONS: circulation@spotlightnews.com

www.Spotlightnews.com

The mission of Community Media Group LLC is to be a vibrant, trustworthy and indispensable source of news connecting and strengthening our readers in the unique communities we serve. We adhere to a philosophy that high-quality community newspapers, specialty publications and online products will build value for our readers, clients, shareholders and employees.

The Spotlight (Bethlehem, New Scotland, Guilderland) Colonie Spotlight Loudonville Spotlight **Capital District Parent Pages** Senior Spotlight

Niskayuna Spotlight Rotterdam Spotlight Scotia-Glenville Spotlight Clifton Park-Halfmoon Spotlight Saratoga Springs, Milton, Burnt Hills, Malta Spotlight www.spotlightnews.com

÷ -

# Your Opinion in The Spotlight

# **Bethlehem burial sights** easy enough to check out

Editor, The Spotlight:

This is in reply to Kim Vining's letter to the editor on May 5 about a particular cemetery near the Dowerskill creek that might contain the grave of a Revolutionary War veteran (Town should dig up *info* on Dowerskill cemetery).

As a member of the Tawasentha Chapter, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR), I would like to state that over a long period of years, all

of the 126 graves of these soldiers that are located in the towns of Bethlehem, Guilderland and New Scotland are published in a booklet by Tawasentha Chapter in October 1940. There are many other cemetery publications that address this also and these are all available at your public library.

Tawasentha Chapter has recently had a project of marking most of the graves located in the town of Bethlehem. A few property owners did not

allow markers on their property. The heavy iron signs are similar to the New York state historical markers and can be seen along various roadways in the town.

Tawasentha Chapter recently celebrated its 100th birthday, making it one of the town's longest operating organizations. We have given a century of service with historical, patriotic and educational contributions.

> Allison C. Bennett Slingerlands

# **Canceling Bike Expo a tough call,** but message of safety never stops

Editor, The Spotlight:

Making the decision to cancel the Bike Expo on Saturday, May 8, was a great disappointment.

However, the message of bicycle safety should still not be lost. With the prime bicycle riding season just upon us, the importance of riding your bicycle safely and understanding the rules of the road is even more paramount.

When riding your bicycle please remember to:

ំ ដំរា ល Always wear a Helmet

> • Be Visible - Wear bright reflective clothing • Ride Right / Obey the

> rules of the road •Inspect your bike

each season .

riding safety information can be accessed by visiting the PaTHs 4 Bethlehem Advisory Committee page on the Town of Bethlehem Web site, www. townofbethlehem.org.

Also, the newly created Capital Coexist, a project of the Capital District Transportation Committee (CDTC), provides some great resources and information, http:// www.capitalcoexist.org/ education-safety/.

, It is anticipated that the Capital Coexist website will become the clearinghouse for bicycle education material in the Capital Region; a onestop location for bicycle educational material, safety tips, current bicycle projects and events.

I extend a thank you to Additional bicycle the following businesses for their donations and time: Steiner's Sports, Mad Dog Bikes, Walmart, Hannaford, Slingerlands Price Chopper, Stewarts Shops and The Spotlight Newspaper.

Lastly, please mark your calendars for the rescheduled Bike Expo Event - Saturday, Sept. 25 (rain date, Sept. 26).

We still have six brand new bicycles to give away to kids who participate in the bicycle rodeo portion of the event!

Detailed information about the Bike Expo will be in the Fall Park Playbook which will be mailed out to all residents in August.

Safe travels.~

Jason Gallo Assistant Administrator. Bethlehem Parks & Recreation



Editor, The Spotlight:

On behalf of the committee for New Scotland Kiwanis Town-Wide Volunteer Day, I'd like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all of the community members and business owners who chipped in and made the day a success. Despite unusually high temperatures on May 1st, dozens of volunteers tackled 16 projects throughout the town helping seniors, town landmarks, and the environment. Everyone who participated should be so proud of the work they did! Thank you.

Thank you to the following businesses who gave so generously: Hannaford, Price Chopper, Olsen's Hardware & Garden Center, Smith's Tavern, Stewart's, Curling Stone Farm, Phillips Hardware, Mitchell. Associates Architects, Latham Pepsi Bottling Plant (Mark and Vicki., work to feed the hungry

Hesselbacher). New Scotland Sales & Rentals, Falvo's Meat Market, Our Family's Harvest, and the Voorheesville Fire Department.

Thank you to the Town of New Scotland for the use of their facilities and for the staff who provided considerable support and direction including Supervisor Tom Dolin, Jeff Pine, Susan Kidder, and Pat Geurtze.

Thank you to the site captains who led crews of volunteers throughout the day: Rich Reilly, Rich Porter, Valerie Zell, Joe & Katherine Sapienza, Jason Herr, Lisa Pidgeon, Sam Rossi, Amy Faustel, Laurie Lysenko, April Moore, Taunya Hannibal Williams, Lance Moore. Daniel Mackay, Tyler Moore, Aidan Porter, Matt Childs, and John Furlong.

Thank you to our volunteer BBQ caterer, Susan Cronk, for all of her

volunteers and to Saul Abrams who served as a supply runner all day and also helped cook and clean-up.

Lastly, thank you to my fellow committee members who took the time to plan, publicize, and run the day: Lance Moore, Melissa Faustel, Rich Porter, Jason Herr, Joe & Katherine Sapienza, Jeff Pine, members of the Voorheesville High School student council, and troop leaders and parents in the Voorheesville Girl Scouts.

Suggestions for next vear are welcome as are pictures taken that day and any memories to share. Email me at NewScotlandVolunteer@ live.com or call me at 369-0093

Mark your calendars for the first Saturday of May, 2011. We hope to see you all again!

Janna Shillinglaw New Scotland Kiwanis

# **Friendship Singers thank donors**

Editor, The Spotlight:

The Friendship Singers say "thank you!" to everyone who came to our spring concert and donated to a program of the Capital District Community Gardens.

It was a fun evening of song and dance, and our audience of about 300 people showed their appreciation by giving us a standing ovation.

Better yet, they donated \$900 to keep the Veggie Mobile running-which is how fresh fruits and vegetables get delivered to residents of inner city neighborhoods.

We've been entertaining area groups for almost 30 years now, and look for ward to continuing this tradition. New members are always welcome.

Ann Treadway on behalf of the Friendship Singers

Spotlight Newspapers Community news Starts here



Greater Health. Greater Life. Greater Saratoga.

Meet your changing needs





**GROUND SIRLOIN** Extra Lea



#### Page 8 • May 19, 2010

The Spotlight

# **New Guilderland board** to address vacant seat

#### Cuneo to step down after serving one term

By RYAN MUNKS munksr@spotlightnews.com

As one of its first responsibilities, the Guilderland Board of Education elected Tuesday, May 18, may decide the process to be used to replace a member stepping down at the end of the month.

School board member Julie Cuneo will leave the board June 30, when her family moves to Saratoga. Cuneo received the highest number - 2,266 - of votes in the 2009 election.

"I am, of course, very sad to be leaving the Guilderland community and to have to leave the school board," said Cuneo." This role has been very rewarding, and I have learned a tremendous amount."

was for "family reasons," specifically to allow her husband to spend more time with their kids.

When she steps down June 30, Cuneo will have completed the first of a three-year term that began on July 1 of last year. The school board is now tasked with determining the process that will be used to fill her seat.

"My understanding is we could run a special election, pick someone or leave [the seat] vacant until next year," said Richard Weisz, president of the board.

Last year, after the death of longtime board member John Dornbush, the board chose to appoint Emilio Genzano to replace Dornbush. Cuneo said she suspects that the board will follow a similar method to replace her.

Weisz said that the She said her departure \_\_\_\_\_ district is consulting with

its attorney to decide whether dealing with the seat is the responsibility of the current board, or the board that will take the reins in July.

Superintendent John McGuire said that due to the timing of Cuneo's announcement, the seat will not be able to be filled by the candidates running in the upcoming elections. He also said the district has decided the responsibility to replace Cuneo will rest with the board that will be put in place on July 1.

"[The current board] may discuss it, but it will be up to the new board," said McGuire.

He also said that of the three options highlighted by Weisz, he would suggest the district follow the same process they used to replace Dornbush.

"I will recommend that. ... It was a good process," he said.





Members of the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce started their Clean Sweep campaign last week, "sweeping through" area businesses to talk about the value of business advocacy and Chamber membership. From left are Karen Koster of Pioneer Bank in Delmar, Alexandra Sautin of Pioneer Bank in Glenmont, Chamber President Marty DeLaney and Phillips Hardware owner Jon Phillips, at Phillips Hardware.

High Quality, Family

S Cosmetic Dentistry

Professional, Gentle

S Caring Staff

SCOTT S. SOULÉ, D.D.S.

General & Cosmetic Dentistry

2521 Hamburg St., Rotterdam • 355-3100

New Patients &

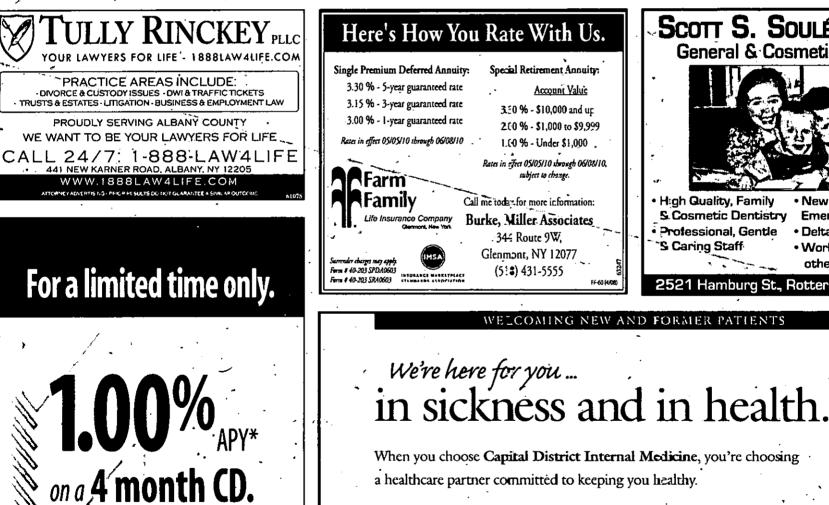
Works with most

other Insurances

**Emergencies Welcome** 

Delta & APA participant

Submitted photo



When you choose Capital District Internal Medicine, you're choosing a healthcare partner committed to keeping you healthy.

What's more, you're joining the Northeast Health family

Available to customers opening a new account at our Slingerlands branch in the Price Chopper Plaza. For more information call 694-5625.



Slingerlands 

Washington Ave. 

Wolf Road Clifton Park 

Newton Plaza 

Stuyvesant Plaza www.capitalbank.com

\*APY= Annual Percentage Yield, All rates effective as of \$/3/10, Minimum balance of \$500,00 required. Rates ar change without notice. A genalty may be imposed for early withdrawal, Annual Percentage Yield assumes that all principal and interest remain on deposit for a full year and that no other transactions occur during the term

and can rely on this region's most comprehensive network of health and long-term care services.

Offering a full range of primary care services including women's health.

To schedule an appointment, please call us at 482-0214.

Capital District Internal Medicine Albany Memorial Hospital Northeast Health

1440 Western Avenue, Albany www.NorthcastHealth.com

Priyangika Pathirana, MD, and Nazia Habb, MD

Inpatient and outpatient services provided at Albany Memorial Hospital

# Bethlehem's first forum hailed as a success

#### Meeting meant to foster communication between town, businesses

#### By CHARLES WIFF wiffc@spotlightnews.com

More than 30 business owners, town officials and members of the public gathered early on Friday, May 14, at Bethlehem Town Hall with coffee in hand for what organizers. hope will be the first of many "Focus on Business Forums."

A joint venture between the town and Chamber of Commerce; the public meetings were envisioned to serve as 'a means to foster communication between businesses and town government — two elements of the town that are unlikely to survive without each other.

Chamber President Marty DeLaney said the meeting was a success, and a good starting point for an ongoing dialogue with members of the Town Board, all of whom were in attendance.

"They were listening and interested in what everybody had to say," she said. "The Chamber board isn't going to let it go... They obviously want to hear from us."

Supervisor Sam Messina expressed isimilar thoughts following the roughly 90-minute meeting. It's now up to participants to follow through on what was discussed, he said.

"We had to have this dialogue start between the Chamber and Town Board," he said.

The meeting featured several presentations before a question and comment period. Town Director of Economic Development and Planning Michael Morelli brought attendees up to date on the town's Delaware Avenue Hamlet Enhancement Study, which is roughly slated for a fall completion.





The main challenge to the group tasked with creating the report has been balancing the artery's need to effectively move traffic with the desire to create a walkable, pedestrian-friendly "main street" atmosphere.\*

Having concrete guidelines in place for how businesses should look and be positioned is better than a neb lous idea, Morelli said.

"What they hate to do is come in and not have direction," he said.

Also presenting was Tom Barone of the New York'State Energy Research and Development Authority. He briefly outlined some of the grant opportunities available to small businesses.

William Herbert, of BBL Development Group, gave the meeting an update on development in the Vista Technology Park, and faced some pointed questions in regard to when shovels will actually be in the ground there.

He said as the economy warms back up, the tenants will be willing to commit money to developing the site, possibly later this year.

"It's not out call, it's our tenants' call," he said.

While it's hoped large businesses will play an increasing role in town through Vista, most Chamber members consist of smaller operations with unique needs. Several business owners said while



ABOVE: Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce President Marty DeLaney kicks off the first joint town-Chamber "Focus on Business Forum." More than 30 business owners, town officials and members of the public came out to hear presentations and share their thoughts on business-town interaction. LEFT: NYSERDA's Tom Barone briefly outlined some of the grant opportunities available to small businesses.

Charles Wiff/Spotlight

the town should work to attract more businesses, it should also ensure retail is diversified so services are not duplicated.

"If we keep bringing in retail businesses, the pie keeps getting smaller and smaller," said James Giaccone, the owner of My Place restaurant and bar.

And while there was general agreement more could be done to show Bethlehem is business friendly, it was less clear how that would be accomplished, especially as the town does not have the funds to offer economic incentives.

"We can have a vision and try and implement it, but there's a cost to everything," said Councilman Kyle Kotary.

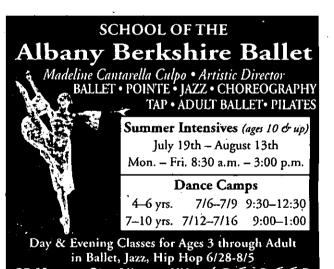
DeLaney mentioned an ongoing project with Jimapco to transfer the Chamber's business directory into a map format, which would help interested developers understand where businesses might work.

A p p e a r a n c e notwithstanding, business owners who spoke said the town has been increasingly open to assisting businesses.

"We have a road map, we have the directions and we have a staff that's responsive," said realtor Jessica Richer. At the same time, there are only a few decent commercial centers in town for her business clients, she said.

"I have a hard time finding them locations. There isn't a lot here," said Richer.

Town and Chamber officials said they'd like to see another forum with focus on other areas of town. Quarterly meetings had previously been discussed.



FUNdamental Technology Education Robotics ★ Movie Making Video Game Creation

#### Summer Tech Camps 2010



A wonderful program that is both fun and educational!

Morning and Afternoon Sessions

Beginner and Advanced Classes

• Fun for Girls and Boys

BITS, BYTES & BOTC Computer Adventures

۰.

Delmar: St. Stephens Episcopal Church Clifton Park: Shenendehowa Methodist Church Loudonville: St. Pius X School Schenectady: The Brown School

Visit website to see schedule, class descriptions & registration. www.bitsbytesbots.com \_ (518) 533-8018 albany@bitsbytesbots.com <u>Restaurant Week 2010</u> May 17 - May 21

Restaurant Week will showcase the Best of Bethlehem!! There are 17 area restaurants that will offer dining and activity specials for \$20.10. Your choices of breakfast, lunch or dinner at our various eateries.

Visit www.bethlehemchamber.com for a list of restaurants and details.



25 Monroe St., Albany, NY 426-0660 www.berkshireballer.org • alboffice@raconic.net SPRING BAZAAR Saturday, May 22 - 9am-4pm First Reformed Church of Bethlehem 38 Church Road (Off 9W) Over 40 Vendors of All Types Bethlehem Police Department will be handing out Child Safety Kits from 10am-2pm Bake Sale - Raffle Food and fun for everyone! 756-7758

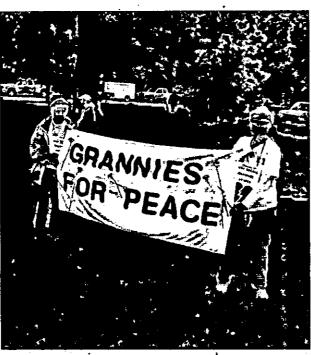




# Plea for peace.

Grannies for Peace held a vigil and sang at the Tulip Festival on Saturday, May 8. Grandmothers from across the Capital District took part in the vigil with signs, banners and songs for peace near the Moses Statue. Grannies for Peace has vigiled at the Tulip Festival each year since 2006, when they joined grandmothers across the world for a Stand in the Park for Peace Day.

Submitted photos -





# Town wants drivers to slow down on Krumkill

**Heavy fill causes** road to shift near Normanskill; supervisor calls it a 'money pit'

#### By RYAN MUNKS munksr@spotlightnews.com

The Town of New Scotland is imposing an advisory 10 mph speed limit on Krumkill Road where it passes over Normanskill.

According to Supervisor Tom Dolin, the fill under the road has been shifting for more than a decade at about 1-2 inches per year, creating the conditions for a potentially catastrophic failure of the road.

"In 1998 we spent about \$300,000 trying to repair it. That lasted a while, but in the last few years it's starting to deteriorate," he said.

At the root of the problem, according to Dolin, is the clay fill that measures 40 feet deep underneath the road. The clay becomes very heavy when it takes on water, which causes it to shift and causes the road to shift with it.

The town's highway department has been dealing with the road on a yearly basis. This year, however, attempts to realign the road have failed.

"In the past [Highway Superintendent Darrell] Duncan has been trying to patch and realign the road where it separated. This year the patch didn't hold. ... Our attempts to patch it aren't working anymore," he said.

On Wednesday, May 12, the town authorized \$14,300 in addition to the original \$5,000 to Stantec Engineers to continue

monitoring the condition of the road.

•"This whole thing has become a money pit," Dolin said at the meeting.

Since 2007, the town has spent \$89,000 on engineering studies related to the road sliding.

This has been basically engineering and consulting. This doesn't include what we spent on repairs," Dolin said.

At the board meeting, town engineer Mark Dempf informed the town that removing the road's surface and replacing the clay fill underneath with a lighter weight fill would cost a minimum of \$3 million dollars.

Considering the immediate needs of the town, Dolin directed Dempf to explore the cost and effectiveness of alternative solutions, including driving piles down 40 feet to help stabilize the road, and diverting the road away. from the heavy clay fill, however, Dempf said no study has been done to determine the effectiveness or cost of either project. He said plans have moved forward with replacing the fill because it was the project that would be most enticing for the state and county.

"What we did was we took the path of least resistance," said Dempf. Dolin said that ultimately

the Town Board will have is being continuously to decide how much it can absorb in costs to repair the road.

<sup>e</sup>My anticipation is if it got to the \$100,000 range, we couldn't do it without assistance," he said:

According to Dolin, the town has approached Congressman Paul Tonko, D-Amsterdam, and the Capital District Transportation Committee,

Good Samaritan

**Health Care Center** 

for funding to replace the road. The CDTC is the local agency responsible for doling of federal transportation funding.

Chris O'Neill, a senior transportation planner at CDTC, said there are 65 project candidates worth a total of \$595 million vying for an anticipated \$57 million worth of transportation funding.

"There is a lot of competition there," said O'Neill.

He also said that the \$57 million is merely anticipated funding, and "it's making the assumption that federal transportation will have a significant increase."

O'Neill said the. committee is considering the 65 projects, although funding is not guaranteed because of the lengthy process it takes from selecting, planning, and completing the project. He also said it will take five to seven years for projects that receive funding to get under wav

Until a solution is presented, the town imposed the advisory speed limit of 10 mph on the section of the roadway, and asked the state to make the limit enforceable.

We are advising a speed limit with the anticipation of closing it," said Dolin."

He said that the situation monitored by the town's. highway department and the department could issue an emergency closure of the road at any time if Duncan deems it necessary.

Dolin described the roadway as a major artery of the town, and said if it is closure the 2,800 cars that travel the road per day will have to find an alternative route.

# Ohav Sholom Senior **Citizen Apartments**

- One Bedroom and Studio Apartments at Very Affordable Rates! 115 New Krumkill Road Albany, New York 12208
- Rent includes heat/hot water/electric
- Scenic park-like setting
- City bus transportation at door
- Beautician and store on premises
- Weekly social activities

489-5531

Private, on-site parking

E-Mail: info@OhavSholomApts.org Web: www.OhavSholomApts.org

Equal Housing Opportunity

## **Coming May 24th: CarFit**

CarFit is a free, 20-minute intervention that uses a trained team, including occupational therapists, to assist senior drivers improve the "fit" of their vehicles for safety & comfort.\*

Limited slots are available between 3:30-4:30 pm so register early!! Located at Good Samaritan Senior Housing, 119 Rockefeller Road, Delmar.

For more information or to register, please contact Jennifer Travis @ 439-8116, ext. 244 or email jtravis@wartburg.org

\*CarFit is NOT a driving competency test.

May 19, 2010 • Page 11

# McLaughlin announces candidacy for 108th

#### Banker will stage a second run on Tim Gordon's seat

#### By CHARLES WIFF wiffc@spotlightnews.com

Steve McLaughlin's hoping the second time's the charm.

After failing in 2008 to unseat Tim Gordon, I-Bethlehem, from his position in the state Assembly, the Republican announced on Tuesday, May 11, he would again seek to represent the 108th district.

In a later interview, the business banking officer said he has all but secured the blessing of GOP leadership in the district and intends to build upon his previous effort, taking advantage of what he sees is a developing voter backlash.

"At the end of the day we were outspent nearly 10-to-1, and we still did second best of any Republican in the state," he said of the last election. "The winds have shifted around completely. You can see the anger in the public right now."

Saying state government has suffered a "complete meltdown" in the past two years, McLaughlin said he's confident voters will identify two-term term incumbent. Gordon as part of the problem.

"The only thing the guy knows how to do is how to go down to Albany and spend our money," he said. "Take a look at his record, and if you're happy with the direction of the state, Tim's your guy."

Gordon, on the other hand, said his record is exactly why he will secure another victory over McLaughlin.

"I certainly am proud of what I have been able to accomplish here during what has been a difficult time in the state economy and national economy," he said. "I think I have kept my promises."



Steve McLaughlin announced his candidacy for the 108th Assembly district Tuesday, May 11, from the Speigletown Fire House. McLaughlin took on incumbent Tim Gordon in last election cycle, when he took 40 percent of the vote. Submitted photo

#### their two sons.

McLaughlin said if he had to vote on the recent controversial extender bill that included furloughs to state workers, he would likely have cast a "no" vote, like Gordon did. The two expressed similar thoughts about the latest crisis in state finances, saying government payroll should be culled

from the top down.

"The state work force needs to shrink. It is far, far too large," McLaughlin said. "However, I do not want to see people making \$30,000, \$40,000, \$50,000 a year, thrown out on the street."

"I had several major concerns with the furloughs," said Gordon. "That it essentially targeted some workers who were making \$27,000 or \$30,000 a year, while the state continues to use a number of rather high priced consultants who were not being furloughed."

As of the most recent count, voter registration in the 108th was roughly split between Democrats and Republicans, at just over 25,000 voters each. About as many have no affiliation, and nearly 10,000 others are registered in a third party.

# From selling them to knocking them down



The a number of rather gh priced consultants ho were not being rloughed." As of the most recent unt, voter registration the 108th was roughly From left to right: Marybeth Vatalaro, Ann Manning, Cathy Cooley, Joan Wennstrom, Amy Gyory, Sandy LaValle, Janet Shaye and Renata Lewis from RealtyUSA in Delmar recently volunteered for Habitat for Humanity. The crew worked for six hours on Wednesday, April 28, to aid in the demolition of a house in downtown Albany which will be used for a new family through Habitat for Humanity.

Submitted photo

# Got a gripe? E-mail a letter to news@spotlightnews.com



# National EMS Week – May 16-22, 2010

On the occasion of National Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Week, we thank the dozens of hometown heroes who provide emergency ambulance service in the Town of Bethlehem. It is our privilege to salute the Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs), Advanced EMTs, Paramedics, ambulance drivers, and firefighters of Delmar Fire and EMS and Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance.

The residents of our community benefit every day from the skill and commitment of our EMS volunteers who are dedicated to saving lives and provicing compassionate medical care. They are selfless professionals who dedicate the time, day and night, to respond to the emergency needs of their neighbors.

Together, in partnership with our colleagues at the Albany County Sheriff's Office EMS Unit, these caring volunteer men and women answered more than 3,000 calls for medical assistance in the Town of Bethlehem during 2009. In addition, the volunteers dedicate tens of thousands of hours each year to being on-call for medical emergencies and accidents, practicing their skills, taking training classes, mentoring new members, and maintaining equipment.

Our community is remarkably fortunate to have so many individuals that are committed to caring for their neighbors. Please join us in saluting our community's selfless EMS professionals.

#### Sincerely.

Gordon also defended himself against McLaughlin's assertion he is in lockstep with Sheldon Silver, -D-Manhattan, and other Assembly Democrats.

"It's a tired out argument, seeking to connect me with my downstate colleagues for no other purpose but to try to create division between fellow New Yorkers," he said. "I'm more interested in bringing people together than creating division."

A former commercial aviator, McLaughlin now works for Citizens Bank. He and his wife Maggie, who works as a teacher, reside in Melrose with The Directors and Officers of Delmar Volunteer Fire and EMS and Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance

Steven Kroll, EMS Chief Stephen Dorsey, Chief David Scoons, Chairperson Delmar Fire and EMS



Heide Cornell, Captain Dan Klob, President Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance Service

Celmar Volunteer Fire and EMS is made up of than 85 dedicated men and women who provide round the clock fire protection and ambulance service for the communities of Delmar, Elsmere, and Slingerlands.
Bethlehem Volunteer Ambulance provides ambulance service for the communities of Glenmont, Selkirk, and South Bethlehem 24 hours a day.



# **Community forum set**

planned to be a series of public, informal meetings between officials and the community around the Town of Bethlehem has been scheduled for Monday, May 24, at Selkirk Fire House No. 1, from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Supervisor Sam Messina said the first half-, hour of the meeting will consist of presentations by

The first of what is town officials, after which point the floor will be opened up to residents.

In addition to updates on what's happening at Town Hall, the presentations will focus on planning and development in the Selkirk area, said Messina.

Future meetings are planned to be held quarterly, and will tour the town's other hamlets.



LEFT: More than 100 parents, teachers and students convened at-Hamagrael **Elementary School Saturday**, May 15, to build an organic "kitchen garden" on the school's grounds.

BELOW: Megan Fallon, second-grader at Hamagrael **Elementary School, helps** build an organic "kitchen garden" at the school on Saturday, May 15.

Submitted photos

# To Life! offers free programs

Join To Life! and a représentative from the American Heart Association for a summer wellness brown bag lunch on Wednesday, June 2, and learn the latest information about women and heart health.

Bring your lunch to To Life! at 410 Kenwood Ave., Delmar from noon to 1 p.m. Discover a heartfriendly diet and take home recipes. Volunteers will be available with activities for kids. '

Pre-registration is required by May 28.

To Life! will feature Dr. Nicholas Montalto

of Albany Gynecology & Fertility on Wednesday, June 23, for a presentation on the effects of hormones on breast health, heart health, and bone health in women of all ages. This free forum is at Temple Beth Emeth, 100 Academy Road, Albany. Registration takes place at 6 p.m., and the program is from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Light refreshments will be provided. Preregistration is required by June 16.

Contact Leanna Glavin at 439-5975, ext. 22 or 

lglavin@tolife.org\_to register by the specified .dates. 🗃

For the latest news on your community, visit

www.Spotlightnews.com

Višita

www.harden.com

63243

#### Parents, students, teachers pitch in at Hamagrael Elementary

Group builds kitchen garden at school

FAMILY POOL FUN

#### By CHARLES WIFF wiffc@spotlightnews.com

More than 100 parents, teachers and students convened at Hamagrael **Elementary School** Saturday, May 15, to build an organic "kitchen garden" on the school's grounds.

Organized by the school's Healthy Kids Committee, the project was largely made possible through a \$500 state grant from the New York Agriculture in the Classroom's "Kids Growing Food" program out of Cornell University. Best Cleaners and the Hamagrael PTO also-

Our pools create

**Generations of Memories** 

everyday, vacations never en il

Aboveground & Inground pools at WHOLESALE PRICING

SIMPLE OIY Pool Kit Assembly

Accessories. Ships Fast

SAVE MONEY on All Pool Supplies

donated money to the cause.

The six raised vegetable beds were planted with lettuce tomatoes, spinach and peas, to name a few foods, which will eventually be used for snacks.

"We're trying to get kids back in touch with where food comes from. and eating healthy," said Kathy Witherspoon, of the Health Kids Committee. "Long term, we're hoping to work with the kitchen staff on incorporating some of the vegetables into the schools lunch program."

The garden will also be incorporated into the 4th grade's ecosystem unit for a hands on educational experience.

Several other schools in the Bethlehem Central district, including Elsmere Elementary, and, the middle school, also have functioning gardens.

While students will maintain that garden during the school year, the committee is seeking families to adopt the garden over the summer. Contact Witherspoon at klspoon@ hotmail.com, or Karen Shaw at kshaw2@nycap. rr.com if interested.



www.pattersonvillefurniture.net 887-2741 FREE DELIVERYI

Open Daily 10 to 5; Thurs. & Fri. 'til 9; Closed Sundays



# **Advertising Consultants**

Are you creative, outgoing, hardworking and able to coordinate your own work schedule? Then Spotlight Newspapers may be just what you are looking for.

Spotlight is currently seeking full-time sales people to sell print and internet advertising programs to local companies in the Award-winning Spotlight Newspapers and web site. You do not need advertising experience, but outside sales expe-

rience is preferred.

Compensation is base plus commission with benefits.

· For consideration, please fax your cover letter and resume to: 518.439.5198 ATTN: John McIntyre or e-mail to: mcintyrej@spotlightnews.com No phone calls, please.

GOOD SAMARITAN ADULT HOME DELMAR, NY • 24 HOUR LIVING SUPFORT 3 DELICICUS, HOME COOKED MEALS DALY FIRST MONT Organized activities & outings FREE! • AFFORDABLE, ALL-INCLUSIVE RATES • SHORT-TERM STAYS WELCOME A COMFORTABLE AND SECURE AGING ADULT COMMUNITY OFFERING THE ASSISTANCE YOU NEED WITH THE PRIVACY YOU DESIRE. GOOD SAMARITAN OFFERS THREE LEVELS OF CARE ON ONE CAMPUS ACULT HOME . SENIOR HOUSING . SKILLED NURSING AND REHABILITATION ROCKEFELLER ROAD . DELMAE . 577-8133 OR EMAIL AT JTRAVIS@WARTBURG.ORG

# Suspect defuses so-called 'joke'

Man arrested at Colonie flower wholesaler says prank had nothing to do with explosives

#### By DAN SABBATINO sabbaitnod@spotlightnews.com

Sean Michael McMahon, who was arrested on a felony charges for allegedly placing a false bomb on Monday, May 3, said he wanted to give his side of the story to clear his reputation.

After the story broke, McMahon told The Spotlight on Wednesday, May 5, he was not trying to make a joke about explosive devices, and the hoax leading to his arrest was intended to trick his boss into finding the device.

"Now my name's out there with the word 'bomb' attached to it," he said.

Colonie police arrested McMahon, 25, for allegedly taping a "flower thermo device," which is used to regulate temperatures while transporting flowers, under a table at 5 Avis Drive, Seagroatt Riccardi Ltd., a wholesale flower dealer. The thermometers make a noise when the temperature changes in a way that is detrimental to the flowers, and the device was found beeping under the table in one of the break rooms.

McMahon told police the incident was a joke meant to "loosen the stress of the Mother's Day rush." Elaborating on that statement@Wednesday, McMahon said he wanted "nothing to be portrayed as a bomb," and although the thermometers blink and flash, he assumed everyone who works on the loading dock would know exactly what the device was when it was found.

He said he never expected the thermometers to be confused for a bomb, but a secretary who does not work with the thermometers on a regular. basis was the one who found the device first.



Sean Michael McMahon

## "[l] wanted nothing to be portrayed as a bomb."

McMahon said he wanted to be clear he was unaware of an incident in Times Square on Saturday, May 1, involving an un-detonated car bomb, since he was working all weekend.

According to information from Senior Town Justice Peter Crummey's office, McMahon appeared in court Wednesday, May 5, and is scheduled for another court date on Wednesday, May 19.

McMahon cannot be tried for a felony in the Town of Colonie, with all felonies tried at the county level, and as of press time the Albany County Court has not picked up the case.

Albany County District Attorney Spokeswoman Heather Orth said county prosecutors will review the case and determine if it should be prosecuted as a felony, or kicked back to town court as a misdemeanor.

McMahon also has the going before a grand jury.

"I have counsel if the incident goes any further," he said

McMahon also said there are witnesses at the oading dock who could attest to the fact he was not trying to portray the device as an explosive, but simply hide it as part of an effort to ease the stress of Mother's Day, a particularly busy time for the flower industry.

# **Guilderland schools set to borrow**

**Governor's decision to** withhold state aid puts district in unusual position

> By RYAN MUNKS munksr@spotlightnews.com

Guilderland's Board of Education on Tuesday, May 11, authorized the school district to T issue revenue anticipation notes to cover the funding void left by about 5 percent of the entire Gov. David Paterson's decision to withhold state aid.

"Right now he is withholding \$2.7 million from March. The potential exists to withhold another \$2.35 million from June," said Neil Sanders, assistant superintendent for business for the district. "If that occurs, we will need to borrow money."

**Board of Education President** Richard Weisz said that in his 10 years on the board, the district has never had to take such an action during the school year to remain solvent.

promised, \$5 million is now in doubt, and but for our reserves, we would have had to go out and borrow to make payroll already," he said.

According to Weisz, the \$5 million the district expects to receive accounts for about 20 percent of state aid funding, and

"If it's not there and we don't get further state aid, then our budget will be out of whack."

**Board of Education President Richard Weisz** 

budget.

Superintendent John McGuire said that issuing the notes was "new territory" for him as well. He cited a study that said 39 percent of school districts in New York have had to go out and borrow money already because of the decision by the governor to withhold aid.

Board member Denise Eisele asked what would happen if the governor decided to permanently withhold funds from the district, something Weisz said is possible.

Tthe district has about \$5 million in its reserves and fund balance; about \$3 million has been slated in the 2010-11 school year budget to offset the tax impact of the budget. If the state funds are permanently withheld, the reserves would be depleted, and the 2010-11 budget would have a shortfall.

"If it's not there and we don't

get further state aid, then our budget will be out of whack," said Weisz.

According to Sanders, the district will take a loss on the state money through borrowing, but with interest rates of 1 to 1.5 percent, the loss will be minor.

That's the only silver lining in this - interest rates are low,' he said.

After the meeting, Sanders said that the district will have to borrow money even if the governor decides to withhold one payment and release the other.

"We really need to have that revenue to complete the school year," he said.

The school board also authorized the district to borrow up to \$5 million to cover costs in the summer time between the beginning of the school's 2010-11 school year on July 1 and the time revenues begin to come in during September and October. According to Sanders, this type of borrowing is a more routine type of borrowing.

There are instances where we have bills and payrolls during the summer, and we really don't have any revenue coming in," said Sanders. He said he expects the district to run at a deficit of \$5 million before revenues begin to come in during the fall.

# Make sure to bring your card to library



keychain card.

#### Watercolors on display

Intricate and fascinating watercolors by Jeanne, Mackay are in our Hall Gallery for the month of May.

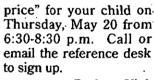
#### Paper airplanes

Kids, if you can fold paper, you can make an airplane! Learn the techniques and we'll fly our planes outside at a Paper Airplane Derby at the library on Tuesday,"

May 25th at 6:30 p.m. We supply all the paper vou need, show you great flying books and have fun contests. If it is raining, we'll fly in the community room: Registration is requested, for all ages.

#### **College program**

For parents of high school sophomores and juniors, Dr. Dean Skarlis of The College Advisor of New York will outline the steps needed to "find the right college at the right



Barbara Vink

library • A11 programming is free (unless otherwise noted) and open to the public. Voorheesville Public Library is located at 51 School Road, Voorheesville. For information, call 765-2791 or visit www. voorheesvillelibrary.org.



available to help you. Procedure requires that you present your card for option of making a plea all library transactions and agreement, rather than it makes check-outs go faster. We appreciate your being prepared by having your card with you when you come. Ask for a handy

Camp Session:

June 18 thru

August 21

Hunter, NY

running, it is important that you will bring your library card, as card numbers are now requested for Internet signup. You can use a card from any library in Albany or Rensselaer counties. If

. With the new Internet,

signup system up and

you don't have a card, the staff will help you apply for one or sign in as a guest. You will find instructions posted at every internet station, and staff will be

"Of the amount we have been

He said the beeping device was only about 10 to 12 feet from his boss' desk, and he was hoping it would be relatively easy to find.

"It was placed as close to my boss' desk as possible," he said.

## Send us your photos

r, Were you at a community event recently? Did you take a lot of great photos?

If so, send them to The Spotlight to have them published in the paper.

Send high-resolution photos with information

about the people in the photo and the event to news@ spotlightnews.com. . .





SUMMER CAMP STAFF POSITIONS

Camp Loyaltown provides an experience that builds a sense of belonging and self-esteem for children and adults with intellectual and other developmental disabilities.

Grow personally and professionals this summer while teaching others they too can be successful.

As a member of Camp Loyaltown staff, you will learn about yourself and others, encounter new challenging experiences, and make a positive difference in the lives of our campers. If you have a genuine interest in working with some of the greatest people in the world, helping them learn and grow with dignity, Camp Loyaltown is the place for you!

We provide room, board, salary and valuable experience Located in the for students, especially those majoring in Education, Scenic Catskill Human Services, Health Care, Recreation, etc. Mountains in Candidates need to be at least 18 years old.

> For immediate consideration, additional information or to apply on-line, please visit us at: http://www.ahrc.org/infocamployalstaff.0.html

Or contact Marianne at (516) 293-2016 ext 5611

www.camployaltown.org Camp Loyaltown is an Equal Opportunity Employer

Page 14 • May 19, 2010

# **Grant encourages**.<sup>3</sup> college study

Ten Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk high school students with college aspirations enjoyed a special visit to Albany's College of Saint Rose campus on April 29, accompanied by guidance counselor Peter Dwyer and three representatives from Stars Intergen Inc., the Glenmont nonprofit ; agency that provides intergenerational programming for the school district and local communities.

Stars Intergen Director Karen Harmon, Board President William Schwartz and STARS volunteer Marilyn Kaltenborn accompanied Dwyer and the students on the tour.

Last fall, Stars Intergen Inc. received a \$1,000 minigrant from the Community Foundation for the Greater Capital Région's Standish Family Foundation Fund to help Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk students explore college and career opportunities through field trips and other activities.

\* "Many students aren't aware of the number and variety of colleges and programs that are out there and may not have the opportunity to visit an actual college campus," said Dwyer. "This grant allows students to see the dorms, dining hall and classrooms and talk to college admissions counselors.

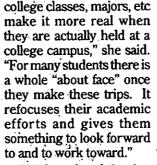
RCS social worker Eileen Hoffman agreed. "It is vital for all students to see the possibilities for life after high school. Some

TIME WARNER CABLE

THE POWER OF YOU.

students' parents just don't have the means or time to go on scheduled college trips, which mostly occur during the work day. Discussions about tuition, college life,

volunteers.



Ten RCS students visited Albany's College of Saint Rose campus on April 29 with STARS

High school junior tours, I want to go.'

volunteering as a STARS mentor. ""As a recent retiree, I found that going on the St. Rose tour with the high school students was an exceedingly rewarding experience which I hope to repeat many times," she said.

Stars Intergen Inc. recruits retirees to serve as STARS (Seniors Teaching and Reaching Out to Students) volunteers in Haydn Theatre Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk elementary- and middle- Mahjongg school classrooms. STARS volunteers give students individualized attention to help them improve reading and other academic skills and increase their selfesteem.

For more information volunteer, contact Stars the basis common bed Intergen Inc. at 439-1505 or kharmon@nycap.rr.com.



The following programs are scheduled for the Town of Guilderland Senior Services:

> Monday, May 24 Scheduled Shopping 9 a.m. Aerobics 10:30 a.m. Strong Bones+

> 10:30 a.m. Sr. Fitness 1:30 p.m. Ströng Bones + Tuesday, May 25

Grievance Day, no programs at Town Hall

Wednesday, May 26

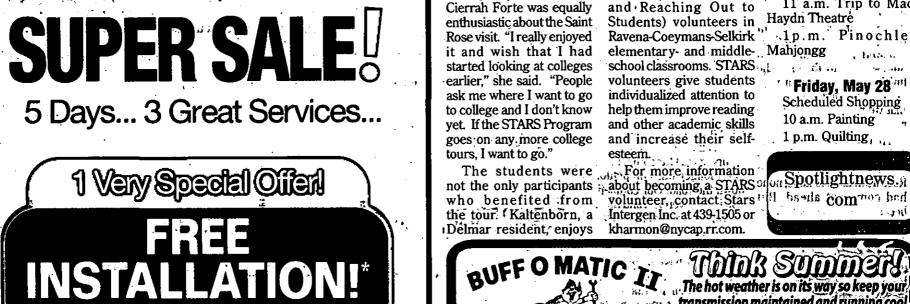
Scheduled Shopping 9 a.m. Line Dancing 10:30 a.m. Strong Bones + 10:30 a.m. Bridge 11:45 a.m. Sr. Fitness 1 p.m. Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Strong Bones +

#### Thursday, May 27

Scheduled Shopping 9 a.m. Strong Bones 11 a.m. Trip to Mac-.1p.m. Pinochle/ ំ ដំ ត <sup>III</sup> Friday, May 28<sup>1491</sup>

Scheduled Shopping 10 a.m. Painting 1 p.m. Quilting

: ગય





When You Upgrade to a Triple Play Bundle







PowerBoost included at no charge!

## Call today to order! 1-866-339-7768

#### Hurry, sale ends Saturday, May 22!

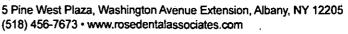
#### CABLE

- HICH-SPEED ONLINE - DIGITAL HOME PHONE

\*Offer ends 5/22/10. Offers evailable to new re by Time Warner Cable. After promotional period, customer will be billed the monthly retail or package rate for service that is in effect at that time. Free installation promotion includes standard installation only and does not include construction costs or custom installations. Must be ordering or upgrading to trible play bundle to quality for Free installation. Offers shown may not be combined with any other offer. Additional charges apply for activation, installation, number bansfer, bases, less, directory assistance international calls (not including Canada and Puerto Rect) and operator services. Dioital Cable offer includes lesse of one dioital home terminal and remote control. Lease of additional terminals available for a tee, To receive all Digital Cable services, remote and lease of a digital home terminal are required. Some channels and services are not available to CableCARD<sup>TM</sup> customers. RowerBoost provides a burst of download speed when capacity is available above the customer's provisioned speeds for the first 10MB of a file. PowerBoost is a registered trademark of Comcast Corporation. Used with permission Rates subject to chance without onders. Not all services are evaluate in all areas. Time Warner Cable and the Time Warner Cable born are ner Cable Inc. Used under license. © 2010 Time Warner Cable Inc. "The Power of You" is a registered trademark of Time Warner Cable Inc. TM & O Warner Bros. Entertainment Inc. (\$10) All other trademarks remain the property of their respective owners.

TWCALB 49375(10.5 SDAY





Don't Delay – Call Today!



Let our compassionate dental team educate and guide you to good health.

> Most insurances accepted, including Medicaid.

#### New Patients Welcome

Interest Free Financing and Multiple Payment Option.

## Call ROSE DENTAL at 456-7673

or visit us at www.rosedentalassociates.com and let us help you keep that winning smile healthy and bright forever!

# Finance in the Spotlight Navigating the customer of the future: **An interview with Cindy Colomon**

By RUTH MAHONEY Senior Vice President , Key Private Bank

tomer service and leadership expert Cindy Solomon finished one of her crowd-pleasing presentations in Las Vegas.

With time to spare and a 🐙 room at the Bellagio, Solomon did what any reason- 🖾 able person would doshestried her luck at the roulette wheel.

At first, Solomon jokes that she may as

well have taken a lighter to her money. Then a dealer named Rose rotated to her table. "As soon as Rose spun the first ball around the wheel, we knew it was a different · ballgame," Solomon said. "She radiated warmth and good humor...and by the time she finished her first turn with us, our table had so much fun that we rotated with her-en masse!"

At the end of evening, Solomon was sure that, of the group of six who followed Rose from table to table; none a had come out ahead. But, because she had so much fun appropriately served our cuslosing money, Solomon wrote a letter to Steve Wynn, owner f of the Bellagio, stating how impressed she had been with Rose's abilities and personality. Two weeks later. Solomon received a return letter from Wynn himself. He conveyed that, thanks to Solomon's letter, he had named Rose Employee of the Month and awarded her a dinner gift certificate to the Bellagio restaurant. He also sent Solomon a a certificate for a free night's stay at the Bellagio to thank her for pointing out great customer service and appreciating his employee.

"Most companies have a hard time making bad things better when there is a customer complaint. Not only does Wynn do that well-he knows how to make good situations phenomenal. Essentially, he takes customer service to the next level," Solomon said."It's because of his ability to focus on, foster, and reward positive actions that Steve Wynn has been able to create some of the best service experiences in the world. The way he treated us caused both his employee and me to care tremendously about the success of his business.' As someone who has helped hundreds of organizations build long-term, profitable relationships with their customers, leaders and employees; Solomon understands that great service begins by making it a top organizational value. And on service initiatives. Don't June 11, as keynote speaker at the 9th Annual Key4Women Forum, "The Customer of

make it happen.

everal years ago, cus- thoughts about the customer, thing is to talk with them and and expects. of the future and delivering not to make assumptions. If For the small business excellent service you actually listen to them owner or manager who has Don't wait until something you open up a dialogue with The title of your presenta you can use technology to wants to focus on improv- goes wrong to create a re- your customer and operate tion is Customer of the give them more of what they ing service, what are the covery process. Create a re : toward your strengths you

Future." Who is the customer of the future?

The cusfuture are more challenging than they've ever been. And regardless of what product or service they are buy-

ing, regardless Ruth Mahoney of price point, regardless of industry and

regardless of geographic location what we're seeing are four major themes.

First is a constant escalation of customer expectations. We are requiring more of the companies we work with day in and day out. We want more value for our money. We want more service for our money. We want the interaction to be easy, quick and clean. So what that's done, in our pointand-click world, is change our competition. Our competition is'no'longer'our'competitor down the road? Our competition is whoever best and most " tomer last

Second, the power of one. rechnology has changed how data'is shared about companies and their products and services. För example, anyone who has seen the YouTube video that chastises a major U.S. airline for mishandling a passenger's luggage knows. the brand damage that one person can cause. The video documents a musician's odyssey to have the airline replace a guitar their baggage handlers broke. The video has been viewed close to 8.5 million times, and experts estimate that it created up to \$100 million in brand damage.

Third, time is still the primary currency. If you compete on price, you will never create loyal customers who stick with you through thick and thin. For example, when I'm in front of audiences, I always ask: "how many of us pay more money for something because it's easy?" Nearly 99 percent of people raise their hands. Finally, relationships matter. Customers want a deeper relationship. And when things go awry, as they occasionally do, if you can recover, the customer will be 40 percent more loyal to you. But if you don't have a relationship with the customer, you have no chance.

the Future," she will share . Yes. Technology can be the bar is just being raised. with women from across the really tricky, but if you have, You need to be able to con-Capital Region how they can a dialogue with your custom- tinue to meet ever-changing ers, they will tell you what is expectations by always deliv-Here she offers some most important to them. The sering what the client needs

want. 2 2 But you often cite a sta- Tasking themselves. tistic that 80 percent of First and most important customers who defect from is to truly understand your a company are actually sat- strengths. Second, do retomers of the . isfied? What's a company Msearch Find out what your supposed to do?

thing to consider is that satis- needs. One of the biggest faction and happiness do not necessarily equate. Satisfaction no longer equals loyalty. And the statistic shows that 'everything to everybody.

questions they should be

customers want, and match It's horrifying, isn't it? The your strength to customers' mistakes I think too many people make, especially entrepreneurs, is trying to be

You referenced the You- One last question—is the Tube video that negatively highlights a national airline. How does a company recover from a public customer service embarrass- - is the problem at least onement? man part & t

covery process inside your , will discover you'll have more company that everyone is of the right clients than the clear on and that everyone has the authority to execute. every employee has a certain amount of money they can right for a customer. Also, ask one simple question: what do I need to do to make this right? Finally, look at how you can honey@keybank.com.\*\* learn from your mistakes. -

customer really always right? 11 et.

No. In fact, there's a statistic that indicates the customer . third of the time. However, if wrong ones. 🧠

About the author: About For example, at Ritz Carlton, the author: Ruth Mahoney is a senior vice president and market manager for Key Private spend to make something Bank in the Capital Region , and Hudson Valley/Metro NY districts. She may be reached at 518-257-9701 or ruth\_ma-

**Building a culture of service excellence** 626 7

Cindy'Solomon will be the keynote speaker at the Ninth Annual Key4Women Forum, "The Customer of the Future," on Friday, June 11, at the Glen Sanders Mansion in Scotia. Here she provides four tips for organizational leaders on motivating employees to become customer service champs.

Engage people who have a

common understanding and passion for what it is you're trying to do.

Inspire people by giving them a meaningful role in achieving the goal they've committed to.

Enable people to do great things by giving them the skills and training they need to be successful.

Reward people. In satisfaction

you notes, additional responsibilities and professional development all rank higher for employees than money.

To register to see Cindy Solomon at the Key4Women forum visit www.Key. com/womensforum or contact Francine Yanulavich, Marketing, KeyBank, 518-257-8838 or francine\_yanulavich@ kevbank.com.

#### surveys, public recognition, thank 7. 1.1. 4 6 ... - (G. <sup>17</sup> - 1 Key4Womena Jan . . . . I ennot The students not the only participe ง 💼 ออร์มีก้ออกส. อย่าง

Join other women in business at the Key4Women Forum - : :. : =-

The Customer of The Future: The Art of Creating True Customer and Employee Loyalty, featuring Cindy Solomon.

Friday, June 11, 2010

7:30 a.m. Registration and networking 8:00:a.m.: Program begins 10:00 a.m. Program concludes

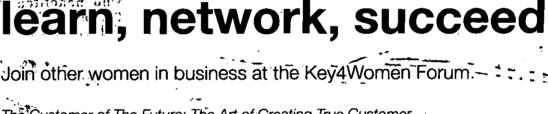
Glen Sanders Mansion

1 Glen Avenue Scotia, NY 12302

#### Our Key4Women Forum guest speaker:

Cindy Solomon is a speaker, writer, and consultant. She shares her personal insights and the vast experience

she has gathered as a renowned strategic consultant with



You mention technology. It seems more companies are incorporating technology into their customer they risk putting a wall up between themselves and their customers?

organizations like The Ritz Carlton, Google, and Cisco 

#### Register online today. visit key.com/womensforum

Sponsored by:

£. . .

REVIEW

KeyBank 🗘

Presented by Key4Women, your \$30 registration fee will benefit the YWCA Northeastern NY\*

\$30 registration lie covers the estimated value of each ticket (\$18); the balance of your fee may be tax deductible. This information is not intended as legal or tax advice. For specific tax advice, pla tax advice, pla tax advice.

©2010 KeyCorp. KeyBank is Member FBIC. Key.com is a federally registered service mark of KeyCorp.

ywca

CS10884

Submitted photo

# **Meet Mr. Voorheesville 2010**

#### Student crowned in weekend pageant

**BV RYAN MUNKS** munksr@spotlightnews.com

Clayton A. Bouton High School student Greg Frering became Voorheesville's first "knight in shining armor" when he won the title of . Mr. Voorheesville 2010 in a competition Friday, May 14, at the school.

against nine other high school students in a number of areas including causal wear, talent and formal wear competitions. Although he lost the popular vote to fellow high school student J.D. Springer, and the talent portion to Patrick Soloviev, who played the piano blindfolded, Frering received the high total score from a panel of judgés.,

Frering had to compete - This year's theme was nine other candidates in Shining Armor?" The event began with guest judge Miss New York 2009 Alyse Zwick asking each candidate why he should be her knight in shining armor.

"Miss New York, pick me; I'm the only one who can grow facial hair." said Jack Seay, the first candidate to vie for the title. 👝

Seav was followed by

"Who Will be our Knight including Springer, who said, "I don't grow facial hair, but I'm the whole package."

> Following the opening number was the casual wear competition, following by Zwick doing ballet to Christina Aguilera's "Fighter."

> After Zwick's performance came the talent portion of the Meet Page 17



**Clayton A. Bouton High School student Greg Frering is** crowned Mr. Voorheesville.



Call Today for a FREE Estimate!

9-SEA

And while you are here, be sure to stop in and enjoy some home cooking at **Suzanne's**. Like her homemade salads or soups, chowders and delicious fish dinners (cooked any way you want) and don't forget about the burgers (all our beef is purchased from Falvo's).

So come in, sit and relax or call for takeout, whatever you have time for.

scotlandyardslandscapingandsupplies.com 198 New Scotland South Rd., Slingerlands, NY 12159 518-439-0600

GUARA 7325 ALTAMONT It's Planting Season! RCHARDS Buy/Local! Buy/the Best Weekend Specials Hanging Baskets May 21st, 22nd, 23rd **Bedding & Vegetable Plants** Vegetable Plants – \$2.19 6 pack Herbs - Perennials Perennials – \$6.99 gal. Peach & Apple Trees Potting Soil - 30 qt. 2/\$8.50 **Planters – Potted Annuals** Top Soil - 30 at. 2/\$8.00 **BULK MULCH – TOP SOIL** Local Delivery Available or Bring Your Truck & Save! 6654 Dunnsville Rd. Open 7 days a Week **3 8 8 6** 1 -6515 📾 🔤 Altamont, NY 12009 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. www.altamontorchards.com - FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

May 19, 2010 • Page 17

Meet

(From Page 16)

competition, which featured singing, instrument playing, skateboarding, high jumping, and fancy basketball dribbling.

The judges were wowed by Soloviev playing "Apologize" by One Republic on the piano while blindfolded.

The talent competition was followed by an intermission in which the audience voted in the popular vote and had the opportunity to meet Zwick.

"I'm just here supporting. I think it's great to be involved in the community and pageants," said Zwick.

In addition to preparing for the Miss America pageant, Zwick spent the past year traveling the state attending many pageants and community events and traveling to Washington, D.C., to advocate for soldiers overseas.

Zwick said that Mr. Voorheesville was the first pageant she attended featuring men, and the Miss New York Organization is considering borrowing the idea to hold a Mr. New York competition to help raise money.

After the intermission, the show went on with the formal wear competition, and an impromptu

Proceeds from the event will go to benefit the girl's volleyball team and the school's chapter of Students Against Destructive Decision's. Shayna Morse, co-captain of the volleyball team and co-president of SADD, said, "[Mr. Voorheesville] psyches up our school a lot. It's a chance for Voorheesville to come together and get a taste of something different."

question for each candidate.

She said the proceeds will go to help the volleyball team attend a summer camp at SUNY Albany held with the university team's players and coaches.

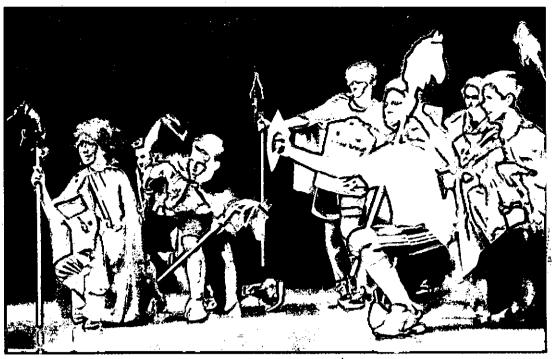
"It's a big portion; it helps out a lot," she said.

Proceeds will also go to fund \$100 scholarships on behalf of SADD.

Sandy Vorse, coach of the volleyball team and coordinator of the event, said she appreciated the candidates performing to raise money for the team and SADD.

"It's overwhelming when the boys do this for us and volunteer their time," she said. "They have good spirit.

Although final numbers were not in by press time, Vorse hopes that the competition raised enough money to grant three \$100 SADD scholarships and help reduce the cost of the summer volleyball camp by half, or \$175.



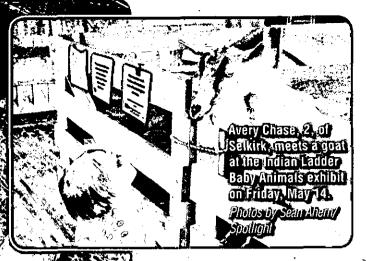


Clayton A. Bouton High School students compete for the title of Mr. Voorheesville 2010 in a competition Friday, May 14, at the school.

Ryan Munks/Spotlight



# **Entertainment** in the Spotlight



For more than 10 years, Indian Ladder Farms has held Baby Animal Days in the month of May. This vear's event, ending Sunday, May 23, offers children a chance to learn about farm animals like sheep, cows, pigs, chickens, turkeys, ducks and a goat named Charlie.,The experience is popular with families and school trips and helps younger kids understand the relationship between animals and the products they give us.

# INDIAN LADDER FARMS' BABY ANIMAL DAYS LLOWS PEOPLE TO GET A CLOSER LOOK AT FARM LIFE

By ALYSSA JUNG junga@spotlightnews.com

Baby animals need tender loving care, just like children, and that's something Indian Ladder Farms is trying to show with Baby Animal Days, which takes place through Sunday, May 23. Families or school groups spend time in the barn learning about proper care of baby farm animals, gently touching them or taking pictures with them. Then they can head over to the learning center attached to the store for demonstrations involving bees, wool and other aspects of animal care.

"The important reason we do it is to expose children to natural farm animals because there are a lot of opportunities for children to go and visit 200 animals or exotic ones, but this is one of the few places they "can see regular farm animals," said Cecilia Soloviev, retail manager.

"Kids aren't really sure if a chicken takes milk, or anything about farm animals, so this is a way for city kids who don't see animals on regular basis to learn."

Soloviev gives barn tours and demonstrations during the monthlong event. Her hope, she said, is to help young children — and even their parents — gain an appreciation for what a farm animal does and why they're so important.

"When we appreciate what a farm animal does for us, we start. to appreciate why it's important to take care of them and why what farmers are doing for us are important," said Soloviev. "People lose track of where our food is coming from and forget it's important for all of us to work together. Milk doesn't come from a truck; it comes from a



cow. Animals are important in a bigger picture of the world."

Soloviev knows firsthand how important farm animals are to making the world go 'round. She grew up on a farm in California and in addition to everyday farm work and animal care, she formed a special bond with them.

"I once had a baby goat that was, like, my most favorite goat and it was really sick; so I had to sleep with it to make sure it was OK all night, That's the extent that I feel for animals," said Soloviev. "No matter what attitude I come to work with, by the time I'm finished working with them, even if it's freezing or hot, I'm relaxed, happy, calm and everything is right with the world. It's a way of touching the Earth and realizing our place within it."

When the baby animals arrive for their monthlong stay, Soloviev tries to gather a mix — goats, sheep, cows, pigs, chickens, ducks, turkeys and rabbits. She also does a demonstration with the farm's observation bee hive to show where honey comes from and why bees aren't something to be afraid of but something we need.

"A part of them really opens up when they touch and interact with the animals," said Soloviev.

When Baby Animal Days wrap up at the end of May, another chance to learn about life on a farm and animal care will start up in the summer. Barn School Day Camps, specifically the program called Life on the Farm in the 1800s, teaches home skills that were required for farm life centuries ago.

"On the last day we dress up in period costumes and do all of our chores and activities in dress up. These are great programs that help to teach forgotten skills to a new generation of young people," said Soloviev.

This is Jazz. She is a beautiful and very sweet female orange tiger. She is very affectionate with women, but shy with men.



**HOMES FOR ORPHANED PETS EXIST (H.O.P.E.)** Has a mission to give homeless dogs & cats in Saratoga County a second chance for a wonderful life. (518) 428-2994 info@HopeAnimalRescue.org

197 Wolf Road, Colonie 12 Fire Road, Clifton Park 118 Quaker Road, Queensbury 3083 Route 50, Saratoga Springs

The farm is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and admission is \$5 per child for 74 Baby Animal Days.



# Arts and Entertainment

#### Theater

ARSENIC AND OLD LACE Famous comedy, presented by Our Own Productions, Emmanuel-Friedens Church, 218 Nott Terrace, Schenectady, May 20-23, adults \$15, students/seniors \$12. Information, 356-2306.

#### OUR TOWN

Thornton Wilder's well-known play, presented by Albany Civic Theater, 235 Second Ave., Albany, through May 23, performances Fridays through Sundays, adults \$15, students \$10. Information, 462-1297.

#### SPIRIT!

· Play about residents at a senior citizens' home refusing to "act their age," presented by Hilltown Players, May 23, 4 p.m., Bethlehem Area YMCA, Delaware Avenue, Delmar, Information, 872-9455.

#### Music

#### LELAND SUNDRIES AND DAN KAPLAN

Indie-Americana artists, May 21, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany free. Information, 512-5100.

#### VALERIE WEBB

Powerpop musician, with opening act Kyle Miller, May 21, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's Uptown, Town Center Plaza, 1704 Western Ave., Guilderland, free. Information, 250-4196.

#### JIM KWESKIN & GEOFF MULDAUR

Special 50th anniversary fundraiser for historic folk music space, May 21, 7 p.m., Caffe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, \$75. Information, 583-0022.

#### **BOB WARREN**

Singer-songwriter, May 21, 7:30 p.m. Boght Arts Center, 583 Boght Road, Co-1 hoes, \$10, Information, 785-2787.

#### PETER WOLF

Lead singer from J. Geils Band performs selections from his new album, "Midnight Souvenirs," May 21, 8 p.m.; The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$34.50. Information, 473-1845. - \*

#### JOHN KELLER

Folk rocker, May 22, 7 p.m., Emack and en Bolios, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany free The Elernal Light of Egypt, through Information, 512-5100.

#### in Drawn EMERALD DAWN

Celtic/rock duo, May 22, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's Uptown, Town Center Plaza, 1704 Western Ave., Guilderland, free. Information, 250-4196.

#### PHIL OCHS SONG NIGHT

ing Kim and Reggis Harris, John Flynn, Magpie, David Roth, Greg Greenway, Pat Wictor and Nancy Tucker, May 22, 8 p.m.,

· \*

WAMC Performing Arts Studio, 339 Central Ave., Albany, \$18. Information, 465-5233, ext. 4.

#### CAFFE LENA 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Special show featuring Arlo Guthrie and Robin & Linda Williams, May 22, 8 p.m., Zankel Music Center, Skidmore College, Saraoga Springs. Information, 583-0022.

"CHAI AND GOODBYE: A MUSICAL SEND-OFF"

Ne'imah Jewish Community Chorus says farewell to founders Rosemary and Joel Linsider with special performance, May 23, 8 p.m., WAMC Performing Arts Studio, 339 Central Ave., Albany, \$15. Information, 465-5233, ext. 4. 1. 6

#### Comedy

MOP AND BUCKET COMPANY Weekly improv comedy/music show, May 21, 8 p.m., Proctors Underground, 432 State St., Schenectady, adults \$14, students/seniors \$6: Information, 346-6204 - **1**-

#### Poetry

#### **URBAN GUERILLA THEATRE**

Spoken word troupe performs "Heart Break Hotel," a show for "all the lonely hearts, and those who need to vent and release," May 21, 8 p.m., WAMC Per-forming Arts Studio, 339 Central Ave., Albany, advance tickets \$10, door price \$15. Information, 465-5233, ext. 4.

#### Visual Arts

#### NEW YORK STATE MUSEUM ?

"Focus on Nature XI," through Oct, 31;~ "Birds of New York and the Paintings of-Louis Agassiz," through Sept. 6; Stone-ware of New York," through summer 2010; plus "Beneath the City: An Archeo-Ionical 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

through December: plus The Folk Spirit of Albany: Folk Art from the Colletcion of the Albany Institute of History and Art" and exhibits on Hudson River School painting, , American sculpture and the history of Albany, 125 Washington Ave. Information, 463-4478.

#### \*An all-star tribute to the folk icon feature attack , ALBANY AIRPORT GALLERY "Material Witness," through June 20; -

•47 Galaxies

49 Ionian gulf

56 "Mighty \_\_\_\_

62 Bay window

Rose'

58 Vault

51 Cuddled up ·

52 More than satisfy

61 Archeologist's find

64 Small wildflowers

plus installations by Paul Katz, Harry Leigh, Harold Lohner, Lillian Mulero, Ken

7 16 W

а

-Ragsdale, Nancy Shaver and Joy Taylor-Information, 242-2243 ALBANY CENTER GALLERY

Mohawk Hudson Regional Invitational, through June 5, 39 Columbia St., Albany. Information, 462-4775.

AFRICAN REFLECTIONS GALLERY Grand , opening , featuring , wild life photographs by artists from Tanzania and the Seychelles, 165 South Pearl St., second floor, Albany. Information, 339-7085 or 788-8282. BOGHT ARTS CENTER

"The Good Earth: Flora & Fauna:" through

May 28, 583 Boght Road, Cohoes. Information, 785-2787. **`**\* **BROOKSIDE MUSEUM** Equine art by Sharon Miller, through July

31, 8 Charlton St., Ballston Spa. Information, 885-4000.

MABEE FARM HISTORIC SITE "Whatsits," through Sept. 25, 1080 Main St., Rolterdam Junction. Information, 877-5073.

MIMOSA GALLERY

#### New exhibit featuring paintings by Jeremy Lebediker and Stu Eichel, through June

27, 70c Beekman St., Saratoga Springs: Information, 583-1163. NATIONAL MUSEUM OF DANCE "Postage Paid: Dance Around the "In a Labyrinth: The Dance World." of Butoh," "Ballett Russes Centennial Exhibit," and the C.V. Whitney Hall of Fame, through Fall 2010, 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 exhbits including "East of Detroit" and New York racing, 110 Avenue of the Pines, Saratoga Springs. Information, 587-1935, ext. 20.

#### TANG TEACHING MUSEUM

AND GALLERY "Fred Tomaselli," through June 16; "Opener 19: Los Carpinteros, through Aug. 31; Skidmore College, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Informalion, 580-8080 (511 (5110) 1.4

#### LOP CLARK ART INSTITUTE "Constable and After: Sir Edwin Manton

and the British Landscape," through June 23; 225 South St. Williamstown, Mass. Information, (413) 458-9545. ARKELL MUSEUM

Weekly Crossword

13

16

19

Works by Fred Breglia, Iris M. Kirkwood and Scott Luscombe, through May 30; "Arkell's Inspiration: the Marketplus. ing of Beech-Nut and Art for the People," ongoing; Canajoharie. Information, 673-2314.

13 Put \_\_\_\_ on: limit ....

26 Kind of trip

21 Gala .

24 Taste

17 Emulate a miser

28 Ibsen works

29 Patron saint of

artists and smiths

·11.

## **Call for Artists**

SARATOGA SPRINGS YOUTH • ¿ ORCHESTRA

Holding auditions for the 2010-11 season open to students from across the Capital District that are a NYSSMA level 5 or 6 (or comparable level). Information, ssyopres@aol.com or 573-1821.

~ THE CHORALIERS

Musical group looking for singers of all abilities, performs concerts at Christmas and in the spring, pieces are familiar and fun to sing, no auditions are necessary, practices are 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays at H Schenectady.

Looking for women interested in vocal 2 SIENA COMMUNITY CHORALE . held the first Thursday of every month. Information; 374-5536; 1 = 5

SARATOGA ARTS

display their works at its downtown gallery shop. Information, Adrianna Flax 584-4132 or aflax@saratoga-arts.org.,

**CLIFTON PARK COMMUNITY** CHORUS

Ongoing rehearsals for its winter concert. Shenendehowa Adult Community Center, Clifton Common, Clifton Park, no auditions required to join. Information, 371-6681.

**CAPITALAND 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 Orlanso 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 9,1 Newtonville. Information, 783-2760.

**COLONIE CENTENNIAL BRASS CHOIR** 

Openings for brass players, rehearsals on first Thursday and third Tuesday of the

1.1.15

14

17

#### month, at 7:15 p.m., town hall, Route 9, Shenendehowa Senior Center, Clifton Newtonville. Information, 783-2760.

#### SUBURBAN SOUNDS 👘 🖛 COMMUNITY CHORUS

Openinos 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.

#### SIENA CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

Saint 'Clares' Chapel, 'McClellan' Street, \* Rehearsals Thursdays at 7:30 p.m., Siena College, Route 9, Loudonville. Informa-ETUDE CLUB

CUTANI

and instrumental performance, meetings 'Rehearsals' Mondays at 6 p.m., Siena ; College, Route 9, Loudonville. Information, 783-2325.

#### . THE ORCHESTRA ON THE COMMON

Seeking local artists and fine crafters to Openings in the string section, also need French horn, trombone, flute and bass drum players, rehearsals Friday at 9 a.m.,

Common, Clifton Park, Information, 372-° 5146.

#### **ELECTRIC CITY CHORUS**

Male singing group, training provided, rehearsals at Faith United Methodist Church, Brandywine Avenue and Eastern Parkway, Schenectady, Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. Information, 399-1846.

#### RIVER VALLEY CHORUS

Sweet Adelines group based in Niskayuna is looking for women to join group. Information, 346, 5349.

#### MONDAY MUSICAL CLUB WOMEN'S CHORUS

Invitation forsnew members to join in singing classical and popular songs, Third Reformed Church, 20 Ten Eyck Ave., Albany, Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. Information, 477-4454. 1 74

#### ARTISTS WANTED

Exhibit space available for original paintings at Local Color Art Gallery, 1138 Troy-Schenectady Road, Latham. Information, 220-9027.

SADOKA										
م				5			6	8		
		•			9					
8		-				2	3	7		
à tha c	4.	°2 <b>€</b> *	*		7		5			
h	2		10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 -	9	3 Š.	\$ a.				
	7	,			3	6		1		
6			9	-			. 4	4		
4	8		•••	ي. من	111 111		чы т	inan - Nesis		
		nge in Al and	, asd	6	8	51	18 80	2		

Here's How It Works: The of affinite transfer the the theory of

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine

3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each

row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row,

column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will

appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The

8

15

18

21,

9

10

22

11'

-14

12

more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

astoritor the heading see is

18 Dinesen's Africa";

ACROSS

4 Granary

13 Buffalo

14 Follow

1 Fish feature

8 Was curious

15 Watered silk

16 Tiny intelligence?

11

19 Punish, legally 20 Pontiff 22 Plaything 23 Explosives 25 Busy as 27 "

consummation devoutly .... "Hamlet" 28 Old TV series 31 Western capital 34 Comic Sahl 36 Just 37 Mrs. Cantor , to 38 Short heat waves? 41 Charged particle 42 Hanks role 44 Bridge coup 45 Marner's adopted daughter 

66 Painting category 67 Irani money 68 Entertainer Adams 70 Advantage 71 Desire DOWN

1 Wharton's Ethan 2 Cove 3 Certain ester. 4 Chargers 5 Fleming 6 Have ess trouble 7 Margarine 8 Unicellular creature 9 Trifle 10 Tiny aromatic herb? 11-Smash ender 12 Resist

30 Ms. Daly 31 Omen 32 Together, musically 33 Small diplomas? 35 Sheherazade's room 39 Treatment 40 Arguments 43 Play;on words 46 Patterned fabric 48 Pacified, 50 Church money raiser 53 Stage whisper 54 Basketball score , ... 55 What \_\_\_\_ is new? 56 Theater section 57 Region 59 Farm unit. 60 Receipt stamp 63 Before, to poets 65 Fall behind 

23				*		24			25 •		26			
			27			•		28	-	•			29	30
31	32	33				34	35				36			
37				38	39					40 ,		41	* 4	
42			43 ,		44					45	46	*		
47			,	48				49	50 ·					
		51						52				53	54	55
56	57			58		59	60		61	_		: .	• •	
62		• •	63			64.		65			•••	-	-	
66			ر ن <u>م ،</u>			67					<b>68</b>			
69			•			70					71	¥	*	

DIMINUTIVES

20

# **Board OKs budgeted borrowing**

#### **Bethlehem will use** \$1.4M to cover expenses

#### By CHARLES WIFF wiffc@spotlightnews.com

The Bethlehem Town Board has approved \$1.4 million in borrowing that will cover many expenses approved in the 2010 budget.

The board voted unanimously Wednesday, May 12, to allow the comptroller to seek lending for this year's road paving projects, various equipment purchases and the purchase of three police cars. The matter had been set to be decided at the last board meeting in late April, but board members had outstanding questions about the bonding process.

Joseph Scott, of Hodgson Russ Attorneys, the firm acting as bond counsel to the town, was present to address some of the concerns, which included the timing of borrowing, the town's outstanding credit and how long the loans would be taken out.

Scott's firm works as bond counsel for most of the large suburban communities in the area, and essentially prepares an opinion on the municipality and borrowing for potential lenders. Putting an independent stamp' of approval on the. resolutions comes at a premium though—in this case, \$2,000 per instance and \$1 for every \$1,000 authorized for bonding.

Thus, grouping the resolutions together saves the town money.

The-town has

7

-)

• 7

traditionally avoided borrowing, preferring instead to pay cash on all but the largest expenses. More small-scale bonding was included in the 2010 budget, however, in the midst of uncertain financial times and with the rationalization that bonding purchases over the life of the item is a more equitable scenario for taxpayers.

"There's a strong fairness argument for spreading the municipal projects over a period of time, because people are enjoying them over a period of time," Scott said.

A prime example is the estimated \$780,000 worth of paving the town's Highway Department was authorized to borrow for this year. The average Town of Bethlehem road lasts for 13 years, said department Superintendent Gregg Sagendorph, so the idea is to distribute the burden to all who will use it rather than hitting current taxpayers with the cost all at once.

The town plans to pave roads in Colonial Acres and on Elm Avenue from around the town park to Feura Bush Road.

The town will also bond for items like a sewer vacuum truck and backhoe truck, among other equipment, and buy three police cars for \$80,000. Four cars were previously discussed, but because one car was totaled and replaced by insurance in December only three are needed.

The fact shortterm interest rates are extremely favorable a better decision, said town Comptroller Suzanne Traylor.

"Right now, we're looking at short-term BANs [bond anticipatory notes] around 1 percent," she said.

The town can then roll those notes into long-term borrowing or continue taking short-term notes for up to five years.

Supervisor Sam Messina said borrowing can be required to maintain the quality of life the town's residents are accustomed to.

"I think it's a good idea, and I'm glad we supported it," he said.

More than \$400,000 of work to Town Hall was not included in the authorized borrowing. The renovations, which included repairs to the courthouse roof and building masonry as well as expansions of upstairs offices to make way for new staff, were the subject of some debate at the previous board meeting.

Messina said the resolution would be taken up at a later meeting, after town staff have had a chance to come up with more precise numbers on what the project would entail and how much it would cost.

"It was kind of a more current situation that we're dealing with," he said of the repairs. "I believe this will be brought back to the board again in about a month or so."

The Town Board also approved the hiring

also makes borrowing of Robin Nagengast to the position of an administrative aid in the Planning Department.

> **Director of Economic** Development and Planning Michael Morelli said she would fill in for two employees that left the department, and one of the vacancies will be eliminated.

> There was some question as to how the decision fits into the town's hiring freeze. Messina said when he tried to check the provisions of the freeze, which was implemented under the previous administration, he could not find anything in writing.

"I don't think we've ever been under a hiring freeze that I can document, and we're not under one now," he said.

The position also was not advertised on the town's Web site. Human Resources Director Mary Tremblay-Glassman said for civil service positions like this one, the town must first check with the county to see if there is a list of scores from the last service exam and, if there, is, interview from that. If there is no list, the position would be advertised.

We can't post a position if we have to fill it from a civil service list because technically now anyone can apply for it," she said.

A motion to pass a resolution declaring support for Bethlehem becoming a Fair Trade Town was removed from the agenda at the request of the Fair Trade Delmar Campaign.

# **Library offering** wireless printing

It's happened to most of us - important correspondence, a school paper, or a business project is done just under the wire, we go to print...and nothing happens. So we copy it to a disk and make a mad dash to the library so we can print it before the doors close at 9 p.m.

Well, the library has heard your panicked cries and responded. We now offer wireless printing service, and it's easy. Forward your print job from your home computer, laptop or mobile device to a dedicated printer at the library information desk. You will receive a unique numeric release code. Just punch in the code on the keypad next to the printer, and voila!

The system ensures privacy and security. Documents are not printed until you enter your code. Your document is permanently deleted after it's printed Documents left unprinted for more than 24 hours are automatically deleted.

You can access this service from a link on our website or in the library from our network. Visit or call the information desk at 439-9314 ext. 3009 for help with a walkthrough.

> Parent program "Baby-wearing," or



carrying a baby on your chest, hip or back usinga sling, wrap or pouch, is a worldwide tradition that has garnered interest among U.S. parents in recent years. Experts say that this method promotes. bonding, soothes colic, and facilitates preemie development.

You can learn safe and proper babywearing techniques at a workshop Thursday, May 20, at 7 p.m. at the library. Volunteers with the local interest group Sling Babies will facilitate the workshop. An educator with training from Babywearing International will be on hand to demonstrate a variety of carriers, answer questions, and address concerns.

This "bring your own baby" program is part of the library's parenting series "It Takes a Village." Call the library at 439-9314 for more information. http://www.com -he

#### Pajama-rama

Tuesday, June 1, 7 p.m.

Wear your PJs and bring your favorite stuffed animal for bedtime stories, songs and dancing. Up to age 6 and families. 







Private Residence ~ Assisted Living Facilities Senior Housing Complexes

 Errands Provide Light - Housekeeping. 🔄 Take out Garbage Oroanize & Clean Closets 🖲 Change Linens Monitor Diet & Eating

Companionship & Conversation

Personal Papers Pick up Prescriptions. Assist with Pet Care Grocery Shop ---Organize Bills Drop off & pick up Dry Cleaning Prepare Meals forthe Week Help with Travel

Organize Mail &

Local & Family-Owned by Michelle Kavanaugh & Terri Fish Bonded & Insured for your protection Hour Free Consultation 518 528-2622 or 518-316-1150 Email: MandTHelpingHands@nycap.rr.com EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

# Your Community in The Spotlight

#### **Delmar student** to attend Julliard

تعبر الأيسو The Spotlight

, La Salle Institute students and 2010 graduates Brian Shank and Ryan Reilly have been accepted to The Julliard School.

Shank and Reilly, who have both participated for several years in the Pre-College Program at Julliard, will major in the **Classical Music Bachelor** of Arts Program.

Reilly, a resident of Delmar, is the son of Kendall and Christopher Reilly. Reilly has performed with the La Salle Institute Jazz Ensemble and Symphonic Band and has. performed solos at the Luzerne Music Center Symphony Orcehstra, the Luzerne Festival Orchestra, the Empire State Youth Orchestra, and the Empire State Repertory Orchestra, the Trov Music Hall. the Classical Chamber **Concert Series Rising** Stars Program in Naples, Florida, and Carnegie Hall's Weill Recital Hall.

Reilly and Shank are, both Honor Students and Ea Salle who have received multiple awards in music; and academics. , , , e. pr

Reilly and Shank will graduate on May 15.

Shank, a resident of Valatie, is the son of Charles and Sue Shank. He participates in the Julliard Pre-College Orchestra and Percussion Ensemble and the Empire State Youth Orchestra, has participated in the La Salle Jazz Ensemble and Symphonic band, and has studied percussion at the NYSSSA School of Orchestral Studies, Julliard Percussion Seminar, and Berklee College of Music Percussion Festival.

Shank has also played with the Schenectady Symphony Orchestra. Bard College Symphony Orchestra, and the Catheral of All Saints Boys Choir.

#### **HVCC** faculty hundrad

College's annual Faculty Honors Convocation at the Maureen Stapleton Theatre.

The eight recipients are: Anne Dearing, Assistant Professor in the Department of English, Modern languages and English as a Second Language: Larry Ellis. Associate Director of Student Development; Scott Hathaway, Associate Professor in the Department of English. Modern Languages and English as a Second Language:

Susan L. Kutryb, Assistant Professor. Mathematics and Engineering Science; Daniel Polak, Professor in the Department of History, Philosophy and Social Science;

Judith Romano Associate Professor/ Department Chairperson, Dental Hygiene; Deborah Shoemaker, Director, Community and **Professional Education**; and Kathleen Woods, Secretary II, Office of the Vice President for Administration.

#### Ten Broeck to host Spring Tea

Ten Broeck Mansion in Albany will host Spring Tea in the Garden on June 5 at 1 p.m.

The event will feature teas, dessert, and sandwiches in the gardens of Ten Broeck Mansion and musical selections from jazz pianist Chris-Milkins.

Admission is \$20 per person, and proceeds will benefit the Albany County Historical Association's education programs and maintenance of Ten 'Broeck Mansion.

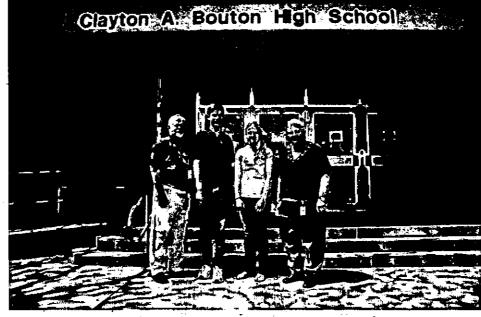
Pre-paid reservations are required. Ten Broeck Mansion is located at 9 Ten Broeck Place in Albany.

For more information, call 518-436-9826.

#### **Artists invited** to Arboretum

The Pine Hollow Arboretum will host a

Caps off



Karen Dawson (third from left) and Michael Soressi (second from left) were officially named Valedictorian and Salutatorian, respectively, by Mr. Mark Diefendorf, Principal of the Clayton A. Bouton High School. Dawson' is a member of the National Honor Society; a four-year participant of Mock Trial, Model United Nations and Stage Band, among other activities. Salutatorian, Michael Eoressi is a member of the National Honor Society and has received Academic Excellence Awards in Regants Chemistry, AP US History, English Honors and Mathematics. Dawson will be attending Clarkson University in the fall, and Soressi will be attending Brigham Young University. The Clayton A. Bouton High School Class of 2010 will celebrate its Commencement on Campus at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, June 25, 2010.

Submitted photo

#### hamletfrom Delmar. There Unitarian Church to host plant sale

The First Unitarian Universalist Society will host a perennial plant sale on May 29 from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. at 18 Salisbury Road. - fer weelt

For information, call . 'tf: 439-6347.

#### **Five Rivers to** offer nature programs

Five Rivers will offer several family oriented nature programs this spring.

A program on honey bees will be conducted at the NYSDEC Five Rivers **Environmental Education** Center, at 56 Game Farm Road, in Delmar at 10 a.m. on Saturday, May 29. Staff naturalists will tour the outdoor beehive to discuss first-hand the fascinating natural history

for Friends of Five Rivers members.

On May 29, an outdoor study of common insects will be conducted at 2 p.m naturalists from Five Rivers will lead a' search along Center trails for all things six-legged. Staff will identify and discuss the fascinating natural history, ecology and socioeconomic importance of insect specimens which participants may sweepnet along the way, before returning them to the wild. unharmed. 

This program is open to the public free of charge. Call 518-475-0291 for more information.

#### Heiderberg Church to hold garage and bake sale

The Helderberg Reformed Church in Guilderland will hold a bake and garage sale on Saturday, June 12.

The sale will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and will also feature crafts and lunch.

Table rentals for the garage sale are available for \$15, and can be purchased by calling Pauline at 357-0140.

The Helderberg **Reformed Church is** located on Route 146 in Guilderland Center.

#### Senior Idol to be held June 9 🗸

Tickets are now on sale for Senior Services of Albany's 5th Annual Senior Idol Show, which will be held on June 9 at Myers Middle School.

The show will begin at 6 p.m. and will feature older adults from around the room showcasing their talents, including tap dancers, singers, musicians, and choral groups.

Tickets are \$10 each or \$8 each for groups of 10 or more. Tickets can be purchased by calling 463-4381 or by visiting www.seniorservicesofalbany. com.

All proceeds will benefit Senior Services of Albany.

may be submitted on July will be a large garage 17 from 10 a.m. – noon for **Church to host** 

strawberry an F dinner weiter a

display.

Avenue. Framed artwork

The Unionville **Reformed** Church in Selkirk will host a strawberry dinner on June 5. Dinner will be served at 4:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Take-out dinners are available at 5 p.m., 6 p.m., and 7 p.m. Cost is \$10 for. adults, \$4 for children and free for children younger than 5. 📖 

Reservations are required. Call 768-2183.

#### **Feura Bush** Library to host sale

The Feura Bush Neighborhood Library will be holding a book

ful, of books, videos and sound recordings of every possible kind. Indian Ladder

# hosts animal davs

Baby animal days will take place at Indian Ladder Farms until May 23.

Children will have an opportunity to get up close to learn about farm animals.

Indian Ladder Farms are located at 342 Altamont Road, and can be reached at ?65-2700.

#### GPL to present bird seminar -

The Guilderland Public Library will host a seminar entitled, "Pet Bird Basics and Beyond What You Need to Know" on Monday, June 7 at Guilderland Fublic

Eight members of the faculty and staff and Hudson Valley Community College received the State University of New York Chancellor's Award for Excellence for 2010. The recipients were honored on May 13 at Hudson Valley Community	5 and June 12 from 10 a.m 4 p.m at their location at 16 Maple Ave in Slingerlands. Artists are invited to create renderings of the surroundings in any medium. To register, call	sale beginning on Friday May 21 and continuing Saturday May 22. The hours will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The sale will be held at 38 Unionville-Feura Bush Rd. in Feura Bush. This road is off Route 32 on the far end of the	For information, call 453-2400.	There will be a materials fee of \$3 per family, and \$1 <b>Got sports news?</b> Spotlight Newspapers welco sports events and updates on ath	mes articles on community
SABIC Innova Plastic	ative <b>S</b>	ىلىل abic <sup>a</sup>	ws is spons nd SELK ed to serving t		GEN "

Square

unit buildings. Developer Lee Rosen recently added several townhomes to the mix.

(From Page 1)

In addition, 20,000 to 40,000 square feet of commercial space in four buildings would be built at the intersection of the roads. Sixty to 65 percent of the 17-acre lot would be preserved as green space. but that's generally federal wetland areas that would be unlawful to develop.

The project is in a hamlet zone, a result of the town's Comprehensive Plan designed to encourage neighborhood-scale mixeduse developments. The district was created as a reflection of the town's need to diversify development, said Planning Board member John Smolinsky, who was also involved in the creation of the town's Comprehensive Plan.

"Out tax base consists primarily of residential, single-family development, and in a nutshell, that doesn't always pay for itself." he said.

The Planning Board scheduled the public hearing — which is not required under law --- after many nearby residents protested the project. More than 20 residents spoke against it, and almost every one hailed from one of the surrounding developments like Colonial Acres, Walden Fields or Chadwick Square, all of which Rosen's father spearheaded.

By far the most oftencited concern was traffic congestion, with many residents saying they already have trouble getting out of their driveways or developments at times.

"Adding vehicles to a road that has failing or near failing grades constitutes

7)

. **. .** .

a problem," said David Kissinger, who has cochaired a group of Walden Fields residents opposed to the project.

It's hard enough to get out of Colonial Acres now ... and with increased building it will be even more difficult, said resident Joan Travis.

The intersection of Feural Bush Road and Elsmere Avenue has a DOT rating of "F," but town Director of Economic Development and Planning Michael Morelli said this rating applies only to the peak evening rush of traffic, and the intersection works fine at other times.

There is some buildup of traffic there; there's no question about it," he said. The DOT is satisfied with this proposal.

The Kendall Square plans call for creating three exit/entrance points on Feura Bush and Elsmere to keep travelers away from the intersection.

"The majority of the trips generated by this project will not pass through that intersection," said project engineer Francis Bossolini.

Morelli outlined the town's plans for road development in the Glenmont area at the meeting. The plan all along has been to use development to connect roads in the area, he said, creating more local traffic options and also making north/south, east/west connections in an Elsmere Avenue extension and the completion of Kimmey Drive.

The idea is interconnected neighborhoods," Morelli said.

Planning Boar Chairman George Leveille pointed out road development is an expensive burden to put on taxpavers.

"We have to look towards the development process to pay for some of these improvements," he said.

The town's traffic plan also makes allowances for the development of sidewalks, with the goal of letting nearby residents walk or bike to services at places like Kendall Square.

But many neighbors said on Tuesday it was pointless to put commercial space in the middle of a residential area, and said they would continue to travel to Route 9W and not patronize any business at Kendall Square.

"Why on earth would you go to some little place here rather than where you need to go for your gasoline, your groceries, whatever?" said resident Mary Richards.

Others suggested small businesses should stick to established commercial zones, and fill empty storefronts there.

The developer does not have any businesses lined. up yet, but has suggested the spot would be ideal for small offices, dry cleaners or cafes.

Others were more general in their comments, including Albany County Legislator Charles Dawson, who lives in Chadwick Square.

"I oppose this project. I do not think it adds anything to our town, or community. In fact, I think it detracts from it," he said.

Among other topics, residents also questioned the tax benefit of the project, its visual impact and the stability of the apartment market.

There were a few attendees who spoke either in support of the development or in favor. of landowner's rights in general. Résident Bob Jazinski, who is a frequent attendee of town meetings, said if the project fits the zoning guidelines it should be allowed to go ahead.

He also said the majority of protestors were neighbors of the development, and called their concerns a "local" issue.

"I wonder if all of these people are going to appear at the other Planning Board [meetings]," he said. "I could've got up when Walden Fields was proposed and said I don't like it - I live on Bender Lane."

Irai (From Page 1)

in funding under the Federal Transportation Improvement Plan, but that will not cover the cost of completing the 9-mile trail, said Mary Duryea, a spokeswoman for County Executive Michael Breslin:

"We haven't really set a construction time to begin because we first want to get the funding in place," she said.

But the county has applied for \$5 million from the Department of Energy's Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program, which would cover the remainder of the estimated \$7.8 million cost of the project. Officials hope to know the result within the month.

Of the total project cost, an estimated \$3 million will be spent to repair eight bridges crossing various water ways and roads. The trail would be unsafe without the work. said county Department of Public Works. Commissioner Michael Franchini.

"We're making the minimum changes that can be made to make them safe for bicyclists and pedestrians," he said. "There seems to be a misunderstanding with some people that we're doing something else with these bridges. ... We just want to make them safe."

Of those eight bridges, he continued, two are lacking decks. The bridge



(From Page 1)

Since then both the assembly and senate proposed versions of the budget that included funding for the office to keep the parks open, however, nearly seven weeks have passed since the Thursday April deadline from the legislature and governor to pass a final version of the budget.

Ste d ite infat

A sign marks the future **location of the Albany County** Rail Trail.

Charles Wiff/Wpotlight

over New Scotland Road has been damaged from trucks colliding with it because it doesn't meet the clearance requirement.

"Replacing it with a premanufactured pedestrian bridge would actually be cheaper than repairing it," Franchini said.

That replacement is estimated to cost \$1 . million.

Completing the trail in one go rather than building it in pieces will save on construction costs, said officials. But local advocates said if the money doesn't come through, the funding that is in place should be spent. 🦻

"If the Department" of Energy grant is not awarded, we would like to ask the county to strongly consider moving forward with a reduced scope project to build a section of the Rail Trail so the community can realize the value of the Rail Trail immediately," said Dan

After the budget deadline had passed in early April, the possibility of Thacher closing down began to look more like a reality, when staff closed down the bathroom facilities in the park.

As of Monday, May 17. the entire park has been closed, with the exception of the overlook, "The Park is closed, the parking lots are gated, with the exception of the overlook," said Eileen Larrabee, director of communications

Rain, co-chair of Friends of the Rail Trail, a part of the Mohawk Hudson Land Conservancy.

The Spotlight

"If that funding doesn't come through, then there aren't really any other significant grants options right now," he continued.

Rain said FORT has researched three ways the secured funding could be used to partially build the trail.

Information on the county's Web site tentatively indicates that "the planning and design phase will be completed by the end of 2009 and that construction will extend into the fall of 2010."

If funding is secured through the Department of Energy grant, it's possible that some workmay be done this year, said Franchini, but officials did not offer specifics on a timeline even if the DOE grant comes through.

"Without funding in place, it's impossible to set a date for the rail trail's completion," said Duryea.

Construction would likely take one construction season, or about nine months. **1**. 1 -**-**, -

"The county completed. purchase of the rail trailcorridor form Canadian Pacific Railway in January. using a joint grant from the state Office of Parks and Recreation and the Scenic Hudson nonprofit. The trail is set to travel through the City of Albany, towns, of Bethlehem and New Scotland and the Village of Voorheesville.

for the Office of Parks, Recreation, and Historical Preservation.

Larrabee said that park has ceased its mowing and trail maintenance operations, closed the bathroom facilities, and reassigned staff to parks that are to remain open.

"This is about the economic. realities this agency, like other agencies, are dealing with," she said.

Larrabee said since the budget deadline passed the park has been operating on a week to week basis; however, as the weather gets warmer and more people utilize the parks services, the office does not have the funding to accommodate the crowds. "We are getting to the point where the number of people coming to the park has grown," she said. According to Larrabee, the eventual fate of the park depends upon the enacted version of the state's budget and the amount of funding the office receives. Until then she said the office discourages people from heading to the park. "We would discourage people from going to the park, except for the overlook," she said.



free consultation today!

Dearl grant Richmans Stuyvesant Plaza, Albany, NY 518-438-8409

## Has Your **Prince or Princess** Turned Into a FROG?

Project Equality focuses on high conflict behaviors in troubled and difficult relationships. Individual Counseling • Coaching • Classes Workshops • Relationship Assessments <u>Project Equality</u>

The Future of Relationships 706 Madison Ave., Albany, NY 12208 • 518-431-0004 -\*a ⊾a\*a www.projectequalityonline.com Affordable ~ Flexible Hours ~ Credit Cards Accepted **Pre-Arrangement: An Act of Love** 

**OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS CEMETERY** 41 Jolly Road, Glenmont

ALBANY DIOCESAN CEMETERIES A Tradition of Faith

We made our Catholic Cemetery Arrangements years ago, and we're glad we did!

www.rcdacemeteries.org

463-0134

could raise money to continue those sports eliminated in the 2010-11 budget. Genzano is also the president of the Football Booster Club.

Burbank said there a number of challenges to local business raising money for the booster clubs.

"The school district telling the booster clubs to go raise money isn't as easy as it sounds," she said. "The problem is there are booster clubs for every single sport.'

She said that raising money for each individual club could create a strain on local businesses. "You're talking 20 or more sports. ... It's going to stress all of

them," said Burbank. She said the chamber would be more open to hosting a few large fundraisers for the eliminated programs as a whole, as opposed to many different smaller. fundraisers.

"I want it to be a coordinated community effort," said Burbank.

She specifically mentioned holding a fundraiser alongside National Night Out, a crime awareness event hosted by

the Guilderland Police Benevolent Association that draws 3,000 people.

According to Burbank, raising money in a few large fundraisers would make it easier to divide the money fairly among the different clubs, and would pose less of a strain on local businesses. She also said she was speaking with Crossgates about the possibility of hosting a fundraiser in September.

Joe Castaldo, general manager of Crossgates, said that the mall is open to the idea of hosting the district's parentteacher organizations. and the booster clubs in a "Guilderland PTA night" to help them raise money.

We are already on it," he said.

Castaldo said that one idea would be to have representatives from the programs hand out literature and accept donations from mall patrons.

"There are a litany of things you can do," he said. "It's really about how creative you want to be."

"If the clubs could come together and do one fundraiser in July, one in August, and one in the mall in September, they would be in good shape," said Burbank.

# Eat at 'Lunchapalooza'

Come to the Four Corners Luncheonette, 2 Grove St. on Saturday, May 22, for "Lunchapolooza." Seniors can eat all day and benefit the Bethlehem Food Pantry, Grassroots Givers, The Legal Projects, Bethlehem Children's School and the Bethlehem Central Lab School. The cost is \$35 for adults, \$25 for children under 16, free for children under 5, \$90 for a family of four, and \$300 for groups of 10. Tickets are on sale at the Luncheonette, the Bethlehem Children's School or by contacting Roberta Sandler at 475-0907.

Mark your calendars. The Bethlehem Senior Chorus, under the direction of Claudia Summers, will present a fifth anniversary concert on Friday, June 11, at 1 p.m., at the Bethlehem Town Hall auditorium.

#### Program highlights Monday, May 24

•Carfit professionals will see if you and your car "fit". You will be checked for line of sight over the steering wheel, properly adjusted headrests, easy access to gas and brake pedals and other safety items. It will take place



Town of Bethlehem

between 3:00-5:00 pm at the Good Samaritan parking lot on Rockefeller Rd. Call 439-8116, ext. 224 to make an appointment.

**Tuesday, May 25** •Seniors in Motion No

## Wednesday, May 26

class today.

• Caregivers Support Group for those caring for a loved one who has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's and other dementias. Join us at 10:30 a.m. at the Town Hall to share successes, concerns, frustrations with others who will understand. Jane Sanders, LMSW, facilitates the discussion. Transportation can be arranged by calling 439-4955, ext. 1176.

 Senior grocery shopping for residents of Elsmere, Delmar, Slingerlands, North Bethlehem and Marie Rose Manor at Price Chopper in Slingerlands. For reservations, call 439-5770.

#### Thursday, May 27

 Senior grocery shopping for residents of Glenmont, Selkirk, and South Bethlehem Chopper in Glenmont. For reservations, call 439-5770.

•Bethlehem Senior Citizens Club meets for an enjoyable afternoon of games and socializing at the Bethlehem Town Hall auditorium, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 11:30 am to 3:30 pm. All seniors are welcome. Bring a sandwich and join others for lunch if you wish.

#### Friday, May 28

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

 Senior grocery shopping for residents of Good Samaritan Senior Housing and Van Allen Senior Apartments at Price Chopper in Glenmont. For reservations, call 439-5770.

Wilma DeLucco, Bethlehem Senior Projects, Inc. board member

#### **GUILDERLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY** vww.guilpl.org

# Movies are back

Last year's "Disney at Hannaford at Price Family Fridays" film festival at the Guilderland Public Library was so popular that many parents and children asked the Library to do it again, so the next series begins Friday, June 4. This first event will be a showing of a movie about a Swiss family - named Robinson -who become shipwrecked on a tropical island. (They build the coolest tree house you've ever seen.) The series continues on most Friday evenings during June and July.

This season, going to the movies at the library will be even better. Thanks to a grant from Assemblyman Jack McEneny, a new ceiling-mounted projection system has been installed; it provides a bigger, brighter, and crisper picture. So when you come to see these Disney classics, you won't have to worry about bumping into the projector or blocking the screen. (Pre-show shadow puppets, as always, are encouraged.) And it gives you more room to spread out. Will there be popcorn? Of course.

Spotlight on REAL ESTATE



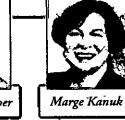


**April Agents of the Month** 











PRIME PROPERTIES

Julie Mazzaferro

www.realtyusa.com

#### Page 24 • May 19, 2010

avail-

rates.

\$10/hr.

FT/PT/24hrs.

References.

SITUATION WANTED

at

Registered Nurse/Mental

Health- Seeking Home

Care Position. Assist with

health care and compan-

ionship. Evening or night

shift. Negotiable hourly

SPORTS EQUIPMENT

FOR SALE

Wrestling Gear (boys) for

TUTORING

Math Tutoring; 40 years

exp. Grades 7 - 12. Refer-

ences available. Save this

WANTED

BUYING: All Old Costume

and Better Jewelry. Call

Dr R. MALEBRANCHE (ret).

WOULD THANK YOU FOR A

CHANCE AT BUYING YOUR

OLD WATCHES (POCKET

AND WRIST) AND CLOCKS.

LARGE COLLECTIONS ARE

WELCOME. 518 882-1507.

WANTED TO BUY

postcards, books, playing

LEAVE MESSAGE PRN:

Pre 1920 photographs,

PARTS.

number: 439-0610.

439-6129.

MOVEMENTS,

shoes, earguards,

Please call 885-

rate. 518-756-8631

Nurse/aides

Excellent

Starting

sale-

2637.

etc.

affordable'

518-203-8723

able.

# **Spotlight Classifieds**

#### ADOPTION

Adoption: Loving parents and their 9 year old adopted daughter would love a baby brother or sister. Stay at home mom, professional dad. Expenses paid. Please call Becky/ Mike 800-472-1835

Adoption: Loving professional woman wishes to become world's happiest mommy and provide warm, stable home filled with joy and limitless love to your newborn. Assistance with expenses. Rose~866-283-4107

ADOPTION: PREGNANT? Forever Families Through. Adoption (FFTA) is a local New York licensed adopagency providing tion compassionate counseling, financial help, and assistance matching you with Please right family. the cal 922

nswers		3	4	T	6	1	I	2	ľ	7	8	3	5	ļ	9
Ve	8	3	9	Ι	5	e	3	1	ŀ	4	2	2	3		7
SI	2	2	· 6	1	7	v,	3	8	<b>•</b>	9	. <b>T</b>	ŀ	1	!	5
	1	1	3		4	7	7	5	[	2	9	)	6	1	8
	ε	Α	S	ε	D		ε	D	G	E		Y	E	N	
In	G	E	Ν	R	ε		R	1	A	L		E	D	-l'	Ē
lper	ō	R	T	Ē	Ē		С	Ā	Ŀ	F	ŝ	Ē	Ť	Ρ	ŝ
	Ĺ	A	ĸ		Ľ	Ē	Â	P	-	4	Ó	Ś	s	Ť	Ľ.
Jľ(	14		S	z		ſG			շխ		÷	f	Α	Т	Ε
S	GZ	_	МB		L	S A	L E	Α	≥∣≤	B	E	A	2	1	E
Crossword	-	D	A	Р	Ρ	U V	Ρ-	Þ	A	Y	SL	P	1 P	0	N
0I	S	Α	L	Ε	Δ		Μ	_	R	Т	Ô	0	_	L	Y
		_	`	Т	-	S	_		ם	R	Α		z	E	T
Answers	٩	ε	Т	Α	R	D	S			Α	В	E	E		
IS	A	М	E	R	С	Ë		Ρ	0	Ρ	Ę		Ť	0	Y
M	С	0	L	Т	S	E	N	S	E		0	Ū	Т	0	F
JI:	А	, R	Ň	1		т	À	-	ī		M	ō	Î		E
-		F		N		s	П		ō		A	S	к	E	D
2-367				_			9	Call	-80	0-5	36	-14	01>	12	24
l Joy	at	FF	TA	രി	-86	56-	t	:101	151	пте	er Na	atı	ona	ц.с	;on

8 9

5

3 6 2

5 3 8 4

1

5 7 6

8

2 9

**ALTERATIONS PROVIDED** ALTERATIONS: Sewing for men and wom-Hemming, Zippers, en. Wedding/Evening Anything. Gowns, Reasonable price. Ex.perienced Rotterdam 346-8998

#### AUCTIONS

LIVE AUCTION\_ #1 Nassau County DA 50+ Forfeited Vehicles 5/26/2010 at 10am 999 S. Oyster Bay Rd Bethpage, NY-11714 LIVE AUCTION #2 Hartford, CT 27 cityowned parcels 5/27/2010 at 6:30pm City Hall, 550 Main St, Hartford, CT 06103 LIVE AUCTION #3 Rye, NY 12 town-owned parcels. 6/2/2010 at 6:30pm 113 Bowman Avenue, Rye Brook, NY 10573 Complete ` info: Auc-

AUTOS MyDMV.Pro creates your DMV Forms Fast and free.

Send your paperwork to Maggard to Rush your Registration, Plates and Title. Call 888.DMV PROS or visit MyDMV.Pro

AUTOS WANTED

\$100 + Up for Junk Cars, Trucks, Vans. Free Pickup. 365-3368 DONATE VEHICLE: RECEIVE \$1000 GROCERY COUPON. NOAH'S ARC SUPPORT NO KILL SHELTERS, RESEARCH TO ADVANCE VETERINARY TREATMENTS FREE TOW ING, TAX DEDUCTIBLE, NON-RUNNERS ACCEPTED 1-866-912-GIVE

**BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES** ALL CASH VENDING! Do you earn \$800 in a day? Your own local candy route. Includes 25 Machines and Candy All for \$9,995. 1-888-771-3496

#### **CHILD CARE SERVICES**

PROVIDED 20yr old college student available.for babysitting afternoons + weekends. EMAIL: RLS89@aol.com COLLECTIBLES FOR SALE.

Various custom HO-scale model railroad locomotives and rolling stock. All are priced to move. Please call Rich at 785-8751 & leave message or email me at rweriksen@verizon.net

ENTERTAINMENT Polish-American Buffet Fri 5/14 4-8pm

**Elvis Dinner & Show** Fri 5/21

З

for reservations and more info

please call 518-456-3995 Polish Community Center 225 Washington Ave Ext Albany NY 12205

ENTERTAINMENT

'Jimmy Sturr and his Orchestra the Rymanowski Brother's Sunday June 13, 2010 starting at 3pm, information for and please tickets call 518-283-0129

#### ENTERTAINMENT SERVICES PROVIDED

AFFORDABLE DJ/KARAOKE SERVICE. \$150 FOR ANY 4 HOUR BIRTHDAY, GRADU-ATION, OR HOUSE PARTY. REFERENCES AVAILABLE **UPON REQUEST. CALL CAZZ** AT 518-542-6599. EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

**NEW Norwood SAWMILLS-**LumberMate-Pro handles logs 34" diameter, mills boards 28" wide. Automated quick-cycle-sawing increases efficiency up to 40%! www.NorwoodSawmills.com/300N 1-800-

661-7746 Ext 300N

ENTERTAINMENT/EVENT **LUNCHAPALOOZA Community Fundraiser** Featuring Live Performers

Sat. May 22, 2010 www.fourcornersluncheonette.com

#### FINANCIAL

CASH NOW! Get cash for your structured settlement annuity . payments.† High payouts. † Call J.G. Wentworth. 1-866-SETTLE-MENT (1-866-738-8536).† Rated A+ by the Better **Business Bureau.** 

**FIREWOOD FOR SALE** Get-Wood.net 2-YR. SEASONED DRY HARDWOOD Free Delivery, Cut, Split. Full or Face Cords. TYPE, Get-Wood on your phone pad. 518-438-9663.

FOUND . Find Something? Advertise

#### FOR SALE

Eureka 8x8 Cabin Tent. Outside Frame. Includes 10x10 Dining Fly. Free \$125 439-8356

GARAGE SALES

Delmar-neighborhood yard sales. 5/22, 5/23, 9-5. Furniture, antiques, tools, fishing, many collections, ex. clothing, linens, jewelry, CD's, videos, books, glass ware, flots more. Brockley Dr. across from High School

yard sale-Community May 22nd. Elm Estates. Bellevue, Dorchester, 9am-2pm. University. Rain date, May 23rd.

Estate Sale: furniture other: items for sale. If interested please call 542-6599 to set up an appointment.

FEURA BUSH NEIGHBOR-HOOD ASSOCIATION-NEIGHBORHOOD GARAGE SALE-5/22 9am to 3pm. Maps and take out breakfast/lunch available at the Jerusalem Reformed Church Rte 32. Maps also at 4H Fundraiser, 200 Unionville Feura Bush Rd., including bake sale, garage sale, riding demos. Glenmont Firemen's Flea Market- Saturday May 29, 8 to 5. Rain or Shine. On the Fire House Grove next to the Price Chopper Plaza. 100 Vendors.

Sat 5/22, 9-4. 28 Bensonhurst Ave., Saratoga Springs. Clothes, household items, books, collectibles, prints, dishes

Stratton Place yard sale. 5/22, 9am-1pm. Multifamily. Delmar

#### HOME IMPROVEMENT

HAS YOUR BUILDING SHIFTED 0R SETTLED? Contact Woodford Brothers Inc, for straightening, leveling, foundation and wood frame repairs at 1-800-OLD-BARN, www. woodfordbros.com

#### LAND GROOMING

Residential Welcome. Backhoe/loader. Pier/ posthole digging/post removal. Soil/gravel repositioning. Tall-grass (brush) mowing. Tree removal for yard expansion/views. Prompt/reliable. 424-6834 **MULCH FOR SALE** 

Helderberg Mountain Pure Premium Mulch Red, Brown, Black, Conifer-cedar Playground Delivered

www.355-3200.com **MISCELLANEOUS** 

#### ATTEND COLLEGE ONLINE \*Medical from home. \*Business, \*Paralegal, \*Accounting, \*Criminal Justice. Job placement assistance. Computer available. Financial Aid if qualified. Call 888-201-8657 www.CenturaOnline.com

MISC FOR SALE

Assorted toys for boys toddler to age 6. Bionicles, etc .... Call for info 885-2637.

CHERRY - BEDROOM SET. Solid Wood, never used, brand new in factory boxes. English Dovetail. Original cost \$4500. Sell for \$749. Can deliver. 917-

## 731-0425

**PIANO TUNING & REPAIR** SERVICES PROVIDED PROFESSIONAL TUNING and REPAIR, Michael T. Lamkin, Registered Piano Technician, Piano Technicians Guild. Over 30 years: 427=1903.

#### **POOL SERVICES PROVIDED BIG SPLASH Pool Service** Repairs, maintenance and more. Over a decade experience. 961-6060

cards, cast iron penny banks/ dues Buffalo Bill wild west show items, photos, posters, guns, anything relating to Buffalo Bill/ Pre 1950 television sets, tube radios, micro-\_\_\_\_ phones, amplifiers. Pre 1950 movie film, lobby cards, movie props,

watches. Civil war through WWII items. Above items any condition, even broken 202-9252



Deadline 8:30 AM - 5 PM Monday-Friday Deadline: Thursday at 4PM for following week

2

1

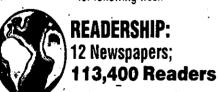
9

6

4 8 9 2 3

7 5 3

Sud





P.0. Box 100

Delmar, NY 12054

## **E-MAIL:** classified@spotlightnews.com

## **Classified Rates**

Private Party Classifieds - Line Ads - Twelve paper combo - \$17.50 for 15 words 50 cents for each additional word.

Commercial Classifieds - Line Ads - Twelve paper combo - \$20.50 for 15 words 50 cents for each additional word. Multiple insertion discounts available. Please\_ call for information.

> All line ads must be pre-paid in order for placement. Ads will appear in all twelve newspapers.

as well as on the internet for the number of weeks requested.

   	• -	- 	• .	•		•	*		- -	,
—  . 			_		* *	*	• .		- - -	
<u>-</u>     .	`. <b>•</b>					•			•	
	lame:		•				·	·····		<u> </u>
A	ddress: _	•				•	<u> </u>	•		<sup>*</sup>
C	ity:			. <u>.</u>	State			_ Zip _	•	
							-			_
A	mount E	nclosed				Num	nber of W	eeks	• •	<u>.</u> .
M	lasterCar	d or Visa# _			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			-		_
E:	xpiration	date:		· .	_ Signature:		· · ·	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
	<b>.</b> 11	· <u>·</u> ······			-	•	•	·		•

# **EMPLOYMENT CLASSIFIEDS**

#### **HELP WANTED**

Assistant, driver, Menands. Fri.Sat.Sun. Capable of minor cooking, some acct, lovely place. 434-4590, or 209-8933.\*

House cleaner wantedto clean apartment twice a month for three hours (will pay \$25/hr). Must be thorough, and honest. Reliable references. -518-439-7521 If no answer, please leave a message

**Licensed Veterinary** Technician- PT leading to FT. Rotating shift Tue-Fri, Sat 8-1 fax resume to 355-2540 or email to pkeller@gahvets.com

Receptionist- PT leading to FT, fax resume to 355-2540 or email to pkeller@gahvets.com AIRLINES ARE HIRING-Train for high paying Aviation Career, FAA approved nrogram. Financial aid if

Institute of Maintenance

(866)296-7093

#### CIS GROUP SEEKS INDE-PENDENT CONTRACTORS in Plattsburg, Lake George & Binghamton for residential insurance inspections. Duties: Photograph residential properties, hazards, conditions and building

qualified- Job Placement Assistance, CALL Aviation

#### rsanchez@cisgroup.net 🗠 EMPLOYMENT

All employment advertising in this newspaper is subject to section 296 of the human rights law

**HOUSE FOR SALE** 

materials. Equipment: 100'

tape measurer or wheel,

digital camera, high speed

internet. Email resume to:

which makes it illegal to informed that employadvertise any preference, ment offerings advertised limitation, or discrimination based on race, color, creed, national origin, disability, marital status, sex; age, or arrest conviction record, or an intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination. Title 29, U.S. Code, Chap. 630, excludes the Federal Go√t from the age discrimination provisions. This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for employment which is in violation of the law. Our readers are

in-+ this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis. < High-Paying Postal Jobs!

No Experience Required! DON'T PAY for information about jobs with the Postal Service or Federal Government. Call the Federal Trade Commission tollfree, 1-(877)-FTC-HELP, or visit www.ftc.gov to learn more. A public service message from the SPOT-LIGHT Newspapers and the Federal Trade Commission.

Drivers: CDL-A Local or regional tanker or dry van. 800-334-1314 ext. 1178 www.wadhams.com 🔼 -@recruiterjim on twitter **REGIONAL DRIVERS NEED-**ED! More Hometime! Top Pay! NEWER EQUIPMENT! Up to \$.43/mile company drivers! 12 months OTR required. HEARTLAND EX-PRESS 1-800-441-4953 www.heartlandexpress.com

DRIVERS

Nurse/aides available. FT/PT/24hrs. Excellent References. affordable rates. Starting at \$10/hr. ·518-203-8723 **Registered Nurse** /Mental Health-

**POSITION WANTED** 

Seeking Home Care Position. Assist with health care and companionship. Evening or night shift. Negotiable hourly rate. 518-756-8631

# REAL ESTATE CLASSIFIEDS

**OFFICE/RETAIL SPACE** 

AVAILABLE

Office Space Available.

#### **APARTMENT FOR RENT**

\$575-1 bdm, Selkirk, heat inc, laundry, 10 min to Alb on 9W, quiet area, 477-9100 pin#309 \$595-1bdm, Feura Bush, yard, 10 mins to Alb, Lndry,

park nrby, quiet area, 477-9100 pin#308 \$650/mo. Large 1BD,

Heat, Appliances, garbage References. included. Security, No pets. Nonsmoking. Coeymans Hollow/756-9756

\$695+ 2BR w/eat-in kitchen, appliances, w/d hookup deck/patio. No pets. Quiet neighborhood. Avail June 1st 756-3198

DELMAR- \$905+ Large, sunny, 2BR apt. w/garage with auto opener. Gas Resiheat central air. dential area. No Smoking 533-2525

DELMAR- 1BD, hardwood floors, \$750. Off-street parking, screened-porch, heat and hot water included. Available 6/1. 518-456-6644 DELMAR- Spacious 2BD, LR, DR, basement w/d hookup, central air, no smoking/no pets. \$915+ 475-1863

Coeymans-2 bedroom, unfurnished. off-street parking, yard, brook, first floor, \$550+ available June 1. 756-4638 Small one bedroom, near

golf course, CSX, and Bethlehem. Utilities included, \$650/month. 756-7833 HOUSE FOR SALE

118 Hurst Road Delmar, Voorheesville Schools 4-bedroom 2-car garage wrap around deck large barn and pond 12.62 acres \$348,000 (518)765-Contact 3612 (518)756-6395

Lake George Village-Cozy Log Cabin Retail Space/Professional Quiet Wooded Lot Walk to Beach \$122,900 499-2707 innovationsrealty.com LAND FOR SALE

Voorheesville 626 Clipp Road NY Prime Building Lot 2.27 acres cleared \$48,800 (518) 765-3612 NY LAND FORECLOSURE 5 acres beautiful SALE ridge- \$15,995. 15.8 acres w/ snowtrails & stateland- \$27,995. 24.8 acres in Lewis County \$17,995. Must sell. Will finance. 800-229-7843.

MOBILE HOME FOR SALE 2006 Mobile Home, 14 x 52, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, deck and appliances. shed, excellent condi-Flemings Park, Rt. tion. 9W Selkirk, NY, 25,000.00

Owner

at



#### **REAL ESTATE** Cooperstown N.Y. Beautiful Ranch 3br, 2 bath, Large Kitchen, Fantastic Views,

3.86 acres.' Reduced for quick sale \$179,000 www. countrylivingatitsbest. com www.timesjournalonline.com

MAJOR AUCTION- Tolson Estate, Rocky Mount, NC. June 12th, 10:00am. Distinctive Homes with acreage, 14 room Colonial & Custom 14,455 +/-sf (800)442-7906. Home. www.rogersauctiongroup. com NCAL#685

#### **REAL ESTATE**

MONTGOMERY County, NY- 3 bedrooms, 2 baths farmhouse #50 Tie stall dairy barn. 33.2 Acres, quiet paved town road. Beautiful views \$149,000 Helderberg Realty: 518-861-6541

NORTH CAROLINA BLUE RIDGE Mountain Property- Nikola's Restaurant, High Meadows Inn, 2BR Condo, surrounded by (3)golf courses. All for \$1,095,000.00 www.rogersrealty.com Barker Taylor (336)648-4887

SULLIVAN COUNTY REAL PROPERTY TAX FORECLO-SURE AUCTION. 200+/-Properties June 9@ 9:30AM. The Lodge at Rock Hill, NY 800-243-0061 AAR & HAR. Free brochure: www.NYSAUCTIONS.com

#### **REAL ESTATE**

UPSTATE NY FARM SACRI-FICE! 10 acres - \$29,900 Rushing stream, woods, views, valuable Southern Tier location! Sale date 5/29/10! Terms available! Call 888-378-6910 www. NewYorklandandLakes.com

VACATION HOME FOR SALE

#### Lake George Village-Cozy Log Cabin Quiet Wooded Lot Walk to Beach \$122,900 499-2707 innovationsrealty.com

VACATION RENTALS

Adirondacks: Indian Lake-Lakefront Cottages 2BR, Fully Equipped Kitchens. Private Beach, Dock. \$650/wk 518-489-6242

Bethany Beach, Delaware. 3BR Condo, Private Beach. Pools, Tennis, Family Oriented, Free Brochure, 518-877-6129, bbutler566@ aol.com

VACATION RENTALS

Lake Onderdonk, Westerlo, 2 bedroom, sleeps 4. On water, Available weekly May, June, Sept. and October \$500/wk. 518-283-8024 Leave Message.

Long Beach Island, Surf City, New Jersey, 1st floor apartment, 3 BR, Sleeps 8, Beach & Bay View 518-785-6494

OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND. Best selection of affordable rentals. Full/ partial weeks. Call for FREE brochure. Open daily. Holiday Real Estate. 1-800-638-2102. Online reservations: www.holidayoc.com









Painting · WALLPAPER APPLIED Interior – Exterior INSURED 439-7922 en î (518) 378-7012 Since 1977 **PWM Electric** Masonry No Job Too Small Electrical Contractors For Ideas Check Out Our Website MIZENERCONTRACTING.COM Fully Insured Ceramic Tile www.hortunlimited.com MIZENER CONTRACTING, LLC 3 Teachers (Retired) Licensed & Insured 469-1973 or 732-3302 **Reasonable Rates** "WE DO THINGS RIGHT" 30 Years Exp in Business Painting & Staining POOL SERVICE With this ad 2 months FREE Call Pat (518) 788-6547 767-2004 • Decks • household waste pick-up Look Us Up on the Web: Interior/Exterior www.spotlighthews.com Nursery Hours By Appointment Big Splash FENCES Insured 393-2035 Free Estimate YARD SERVICES . Mullaney Contracting Decks & Fences • New/Repairs • All Types • Built to Suit • Losi Belegences HOME IMPROVEMENT CHOICE CLEANOUTS LANDSCAPING **Pool Service** Homes & Yards Michael Mooney Fine Painting & Restoration openings · repairs RJB Brush & Tree Removal, Stump Grinding, Top J. BAHAN **Residential & Commercial** Soil, Mulch, Accent Stone, Landscaping Services al References ee Estimates weekly maintenance ABSTRACT CONCEPTS Carpentry & Masonry Repairs Low Prices, Great Results Enterprise, LLC Faux Finishes • Free Estimate program available 439-2833 or 378-8760 ROOFING, REMODELING • Fully Insured Call For Free Estimates 708-0462 DECKS, PORCHES, 12 years experience Call 482-8106 EXCAVATION **Screened Topsoil** ADDITIONS & MAINTENANCE 961-6060 Business Sand, Stone Products, PLUMBING, HEATING J.E. Frankovic Trucking Hennessey Painting www.bigsplashpoolservice.com & AIR CONDITIONING Land Clearing and More Interior/Exterior Directory **Trucking • Excavation Work** Wallpaper/ Drywall Free Estimates • Fully Insured Stone, Mulch, Sand, **Delivery** Home Improvement 518-765-0393 **Spotlightnews** Advertising **Topsoil Deliveries** Dave: 766-4161 24 Hr Emergency Service Available 456-3367 ee Estimates Fully Insured 518-424-4916 Call 439-4940 **BRUSH HOGGING & MUCH MORE** 25 Years Experience

#### LEGAL NOTICE

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of LCG Productions, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/11/10. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Delaney Corporate Services, Ltd., 99 Wash-ington Ave., Albany, NY 12210. Registered agent: National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Avenue of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001, also the registered agent. Purpose: any lawful activities. 60610

(May 19; 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Windsor Management Group, L.L.C. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/26/10. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Arizona (AZ) on 3/8/1996. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Regis-tered Agent Solutions, Inc., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 108, Albany, NY 12260. Address to be maintained in AZ: 8950 S 52nd St., Ste 309, Tempe, AZ 85254, also the address of the principal office. Arts of Org. filed with AZ Secy. Of State, 1200 W. Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007-2996, Purpose: any lawful activities. 62119

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of WBE Flooring LLC. Arts. of Org-filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/23/10. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Delaney Corporate Ser-vices, Ltd., 99 Washington Ave., Suite 805A, Albany, 12210. Purpose: any Jawful activities. ..... 62120

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Open Dealer Exchange, LLC. Authority filed with Secy of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/01/10. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 1/13/09. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 16901 Michigan Ave., Dearborn, MI 48126, 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. 62121 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of

#### LEGAL NOTICE 62125 (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of formation of A&S DAVIDOFF MGMT, LLC a NYS LLC Formation filed with SSNY on 03/25/10. 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, 8411 20th Ave., Brooklyn,

Lawful purposes. (May 19, 2010)

NY 11214. Purpose: Any

#### **LEGAL NOTICE**

62126

Notice of Formation of TRI-STATE INSURANCE BROKERAGE, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/10. 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. 62127 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of ERS-KINE EQUITY PARTNERS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/31/10. Of-fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose:

all lawful activities. 62128 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE ,

Notice of Formation of PIECES OF 8 PRODUC-TIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/2/10. 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. 62129 (May 19, 2010) 🕓

#### · LEGAL NOTICE .

#### Notice of Qualification of IGNITION TRAINING LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 4/5/10. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 3/2/10. 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. DE address of LLC: c/o USA Corporate Services Inc., 3500 South Dupont Hwy, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. Of Org. filed with the DE Secy. Of State, 401 Fed-

LEGAL NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE Tech Services, LLC. App 3 LEGAL NOTICE

for Authority filed NY Dept of State 3/9/2010. Juris-Notice of Formation of Wardiction and date of org: rington Realty, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State -(SSNY) 3/26/10. Office loca-TX 1/1/2010, NY Location: Albany, County, Sec of State tion: Albany County, SSNY is designated as regof NY designated as agent of LLC istered agent upon whom process against it may be served. The Sec of State upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 12 Old Myers Dr., Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: any shall mail a copy of any process to P.O. Box 1587, Cisco, TX, 76437. Principal bus. location: 16858 I-20, Cisco, TX 76437. Certifilawful activities. 62152 cate of Formation on file at Texas SOS, P.O. Box 13697, (May 19, 2010) Austin, TX 78711. Purpose:

any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

K.B. EQUIPMENT REPAIR

LLC- Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY)

03/16/2010. Office in Albany

Co. SSNY desig. Agent of LLC upon whom process

may be served. SSNY shall

mail copy of process to United States Corporations

Agents, Inc., 7014 13th Av-

enue, Suite 202, Brooklyn, NY 11228.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of

Broughton Properties, LLC.

Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/9/10. Office location: Al-

bany Co. SSNY designated

as agent of LLC upon whom

process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: The LLC, 935

New Loudon Rd., Latham,

NY 12110. Purpose: any

LEGAL NOTICE

lawful activities.

(May 19, 2010)

62147

(May 19, 2010)

62143

62145

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Professional Limited Liability Company (PLLC) Name: Safari Health NP Family Health, PLLC. Purpose: to practice the profession Nurse Practitioner in Family Health. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State New York (SSNY)on March 31, 2010. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shail mail a copy of process to 48 McCormack Rd, Slingerlands NY 12159. 62155

#### LEGAL NOTICE

(May 19, 2010)

Notice of Formation of IB BROADWAY LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/25/2008. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 104 Broadway, Brooklyn, NY 11211. Term: until 12/31/2099. Purpose: any lawful activity. 1 62156 (May 19, 2010) . (May 19, 2010)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of All-Square Wealth Manage-ment, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/26/10. Off. loc.: Albany Co. SSNY design. agt. of LC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 61 W Palisade Ave., Englewood, NJ 07631. Purpose: all lawful activities 62157 (May 19, 2010)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 21 TREETZ PLACE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/7/10. Office location: Al-bany 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. 62158 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL' NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Grand Avenue Holdings LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with

#### LEGAL NOTICE

12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62160

#### (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Good Reputation LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/12/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62161

LEGAL NOTICE

(May 19, 2010)

Notice of Qualification of DeBrill Realty LLC. Author-ity filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 08/17/09. LLC Formed in (DE) on 27/61/00. Office Locations 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: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260: Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. DE address of LLC: 32 Loockerman St., Ate. 201, Dover, DE 19904. Arts. Of Org. filed with DE Secy Of State, 401 Federal St. Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62162

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of LMN Funding LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/10/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity

62163 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of BSES Realty LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 02/03/09. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62164

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

filed with Secy. Of State of

NY (SSNY) on 01/22/10.

Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated

as agent of LLC upon whom

process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: 99 Washington

Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Registered Agent

upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington

Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Purpose: any lawful

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Mo-

bile Star LLC. Arts Of Org.

filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/15/08.

Office location: Albany

County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be

served. SSNY shall mail-process to: 99 Washington

Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Registered Agent

upon whom process may

be served: 99 Washington

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

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of

Prestige Dental Manage-ment LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of

NY (SSNY) on 03/18/10

Office location: Albany

County. SSNY designated

as agent of LLC upon whom

process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: 99 Washington

Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Registered Agent

upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington

Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Purpose: any lawful

LEGAL NOTICE ...

Notice of Formation of

Chamber Productions LLC

Arts Of Org. filed with Secy Of State of NY (SSNY)

on 03/5/10. Office loca

tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of

LLC upon whom process

against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process

to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent

upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington

Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Purpose: any lawful

**LEGAL NOTICE** 

Notice of Formation of

LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY

(SSNY) on 01/5/10. Office location: Albany County.

SNY designated as agent

of LLC upon whom process

against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Registered Agent

upon whom process may

.B.K. Cookies & Cakes

activity

62169

(May 19, 2010)

v

activity.

62166

activity.

(May 19, 2010)

62167

activity.

62168

(May 19, 2010)

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE

May 19, 2010 • Page 27

Notice of Formation of Aldus Group, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/15/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent. of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 245 Park Ave., 24th FI, NY, NY 10167. Purpose: any lawful activity 62172

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIM-ITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)

Name: CAPITAL REGION MANAGEMENT, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State. April 15, 2010. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to c/o Robert J. Koshgarian, & Segel, Goldman, Mazzotta & Siegel, P.C., 9 Washing-ton Square, Albany, NY 12205. 62175

(May 19; 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) Name: CS & PS, LLC. Articles Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on December 15, 2009. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of proces to c/o The LLC, 217 West-ern Avenue, Albany, New York 12203... Purpose: Any lawful business purpose. 62178

(May 19, 2010). 🔖

3

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of AP Account Services, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/14/10. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Texas (TX) on 11/17/09. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process Agents, Inc., 875 Avenue of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Address to be maintained in TX: 9311 San Pedro, Ste. 600, San Antonio, TX 78216, also the address of the principal office. Arts of Org. filed with TX Secy. Of State, PO Box 13697, Austin, TX 78711-3697. Purpose: any lawful activities. 62179

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Aerocell Wireless LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/08/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be

# Notice of Qualification of Alutiiq-Mele, LLC. Author-ity filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/25/10. Office location: Schenect-ady County. LLC formed in Alaska (AK) on 8/1/03. SSNY designated as agent

62148 (May 19, 2010)

Notice of Formation of UB Katonah, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/1/10. 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 CT Corporation Sys-tem, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: all lawful DUIDOSES. νίλα

of LLC upon whom process, against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave. of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. AK address of LLC: 3909 Arctic Blvd., Ste. 400, Anchorage, AK

ment services.

#### LEGAL NOTICE

99503. Arts. of Org. filed with AK Secy. of State, PO Box 110806, Juneau, AK 99811. Purpose: govern-

	Mymy Productions LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy.	eral St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE	(May 19, 2010)	secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/19/10. Office location:		be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY	served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington
z	of State of NY (SSNY) on	19901. Purpose: any lawful activity.		Albany County. SSNY des-	LEGAL NOTICE	12260. Purpose: any lawful	Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY
	4/1/10. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY desig-	62130	LEGAL NOTICE	ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against	Notice of Formation of Del	activity. 62170	12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may
	nated as agent of LLC upon.	(May 19, 2010)	Notice of Qualification of El	it may be served. SSNY	Mar Re Services LLC. Arts	(May 19, 2010)	be served: 99 Washington
	whorn process against it		Pinto Foods, LLC. Authority	shall mail process to: 99	Of Org. filed with Secy.		Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY-
	may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC,	LEGAL NOTICE	filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/12/10.	Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Regis-	Of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/09/10. Office loca-	-	12260. Purpose: any lawful activity.
	c/o AR7 Films, 285 West	Notice of Formation of	Office location: Albany	tered Agent upon whom	tion: Albany County, SSNY	LEGAL NOTICE	62368
	Broadway, Ste. 300, NY, NY	SASHA INTERNATIONAL	County. LLC formed in New	process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008.	designated as agent of	Notice of Formation of The	(May 19, 2010)
	10013. Purpose: any lawful activities.	LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/30/10. Of-	Mexico (NM) on 1/6/05. SSNY designated as agent	Albany, NY 12260. Purpose:	LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	King Collective LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secv. Of State	·
	62122	fice location: Albany Coun-	of LLC upon whom process	any lawful activity.	SSNY shall mail process	of NY (SSNY) on 03/19/10.	LEGAL NOTICE
	(May 19, 2010)	ty. SSNY designated as	against it may be served.	62159	to: 99 Washington Ave.,	Office location: Albany	Notice of Formation of
		agent of LLC whom process against may be served.	SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation Sys-	(May 19, 2010)	Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent	as agent of LLC upon whom	SDB6 LLC. Arts Of Org.
	LEGAL NOTICE	SSNY shall mail process	tem, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY		upon whom process may	process against it may be	filed with Secy. Of State of
		to: c/o The LLC, 46 State	10011, registered agent	LEGAL NOTICE 🖌	be served: 99 Washington	served. SSNY shall mail	NY (SSNY) on 01/26/10. Of- fice location: Albany County.
	Notice of Publication PLYNDIRIO_LLC_Arts.of	St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA	upon whom process may be served. NM address of	Notice of Formation of Com-	Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful	process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY	SSNY designated as agent
	Org. was filed with SSNY	Corporate Services Inc. at	LLC: 10500 4th St. NW.	munity Kollel LLC. Arts Of	activity.	12260. Registered Agent	of LLC upon whom process
	on 3/31/2010 Office loca-	the same address. Purpose: ,		Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/20/10.	62165	upon whom process may	against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to:
•	tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC	all lawful activities. 62132	Arts. of Org. filed with NM Secy. of State, 325 Don	Office location: Albany	(May 19, 2010)	be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY	1 Greenbriar Ln., Dix Hills,
	whom process against may	(May 19, 2010)	Gaspar, Santa Fe, NM	County. SSNY designated		12260. Purpose: any lawful	N Greenbriar Ln., Dix Hills,
	be served. SSNY shall mail		87503. Purpose: all lawful	as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be	LEGAL NOTICE	activity.	NY 11746. Purpose: any lawful activity.
	process to: c/o The-LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101,	LEGAL NOTICE	purposes.	served. SSNY shall-mail	Notice of Formation of NSD	62171 (May 19, 2010)	62369
ą.	Albany, NY 12206. Purpose:		(May 19, 2010)	process to: 99 Washington	Consulting LLC. Arts Of Org.	(Way 19, 2010)	(May 19, 2010)
Þ	any lawful purpose.	Name of Foreign LLC: Frac	······································	Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY	* * *		·
E			ي منظوم و من الم			· · · ·	•
•	, <del>-</del>	•	and the second				and the second

#### Page 28 • May 19, 2010

#### LEGAL NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE\*

Notice of Formation of Satsky & Gefter, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/08/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62370 (May 19, 2010)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Maoz . Notice of Formation of CMS TS, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/30/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62371

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Western Cline NY, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/23/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington ve., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave.; Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62372 ... (May 19, 2010)

of NY (SSNY) on 12/15/09. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington ve., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260, Purpose: any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of

Mountain Lion Entertain-ment LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of

NY (SSNY) on 10/28/09.

Office location: Albany

County. SSNY designated

as agent of LLC upon whom

process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Registered Agent

upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington

Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

activity.

(May 19, 2010)

62379

12260. Purpose: any lawful

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 64

Woodside LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/27/09.

Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated

as agent of LLC upon whom

process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: 99 Washington

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of River View Village, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State NY (SSNY) on 12/10/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity 62373 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Uncle Rico's Food & Drink LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/24/09, Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260, Begis

LEGAL NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401, Federal St., Dover, DE Notice of Formation of Roth 19901. Purpose: any lawful Partners, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of activity

LEGAL NOTICE

(SSNY) on 11/12/09.

Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated

as agent of LLC upon whom

process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: 99 Washington

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

upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington

Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY

12260. Purpose: any lawful

LEGAL NOTICE

Management Solutions, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 02/04/10. Office location:

Albany County. SSNY des-

ignated as agent of LLC

upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY

shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008,

Albany, NY 12260. Regis

tered Agent upon whom

process may be served: 99

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of

Zhang & Zheng LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State

activity 62376

62377

62378

(May 19, 2010)

(May 19, 2010)

(May 19, 2010)

62381 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Fine Flowers By Kelly & Com-pany, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/07/10. Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave.: Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity.

(May 19, 2010)

62382

#### LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION

OF A DOMESTIC LIM-LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)

Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. The name of the LLC is YOGA-DO, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on April 10, 2010. The purpose of the LLC is to offer Kripalu-Certified yoga instruction and nutrition coaching, as well as engaging in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is c/o Thomas McCarroll, 55 Mansion Boulevard, Detmar\_New York 12054

62391 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication-EAYADAMA LLC Arts, of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/20/10 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. 62394

#### LEGAL NOTICE

(May 19, 2010)

Notice of Publication AMALIA-MOLLY, LLC Arts: of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/21/10 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. 62395 (May 19, 2010)

LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE bany Co. SSNY designated

as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Incorporating Services, Ltd., 99 Washing-ton Ave., Ste. 805A, Albany, 12260. Purpose: any lawful activities. 62459 (D) (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF PROJECT BALANCE, LLC a domestic Limited Liability Company organized under the laws of New York whose Articles of Organization were filed on April 29, 2010 with the New York Secretary of State. The Sec-retary 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 99 Pine Street, Suite 207, Albany, New York 12207. New York Office Location: Albany County. Purpose: All awful activities. 62469 (D)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

(May 19, 2010)

Notice of Formation of 32 DATE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/4/10. 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. 62473 (D)

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF NAMES OF PERSONS APPEARING AS OWNERS OF CERTAIN UNCLAIMED PROPERTY HELD BY THE FOREMOST INSURANCE COMPANY GRAND RAPIDS, MICHI-GAN

The persons whose names and last known addresses are set forth below appear from the records of the above named insurance company to be entitled to abandoned property in amounts of fifty dollars or more. John & Dorothy Brooks 66

Forts Ferry Rd Latham NY 12110 Todd D Craven 20 Division

St Cohoes NY 12047 Mary Dumas 55 Kent Str Albany NY 12206

Kori Jones PO Box 6505 Albany NY 12206 Lori Lundberg 323 Lark St Albany NY 12208 Michael C Pona JR PO Box

78 Guilderland NY 12084 Kenneth Voland PO Box 425 Watervliet NY 12189 Verizon PO Box 15124 Al-

bany NY 12212 A report of Unclaimed Property has been made to Thomas P DiNapoli, the Comptroller of the State of New/York, pursuant to Section 701 and/or Section 1316 of the Abandoned Property Law. A list of the names of the persons appearing from the records of the said insurance company to be entitled thereto is on file and open to

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/5/10. 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. 62475 (D)

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation CHARLES DIMINO RAC-ING LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 5/7/2010. Off. Loc.

Albany Cnty. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC whom process may be served.

SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 911, Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. 62476 (D)

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF NAMES OF PERSONS APPEARING AS OWNERS OF CERTAIN UNCLAIMED PROPERTY HELD BY THE FOREMOST INSURANCE COMPANY GRAND RAPIDS, MICHI-GAN

The persons whose names and last known addresses are set forth below appear from the records of the above named insurance company to be entitled to abandoned property in amounts of fifty dollars or more.

John & Dorothy Brooks 66 Forts Ferry Rd Latham NY 12110

Todd D Craven 20 Division St Cohoes NY 12047 Mary Dumas 55 Kent St Albany NY 12206 Kori Jones PO Box 6505

Albany NY 12206 Lori Lundberg 323 Lark St Albany NY 12208 Michael C Pona JR PO Box Notice of Formation of SEE AGAIN PRODUCTIONS 78 Guilderland NY 12084 Kenneth Voland PO Box 425 LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/10/10. Of-Wateryliet NY, 12189 fice location: Albany County. Verizon PO Box 15124 Al-SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. bany NY 12212 A report of Unclaimed Property has been made to Thomas P DiNapoli, the SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The Comptroller of the State of New York, pursuant to Section 701 and/or Section registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: 1316 of the Abandoned Property Law. A list of the names of the persons apall lawful activities. pearing from the records of 62483 (D) (May 19, 2010) the said insurance company to be entitled thereto is on file and open to the public inspection at the principle office of the corporation, Notice of Qualification of located at 5600 Beech Tree Creative Credit Solutions, LLC. Authority filed with Lane. in the City of Cale-

donia, Michigan, where such abandoned property is payable. Such abandoned property will be paid on or before August 31st next to persons establishing to our satisfaction their right to receive the same. On or before the succeeding September 10th, such unclaimed funds still remaining unclaimed will be paid to Thomas P DiNapoli, the Comptroller of the State of New York. Upon such payLEGAL NOTICE 62478 (D) (May 19, 2010)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of An-

Purpose: any lawful activi-

LEGAL NOTICE

DAN COLEN STUDIO LLC

Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY

5/10/2010. Off. Loc.; Albany Cnty. SSNY des-

ignated as agent of LLC

whom process may be

SSNY shall mail process to:

c/o The LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY-

12206. Purpose: all lawful

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of

BETH SCHAEFFER LLC

Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/5/10. 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

the same address. Purpose:

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE

Secy of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/10/10. Office location:

in Michigan (MI) on 9/21/98.

SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process

against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process

to: Registered Agent Solu-tions, Inc., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany,

NY 12260. Address of the

principal office: 2991 Moon

Albany County. LLC formed

all lawful activities.

(May 19, 2010)

62481 (D)

ties.

62479 (D)

served

activities

62480 (D)

(May 19, 2010)

(May 19, 2010)

Notice of Formation

#### NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION SUBJECT TO PERMISSIVE REFER-ENDUM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that at a regular meet-ing held on the 12th day of drea Cassiolato LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on May, 2010, the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem 5/7/10. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon duly adopted a resolution, an abstract of which follows, which resolution is subject whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall to a permissive referendum pursuant to Section 35.00 of the Local Finance Law of the mail process to: Delaney Corporate Services, Ltd., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 805A, Albany, NY 12210. State of New York.

The following is a summary of a resolution adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem on May 12, 2010. Said resolution authorizes the issuance and sale of a serial bond or bonds and a bond anticipation note or notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of said serial bonds, in an amount not to exceed \$780,000. The proceeds from the sale of the obligations authorized in said resolution shall be used for the specific purpose of financing various Town road paving projects at an aggregate estimated maximum cost not to exceed \$780,000 and having a period of probable usefulness of at least fifteen (15) years.

A copy of the resolution summarized herein is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk, located in the Town Hall, Town of Bethle-hem, New York.

Dated: May 12, 2010 Nanci Moguin Town Clerk Town of Bethlehem

62494 (D) (May 19, 2010) " \* 12

#### Corporate Services Inc. at 🤄 🛎 . LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Public Meeting The Bethlehem Town Supervisor and Town Board will hold a Bethlehem Commu-- Monday May 24, 2010 at 7:00pm at Selkirk-Fire House #1, 126 Maple Av-enue, Selkirk.

62495 (D) (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF BOND RESO-UTION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that a resolution, a summary of which is published herewith, has been adopted for the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, on the 12th day of May, 2010 and the validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if:

(1) (a) such obligations were authorized for an ob-ject or purpose for which the Town of Bethlehem is not authorized to expend money or

(b) if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this

#### LEGAL NOTICE 42913 LEGAL NOTICE

Albany, NY 12260. Regis- tered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62374 (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Tele- shuttle Tech2, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/17/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. (May 19, 2010)	process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62380 (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of Azrael LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 05/28/09. LLC Formed in (DE) on 05/18/09. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260: Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. DE address of LLC: 341 Raven Circle, Wyoming, DE 19934. Arts. Of Org.	Notice of Qualification of Genesis Networks Telecom Services, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/14/10. Of- fice location: Albany County. LLC formed In Texas (TX) on 9/30/08. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Capitol Servic- es, Inc., 1218 Central Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205. TX address of LLC: 600 N Loop 1604 E. San Antonio, TX 78232. Arts. of Org. filed with TX Secy. of State, PO. Box 12887, Austin, TX 78711. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. 62399 (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Blue- water Apparel Group, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/28/10. Office location: Al-	thereto is on file and open to the public inspection at the principle office of the corpo- ration, located at 5600 Beech Tree Lane, in the City of Caledonia, Michigan, where such abandoned property is payable. Such abandoned property will be paid on or before August 31st next to persons establishing to our satisfaction their right to re- ceive the same. On or before the succeeding September 10th, such unclaimed funds still remaining unclaimed will be paid to Thomas P DiNapoli, the Comptroller of the State of New York. Upon such payment this company shall no longer be liable for the property. FOREMOST INSURANCE COMPANY 62474 (D) (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of DE- SIGN-UR DRESS, LLC.	New York. Upon such pay- ment this company shall no longer be liable for the property. FOREMOST INSURANCE COMPANY 62477 (D) (May 19, 2010)	Lake Dr., West Bloomfield, MI 48323. Arts of Org, filed with MI Dept, of Energy, La- bor and Economic Growth, Director of the Bureau of Commercial Services, Cor- porations Division, PO Box 30054, Lansing, Michigan, 48909. Purpose: any lawful activities. 62485 (D) (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE 59 & 71 Grand Street LLC, Articles of Organization filed with SSNY on April 29, 2010. Off. Loc. Albany County SONNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to : The LLC, 2525 Nostrand Ave., Apt 5G Bklyn, NY 11210. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act. 62486 (D) (May 19, 2010)	date of publication of this notice; or (2) such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitu- tion of New York SUMMARY OF RESOLU TION The following is a summary of a resolution adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem on May 12 2010. Said resolution au- thorizes the issuance and sale-of a serial bond on bonds and a bond anticipa- tion note or notes in antici- pation of the issuance and sale of said serial bonds in an amount not to exceeds from the sale of the obliga- tions authorized in said res- olution shall be used for the specific purpose of financing acquisition of various sewer and water districts in the Town including, but not limited to, the following: backhoe, pick-up truck, sewer vacuum truck and crane truck. The periods of probable useful-
---	---	---	--	---	--	--

<u>The Spotlight</u>

#### LEGAL NOTICE

ness of specific items of said purpose range from ten (10) years to fifteen (15) years, as set forth in the resolution. A copy of the resolution summarized herein is available for public inspection during normal of the Town Clerk, located in the Town Clerk, located in the Town Hall, Town of Bethlehem, New York. 62638 (D) (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF BOND RESO-LUTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that a resolution, a summary of which is published herewith has been adopted for the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, on the 12th day of May, 2010. The validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if: (1) (a) such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the Town of Bethlehem is not authorized to expend money or

(b) if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice; or

(2) such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution of New York

SUMMARY OF RESOLU-TION

The following is a summary of a resolution adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem on May 12, 2010. Said resolution authorizes the issuance and sale of a serial bond or bonds and a bond anticipation note or notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of said serial bonds, in an amount not to exceed \$80,000. The proceeds from the sale of the obligations authorized in said resolution shall be used for the specific purpose of financing the acquisition of police vehicles and related equipment at a maximum estimated cost not to ex-ceed \$80,000. The period of probable usefulness for the acquisition of police vehicles is three (3) years. A copy of the resolution summarized herein is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk, located in the Town Hali, Town of Bethlehem, New York 62639 (D)

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Brock Services, Ltd. Au-thority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/15/2010. Fictitious name in NY State: BSL Brock Services, L.P. Office location: Albany County. LP formed in Texas (TX) on 3/23/1995. SSNY designated as agent of LP upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process

LEGAL NOTICE State of NY (SSNY) on 4/15/10. Office location: Al-bany 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. 62942 (May. 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of ETUDE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/15/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC ignated 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 tawful activi-62943

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of KICKSHAW LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/15/10. Office loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 62944

#### (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIM-ITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) SMS PETRA LLC. Name:

Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, April 19, 2010. 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 11 Walker Way, Albany, NY 12205

62946 (May 19, 2010)

#### **LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Qualification of Dentemax, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/23/10. Of-fice location: Albany County. LC formed in Delaware (DE) on 1/1/10. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. shall mail process to: Registered Agent Solutions, Inc., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Address of the principal office: 25925 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 400, Southfield, MI 48033. Arts of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities.

(May 19, 2010)

62947

LEGAL NOTICE New York 12205. Purpose: for any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the law. 62948 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF CONVERSION TO A DOMESTIC LIMIT-ED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) NORSA REAL ESTATE PARTNERSHIP, a NY part-

nership was converted to NORSA REAL ESTATE, LLC, a NY LLC, by filing Certificate of Conversion with NY Secretary of State on July 31, 2001. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. LLC managed by one or more members. Office: in Albany County. SOS is agent for service of pro-cess and shall mail copy to c/o Albany Gastroenterology Consultants, P.C., 1375 Washington Avenue, Albany, New York 12203.

## (May 19, 2010)

62949

LEGAL NOTICE ARTICLES OF ORGA NIZATION OF INFINIGY SURVEYING PLLC A Pro-tessional Limited Liability ompany under the Limited Liability Company Law § 1203: (i) Name: Infinigy Sur-veying PLLC; (ii) Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on April 2, 2010; (iii) Office location: Albany County; (iii-a) Address: 11 Herbert Drive, Latham, NY 12110; (iv) SSNY is designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the PLLC, 11 Herbert Drive, Latham, NY 12110; (v) Registered Agent: none; (vi) Specific Date of Dissolution: None; (vii) urpose: For the practice of the profession of Land

Surveying. 62951 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of Limited Liability Company ("LLC"). The name is Dep-con, LLC. Articles of Orgalawful act or activity. 62952

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of information of FJA PAINTING, LLC pursu-ant to NY Limited Liabil-ity Law 203, Art.org. filed with Secy.of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/15/2010. office tocation: Co CONIV 4

LEGAL NOTICE FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is: The Brady Group LLC. SECOND: The county, with-in this state, in which the

office of the limited liability company is to be located is: Albany. THIRD: The Secretary of

State is designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served.

address within or without this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served

upon him or her is: Neal D Brady 1 Ellsworth Place Delmar, NY 12054-1408 62955

#### LEGAL NOTICE

(May 19, 2010)

SIMPLY SENSITIVE, LLC Notice of formation of SIM-PLY SENSITIVE, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on March 30, 2010. Office location: Alba ny County. The SSNY has been designated as agent been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC, at 3 Fairfield Drive, Voorheesville, New York 12186. The purposes of the LLC are to engage in any lawful purposes; to incur indebtedness, secured and unsecured; to enter into and perform contracts and agreements of any kind necessary to, in connec-tion with or incidental to the business of the LLC; and to carry on any other activities necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the foregoing, as the Members in their discretion may deem desirable. 62956

#### (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

# NOTICE OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF HORIZON SERVICE OR-

**GANIZATION LLC** The name of the limited liability company is Horizon Service Organization LLC (the "LLC"

The Articles of Organization for the LLC were filed with the Secretary of State's Office on March 22, 2010. The office of the LLC is to be located in the County Albany State of New York at 1187 Troy Schenectady Road, Latham, New York 12110

4. The Secretary of State is designated as an agent the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The post office ad-dress in the State of New York to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy any process against the LLC is: c/o Lemery Greisler LLC, 60 Railroad Place, Saratoga Springs, New York 12866. 5. The duration of the LLC

perpetual. The character and purpose of the business of the LLC shall be to undertake

is

6.

LEGAL NOTICE The Articles of Organization for the LLC were filed with the Secretary of State's Office on March 25, 2010. The office of the LLC is to be located in the County of Albany State of New York at 12 Cornell Road, Latham, New York 12110.

The Secretary of State is designated as an agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The post office address in the State of New York to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is: c/o Lemery Greisler LLC, 60 Railroad Place, Saratoga Springs, New York 12866. The duration of the LLC perpetual. The character and pur-

6. se of the business of the LLC shall be to undertake any lawful act or activity in which a limited liability company may engage under the laws of the State of New York; all subject to and in accordance with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations. 62958

#### (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMIT-ED LIABILITY COMPANY .C).

CAPITAL CITY Name: PRODUCE LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, April 13, 2010. 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 381 Broadway, Menands, NY 12204. 62961

#### (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Avant Healthcare Professionals, LLC. Fictitious name: Avant Healthcare Professionals Staffing, LLC Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/22/10. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Florida (FL) on 7/2/03. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Registered Agent Solu-tions, Inc., 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Address to be maintained in FL: c/o 1265 S. Semoran Blvd., Ste. 1221, Winter Park, FL 32792, also the address of the principal office. Arts of Org. filed with FL Secy. Of State, R.A. Gray Building, 500 South Bronough St., Tallahassee, FL 32399-0250. Purpose: any lawful activities. 62963

#### (May 19, 2010)

Notice of Formation of Ocean Diagnostic Monitor-ing, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/19/08. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be

LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE ignated 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 activi-

#### ties. 62966 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of PATHSTONE FAMILY OF-FICE, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 3/3/10. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 9/14/09. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Paracorp Incorporated, One Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 805A, Albany, NY 12210. DE address of LLC: 40 E. Division St., #1A, Dover, DE 19901. Arts of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any Dudul patients lawful activity. 62968 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Publication PAVEL LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/28/10 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. 62977 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of GCA Abstract LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/17/2009. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Delaney Corporate Ser-vices, Ltd. 99 Washington Ave Suite 805A, Albany, NY 12210, Purpose: any lawful activities. 62978 (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of WINZER'S PLACE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/27/10. 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. 62980 (D) (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SAJOL REAL ESTATE,

#### May 19, 2010 • Page 29

#### LEGAL NOTICE

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. 62983 (D) (May 19, 2010)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 1345 EAST 2ND ST., LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/28/10. 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 law-ful activities. 62984 (D)

0.07

(May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 7225 72ND COURT, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/28/10. 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. 62985 (D) (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

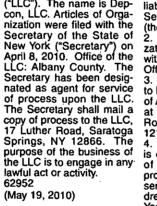
Notice of Formation of INDIGO BUSINESS SO-LUTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/26/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207 The registered agent is: USA Corporate ervices Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all law-ful activities. 62987 (D) (May 19, 2010)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of IMPACT PLUMBING & HEATING LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/30/10. Office loca-tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same ervices Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all law-ful activities. 62988 (D) (May 19, 2010)

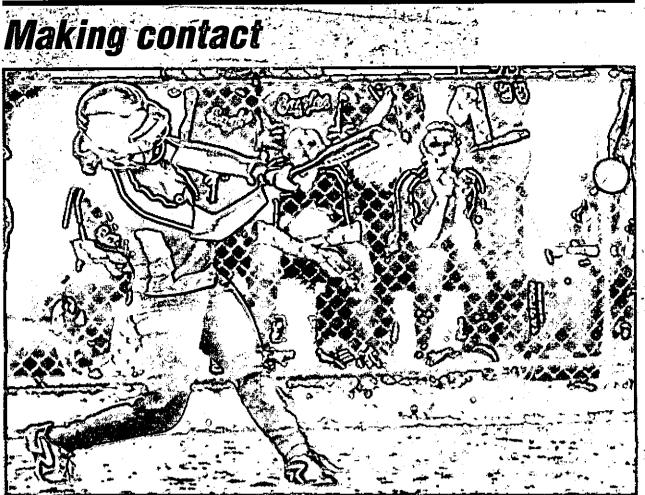
#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABIL-ITY COMPANY. NAME: WOODY WOODS



Control of LP filed with TX Secy of LP filed with TX Secy of State, 1019 Brazos St., Austin, TX 78701. Purpose any lawful act or activity. 62941 (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of 162 INDIA STREET LLC. Arts of Org. filed with Secy. of	New York on April 14, 2010. The office of the company is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon which process may be served and a copy of process shall be mailed by the Secretary of State to the LLC at Lombardi, Walsh, Wakeman, Harrison, Amodeo & Davenport, P.C.	Purpose: To engage in any lawful act or activity. 62953 (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE ARTICLES OF ORGANIZA- TION OF The Brady Group LLC Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Com-	62957 (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF PARA- GON THE F AGENCY LLC	activity. 62965 (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of PA- TRIOT SERVICES SOLU- TIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on	to: 40 Rector St., Ste. 1502, NY, NY 10006. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62981 (D) (May 19, 2010) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of INVISION INVENTIONS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 4/28/10.	agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 228 Hancock Street, Brooklyn, New York 11216. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 62990 (D) (May 19, 2010)
State, 1019 Brazos St., ustin, TX 78701. Purpose ny lawful act or activity. 2941	NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC Articles of Organization for VAN ALLEN APART- MENTS, LLC were filed with the Secretary of State of New York on April 14, 2010. The office of the company is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon which process may	any process to: c/o the LLC, 167 Lenox Avenue, Albany NY 12208. Purpose: To engage in any lawful act or activity. 62953 (May 19, 2010)	Pany may engage under the laws of the State of New York; all subject to and in accordance with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations. 62957 (May 19, 2010)	12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62965 (May 19, 2010)	SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 40 Rector St., Ste. 1502, NY, NY 10006. Purpose: any lawful activity. 62981 (D)	filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 12/31/08. Office lo- cation: 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, 228 Hancock Street,

Advertise your business with Spotlight Newspapers - Call us today at 439-4949



Bethlehem's Samantha Smaldone lines the ball for a base hit during last Thursday's Suburban Council South Division game against Colonie in Delmar. See page 32 for more details on the Lady Eagles' 3-0 win. Robert Goo/Spotlight

# Zanotta sets home run record

single-season home run 15 — two more than the king in Section II.

baseman clubbed two homers in/last Thursday's 16-13 Suburban Council the Dutchmen (8-6 league, victory at Columbia to in- 9-6 overall), they clinched and added a single for

previous mark held by Stauffer.

More importantly for for making the playoffs.

Matt Zanotta is the new crease his season total to a Section II Class AA Guilderland, which hosted playoff berth with the win. They can finish no worse The Guilderland first Saratoga Catholic's Tim than .500 in the Suburban Council, which is the cutoff

Luke Stark also homered

Averill Park Monday in a Suburban Council South Division game.

Nick Keefe and John Stanley had home runs for Columbia, which dropped to 6-8 in the league.

# Eagles regain their momentum

middle of the season, the Bethlehem boys lacrosse team got itself back on track with Suburban Council victories over Colonie and Columbia last week.

the Eagles (6-5 league, 8-6 overall), though. They needed overtime to defeat Colonie 7-6 last Wednesday before handling winless Columbia 12-5 last Friday.

Bethlehem had a 3-2 halftime lead on Colonie (4-8, 6-9); but the Garnet Raiders scored three times in the third quarter. Only a pair of Eagle goals kept the game tied at 5.

Both teams scored once in the fourth quarter before Andy Conroy won the game for Bethlehem with his second goal of the afternoon midway through the first overtime period.

Conroy also had a pair of assists to complete a four-point game, and Eric Halek added a hat trick for Bethlehem. Davey Mitchell tallied three times for Colonie.

The Eagles had little trouble establishing control over Columbia (0-13, 0-15) in last Friday's Suburban **Council South Division** game. Bethlehem jumped out to a 7-2 lead in the first land.

After a 2-5 stretch in the quarter and tacked on four goals in the second quarter to put the game out of Columbia's reach.

Halek and Stephen Russo provided much of Bethlehem's offense. It wasn't a breeze for Halek scored five goals and assisted on another, while Russo contributed two goals and four assists.

Pat Johnson — in his second game back from a knee injury — added a pair of goals for the Eagles.

Bethlehem looked to extend its winning streak, to three games Tuesday when it visited South Division-leading Guilderland.

The Dutchmen (9-3, 10-5) had been on a four-game winning streak of their own before suffering a 9-5 loss to Shaker last Friday.

The Blue Bison (7-4, 8-6) clung to a 6-5 lead before scoring three times in the fourth quarter to break the game open.

Dan Casale tallied four times, and goaltender Kenny O'Connor made 19 saves for Shaker, which can still tie Guilderland for first place in the South Division by sweeping its final two games and a Dutchmen loss.

Paul Jones had a goal and an assist for Guilder-



lown and perform without costumes or judges.



lvis Aboard the Minne-Ha-Ha • Saturday, June 5, departing at 1:30 PM, 3:00 PM and 4:30 PM - See maje tic Lake George from the deck of the Minne-Ha-Ha while listening to Elvis Tribute Artists. The cruise is just \$11.75 for adults (55 off with your Blue Suede Pass). Call the Steamboat Company at 518-668-5777 to make your reserva-

Elvis Dinner at the Shoreline Restaurant • Saturday, June 5 at 5:00 PM - Dine while listening to Elvis Tribute artists including last year's LakeGeorge.com Elvis Festival champion Matt Joyce. The restaurant promises some

"Elvis inspired" specials. Come early, we expect the event to fill up. Elvis After Hours at King Neptune's Pub • Saturday, June 5 at 11:00 PM - Tribute Artists and Elvis fans party late into the evening at our two After Hours events. On Saturday night, King Neptune's presents Tom Gilbo and the Blue Suedes with other Elvis Tribute Artists joining him on stage throughout the evening. Elvis Gospel Music Competition • Sunday, June 6 at 9:30 AM - For the first time this year we've turned our

Elvis Gospel event into a competition with tribute artists competing for the LakeGeorge.com Elvis Festival Gospel Music Trophy. Come and listen to our talented competitors pay tribute to the roots of Elvis' musical legacy.

#### Tickets for all events still available!

For a complete schedule of events or to purchase your tickets, visit our website atwww.LakeGeorgeElvisFest.com or call 518-681-7/452



Sign-up now as a new County Waste and Recycling residential customer and get two free months of service, including Single Stream Recycling. For more information call 518-877-7007 or visit county-waste.com/SSR Offer expires 12/31/10

OUTU

Necycline

## Playoff (From Page 32

Shaker - the top two seeds in Class A. As to who wins, I'll take the Lady Dutch in a close game.

 Something else to think about when considering how early the girls lacrosse playoffs start around here: the Section II baseball seeding meeting is NEXT Monday. The baseball playoffs begin just as girls lacrosse crowns its Sectional champions.

 Sticking with Section II baseball, why do teams still pitch to Guilderland's Matt Zanotta? The senior first baseman cranked out home runs No. 14 and 15 in last Friday's 16-13 victory over Columbia to break Tim Stauffer's record of 13. What's freakier is that Zanotta only needed 17 games to hit his 15 home runs.

If I was a Suburban Council baseball manager, I'd be telling my pitchers not to give Zanotta anything to hit and take their chances with the rest of Guilderland's line-up. While the Dutchmen have several more kids who can hit the ball with authority, none of them are as likely to launch one into the stratosphere as Zanotta.

• Early call on the Section II Class AA playoff field: While Shenendehowa, Columbia and Bethlehem are the obvious favorites to reach the finals, don't discount Niskayuna. The Silver Warriors have a solid offense, and eighth-grader Ali Frary has done well in her first year as the starting pitcher while senior Lauren Giglio has been sidelined with a stress frácture in her left foot."

Getting to the finals for the second consecutive year might be difficult for -Niskayuna, given the talented pitchers the Silver Warriors may have to face in the semifinals (either Shen's Danielle Amyot, Columbia's Jena Servidone or Bethlehem's Toni Edwards). But if Niskayuna's offense can give Frary some run support, that might be enough to propel the Silver Warriors into the June 4 championship game.

• If revenge is a dish that's best served cold, is satisfaction a comfort food? (Damn, I'm becoming a philosopher in my middle age.)

• I'll say this much about F.J. Zwicklbauer's strategy of placing 10 former Section II soccer stars on his Albany BWP Highlanders roster - it's working well.

Former Shen standout T.J. Popolizio scored both of Albany's goals in the -Highlanders' 2-2 tie with Portland in last Friday's home opener at Union College. Then, former Mohonasen star Roberto Sgueglia tallied the lone goal in Albany's 1-0 victory at Western Massachusetts Saturday to give the Highlanders a 1-0-

1 record in the Premier Development League.

Will the Highlanders keep this pace up? Hard to say. There were times in last Friday's home opener where I thought Albany was outplayed (and in talking with Zwicklbauer, he agreed with that assessment), but the Highlanders fought hard to pull off the tie. And I'm not certain what the competition is like in the rest of the PDL's Northeast Division because we're only one weekend into the season.

But as the Highlanders have more time to practice and play together, it could get interesting. At least, they're worth watching if for no other reason than to see how Section II alumni like Popolizio, Sgueglia, Shaker's Robert Millock, Bethlehem's Darko Knezevic and Mohonasen's Trey Jasenski have developed as soccer players since going to college.

• With the new high-definition video scoreboard, ribbon advertising boards and outdoor lighting coming to the Times Union Center, area sports fans should see just how boring the Albany Devils with ease. Luckily those same things will be used during Siena Saints men's basketball games, so the arena's new bells and whistles won't go to waste.

A quick word association game...

New York Yankees: solid New York Mets: shaky

Boston Red Sox: challenged

Philadelphia Flyers: resilient Boston Bruins: idiots

Pittsburgh Penguins: golfing (same thing goes for Detroit Red Wings)

Boston Celtics: Rondo-riffic (not a word per se, but it works)

Cleveland Cavaliers: doomed (with or without LeBron James) 

Triple Crown: nevergonnahappenagain (again not a word, but you get the idea): Just throwing this out there, but would anyone watch a World Series between San Diego and Tampa Bay?

 Finally, I wonder how New York Rangers fans feel about losing in a shootout to Philadelphia on the last day of the NHL's regular season, thus being deprived a shot at competing in the topsy-turvy Eastern Conference playoffs. Then again, had the Rangers won that game, they would have been the No. 8 seed and probably gotten stomped on by the Washington Capitals - which would have set up a semifinal series between Alex Ovechkin and Pittsburgh's Sidney Crosby. DAMN YOU, RANGERS! You deprived us of Ovechkin vs. Crosby, Part II.

That's it for this week, folks. If you'd like to comment on this column (or add to my little word association game), e-mail me at jonasr@spotlightnews.com.



Albany's Adam Costello, right, fends off a Portland player as he controls the ball during last Friday's home opener at Union College. Robert Goo/Spotlight

(From Page 32)

Millock (Shaker) ...

said:Zwicklbauer.

Springs) and Robert

played really well tonight,"

Our local players

Highlanders' roster, as are from here, but it's nice to Shen's David Burke and play closer to home." Schalmont grad Joshua 7 The Highlanders will Adam Costello (Saratoga Gregg.

Popolizio said the opportunity to play soccer this summer was what lured him to the Highlanders.

More Section II alumni<sup>®</sup> here and play in front when Brooklyn visits will likely be seeing playing of some people who Frank Bailey Field. Then probably haven't seen me following Memorial Day time as the three-month PDL season plays out. play in a little while," said weekend, the Highlanders Bethlehem grads Darko Popolizio. "Rhode Island host Vermont June 4 and Knezevic and Austin [where Brown University Ottawa June 6.

Hughes are on the is located] isn't all that far

have plenty of opportunities to play close to home in the next three weeks. After visiting Vermont Friday, they begin a three-game "I'm happy to get back homestand Saturday

Buehler leaps to the podium

Bethlehem's Pauly inches behind runner-up the 30-team-field with 11 Buehler added to his Jelani Currie of Albany points trophy case with a pair of Academy.

College.

feet, 10.5 inches to finish points Albany won the of 10.34.0 second to Bay Shore's team title with 61 points, long jump. Hutchinson took

first place with a distance of 23 feet, 11 inches. · Hutchinson bested

Buehler again in the triple jump with a winning distance of 47 feet. Buehler was third with a distance of 46 feet, 9 inches, 2.75

Seventh-grader Emily top-three finishes at Satur- Buehler's two top-three," Burns led the Lady Dutch day's Eddy Meet at Union Finishes helped Bethlehem with a fourth-place finish take 12th place in the boys' in the 3,000 meter run. The senior leaped 22 team standings with 14 Burns finished with a time

5

.

McKee Taylor (shot Brando Hutchinson in the five points ahead of Shen put) and Kendra Lizotte On the girls' side, Guil- \* (pole vault) had fifth-place derland placed 14th in finishes for Guilderland.



www.Spotlightnews.com BOb Bellizzi's

Bethlehem closed out its regular season with a 21-2 victory over Columbia last Friday.

(From Page 32)

The Lady Eagles scored 17 goals in the first half on their way to winning their fifth consecutive game after a 4-5 start in the Suburban Council. 🐔

Shirah Fudin scored four times and added three assists for Bethlehem. Megan Duffy and Moriah Greenstein each contributed three goals, while Erin Blanchard and Tori McGrath added two goals . . apiece.

The winners of Tuesday's quarterfinal games at Guilderland and Bethlehem meet in Thursday's semifinals. and the second s





This summer, approximately 29 young men from across the r country will relocate to the Albany area to play for the Albany Dutchmen of the New York Collegiate Baseball League. Here's The Pitch! Provide a home for a Dutchmen player (or players) during the baseball season In Return, Your Family Will Receive... Season tickets to all Dutchmen home games Invitations to the Meet n' Greet party and a Host Family picnicduring the season 2010 Host Family t-shirts Discount on all team merchandise Discounts on all concession purchases FREE Admission to all kid's clinics A team autographed baseball complete with display stand A "Thank You" gift basket including. merchandise, discount coupons, and gift. cards from area merchants 1.25 To volunteer or for additional information, please contact Denise Polsinelli: 518.369.5093 Help Support Tomorrow's Baseball Stars Today! dutchmenbaseball.com **∽\_**`

# **Sports** in the Spotlight

# Lady Eagles keep pace

#### BC remains tied with Columbia for division lead

The Bethlehem softball team remained tied with Columbia for first place in the Suburban Council South Division following lastt Thursday's 3-0 victory over Colonie.

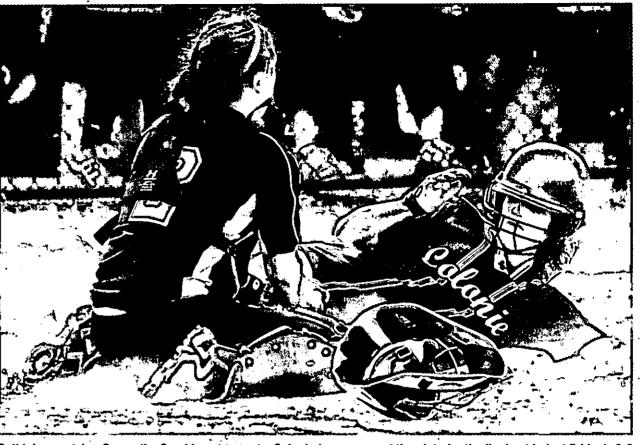
The Lady Eagles (11-3 league, 15-3 overall) scored twice in the bottom of the second inning and added an insurance run in the third inning to give pitcher Toni Edwards all the support she needed to pick up the victory. Edwards allowed three hits and struck out 10.

Colonie (6-8) had a chance to get on the scoreboard in the top of the seventh inning, but Bethlehem catcher Samantha Smaldone tagged the runner out at home plate to end the game.

Edwards and out-fielder Shelbie Ballard each drove in runs for the Lady Eagles. Ballard accounted for half of her team's hits with a double and a single.

Columbia (11-3, 15-3) kept pace with Bethlehem by defeating Guilderland 7-0 last Thursday in East Greenbush.

Columbia played Bethlehem Monday to determine first place in the South Division.



Bethlehem catcher Samantha Smaldone tags out a Colonie baserunner at the plate for the final out in last Friday's 3-0 Suburban Council South Division victory in Delmar. Robert Goo/Spotlght

# Highlanders start on right foot

Section II alumni lead new soccer team to undefeated weekend

#### By ROB JONAS jonasr@spotlightnews.com

Two recent Section II graduates helped Albany's newest soccer team get off to a 1-0-1 start in the United Soccer Leage's Premier Development League.

Shenendehowa graduate TJ. Popolizio scored both of his team's goals as the Albany BWP (Black Watch Premier) Highlanders tie Portland 2-2 in last Friday's home opener at Union College. Then, Mohonasen grad Roberto Sgueglia recorded the lone goal in Albany's 1-0 road win against Western Massachusetts Saturday.

Highlanders coach F.J. Zwicklbauer a former Guilderland High School star. and Albany Alleycat - was pleased with his team's efforts, especially last Friday's tie in which Albany rallied from a 2-1 second-half deficit.

"I'll take a 2-2 decision right now," said Zwicklbauer. "I was really happy with the intensity we had.'

Popolizio had a big hand - or foot - in the decision against Portland. The Brown University forward rebounded his own missed shot in the 12th minute to give the Highlanders a 1-0 lead.

"I hit it off the crossbar, and I was lucky enough to have it bounce back to me and knock in the rebound," said Popolizio.

Portland pulled even in the first minute of the second half when Michael Donald scored. Seventeen minutes later, Jason Massie converted a rebound in front of the Albany goal to give the visiting Phoenix a 2-1 lead.

The Highlanders – who had been outplayed by Portland for the first 18 minutes of the second half - regained their stride and started attacking the Phoenix goal. That effort paid off in the 71<sup>st</sup> minute when a collision between an Albany, player and the Portland goaltender gave Popolizio an open net to shoot the ball into to tie the game.

'I'm not sure who it was, but it was a brave play by him for taking on the goalie," said Popolizio. "All credit on that goal goes to him."

Zwicklbauer was impressed with Popolizio's energy in his first PDA game.

"I call him 'pop-pop-pop' because he keeps on going," said Zwicklbauer. "I was really happy with his performance.'

Several more Section II alumni played significant minutes for Zwicklbauer in the Highlanders' home opener including. Sgueglia, Trey Jasenski (Mohonasen),

□ Start Page 31



Albary's Robert Squeglia, right, heads the ball during the first half of last Friday's home opener against Portland at Union College. Sgueglia, a Mohonasen High School graduate, is one of 10 Capital District natives on the Highlanders' roster. Robert Goo/Spotlight

# Is it girls lax playoff time already? G'land earns

You know that old sports adage, "It's not how you start; it's how you finish." Right next to it should be a picture of the 2009-10 Boston Celtics. OK, moving on...

1



• I've never understood why the Section II girls lacrosse playoffs have to start so early. The winning teams wind up waiting up to 10 days before they play in the regionals – an eternity in the sports world (just ask the Orlando Magic what happens after a long layoff).

With that said, there won't be a lot of suspense in Sectionals. Niskayuna should easily claim the Class B title after its strong regular-season performance, and Guilderland and Shaker should meet for the Class A title next Wednesday.

That Guilderland-Shaker game will be a great one. The Lady Dutch have one of the top gealtenders in the area in Amanda Santandrea, and the Blue Bison have one of the top offenses in the area led by Adrianne Devine (51 goals). Guilderland has its own offensive force in Erin Mossop (52 goals), so if Shaker does get more than a few goals past Santandrea, Mossor and Company should provide an adequate response.

Are there any possible roadblocks to a Guilderland-Shaker final? I suppose Colonie or Bethlehem could upset Guilderland in the semifinals, but it would take a perfect game on their part and a bad game on the Lady Dutch's part to make that happen. On Shaker's side of the bracket, Saratoga Springs has a nice one-two punch with Sarah Campbell (49 goals) and Julia Sirianni (48 goals). That could give the Blue Bison some serious problems defensively.

Still, I believe it will come down to Guilderland and • • • Playoff Page 31 | 5, 9-6) played No. 5 Colonie 

Reserves and an

No. 1 see The Guilderland girls in another quarterfinal lacrosse team locked up the No. 1 seed for the Section II Class A playoffs following last Friday's 17-2 Suburban Council victory over Averill Park that also

wrapped up the South

The Lady Dutch (14-0

league, 14-1 overall) hosted .

No. 8 Columbia in one

quarterfinal game Tuesday,

while No. 4 Bethlehem (9-

Division title.

contest.

Guilderland eased into the playoffs thanks to a team effort against Averill Park. Six players scored multiple goals, led by hat tricks from Kristen Cagino and Erin Mossop. Kendall Cietek, Jenna Crupi, Shelby Iapoce and Kelsey Michele all contributed a pair of goals. · · Seed Page 31