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The Ravena-Coeymans Selkirk Central School District is steeling itself for budget season by adopting a budget freeze for the remainder of this school year, and will soon be taking up the issue of a wage freeze.

The freeze, approved in a split vote by the school board at a Tuesday, Feb. 15, meeting, suspends any field trips and equipment or materials purchases that were not already approved before the vote. Other "non-essential" spending like conferences or workshops vere also put on hold. Activ funded entirely by grants will continue, and exceptions may be made through a administrative review. -The release of Gov. Andrew Cuomo's executive budget, in which state aid to RCS is slashed by about \$2.4 million, prompted the budget freeze, said Superintendent Daniel Teplesky. "Last year, RCS froze the budget in October, which returned a savings of approximately \$100,000," he said. "Coming in February of this year, we look for a savings between \$40,000 and \$50,000." A freeze won't close the district's budget gap, however. The decrease in aid coupled with rising pension costs and contractual salary increases are combining to create a situation that is putting schools across the state in a difficult position for next year.

□ Freeze Page 21

Lyman takes title

senior Andy Lyman won the

Division II (small school) 125-

pound championship at last

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weekend's state tournament.

Ravena-Coevmans-Selkirk

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A standing room-only crowd filled the Glenmont Community Church of the Reformed Church in America on Sunday, Feb. 27, to welcome The Rev. Abby Norton-Levering as its new pastor. The Glenmont Community Church is at 1 Chapel Lane, Glenmont. Tom Heffernan Sr./Spotlight

A warm

welcome



**BC** scales back tech plans

### New, cheaper proposal is to upgrade high school's digital infrastructure

### By CHARLES WIFF wiffc@spotlightnews.com

The Bethlehem Central School District is scaling back its plans to equip students with computers.

Administrators are now focusing on using next year to make the network improvements necessary to bring a personal computing structure to fruition.

A referendum would be put to voters to borrow \$500,000 for the upgrades.

That's a lot less than the original plan floated early this year, which was to invest \$8 million over five years to equip every high schooler with a computing device (be it laptop, smart phone or tablet computer) and provide every middle schooler with access to a personal laptop in the classroom. The work in the new plan would have been part of that initiative.

Community feedback and the release of Gov. Andrew Cuomo's budget (which cuts aid to BC by

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### Police blotter

# **Glenmont man suffers minor injuries in trooper crash**

### **Collision occurs at** Albany intersection, sending three to hospital

Four people, including a New York State Trooper and a 23-year-old Glenmont man, were injured early Friday morning, Feb. 25, when a state police patrol car collided with a mini-van style taxicab on Washington Avenue in the City of Albany.

Injured in the crash were Trooper Patrick Shufelt, 29, cab driver Michael Zeoli, 61, of Albany, and Peter Milano, 22, also of Albany. All three were transported to Albany Medical Center Hospital by Mohawk Ambulance Service. Shufelt was treated for head lacerations and released. Zeoli and Milano were admitted and listed in "guarded" condition; the extent of their injuries was unknown. A second passenger in the

cab, John Pedlow, 23, of cab were distracted by Jason McCanney, 33, the passenger in the troop car, were examined and released.

a.m., Troopers Shufelt and McCanney were monitoring traffic near the intersection of Washington Avenue and North Hawk Street when they saw a silver car speeding westbound on Washington Avenue. They activated their emergency lights and siren and attempted to give chase. They quickly lost sight of the car, but turned off their emergency equipment and continued to search along Washington Avenue. As they entered the intersection of Washington and North Allen Street, they collided with the cab driven by Zeoli, who was southbound on North Allen. Early indications are that the state police car had the green light and that the passengers of the

Glenmont, and Trooper the exchange of money going on inside. The driver and passenger of the cab that were ejected were not wearing seatbelts. One of At approximately 2:30 the rear seat passengers of the taxi, Pedlow, was wearing a seat belt, and his injuries were minor. Albany police and emergency services responded to the scene.

> The car troopers originally spotted was involved in a separate accident just minutes later; Albany police are investigating the second accident. The State Police investigation is ongoing.

### Arrests

 The Bethlehem Police Department on Tuesday, Feb. 22, at about 3:14 p.m., arrested Marissa Ann Goddard, 30, of 3 Marsdale Court, Selkirk, and charged her with aggravated DWI, leaving the scene of a crash, criminal mischief in the fourth degree and a number of vehicle and traffic law infractions.

Police received a call from a driver who said Goddard's 2003 Saturn Ion had struck the passenger side of his vehicle while he was turning into a driveway on Fairlawn Drive in Selkirk, pushing him across the driveway and into a snow bank. The driver provided a license plate number that police traced back to Goddard.

Police checked Goddard's residence, and she answered the door and allegedly confirmed she'd been involved in an accident. Her vehicle had extensive front-end damage, police said. Goddard was unsteady on her feet, had bloodshot eyes and the odor of alcohol





drank two glasses of wine at Chili's, police said.

Goddard initially refused to go outside, and police removed and detained her, according to arrest reports. She was positively identified by the other driver, police said. \* At the station, Goddard allegedly became belligerent and combative, and requested to speak to her father and attorney. When provided with a phone book to find her attorney's phone number, she allegedly threw it across the squad room. She reached her father by phone but became enraged during the call and broke the phone by on her breath, and said she slamming it down on the

desk several times, police said, resulting in a criminal mischief charge. 

Goddard was then secured to the table in the squad room, but she dragged it across the 1996 Toyota Camry was room, and police eventually station, according to arrest. River Road. When stopped, reports.

Goddard was remanded \$2,500 cash or \$5,000 bail said. bond, with a return court date of Thursday, Feb.\* 24.

• The Bethlehem Police Department on Saturday, Feb. 19, at about 3:03 a.m., arrested Ivette M. Pizarro, 39, of 21 Parker Road, Selkirk, and charged her

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with aggravated DWI, unlawful possession of marijuana, speeding and several vehicle and traffic law infractions.

Police said Pizarro's observed speeding and placed her in a cell at the driving on the shoulder on she had the odor of alcohol ·on her breath, watery eyes to Albany County jail on - and slurred speech, police

> She failed field sobriety tests and was placed in custody, and during a pat down police found a plastic baggie containing 0.3 grams of marijuana, according to arrest reports.

Pizarro was given a court date of Tuesday, March 15.

 The Bethlehem Police Department on Sunday, Feb. 20, at about 9:05 p.m., arrested Alan Jerome Gaines Jr., 43, of 4 Brickley Drive, Albany, and charged him with DWI and multiple vehicle and traffic law infractions. Police said Gaines' 2001 Jeep Grand Cherokee was observed failing to signal a turn on Feura Bush Road in Glenmont. When stopped, he had glassy, bloodshot eyes, difficulty completing sentences and the odor of alcohol on his breath, according to arrest reports. Gaines allegedly told . police he had one beer hours ago and was going to his girlfriend's house from his own home. He allegedly failed sobriety tests and was placed in custody. Gaines was given a court date of Tuesday, March 15, and a taxi was contacted to take him home.

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# Spicing things up

Local man's line of southwestern sauces sees greater play in supermarkets across the country

### By CHARLES WIFF wiffc@spotlightnews.com

Larry Sombke knows a thing Whole Foods Markets or two about food. He's written about it, he's eaten it, he's cooked it and now, resides in Delmar, he's selling it.

In what is bound to be an his sauces far from encouraging success story to farmers market vendors all over, Sombke's line of natural sauces has gradually expanded to store shelves all over the immediate area and New England. He recently and Mexico, traveling a lot, announced his southwestern sauces will be carried in area Price Choppers, a great step for the product line.

His recipe for success is simple.

"I'm slowly expanding, because when people taste my sauces they like it, then they buy it," Sombke said.

The first jars of Larry's Southwestern Sauces were. Chipotle sauce packed in the summer of and a unique Mole 2009. He toured area farmers sauce. All will assist markets at first, including in in the creation of Delmar, Voorheesville and quality and authentic Ballston Spa, before making southwestern/ it to shelves in independent Mexican dishes, and all grocers like McCarroll's in are natural, preservative-free Saratoga Springs.

The brand grew to find a distributor, and is now in 70 stores, including 26 all over New England.

Though he now Sombke developed the Capital District, in Missouri. There, as a chef at a natural foods. restaurant, he developed his recipes.

"We used to go down to Texas and I've always liked Mexican, southwestern food," he said. "I started cooking that at the restaurant and people liked it...I've been cooking this for susteaching and runs a consulting

friends and family ever since."

Sombke's sauce line includes a traditional Ranchero sauce, a smoky

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Foods in Rotterdam.

He's worked in newspapers and television news, authored six cookbooks, writes a gardening column and was a producer on shows for CNN and PBS

He also does substitute business. Of his varied roles, however, Sombke said he hopes Larry's Southwestern Sauces is destined for the most success.

> "It's an exciting time to be a food producer. People are really interested in natural food, they're interested in foods that have great flavor... they're interested in

foods that are produced by small companies," he said. "It's daunting to get bigger, but unto order online, visit www. Delmar and Putnam Market in and gluten-free. The sauces are it's a good thing." a problem it alarryssouthwesternsauces. packaged by Casa Visco Fine and In addition to the storest com tach

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sauces can be found in Price Choppers in Queensbury, Wilton, Saratoga Springs, Clifton Park, Latham, Westgate Plaza in Albany, Rt. 155 in Colonie, Glenville/ Scotia and Bethlehem in the natural/Tex-Mex section. For more information or

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Foods Market in January. He used his southwestern sauce to create a

Ranchero Black Bean Chili. The Delmar resident's line of sauces are

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# ess ticked off over teen's trail of untidiness

By ROBIN SHRAGER SUITOR news@spotlightnews.com

My daughter still has roughly three and a half more years of high school, yet my emptynest clock started ticking a few months ago.

Jeff and I were going to watch a DVD, but there was an obstacle course on and around the couch: school books, binders, a backpack, a laptop and a cable from an iPod.

"Why does she leave her stuff all over the family room?" Jeff asked of no one in particular. "She'll be leaving for college soon and then she won't be here to make a mess," I said defensively. "Yeah, I know." he said quietly.

Tick, tick, tick goes the emptynest countdown clock. Or maybe the sound I hear is the thump, thump, thump of my heartbeat. And, if I hear the thumping now when she is just a freshman, what will it sound like her senior

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year?

OK, so technically she won't be going to college for another three plus years. Some people wouldn't consider that as "soon." And yet, when I consider how quickly 14 years have slipped by, three years seems like a mere blip. Three years could pass in the time it takes a person to empty the dishwasher, which is no time at all, unless you are waiting for the teenager who leaves her stuff all over the place to do the emptying, in which case three years could take a lifetime to pass.

I used to wonder why my daughter could not make it

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her business to empty the dishwasher without constant reminders. Then I read a book that explained that a teenager's brain does not have a fully developed chore-completion lobe. In fact, teenagers' brains are programmed to forget any requests they find unpleasant or inconvenient, which coincides with most of what their parents ask them to do. In addition, one entire brain lobe is devoted to prompting teens to resist chores, create excuses and express disdain at parental reminders of any sort.

For example, witness the following:

"Please empty the dishwasher," I told my daughter.

"Mom, we just got home," replied Rachel.

"So? Please empty the dishwasher."

"Can I do it later?"

"No, do it now."

"I have a cold." empty the dishwasher."

over the plates?"

"No. I never asked you to sneeze on anything. I asked you to please empty the dishwasher. I didn't say anything about sneezing."

"Well, I might sneeze."

"Then turn away from the dishes and sneeze into your shoulder."

Wash your hands and empty to found that she had decided to or by the stuffed animals that get the dishwasher," answered her start by clearing out her closet. In left behind. We'll be able to see persistent mother. 29'

And finally my daughter completed the task. She did what I asked and I only had to' ask six times! And somehow, I stayed calm and didn't gnash my teeth or yell ----

\* My goal, now that my emptynest clock is tick-thumping, is to try to reduce the amount of time I yell at my child. Since she's leaving for college soonish, I don't want to spend all our remaining time together nagging

Luckily, I have a high tolerance for clutter. It's likely that Rachel inherited a clutter gene from me. And so, the messes she leaves around the house don't bother me too much. I don't have to yell about the clutter, including that which fills her bedroom.

her about the dishwasher, laundry piles and her clutter.

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· Other parents have advised me that the best way to deal with your teen's messy bedroom is "Don't go in there." When my daughter sees the distress on my face when I enter her room "So, wash your hands and she kindly says, "Mom, don't pty the dishwasher." "You want me to sneeze all !! focus on her face, say whatever needs to be said, and flee. Atnight, after she turns out the light, I make my way carefully -down the narrow path from the door to her bed where I bid her sweet dreams. I know the piles are there, but I can't see them.

In December, Jeff and I offered to buy her a new, larger ' hire a mover? bed. We explained that in order  $\omega_{i}$ to find space for this bed she'd there will be plenty of time "I might not have time," said s need to clean her room. I went of for me to clean her room. Her I stood in the door way, my eyes growing wide with disbelief and confusion. She said, "Wait. mom. Before you say anything, look at the left side of my closet."

I stepped gingerly through the debris on the floor and peered into the closet's left side. It was nearly empty. There was nothing on the floor. Clothing items hung neatly from hangers. But now there was a whole lot more stuff outside the closet.

"So, um, are you turning

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your closet into your bedroom and your bedroom into a giant closet? I asked her.

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"No," said my 14-year-old, "Most of this stuff is going somewhere else, like the basement or the multi-purpose room."

The multi-purpose room is an extra bedroom that we use for storage but that I'd like to one day clean out and use for multiple purposes, such as a sunny reading room (it's on the southern exposure side of the house) or a place to write or do crafts or sew (not me, but Rachel could set up the sewing machine she got from her Aunt Carol).

Rachel marked her boxes and piles of items as "basement" or "multi-purpose room," but weeks later the stuff is still in her bedroom. I wonder why she marked items for the basement but didn't take them to the basement. Is she planning to

When she's off at college and sweep the floor. Yet when we look into her room, we'll miss seeing all the stuff that we currently find unruly the piles of clothes (clean? dirty?); the toppling-over stacks of books, the guitar resting on (not in) its case, the scattered art supplies, towels from last night's shower, unpacked duffel bags...

Luckily, tick, tick, tick, thump, thump, thump, I still have another three years to enjoy the view.



**Chief Meteorologist Mike Bono** 

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# Kaczynski to speak at Youth Court graduation

The Bethlehem Youth Court program will graduate 22 new members at its annual ceremony Thursday, March 3, when the keynote speaker will be David Kaczynski.

The annual event recognizes area students who have completed Youth Court's training program and can serve as lawyers, judges and other roles in Youth Court, which sees young, nonviolent criminal offenders judged and sentenced by a jury of their peers.

Kaczynski is best known as the brother of. Theodore Kacznsky, or the Unabomber. David turned his brother in to

authorities in 1996. He has Thursday, March 3. Past since become an anti-death penalty figure, speaking across the state about his experiences and heading up the New Yorkers for Alternatives to the Death Penalty in Albany.

Youth Court Director Katrina Charland said she's not sure what Kaczyinki's speech will include, but in other engagements he has told his own story, including how prosecutors had wanted to seek the death penalty for his schizophrenic brother.

The graduation ceremony will be open to the public and held in the Bethlehem Town Hall auditorium at 7 p.m. on. keynote speakers include Albany County Executive Michael Breslin and District Attorney David Soares.

The following students will be recognized at the ceremony: Jared Bein, Max Burman, Bethany Caldwell, Megan D'Andrea, Lauren DiFrancesco, Quincy Epstein, Hilary Forrest, Bryan Granito, Madeleine Halle, Alicia Harman, Dalton Homer, Matthew McKenna, Andrew Napierski, Anna Papile, Kevin Risch, Connor Rohan, Dylan Scarano, Tom Sheridan, Briana Shiffert, Benjamin Smith, Saika Suzuki and Mujtaba Warsi.

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## **Delmar Progress Club hears** update on paths and trails

Rob Leslie, Senior Planner for the Town of Bethlehem, presented a program on the Town's bike paths, trails and pedestrian walkways at the Bethlehem Public Library on Feb. 7 for members of the Delmar Progress Club.

Leslie, who heads the PaTHs 4 Bethlehem Committee, outlined his group's planning and evaluation processes and provided illustrations and maps of the town's proposed 95 mile bicycle and pedestrian network.

We include a 'green moment' in each monthly meeting," said Kathy Newkirk, co-chairman with Lynn Rhodes of the Progress Club's Environment and Conservation Committee. "Mr. Leslie's presentation was extremely motivating and informative and we are energized by the town's commitment to extending its bikeways and trails in an orderly and responsible manner."

Other groups interested in hearing more about combined town and citizen efforts to improve our environment and provide pathways to homes, hamlets and healthy hearts can contact Rob

### **IN BRIEF**

### JCC to host Senior Fair

The 2011 Congregation Beth Emeth -Sidney Albert Albany Jewish Community Center Health & Services Fair for Adults/ Seniors will be held at the Albany JCC, 340 Whitehall Road, on Sunday, May 15, 10:30am -2:30pm.

This event, which is free and open to the community, provides numerous health screenings, information booths representing a wide variety of area businesses, refreshments, drawing prizes, quick adult haircuts and chair massages. Round trip CDTA bus transportation will be available to seniors living at the



Rob Leslie: Senior Planner for the Town of Bethlehem and PaTHs 4 Bethlehem Committee chairperson, outlined the group's plan for the town's proposed 95 mile bicycle and pedestrian network to the Deimar Progress Club last month.

Image provided by Delmar Progress Club

Leslie at 439-4955. ext. 1157 or rleslie@ townofBethlehem.org. The Town of Bethlehem website (townofbethlehem org) provides additional information and lists the meeting calendar in the Economic and Development and Planning section.

Beverwyck, Marie Rose Manor, Ohav Sholom, Whitehall Court, St. Sophia and Holy Wisdom Apartments.

For the bus schedule and to obtain more information, contact Claire Sigal, director of the Albany JCC senior adult program, 438-6651 x112, ClaireS@saajcc. org.

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# iOS TV clears last hurdle

Bethlehem residents are required to roll service town's residences that are close to receiving Verizon's FiOS television service.

The state Public Service Commission recently approved the cable television franchise negotiated between the town and the carrier early this year. The commission's approval is. the final regulatory step to the company rolling out its service. 

... The agreement closely resembles the one the town services, and lower prices "Pholds with Time Warner in to customers and that is all Cable, until recently the good news for Bethlehem's imp only cable televisioned residents and businesses," ... one operator in town. Like that of he said in a statement. contract, Verizon won't be-

out to the more rural, less densely populated areas of town.

That had been one hangup expressed during a January public hearing on the issue. Supervisor Sam Messina said the town would be searching for ways to get FiOS service in more areas.

"Competition often fosters technical innovation, an increased range of

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### Matters of Opinion in The Spotlight

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## Another round of golf?

The Town of Bethlehem has not submitted the successful bid for Normanside Country Club (first reported on www. spotlightnews.com, thank you very much), but it doesn't mean that those against a Bethlehem-run Normanside are out of the rough just yet.

It is entirely possible that the winning bidder, now knowing that the town is extremely interested in the property, will contact town officials to wheel and deal. And why not? He or she knows the town is interested, can surmise what the town bid based on the winning bid, and could turn a nice profit without a lot of heavy lifting.

We wish it were over, but it's not.

Now, proponents of a government-run Normanside will probably find comfort in the fact that, for the most part, municipally owned golf courses are doing better than their privately owned counterparts.

It could be that the

government has finally found its niche — that the private courses aren't as well managed as the muni courses, that they aren't



as well maintained, that they don't offer as good a golfing experience as a municipally run course.

Of course, and you'll have to pardon the pun, but it could be that privately run golf courses in this area aren't doing so well because they pay taxes to municipalities that have decided to compete against them.

Toward the end of Charles Wiff's round up of local muni golf courses on page 12, you'll meet Joe and Gilda Rappazzo, a Glenmont couple who decided to convert their land into an 18-hole par-3 course off of Route 144 a decade ago, after it became evident that farming wasn't economically viable. Two years before they finally opened Hidden Meadows Golf Course in 2009, they saw the Town of Bethlehem assume control of Colonial Acres with the help of the Open Space Institute, for \$1 per year.

The Rappazzos say they paid \$20,000 in property taxes last year. It must comfort them that after their hometown invested a single dollar of that into taking away Hidden Meadows' customers, they still had \$19,999 left to spend on other town necessities.

Now, the Rappazzos are watching as the town tries to buy another course that will compete with them.

And so it goes.

But we're not asking you to feel sorry for the Rappazzos. We're sure they'll make out in the end. After Normanside is bought, restructured and making money hand over fist for the town, we're sure the Rapazzos will still be able to petition the town to rezone their Glenmont property to accommodate the high-density housing or retail space that Delmartians so feared would go into their backyards.

### Who knew dirt was so complicated?

### By SUSAN PEZZOLA

The writer is a community educator for horticulture with the Albany County Cornell Cooperative Extension.

Some call it soil and some call it dirt. but for each of us, our little bit of earth is where it all begins. Many new gardeners are overwhelmed by all the information about what to do to get started in gardening.

First and foremost, a gardener needs to know as much as possible about the soil that they have and the place to start is with a simple soil pH test. Soil pH is a big deal for gardeners as it is the key to the balance that plants require to thrive. Ideally a pH that falls between 6.0 and 7.2 is at a good level to ensure that the plants can take nutrients out of the soil. Some exceptions are azaleas, rhododendron, and blueberries, as they prefer a lower pH of 4.5 to 5.5. The pH scale is a numerical measurement of 1 to 14 with 1 to 6.6 being in the acid range, 6.8 to 7.2 as neutral values, and 7.4 to 14 as alkaline. Plants have a pH comfort zone and it is important for the gardener to know what that is for the plants that they are growing.

Once a pH level is known, the next most important aspect to learn about your soil is its texture. Moisten some soil and take a handful, close your fingers making a fist. Sandy soils have a gritty feel, and they will fall apart as you open your hand. Clay soils will form a ball that keeps its shape as you open your hand. Wet clay has a shiny look and it feels slippery. Loam soil is somewhere in between these two and it will hold its shape and loosely fall apart as you open your hand. Soils can be combinations as well, such as sandy loam or clay loam. Learning about your soil type will also help you to make better decisions about what will grow best in that type of soil. Sandy soils have excellent drainage and in many cases



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it is necessary to add organic matter such as compost or aged manures to help the sandy soil retain some water. Clay soils hold water and when dry can

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become hard and compacted; they too benefit from organic matter to lighten up the soil and increase its ability to drain. Most soils benefit greatly from the addition of organic matter and so many gardeners regularly add compost and/or dried manures in the spring and chopped leaves in the fall to improve the tilth or structure of the soil. It is possible that the continual addition of organic matter can alter the soil pH and so it is important to check the soil pH every few years to be sure that it remains within the 6 to 7.2 range.

Compost tends to have a pH in the 6.4 to 7.3 range depending on materials used (feedstock) in making the compost. If there are a lot of oak leaves and conifer needles, then the pH will shift lower, and if the materials are more alkaline in nature such as deciduous leaves, the pH will be higher. At present there are no standards for testing commercial compost. Homeowners are usually concerned about the possibility of unknown chemicals in commercial compost rather than the pH. For the most part, pesticides and herbicides are designed to degrade quickly and the composting process itself is a factor in the breakdown of chemicals. For concerned gardeners, the answer is to make their own compost, then control over pH and chemical additives is easy to achieve. The value of adding compost and organic matter lies in the trace elements, the macronutrients and the micronutrients, and the beneficial fungi that compost fosters but it is also about the balance. So please do add`all the organic matter, then you can have your soil pH tested every few years to help maintain the balance in your soil. Soil pH tests, and information on composting and adding organic matter can be obtained from the Cornell

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### Last week's poll results:

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• Yes. If it will improve the quality of life in town, then the cost is warranted .: 28%

•No. Government should focus on things like roads and sewers.: 71%

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### **Daniel Lanchantin named** to SUNY Cortland **Dean's List**

Daniel Lanchantin, of Glenmont, has earned a place on the Dean's List for the Fall 2010 semester at SUNY Cortland.

"This achievement is an honor earned by only a few and it is one n which you and your family can take great pride," said John Cottone, Interim Dean of the School of Professional Studies. "The faculty and I recognize the commitment you have made to your educational experience and we congratulate you on this accomplishment."

### Jack Lanchantin Jr. named to University at **Buffalo Dean's List**

Jack Lanchantin Jr., of Glenmont, has earned a place on the University Undergraduate Dean's List for the Fall 2010 semester at the University at Buffalo.

"Congratulations on your outstanding academic performance," said A. Scott Weber, Vice Provost and Dean of Undergraduate Education.

### **Five Rivers to host search** for signs of spring

An outdoor search for early signs of spring will be conducted on Friday, March 25, at 7 p.m. at the NYSDEC Five **Rivers Environmental Education Center**, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar. On this, evening foray, Five Rivers naturalists will lead participants through field and fern, listening for geese, peepers, woodcock and other sounds of the season, to see if . spring has sprung nov a sourced . : \*

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of charge. Participants are urged to dress for outdoor activity. In the event of severe weather, this program may be cancelled. Please call the Center at 475-0291 for more information.

### **RCS to celebrate Music** In Our Schools Month

The month of March is recognized nationally as Music In Our Schools Month and the Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk CSD is celebrating!

The RCS Music Department is presenting several concerts throughout the month. All concerts are free and open to the public. The schedule is as follows:

• March 9: AWB Grade 5 Band/ Chorus Concert, 7 p.m., @ A.W. Becker

• March 10: MS Grades 7 & 8 Concert, 7 p.m. @ AWB

• March 16: MS Grade 6 Concert, 7 p.m. @ RCS High School

• March 17: HS Concert, 7:30 p.m. @ **RCS High School** 

 March 22: PBC Grade 5 Band/ Chorus Concert, 7 p.m. @ Pieter B. Coeymans

Additional events in March:

March 11 & 12: Thirteen RCS students from grades 4 through 12 will be participating in the NYSSMA Piano. Solo Festival at the College of St. Rose.

March 23 & 25: Greene County Music Educators Association Spring All-County Festival. The All-County concert will be held at Coxsackie-Athens on Friday, March 25th at 7:30 p.m.

March 27: Eight RCS HS students will perform in concert with the Capital Region Wind Ensemble at 3 p.m. \*at> Schenectady County Community do Informatic solar tent, auf they will fall

**Support Clarksville** at upcoming meetings

Editor, The Spotlight:

I am writing this letter to reach out to our community to ask for residents of the Bethlehem Central School District to attend our district meetings on March 7 and March 21 at 7 p.m. at Bethlehem Central Middle School.

The reason for this meeting is to discuss the school budget and the possibility of closing Clarksville Elementary.

We should all be verv alarmed by this because of the millions of dollars spent within the last five years to add on to the school, only to now consider closing it and mothballing it. To close the school after investing so much in it would be a terrible waste of our hard-earned money, not to mention the fact that the Town of New Scotland and the children would be losing a wonderful school.

Due to the fact that we voted yes on the bond issue, we will be paying for this renovation for many years to come. Why should we pay for a deserted building when our investment could be used to educate our children? There has to be a better way. Please come to these meetings and support education.

> Mary Danckert Collins New Scotland

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The deadline for all letters is noon Friday prior to publication.

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## **Guilderland grand opening**



NETXNY, an information technology firm, held a grand opening at its Guilderland office on Friday (located in the Guilderland Chamber headquarters in Star Plaza). Founders Any McGowan (right) and Jeremy McGowan are joined by Guilderland business owner and councilman Mark Grimm (left).

### Students named to Stonehill **Dean's List**

Stonehill College recently named the following local residents to its Dean's List for the Fail 2010 semester.

• Delmar resident Louis J. DeLuke, a member of the class of 2011.

• Glenmont resident Paula C. Gadomski, a member of the class of 2013.

• Slingerlands resident Emily C. Schumacher, a member of the class of 2014.

 Delmar resident Kelly A. Spencer, a member of the class of 2014.

To qualify for the Dean's List at Stonehill, students must have a semester grade point average of 3.50 or better and must have completed successfully all courses for which they were registered.

### **BCSD** to hold forums 🗦 on facilities

The Bethlehem Central School District will be holding two open forums, March 7 and March 21, on a facilities feasibility report that includes the possibility of closing an elementary school as well as the district's central offices at 90 Adams Place.

The meetings will be held at 7 p.m. in the Bethlehem Central Middle School Auditorium. Similar to the community budget forums held earlier in the winter, they will also be webcast for those who can't be there in person. Visit the district's website, http://bethlehemschools. org, for details about how

The Superintendent presented an overview of the feasibility study to the Board of Education at its Feb. 16 meeting. The document is available on'

> The report lists Clarksville and Elsmere elementary schools as potential closure options for the Board of Education to consider.

> on the options outlined in the report.

### **Church youths** to host

### spaghetti dinner

The youth group from the First United Methodist Church of Voorheesville, 68 Maple Ave is holding a spaghetti dinner on Friday, March 4, from 4:30-7 p.m. The dinner includes meatballs, salad, bread, dessert and beverage. Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$4 for youth 12 and under. There is also takeout available.

Reservations or further information can be made by calling the church office 765-2895 Mon.-Thurs. 9amnoon. or contact Dianne Luci 765-4536.

Proceeds will help the youth attend a convention in Indiana called Youth 2011. This convention occurs only every four years and attendance is roughly 10,000 youth from throughout the country.

### Submitted photo Snowshoe walk at Thacher Park

The snowshoe season is coming to a close. Join the final guided winter walk to scenic views from the cliff top on Saturday, March 5, at 10:00a.m. The walk will begin at Ryan Road and walk to the Hang Glider Overlook on the escarpment. Meet at the Nature Center and carpool to the trailhead, where parking is limited. Call 872-0800 to register and reserve snowshoes.

Please call ahead to check conditions.

### Q.U.I.L.T. to meet

Q.U.I.L.T. Inc. will meet to make a decision on on Friday, Mar. 11, 2011 at March 30. The forums are Delmar Reformed Church, a way to gather public input 386 Delaware Ave, Delmar NY. Meeting starts at 9:45 AM; doors open at 9:15 am. Annual Service project

workday and Birthday celebration; bring your lunch and stay into the afternoon to help.

For information, call 439-1194. Check our website at www.quiltinc. org.



### **Mifgash plans** wine tasting

Mifgash, the Albany-Troy community-wide Hebrew high school program, will hold a kosher wine tasting on Thursday, March 24 from 6-9 pm at the Glennpeter Jewelry Centre, 1544 Central Ave., Albany.

Admission is \$18 per person or \$25 per couple, and all proceeds and wine orders support Mifgash.

There will be 17 kosher wine labels from all over the world, and all wine ordered at the event will be discounted fifteen percent. Food will be catered by Saati Catering.

People who cannot attend can 'request\*a discounted wine order form at mifgashpassoverwine@, gmail.com. All wine ordered will be delivered at University Wine and, Liquor (1225 Western Ave.) in Albany near the University at Albany during the week of April 11.

Reservations for the event should be made by March 21, and checks (payable to Mifgash) should be sent to:

c/o Wendy Schaffer

### Slingerlands, NY 12159For information,

call Schaffer at 439-4765 or e-mail mifgashpassoverwine@ gmail.com.

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### Chambers named to dean's list

Rebecca G. Chambers, a senior at Wells College in Aurora, has been named to the dean's list for the fall 2010 semester. Chambers is a resident of Delmar.

To be eligible for Dean's List, a student must carry a semester GPA of 3.5 or better and take a minimum of 12 letter-graded hours (four courses).

### **Children's** school sets open house

Bethlehem Children's School, 12 Fisher Blvd., Slingerlands, will hold an open house Tuesday. March 15, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

RSVP to info@ be thleh em childrensschool.com. For more information, visit www.bethlehem childrensschool.com/ openhouse.htm or call 478-0224.

### Schneider named.

### Alden Scholar

Emma D. Schneider, daughter of Gwene Schneider of Delmar, has been named an Alden Scholar for the 2009-10 academic year at Allegheny College.

graduate of A Bethlehem Central High School, Schneider is a junior at Allegheny.

Alden-Scholar awards are presented to students who maintained a grade point average of 3.2 or higher during the preceding academic year. The awards are named in honor of The Rev. Timothy



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## Teens, adults invited to matinee movie

Just for fun... the library is planning two special free Sunday matinee movies for teens and adults. "Burlesque" will be shown on Sunday, March 13, at 1:30 p.m. The indomitable Cher is paired up with Christina Aguilera in this romp about a small town girl trying to make it in LA. (Rated PG-13, running time 119 minutes). There will be a second showing of the award winning film The Social Network on April 3. Mark your calendars.

### Club happenings

March "club" madness begins with the Lego Club, a drop-in program for kids who love Lego building. The meetings will be on



Fridays, March 11, 25 and April 8 from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. We'll supply the Legos and you supply the imagination to create masterpieces.

And, if you love math, or maybe you need practice, Math Mania offers funs and games on the subject on Mondays, March 14, 21 and 28 from 4-5:00 pm. Play with math through activities, games and books. The program is designed for grades K - 3 and registration is required.

Kids can join Friday evening book discussions with activities and

### refreshments.

Grades 2 and 3 will be talking about Clementine's Letter by Sara Pennypacker on April 1 at 7:00 p.m.

Fourth and fifth graders should love the true story of "Marley: A Dog Like No Other" by John Grogan. An incorrigible, loveable yellow Labrador Retriever is adopted by the Grogan family and becomes an inseparable and important part of their lives. Please note that there has been a date change for this to March 25 at 7 p.m. because of a school conflict. Sign up at the reference desk and pick up a copy of either book. Parents are welcome to attend. The library is closed.

### **Color copier**

Just a reminder that VPL has both a public copier (now color!) and a public fax where you can send or receive documents. The fax number is 765-3007 if you need to have something faxed here for pickup. Be sure the sender has it clearly addressed to you. Charges are minimal.

Barbara Vink

• A 1 1 library 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.

of Bethlehem. Ticket

prices are \$8 for adults and

\$5 for senior citizens or

children. Tickets may be

purchased at the Library

or at the door the night of

the concert.



### **Library looking for** literacy volunteers

The Guilderland Public Library, in partnership with Literacy New York: Greater Capital Region, is looking for a few good people who would like to become tutors in ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) or BL (Basic Literacy, primarily reading and writing).

You need no prior teaching experience - we provide the training to help you work effectively together. We also cover the \$35 materials fee customarily charged for the full training. When you've completed the program and are ready to work with adult learners, Literacy New York will be right there to help you with lesson plans, instructional support, and additional training along the way. The library can offer meeting room space and a wonderful collection of literacy materials to support your efforts.

Your commitment is just one or two hours a week  $\overline{a}$  but the results can last a lifetime.

We're particularly interested in recruiting people who would be Home, John T. Biscone, willing to work as a team Bullock Utilities, Peter with another tutor, to helpog instruct a small group. of adults (three to four people) who want to improve their English.

> Come to a free orientation session at the library on Monday, March 14, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30

p.m. Additional sessions will also take place here during these hours, on various dates in March and April.

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To learn more about the program, call Literacy New York: Greater Capital Region at 452-3382.

### Friday movie

Last Friday's movie got snowed out, but if the elements cooperate we look forward showing a wonderful story about a fish called Nemo, on Friday, April 4, at 7 p.m.

Sponsored by our friends at the Holiday Inn Express, this underwater feature pits a multicolored fin-kid against aquatic adventures that even Flipper or Diver Dan (okay, what Boomers get THAT reference?) could overcome. But our intrepid gilled guppy triumphs.

Or does he?

• Come to the library next Friday to find out. The movie starts at 7 pm. In addition to all the seats for, adults, there are always mats. down front so younger moviegoers can spread out. Of course there will be free popcorn!

The Guilderland Public Library is at 2228 Western Ave., Guilderland. Call 456-2400 x 12 for more information, or visit the library's website at www. guilpl.org.

### **Band instrument petting zoo a** big hit

On Feb. 24, 21 children attended the RCS Community Library's Band Instrument Petting Zoo, where they had the opportunity to see, hear and hold a variety of musical instruments.

**RCS School District** Music Coordinator Scott Andrews and several of his students coordinated the event with library staff Carol Melewski and Kathy Domery. High school band members who demonstrated their instruments were Melanie Melewski, French horn, Michelle Malin, clarinët, Mariah Disorbo, tuba, I Andrew Lammly, alto sax, and Thomas Downey, tenor sax.

Miss Kathy held storytime-for the children with music as the theme. School Superintendent has traveled the world.

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Daniel Teplesky and high school Principal Brian Bailey (both former music teachers) also attended the program. A very special thank you goes out to everyone who made this musical experience. possible for the young students of our community. A wonderful time was had Brian Melick on several by all!

### **Music Without Walls** to perform concert:

The Music Without Walls project offers music "from the west of the Hudson to the west of the band leader and composer,

influences that she infuses in her travelogue-style lyrics and music. This exciting new ensemble plays a dazzling array of music from countries as far flung as Macedonia, Brazil, Israel, and Ireland.

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It features Klein on many guitars and bouzouki, Jesse Kotansky on oud, violin and saz, Mark Dann on bass and guitar, Ross Rice on keyboard, and unusual world percussion of instruments.

Klein has been called a \* "finger 'style guitar" virtuoso" by critics and?? colleagues alike.

This third concert in the Acoustic Door ways series Jordan." Sharon Klein, will be held on Friday, March 25, at 7:30 p.m. at the First Reformed Church

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## Italian meal to raise funds 🔳 RCS for new roof at church

Have an Italian feast at the Glenmont Community Church on Saturday, March 5 at 4:30 pm. There will be spaghetti, meatballs, sausage, and all the fixings. The cost is \$9 and the proceeds will be used to fund a much-needed roof for the church. Bethlehem Senior transportation will leave town hall at 3 p.m. Home pick up is available on prearranged basis. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176 to make a reservation. Suggested van donation is \$3.

The Bethlehem Senior Chorus will perform on Thursday, March 10 at 1 p.m. at the Bethlehem Town Hall Auditorium. Come and enjoy this free concert.

A.A.R.P. tax counseling is available through April 12 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. by appointment at the Bethlehem Town Hall. Call 439-4955, ext 1176, to make an appointment. Bring copies of your 2009 Federal and State returns, your 2010 W-2 and 1099 Forms and receipts for contributions receipts for contributions receipts for contributions receipts at the second sec interest, medical bills andproperty/school taxes.

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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.

### Wednesday, March 9

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

### Thursday, March 10

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

 Bethlehem Senior Citizens Club will host the Bethlehem Senior Chorus at 1:00 pm. this week. The enjoyable afternoon of designmes and socializing at

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> March is Colon Cancer Individuals over the age of 50 are encouraged to be screened for colon cancer. Regular screening can prevent cancer or treat it

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The cancer screenings Awareness Month. are free and open to the public, but appointments are necessary. For more information, or to schedule an appointment, call 454-4034. staff Carol Mele



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# Municipal golf courses thrive despite economy

### Local publicly owned links maintaining profits through recession

### By CHARLES WIFF wiffc@spotlightnews.com

To some, an afternoon on the links is as about as classically American as a Saturday spent at a baseball game.

There are apparently quite a few of those folks right here in the Capital District. From Spa State Park in Saratoga Springs to the Stadium Golf Club in Schenectady and beyond, the landscape is peppered with options for golfers, enough to make it tough to take an exact count, and many of those courses are run by local governments.

This situation has been of great interest to residents of the Town of Bethlehem in recent weeks. The town entered a sealed bidding process with the Bank of America in hopes of acquiring the property and running it as a golf course, but was informed this week it was not the successful bidder. This does not preclude, however, the successful bidder from turning around and selling the course to the town.

Some have questioned whether the town would be able to run the course profitably. Bethlehem already runs Colonial Acres, but it's a small, 9-hole par-3 course that the town pays only \$1 per year to lease. Neighboring communities have long had their own operations, though, and even in these tough times,

leaders in these municipalities generally say their courses support themselves and are a great asset.

### **Neighboring towns** turn profits

Much has been made of whether the Town of Bethlehem would be able to recover the cost of buying Normanside. In the Town of Guilderland, the recent acquisition of Western Turnpike Golf Course has not only been a break-even investment, but once the loan is paid off, it will return a tidy profit for the town, said Supervisor Kenneth Runion.

"The revenues that the course generate have paid the expense of the course and the personnel, as well as the cost of the principal and the interest on the bonds that we had when we purchased the course," he said.

The course turns out only \$10,000 or \$20,000 a year, said Runion, but that's with loan payments of about \$500,000 being paid out of revenues. Once the purchase is paid off, that will become profit.

He added that Western Turnpike was operated as a public club before the town stepped in 2002, a key difference from Normanside. C. Halle

"We took over a fairly strong revenue stream when we purchased it," he said. "In this

situation, you've got a course that was a private club, so you have to set up some sort of a business model for that course."

Western Turnpike offers memberships, but those golfers make up a relatively small percentage of the 27-hole course's use.

Among the grandest municipal

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courses, at least in terms of scale,

is the Colonie Golf Course, with

36 holes. Supervisor Paula Mahan

said it's this size that gives the

operation the flexibility to draw a

advantage of being able to host

the major tournaments on 18

holes, then our golfers can golf

on the other 18 holes," she said.

"It is self-sustaining, and it does

money back into repairs of the

clubhouse, Colonie turned a

\$190,000 profit last year. It's

also seeing high use, even in a

recession, with 2009 being the

second busiest year on record.

good place to play. It's a beautiful

"The course that we run, it's a

Even after putting some

make a profit."

"That helps to give us an

lot of different kinds of play.

good alternative to a country club," Mahan said.

### **Capital Hills** welcomes change

Interestingly enough, there's a municipal course not a mile away from Normanside. Located just across the river is Capital Hills, a full 18-hole golf course operated by the City of Albany. Sitting on a 291-acre footprint, like Normanside, the course's land is also open to other recreational uses like hiking, cross-country skiing and sledding. It's about a 15-minute drive from pro shop to pro shop.

The proximity would make one wonder if the course could be threatened by another full course minutes away, but the city's Office of General Services Commissioner Nicholas D'Antonio said in the world of golf, competition is not necessarily a bad thing.

"I think we'll both benefit. from them being there, as well as us being there," he said. "They're two different courses, and they're both very good courses."

He said the course has been performing strongly even through the recession, perhaps drawing on that pool of golfers unable to foot a country club membership.

Capital Hills will likely increase rates in 2011 to account for increased labor and supply costs. Daytime rates this past season were \$28 per round for nonresidents, \$17 for residents. The city runs the course at just over the break-even mark, D'Antonio said.

### **Private owners** fret competition

But even if Normanside were a profitable enterprise for the course, it's affordable and it's a town, would there be a ripple. effect? The owners of the only private operation in Bethlehem say they're concerned another public course could undercut their business.

Joe and Gilda Rappazzo opened up Hidden Meadows, an 18-hole par-3 course off of Route 144 in Glenmont, in July of 2009. It took them 10 years to convert their farmland into a commercial business when farming became economically unfeasible, during which time they received praise from the town for undertaking a project that would preserve green space.

Since making the conversion, though, they've seen the town itself buy up Colonial Acres in 2007 and, now, a fierce debate over whether it should purchase a second.

"That's going to be two golf courses that are against us," Joe Rappazzo said. "The play that we would have had, that gets chopped in thirds now instead of half."

Adding to those worries is the fact costs are increasing, Gilda Rappazzo said. Fertilizer has tripled in price since the course opened, and Hidden Meadows pays over \$20,000 in property taxes, a burden municipally owned courses don't have to bear (some, like Guilderland, negotiate agreements with fire departments to pay for services).

"We have an awful lot invested in it. We have a lot of monthly payments we're making out of our own pockets," Gilda Rappazzo said. "It's kind of tough."

Hidden Meadows does not employ many - it's a family run business, said Joe Rappazzo, with his son helping with groundskeeper duties and his daughter and wife minding the pro shop.

"We started this for our family, so they got something when we're gone," he said.

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Mueller is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School. Class of 2010.

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### **Dodgeball event** to be held

The Guilderland Central School District Physical **Education Department** is hosting the third Annual GHS Dodgeball Tournament on Friday, March 4, from 5 to 8:30 p.m. in the Guilderland High School New Gym.

The tournament will feature 32 co-ed teams; (five male students, five female students and two faculty members per team) in a double elimination contest. Faculty members from all five district elementary schools, as well as from Farnsworth Middle School and Guilderland High School, have volunteered to play in the tournament. Student participants are from the high school only.

**Community members** are invited to attend. Tickets cost \$3 each (with a maximum price of \$10 per family of four or more) and will be available for advanced-purchase in the high school at lunch periods during the week of March 1. Tickets will also be available at the door on the night of the event. All proceeds collected from the event will once again benefit the Altamont food pantry Last year, the tournament raised more than \$3,500 through entry and admission fees, T-shirt sales, bake sales and donations' from local -Yimii sponsors.

The final two teams of the tournament will advance to the Suburban" Council" Dodgeball Tournament, to be held at Shenendehowa High Schoolon April 30. For more information on the GHS bymc.org.

Dodgeball Tournament or for questions regarding tickets, call Allison Relyea at 861-8591, ext. 4000.

### Piano contest seeks students

The Frederic Chopin celebrates its 10th anniversary in September, and area piano students ages 6 to 19 are invited to participate.

The annual event, held at Blessed Virgin Mary of Czestochowa Church at 250 Old Maxwell Road in their work and be judged by a panel of accomplished musicians. Contestants perform one piece composed by Chopin, with apprentice and master level students selecting from an approved list.

The competition will take place on Saturday, Sept. 17. Winners and runners-up will perform at a concert on Sunday, Sept. 18. Winners receive U.S. savings bonds as prizes. The Young Chopin level winner (ages 6-11) wins a \$100 bond; the Chopin Apprentice level (ages 12-14) winner, a \$500 bond, and the Chopin Master level (ages 15-19) winner, a \$1000 bond. Runners-up receive a \$50 bond.

registration is Aug. 17" and the remaining four and is limited to the first 10 schools are set to start applicants in each category.3 the curriculum later, in s The registration fee is \$30<sup>°</sup> the year. and is non-refundable. Previous winners are not of this because DARE eligible to register in they has been eased out of same category. For more the schools," said Marin. information or to register, call 373-0092, or visit www. because DARE was 16 or

District DAREs to go on new path

### **Prevention Council** offers 'Too Good for Drugs'

### By ALYSSA JUNG junga@spotlightnews.com

When the DARE Piano Competition program was eliminated in April 2010 because of budget constraints, Saratoga Springs residents and school district administrators were left wondering what to do about drug, alcohol and tobacco education.

The Prevention Council Latham, allows students may have a replacement and teachers throughout of sorts—or at least an the region to showcase alternative-with its program "Too Good For Drugs" that it already implements in other school districts around Saratoga County.

"It's utilized in eighth and sixth grade, the programs 'Too Good For Drugs' and 'Too Good For Violence.' The district asked us what we thought would work so we set up in Saratoga this year as a first try," said Pat Marin, Prevention Council's director of school-based prevention.

The intensive, sciencebased curriculum was tested out on fifth graders at Division Street and Geyser Road elementary schools in the Saratoga Springs City School Hus (1991) - (1) The deadline for District in early February A 128 11

"I'm hoping we do more "This was an opportunity 17 lessons and the district



really didn't want to see the kids lose out on a prevention service."

What makes "Too Good For Drugs" different from DARE is that it's sciencebased, said Marin.

"It's very interactive, great activities and talks about goal setting and decision making. We've always had our focus on presenting a program that children would make a decision ... they learn the risks of using a drug from a personal point of view and that you can change your perception of yourself growing up," said Marin. "Focus on what you want to do with your life and drugs can diminish that. This program is figuring this out and not so much about bad and the negatives."

Marin said the program covers tobacco, talks about resistance skills, ways to reduce pressure, role playing, communicating effectively and how to stand up to look someone in the eye and tell them how you feel. It promotes assertiveness and a digression from being passive and going along with someone else's decisions; taking responsibility for actions. It also features a lesson on alcohol and children of alcoholics.

••• "We tell them it's not your fault and demonstrate what alcohol does to family life. It's an interesting program and kids enjoy it," said Marin.

To keep the younger kids' attention and help the information really sink in, the curriculum is heavy on games.

We do spinner games and it's excellent," said Marin.

Because the Prevention Council is a non-profit, the "Too Good For Drugs" program gets help from council educators and the teacahers.

"We have teachers doing four lessons and us doing four lessons because we can't do all of them," said Marin.

"Too Good For Drugs" is supposed to show "measurable changes in students' attitudes and behaviors" before and after the lessons are taught. To gauge this progress, teachers administer preand post-tests.

"So far the response from students and teachers has been really good," said Marin. "The principals have mentioned that they've received positive feedback from parents about the interactive parent/child worksheets, too:"

Saratoga Springs might be the latest area school district to implement "Too Good For Drugs" but the curriculum is already a part of schools in Galway, Mechanicville, South Glens Falls, Corinth, Stillwater and Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake, targeting third, fourth, sixth and seventh grades, said Marin.

"Wherever school districts have requested or done different programs, we convert them to this program because we have science-based criteria," said Marin.

This is the first year "Too Good For Drugs" has been offered to fifth graders and Marin said she thinks it's a great age to start.

"It's a perfect place to put it in fifth grade because they're heading to middle school," said Marin.

For more information about the program, visit the Prevention Council online at www.preventioncouncil. org."Wt 41005 7.2

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# 'Vet for a Day' lets kids learn about animals

### Animal Protective **Foundation hosts** event

### By JOHN PURCELL purcellj@spotlightnews.com

Children lined up with a stethoscope in hand as they early waited to get their chance to exam one patient dog named Betsy.

The Animal Protective Foundation in Scotia hosted the program 'Vet for a Day' on Saturday, Feb. 19, for children from third to eighth grades to get a better understanding of what a future career as a veterinarian would entail

and how to properly care enthusiastic. They have for an animal companions they might currently have in their family. Over 20 kids waited to learn about and meet some of the animals at the shelter after their parents dropped them off for the veterinarian boot camp. There were over 75 children that had shown interest in attending the program that day

"[Vet for a Day] is probably our most popular program and we are looking to expand it. but vets are very busy so it is kind of tough," said Kim Jess, organizer of the program at the APF. "Anything with kids I enjoy, because they are so

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that natural affinity for animals and to know that these are the kids that care and will influence their peers and just help make the world a better place for the animals of the future."

Dr. April Davis lead the program and said when she was growing up all she wanted to do was be a veterinarian and work in a clinic. Now she works in a laboratory through her PHD in microbiology and deals with viruses, with one of her studied areas including bats.

"When you are age I wanted to be a vet. That was all I wanted to be," said Davis. "One option is to work in a clinic, but there are so many other options."

Davis prepared the children for the long road of schooling ahead of them by explaining they would need 8 years worth of college education to reach their PHD to become a veterinarian. Getting a master's degree in a particular field they are interested within animal care she said is also a good idea.

Even with the extensive studying required, she did ease the children by



Megan Keating, 9-year-old from Waterford, checks out Betsy the dog's heart rate with her stethoscope as Dr. April Davis holds Betsy during 'Vet for a Day' at the Animal Protective Foundation in Scotia on Saturday, Feb. 9.

rabbit carefully cradling

their bottom, because

a rabbit's hind legs are powerful enough that

if they try to kick out

of your hands they can

people might find an

injured baby rabbit or

maybe just one that

appears to be a stray and

will try to rehabilitate

them before releasing

them, she said. This can

be problematic though

In the spring time

break their back.

John Purcell/Spotlight

because if a rabbit grows up relying on people for food and nourishment then it won't be able to fiend for itself when it goes back into the wild.

"People will keep them a while and not know how to fiend for themselves ... so they are not learning how to go out on their own," said Davis. "When they are old enough to be released there is an excellent chance they are not going to make it because they are dependent on you. That is why it is important if you find a wild baby animal you find a rehabilitator that is able to rehabilitate them properly.

Before getting to exam a dog, Davis went over some of the different elements in taking care of a dog and their anatomy.

Öne example she shared was the difference between a healthy dog nail and an injured nail. The most common instance of a dog getting their nail damaged is when the owner cuts it too short, which can occur if the dog flinches.

"It bleeds a lot for a surprising little area," said Davis about a nail getting trimmed to short. "To get bleeding







saying the time would

fly by and be over before

me it would go by fast

and it really did," said

Davis. "The fun stuff is

children looked at was a

rabbit and Davis picked

up the fluffy bunny and

explained how to take

care of handling the

animal. She said it is

important to hold the

The first animal the

working with animals."

"I remember they told

they knew it.



to stop, pressure is really important."

An easy way she said to deal with it is to count slowly for a minute and just apply pressure. If that doesn't work she said just repeat it expect for two minutes the second time.

After learning about healthy teeth, kidney, heart, inflammation from ticks, fleas and mites and other body parts, 'Betsy' was brought in for the children to test out some veterinarian skills.

While going through some procedures of a typical exam with a dog, children were supplied with a stethoscopes and checked the dogs heart rate. They were also **Vet** Page 15







## Kicks for charity

An exhibit at the Albany Institute of History and Art provided the inspiration for Bethlehem Central elementary art classes to turn their old shoes into works of art. The **Slingerlands and Elsmere** art students of Colleen Sieme and Erin Mcaffrey have been hard at work transforming their old shoes into colorful and ornamental pieces for evening "Heart and Sole" art shows for their families. The shows also provided a venue to raise money and collect supplies for charitable efforts the schools are undertaking in the name of former **Clarksville Principal Dorothy McDonald, who** passed away last fall. Submitted photos



their back legs.

The last animal friend

point up like most cat's ears, because the tips of his ears had to be removed due to frostbite

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# 'Lady Father' tells local female priest's tale



The Rev. Susan Bowman (retired) is about to release her book "Lady Father," which details her struggles in becoming one of the first ordained female priests in the Episcopal Church. The Delmar resident hopes the book will serve as an inspiration to women in all walks of life, as well as serve as a window into the power of faith.

Submitted photos



### The Rev. Susan B. Bowman

The Rev. Susan **Bowman discusses** how she persevered

By CHARLES WIFF wiffc@spotlightnews.com

A local woman is turning her unique story about breaking ground in the theological world into what she hopes will be a secular hit.

Susan Bowman's "Lady Father" is the tale of the Delmar resident's more than 20 years as a priest in the Episcopal Church and the difficulties she faced being one of that denomination's first ordained female clergy.

Bowman was born and raised in the Diocese of Southern Virginia. When she was a child, women were still barred from the priesthood, but she remembers wanting to be able to walk down the aisle of her church

holding a cross.

That path was opened in 1976, when the ordination of women was approved, but like many women in the following years, Bowman found reality takes time to catch up with policy when she joined the seminary.-

"There were a lot of angry people, a lot of surprised people," she said.

Part of that surprise was that her Bishop, the Rev. C. Charles Vaché, a staunch opponent of women in the clergy, signed off on her being the first woman to enter the diocese's ordination process in 1981.

"Most people who were against women ordination didn't have anything against the woman herself," Bowman said. "He just could not picture himself laying his hands on a woman's

head and saying those words."

His approval came from Bowman's involvement in the church community, and her deep dedication to youth programming. On top of working for the City of Petersberg, Bowman knew she wanted to devote herself full time to the church, but despite her faith, character and devotion, many told her not to pursue priesthood.

But others encouraged her and in the end, though it was a difficult decision, she said she was "inexorably pulled" to the seminary. She decided to quit her day job and pursue her passion.

"I felt there was something that God wanted me to do other than work for a city for the rest of my life," she said.

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## Tale

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Though "Lady Father" deals with the Episcopal Church and its structure, Bowman said she thinks the book can be applied to secular life as well. Today, a woman is the presiding bishop of the Episcopal Church, but women still have a long road to equality in many walks of life.

"I think her story is interesting, it's compelling and it's well written," said Ross Murphy, of Aberdeen Publishing, who is releasing the book. "I'm very confident and hopeful that Susan's book is going to be successful and her launch is going to be success."

For Bowman, she hopes her story will be inspiring to other women who are facing their own trials. Her advice to them: Don't take naysayers too seriously.

"I don't know where the person in the pew has been. I don't know what " their experience as a priesthas been. Let people be who they are in this world, and understand that everybody's coming wonder why Bowman from somewhere," she said.""There were times when it hurt, and times and barriers thrown up that I wanted to scream by the very institution

"There were times when it hurt, and times that I wanted to scream and times I wanted to walk away."

have the time or the energy to do that.'

Even after Bowman graduated from seminary, becoming ordained was a process during which she had to fight the system tooth and nail, with the help of the Rev. Vaché. Her first posting was at a home for girls in Virginia, and since that institution held services. Sunday night, she was often called upon to travel to other parishes in the morning to fill in for absent priests. In this role, she found rejection and even hostility from those uncomfortable seeing a woman administer the Eucharist.

"It happened a couple of times that I got there and people stormed off," she said.

When she relocated to the Capital District, the same kind of things. happened, and she had to build up a reputation all •over again. Some might continued to fight in the face of rejection, hostilityand times I wanted to she adored. That's a

walk away. But I didn't complicated question, she said.

> "At the beginning, I think it was stubbornness, that the national church had said we could do this,' she said. "As time went on, I think it was knowing in my heart and in my spirit that I was doing what God wanted me to do.'

Today. Bowman resides in Delmar, where her son and grandchildren also live. She's retired from the full-time ministry, but she still serves as a parttime pastor for Jermain United Methodist Church in White Creek, near the Vermont border. She enjoys the small

size of the church, and also being able to focus Maura McKinney and on preaching and tending the Boland School Step to the congregation, Dancerson Friday, March instead of dealing with 4, at 6 p.m. administrative duties.

"It's the finest thing 1 for any pastor to live to become." she said. \* "Lady Father" is still

being finalized and is on track for a spring release. Bowman plans. to hold book signings throughout the area: For more on her work and her blog, visit ladyfather còm.

IN BRIEF

### **Relay team sets** The Rev. Susan Bowman Yankees trip

The Sole Survivors Relay For Life of Green Island Team is holding a fundraising trip to Yankee Stadium on Thursdsay, July 7.

The Yankees will play the Tampa Bay Rays at 7:05 p.m. Tickets are \$60, which includes round-trip bus transportation, a ticket and a donation to the Relay for Life. They are on sale until June 1.

For more information, call Bill at 225-8567 or from March 31 to April e-mail williamjconnery@ yahoo.com.

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Performing with the Symphony Orchestra under the direction of E. Daniel Long, Youth Symphony Director, Ann Arbor, Mich., will be Guilderland students Gregory Barber, son of Cathy and Peter Barber of Schenectady, and Paul Travers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Travers of Guilderland. Josh Palagyi, son of Penny Palagyi of Albany, will be singing in the Mixed Choir under the direction of Constantina Tsolainou, director of choral activities in the Schwob School of Music at Columbus State University.

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f you're a parent living in the Capital District, by now you've probably heard at least a little bit about the annual Hannaford Kidz Expo. Let's face it, the event is big –really big!

The Expo is the perfect destination for families looking to get out and about after a long, cold winter and a welcome prelude to spring. Why? Well, for one reason, it's affordable; only \$5 to park, free admission and plenty to do without breaking the bank. Two, it's close to home and three, it's jam-packed with things kids love - bounce rides, face painters, music, live animals, video games, arts and crafts, costumed characters, and so much more. What's unique and special, however, is that the Expo has become an impressive showcase for local talent and local business. It's a perfect example of what community events should be all about.

As host of the Hannaford Kidz Expo, the New York State Office of General Services relies exclusively on vendor revenue and sponsorship funding to produce the event without cost to taxpayers. Hannaford Supermarkets, in its sixth year as title sponsor, have been steadfast supporters of the program. In addition to operating more than 20 Capital District locations, their local associates have been generous with both time and resources and have influenced the content of the program to include activities that encourage kids to eat healthy, enjoy learning, and stay active. Locally owned and operated in Clifton Park Center, Bounce Around has also become a staple at the Kidz Expo. Owner Tom Barber believes in giving back to the community, which is why he enjoys sponsoring free events like

the Kidz Expo. It gives him an opportunity to promote his business and to provide entertainment for kids that might not have access to his rides otherwise. Bounce Àround joins other

Around joins other local businesses such as Afrim's Sports, Lebanon Valley Speedway, Rollarama Skating Center, Crossfit Beyond, and Tumbling Tykes, to name a few.

In addition to its many attractions, the Hannaford Kidz Expo has a history of exciting performances. This year is no exception – with features such as Artspower's production of "Harry the Dirty Dog," the family-friendly rock band Starfish, and Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey clowns. Performing alongside these powerhouses will be a number of young and talented members of our Capital District community. Make room during your visit to catch shows by students of Dance Dimensions, a local dance studio in Albany; members of Cub Scout Pack 58 in their own Pinewood Derby; and students from The Music Studio, also in Albany.

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> There's plenty of opportunity for children to get involved too. For example, they can practice rhythm at the Let's Drum booth – an interactive program bringing music into our everyday lives – or they can try their hand at becoming the next American Idol with Fox 23 News.

The Hannaford Kidz Expo takes place on Saturday, March 5, at the Empire State Plaza.







### Meet Pepe!

Pepe is an adorable 8 month old male tiger kitty with a magnificent thick tail. He is a pretty mellow boy who was found and hand-raised from a very young age. Sadly, his rescuer/owner became ill and can no longer care for him. Please call H.O.P.E. for more information on adoption, 518.428.2994 and visit our website for additional pets looking for homes at www.hopeanimalrescue.org

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### Theater

### AESOP'S (OH SO SLIGHTLY) UPDATED FABLES

Six of Aesop's most famous fables get a modern twist, presented by On Our Own Productions, Emmanuel Friedens Church, 218 Nott Terrace, Schenectady, March 11-13 and 18-20, adults \$8, children \$5, children under 5 free. Information, 356-2306.

### BILL W. AND DR. BOB

Regional premiere of play based on Alcoholics Anonymous' founders, presented by Curtain Call Theatre: 210 Old Loudon Road. Latham, through March 26, shows Thursdays through Sundays, \$20. Information, 877-7529.

### THE DROWSY CHAPERONE

Musical comedy, presented by Schenectady Light Opera Company, 427 Franklin

### St., Schenectady, March 3-6 \$18-\$28. Information, (877) 350-7378

Disney's animated classic comes to life with Broadway stage show, Proctors Theater, 432 State St., Schenectady, through March 20, call for showtimes and prices.

Mix-of folk, traditionals and American pop, March 3, 8 p.m., Moon and River Cafe, 115 South Ferry St., Schenectady;

Acoustic duo, March 4, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany, free. Information, 512-5100.



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#### March by Sharon Stenson In the field the dog goes Under asymmetrical round. pines, Wolfbane, wild 👝 the unthawed patches, an agony rosemary grow side by of snow. The dog goes side, round entangle. The dog nose pressed to the frozen follows ground, the edges, lifts his sniffs at every blade of leg. The house on the dried hill . 3 and broken grass, and turns its weatherside then into the wind, waits. moves on a

Here we are waiting for spring, just as the dog waits. The language is quite beautiful, especially the The language is quite wany "w" words alliteration. See how many "w" words the poet uses effectively. Sharon Stenson was born in Terre Haute, Indiana,

but has lived in Upstate NY much of her life. Sharon taught writing and literature at SCCC and is a published poet, playwright, and musician. She resides in Delmar. D

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### Music

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### EMERALD DAWN

🚚 🖓 🖄 LEO KOTTKE 🦉 🏹 Innovative acoustic guitarist, March 4 and 5, 8 p.m., Swyer Theater, The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$34.50. Information, 473-1845.

JEREMY WALLACE DUO Acoustic bluesman, March 4, 8 p.m., Caffe Lena 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, advance tickets \$16, door price

\$18. Information, 583-0022. STRAIGHT EIGHTHS

River Cafe, 115 South Ferry St., Schenectady, free. Information, 382-1938.

ALL-SHE-WROTE Original folk, March 5, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany, free.

#### Information, 512-5100. BRIAN ALVARADO AND LUKE HOEHN Two singer-songwriters, March 5, 8 p.m., Moon and River Cafe, 115 South Ferry

St., Schenectady, free. Information, 382-1938. **BLUES IN THE ROUND** Featuring Bill Sims Jr. Mark LaVoie, Marjorie Thompson, Mark Tolstrup and Dale Haskell, March 5, 8 p.m., Caffe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, advance tickets \$18, door price \$20. Information, 583-0022.

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Trio that takes a contemporary approach to traditional Ceitic music, March 6, 7 p.m., Caffe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, advance tickets \$15, door price \$17. Information, 583-0022.

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adults \$14, students/seniors \$6. Information, 346-6204 Two shows with fast-rising comic, March - Broadway, Saratoga Springs." Informa-tripic State Plaza, Albany, \$37.25 In - 211 (1997) - 225. ؛ ∨≀

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RUSSIAN NATIONAL 🚁 🏄 🤷 BALLET THEATRE Performing recently discovered "Romeo \*& Juliet" ballet by Tchaikovsky, as well as Les Sylphides "Chopiniana," March 18; 8 p.m., Hart Theater, The Egg, Èmpire State Plaza, Albany, adults \$30, seniors \$26, children \$15. Information,

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### Visual Arts

NEW YORK STATE MUSEUM

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Arts and Entertainment

"Citizen Soldier," through March 31; "Farmers, Warriors, Builders: The Hidden Life of Ants," through April 10; plus "Beneath the City: An Archeological Perspective of Albany," permanent coltections on the 9/11 recovery effort. New York state history and geography, Empire

Jazz quintet, March 4, 8 p.m., Moon and State Plaza, Madison Avenue. Information, 474-5877. **ALBANY INSTITUTE OF ART** 

'Curator's Choice: Recent Acquisitions," through June 5; plus "The Folk Spirit of Albany: Folk Art from the Collection of the Albany Institute of History and Art" and exhibits on Hudson River School

painting, American sculpture and the history of Albany, 125 Washington Ave. Information, 463-4478.

 ALBANY AIRPORT GALLERY Installations by Paul Katz, Harry Leigh, Harold Lohner, Lillian Mulero, Ken Ragsdale, Nancy Shaver and Joy Taylor. Information, 242-2243.

ALBANY CENTER GALLERY. "Mohawk Hudson Regional Invitational,"

through April 2, 39 Columbia St., Albany. Information, 462-4775. **ARTS CENTER OF THE CAPITAL** 

### REGION

"Vignette," through March 20, 265 River St., Troy. Information, 273-0552.

### CHAPEL + CULTURAL CENTER "The Way of the Cross," a series of oil

paintings by Patricia Trudeau, March 7 through April 30, 2125 Burdett Ave., Troy. Information, 274-7793.

> NATIONAL MUSEUM OF DANCE

Weekly show of improvised comedy and " "Postage Paid: Dance Around the World," music, March 4, 8 p.m., Proctors Un-tethrough fall 2012; "In a Labyrinth: The derground, 432 State St., Schenectady, Dance of Butoh," through March, "A, S Midsummer Night's Dream," through May plus a Michael Jackson tribute, a

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"Paula Hayes: Understory," through April 1; Skidmore College, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information, 580-8080.

#### THE HYDE COLLECTION

"Objects of Wonder and Delight: Four Centuries of Still Life from the Norton Museum of Art," through April 21; 161 Warren St., Glens Falls. Information, 792-1761.

### CLARK ART INSTITUTE

"The Strange World of Albrecht Durer," through March 13; "Eye to Eye: European Portraits 1450-1850," through March 27; 225 South St., Williamstown, Mass. Information, (413) 458-9545.

MASS MOCA

"one floor up more highly," an installation by Katharina Grosse, through October; Ruse," through Dec. 31; "Sol LeWitt: A Wall Drawing Retrospective," ongoing; 87 Marshall St., North Adams, Mass. Information, (413) 664-4481.

#### ARKELL MUSEUM

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

### Call for Artists

### 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 Saint Clares' Chapel, McCtellan Street, Schenectady.

### **ETUDE CLUB**

Looking for women interested in vocal and instrumental performance, meetings held the first Thursday of every month. Information, 374-5536 J

### SARATOGA ARTS

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

### CLIFTON PARK

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### TANGO FUSION DANCE COMPANY

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### 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 percus-

sion sections. Information, 439-7749.

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

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

### SUBURBAN SOUNDS **COMMUNITY CHORUS**

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

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

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Rehearsals Thursdays at 7:30 p.m., Siena College, Route 9, Loudonville, Information, 783-2325

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## Milestones

### Bill J. Silverman

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Bill J. Silverman, 64, of Albany, New York passed away Monday, February 21, 2011. Bill



Silverman and Alaine T. Silverman.

Bill attended Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington, Illinois where he graduated with a degree in Sociology/ Psychology in 1969. His greatest accomplishment while in college was meeting and later in 1969 marrying the love of his life, Bonita M. Sanchez. Bill and Bonita moved to the capital district in 1971, where Bill worked for the New York State OMRDD as a rehabilitation counselor, until 1986. A resident of Delmar, NY for over 30 years, Bill was one of the founding fathers of the Bethlehem Soccer Club. From the early 1980's he was a tireless volunteer serving many positions within the soccer club which included being a member of the Board of Directors, and serving as President for many years, where he successfully expanded the BSC programs beyond the recreational and travel teams to include the Premier soccer program for both boys and girls. Bill's legacy grew as he was\_the\_driving\_force behind the purchase and development of the 20+ acre Bethlehem Soccer Club "SoccerPlex" located in Glenmont, NY. However, Bill's greatest legacy is through his coaching and the impact he had on hundreds of young men and women, some who went on to be collegiate soccer players, coaches, and most importantly using the life lessons Bill conveyed through his coaching, were able to become

positive members of society. They all held a special place in his heart including his son, Willie, who followed in his footsteps by coaching youth soccer for the Bethlehem Soccer Club and scholastically for both Bethlehem and Voorheesville Central High School.

Bill is survived by his devoted wife of 41 years Bonita M. Sanchez and his son, Willie Sanchez Silverman, both of Albany, NY, as well as many midwest nieces and nephews. Bill's extended family includes: Jerry (Jack) Lindahl and Gloria Walters of Westchester County NY and their children, Lars Lindahl, Georgia (Joe) Lopez, and Devin Lopez. Earl and Leslie Albert of Lenox, Massachusetts, and Michael Albert, and Jim and the late Marian Wallin of Pittsfield, Massachusetts and their daughters Xena and Beth.

Bill's family would like to especially thank Dr.Jorge Cerda, Dr. Lev Barats and Dr. David Putnam as well as the staff of the Hospice Inn at St. Peter's Hospital for their compassionate, dedicated support and outstanding care. a 🗘

A "Celebration, of Bill's Life", will be held Saturday, March ,5, 2011 at 3:30 PM at the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street; Albany. Relatives and friends are invited and may call after 12:30 PM on Saturday. 📫 🖉 📜 👌

Donations and memorial gifts in the name of Bill Silverman can be made to The Bethlehem Soccer Club, P.O. Box 305, Delmar NY 12054.

To leave the family a special message on their guest book; obtain directions for a memorial card; or share a photo or e-card, please visit www. McveighFuneralHome. com.

Susan Kathleen Ratto, daughter Fred and Kathleen Ratto of New City, N.Y. married Leo Joseph Bresnahan, III, son of Leo J. and Alice Bresnahan, Jr. of Delmar, N.Y. on July 17, 2010.

The Wedding Ceremony took place at St. Francis of Assisi Church in West Nyack, N.Y. Monsignor Edward Weber and Deacon Phil Marino officiated. A Reception followed at New York Country Club in New City, N.Y.

The Matrons of Honor were Christine Ziegler and Jennifer Blum, Sisters of the Bride. The Bridesmaids were Cate Bresnahan. Sister of the Groom, and Kathy Allen, Tara Pancoast, Denise O'Connor and Jean Wallace, friends of the Bride. The Jr. Bridesmaid was Kaitlyn Blum, Niece of the Bride.

The Best Man was Brian Bresnahan, Brother of the Groom. The Groomsmen She earned degrees in were Dennis McArdle,



Heather Dippert and John Svare

### Dippert, Svare to marry

Heather Dippert, daughter of Thomas and Judy Dippert of Clifton Park, and John Svare, son of Bruce and Marvalice Svare of Delmar, are engaged to be married.

The bride-to-be is a High School, Curry

College and Albany Medical College. She is a certified registered nurse anesthetist for Albany Medical Center.

graduate of Bethlehem Central High School, N.Y. The couple became graduate of Shenendehowa Marist College and engaged while on vacation Albany Law School. He in Disneyworld. is an associate counsel for the New

# Ratto, Bresnahan marry



Leo Joseph and Susan Kathleen Bresnahan

Nicolas Leff, Scott DeFeo and Kevin Ryan, friends of the Groom. The Junior Groomsman was Kevin Blum, Nephew of the Bride.

The bride is a graduate of Clarkstown South High School. Elementary Education

from Plattsburgh College and Nursing (RN) from Travel Nurse in California and Hawaii. She is employed by NY Presbyterian Hospital in New York City as a Registered Nurse.

The groom is a graduate of Bethlehem Central High School and

LeMoyne College. He is pursuing an MBA at Fordham University and is employed at Deutsche Bank where he helps people with Private Wealth Management.

The couple took a honeymoon trip to Hawaii. They reside in New City. N.Y.



Laura Anne Spangler and Andrew James Cornell

### Spangler, Cornell to wed

Charles and Donna Spangler, Jr. of Niskayuna, N.Y. are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Laura Anne Spangler to Andrew James Cornell, son of Laurence Cornell of Glens The future groom is a Falls, N.Y. and Ms. Ann Cornell of Rotterdam.

> The bride-to-be is a graduate of Niskayuna High School. She received New York State Police. a Bachelor's Degree in **Elementary and Special**

Education from SUNY Plattsburgh. She went on to earn a Master's Degree in Literacy from College of St. Rose. Laura is a Special Education Teacher in the Northeastern Clinton Central School District.

Her fiancé graduated from Glens Falls High School and SUNY Plattsburgh, where he earned a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice. He is a 1rooper with the

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The couple plan a September wedding.

The couple will marry on November 11, 2011.



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Teplesky on Feb. 15 announced he would take a pay freeze in the coming year, and said he's going to implore Cuomo to change state law to allow districts to institute wage freezes for employees. Under existing laws, unions must voluntarily take a freeze.

Movements are under way in schools across the state to appeal to unions to make concessions, with varying results. Administrators often argue that this year, it's either wage freezes or massive layoffs.

"I agree with Gov." Cuomo, in the very difficult times we're in, employees should move forward and say, yes, we

Teplesky said. "However, we're under contracts with all of our bargaining units." Teplesky said he would take the matter up at the next meeting of the school board on Tuesday, March 1, and possibly solicit the board's support on a letter to the governor. The superintendent added he would approach unions

should the district have that power.

Last year, the RCS. administrators bargaining unit took a wage freeze, but any major budget impact would be felt in decisions from unions with more members, such as the teachers union.

**Board** of Education President Scott Hughes said he doesn't want to

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should take a pay freeze," , before instituting a freeze, hurt families, but he'd be compelled to support a wage freeze.

> "When we look at where we are economically ... we have to look at things like wage freezes," he said, adding he hopes to see union concessions this vear.

"We're hoping that the superintendent leading by example really helps people pull together," he

The district is this year operating on a \$42.2 million contingency budget, adopted after voters turned down the district's original proposal.

said.

The next budget. workshop will be held Tuesday, March 15: An April 5 budget adoption is anticipated, with the public vote on the budget set for May 17.

### Tech

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\$2.7 million) prompted the change of plans, said Assistant Superintendent Jody Monroe.

\* "That's a difficult thing to overcome,' she said of the district's S4 million budget gap. "We're looking at major reductions in our program due to that."

Many parents also already have laptops or tablets, and wouldn't want a school-issued one.

Under the new plans, the district would focus on improving network infrastructure at the. high school. There is not a wireless. the school in place. and since the vision of integrated computing would require not only students, but teachers, administrators and staff, to be online, it has to be built up.

would do is take into .

Volunteers needed for 'Canal Clean Sweep' account some of the network pieces we need to put in place for security purposes,' 187th navigation season Monroe said.

Under the new vision, students might soon be allowed to bring their own computing devices to school (that's currently against the rules). That would allow the district to collect important information about usage and requirements.

Schools may argued their children ultimately move toward a cloud computing solution, where information is stored on students and teachers access it through tablet computers or other means. The falling price of these devices is making such a future student network at look more and more plausible. The trick will be to make sure they're used effectively, said Monroe.

"You don't want to have, students bring devices in just to bring them in, we want to use them as an "Essentially what it . instructional tool," she

said

of the New York State Canal System and to mark Earth Day 2011, the New York State Canal Corporation, in partnership with Parks and Trails New York and the New York State **Environmental Facilities** Corporation, is seeking volunteers for the Sixtha Annual "Canal Clean Sweep" scheduled for the weekend of April 15-

to 17. The Canal Clean the district's servers and Sweep highlights the canal system as a major recreational and tourism; said, "The annualdestination in New York state by encouraging communities. businesses and not-forprofit organizations to engage in cleanup and beautification activities on Canal lands and along the Canalway Trail. Last year, more than 90 groups participated in to once again is pleased to the Canal Clean Sweep weekend.

> The Canal Corporation, Parks and Trails Néw

In preparation for the York and EFC are seeking the assistance of canal communities and partners to organize clean-up activities in Canal parks, along public promenades, and on the Canalway Trail. The **Canal Corporation will** provide large bags and trash pickup at each of the events. Volunteers are encouraged to bring their own gloves and supplies, and to wear comfortable clothing and shoes.

> Michael R. Fleischer, executive director of the Canal Corporation, Canal Clean Sweep is a terrific opportunity for communities and our Canal neighbors to join with Canal staff to spruce up the Canalway Trail and other canal lands that are visited by thousands each year. The Canal Corporation partner with Parks and Trails and Environmental Facilities Corporation for this significant volunteer

effort."

- Robin Dropkin, executive director of Parks and Trails New York, said, "The growth of the Canal Clean Sweep in recent years clearly shows that local pride in the Canal and the Canalway Trail is high and the spirit of volunteerism is flourishing across the state.

"Especially in such challenging economic times, the canal system and Canalway Trail, which are growing in prominence as a worldclass tourism destination, become even more important as close-tohome recreational resources for local residents and all New-Yorkers. We are pleased to again join community groups and citizens in cleaning up the canal corridor in advance of the summer season."

Matthew J. Driscoll. president and CEO of the New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation said, "EFC

is proud to partner with the Canal Corporation to celebrate Earth Day and promote the Sixth. Annual Canal Clean Sweep. EFC encourages canal communities, partners, and volunteers to take part in the various cleanup events throughout the canal system and Canalway Trail. Volunteers can take pride in knowing that their cleanup and beautification activities during this weekendlong event will not only help the environment, but protect the beauty: and water quality of our historic, water ways for years to come.", May Me

For more information. on the Sixth Annual Canal, Clean Sweep, or to help coordinate: an event in? your community, please contact Wally Elton of Parks and Trails New York at 434-1583 or email canalsweep@ptny.org.To register events online, please visit Parks and Trails New York's website atwww.ptny.org.



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# Transmission line plans push forward

### National Grid's new line spanning Saratoga and Schenectady counties approved

### By JOHN PURCELL purcellj@spotlightnews.com

When air conditioners are buzzing during blistering hot summer days, the last thing anyone wants is a power outage, and state officials are hoping a new transmission line into Rotterdam will prevent that from happening.

The New York State Public Service Commission granted National Grid a certificate of environmental compatibility and public need on Thursday, Feb. 17, for the company's proposed new 115-kilovolt electric transmission line from Spier Falls in Saratoga County to Rotterdam in Schenectady County. The new line will stretch 33 miles along National Grid's existing rights-ofway, but 20- to 25-foot-wide land easements will need to be acquired for vegetation management, which has been a point of concern for some residents who have wondered how the deal would affect their land.

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Dalton, spokeswoman for the New York State Public Service Commission. "We modified our certificate that National Grid will be required to do some post-construction landscaping along the rightsof-way and the company will have to comply with all local noise ordinances."

The new line will be built in two segments — from the Spier Falls Substation to the Ballston Tap is 22 miles, and the remaining 11 miles goes from the Rotterdam Substation to the Ballston Tap. Also, there is the reconstruction of a 4-mile spur line form the Ballston Tap to the Ballston Spa substation. The new lines will not be as wide as the existing line structures and will rise 4 feet higher.

The project is estimated to cost \$66 million, which is part of \$1.5 billion that has been spent over the past five years on projects in upstate New York, said Patrick Stella, spokesman for National Grid.

Residents have expressed concerns that they would see a spike in their National Grid bills, but Stella said that wouldn't be the case.

"You are not going to see a rise in your electricity bill all of a sudden because we are doing this project," said Stella.

Money for infrastructure upgrades is allocated through the delivery, fees charged to customers, said Stella, so the funding doesn't need to be acquired through dramatically increased charges.

Dalton said the new lines need to be built in order to ensure power during highdemand periods, such as warm summers days.

"During peak periods, you want to have reliability on the system," said Dalton.

The long-range needs of the region will also be addressed by the project. The state Public Service Commission said the upgrades will alleviate the danger of thermal overloads, which could potentially damage facilities and leave thousands of customers without service.

"It is an area we have been looking at for several years," said Stella. "It is the largest growth area in upstate New York in our service territory, so there is a need for the reinforcement of the electrical system there. GlobalFoundries has begun construction of their facility as well, and that certainly heightened the need."

National Grid stated in its application that performance of their transmission system in the Northeast region was marginally acceptable in the summer of 2009. By the summer of 2012 their transmission system was expected to be unacceptable. Part of the increased demand on the system is due to GlobalFoundries, which is expected to have a minimum peak load of 40 MVA by the summer of 2012, which accounts for more than half of the expected minimum load increase of 71 MVA that summer, according to National Grid.

At public hearings held on the project, customers had voiced concerns that GlobalFoundries should front the bill for the project due to the large demand required in the future. Stella contended National Grid was moving forward with plans for the new lines before GlobalFoundries committed to building its facility, and the upgrade is needed even without the strong pull on the system.

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adjacent to the project, said Stella, but the exact number of how many will be affected is unclear. Any property owners affected by vegetation management or acquiring, additional land for easements will be dealt with on an individual basis trough negotiations and some form of compensation. Vegetation management would include replanting of various taller plants species and possibly addressing trees that could pose a danger to the new lines.

"We really believe that this line is needed in this area and we are going to work with those customers in the right of way and those customers we seneed to obtain easements, and we are going to try to reach an agreement that is beneficial of for: both us and them," said "Stella" a langed of the try to reach and of the seneral that is beneficial of states and the seneral the seneral to the customer and the seneral that is beneficial



A conceptual sketch of a section of the transmission line that will span from Spier Falls in Saratoga County to Rotterdam in Schenectady County.



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## Your Community in The Spotlight

### **Old Songs to** hold festival

The 31st annual three-day **Old Songs Festival of Music** and Dance will be held on June 24, 25 and 26, at the Altamont Fairgrounds, Route 146, Altamont.

More than 70 professional performers appear in concert Friday or Saturday at 7 p.m. or Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. The same performers appear on Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on eight stages in more than 120 performances and participatory workshops, classes, and dances. Join us for three musical days of informal fun and listening. See our web site,www.oldsongs. org, for tickets and additional information.

 There will be a Family Stage and activity area for parents and children, and participants can learn fiddle tunes with the Great Groove Band and Jug Band. Food vendors, instrument makers and a juried craft show are part of the weekend, and camping is available for all three days with advance all-festival camping ticket.

The 2011 performers include: World music: Guy Mendilow Band, Libana, Kapriol'!, Danny Spooner.Blues: Scott Ainslie, Andy Cohen; Eleanor Ellis. Old-Time: The Freight Hoppers, Larry Hanks & Deborah Robins, Jane Rothfield. 1. Celtic: Outside Track, The Press Gang, Alison McMorland & Geordie McIntyre, Acoustic Eidolon. Songwriters: Ellis, Ruth Pelham, Jez Lowe, Bing Futch, Dan Berggren, Arrogant Worms. Franco-American: Tidal Wave, Donna Hebert. Northeastern Fiddle Tunes:Quickstep, Fennig's All-Stars. Gypsy Jazz: Babik-Songs and ballads: Finest Kind; Peter & Mary Alice Amidon, Ed Trickett, Harry Tuft, George Ward, John-Roberts. Storytellers: Tim Jennings & Leanne Ponder, Röger the Jester, Beth McLaughlin. Shape-Note: Sings: Matthew Wojcik. Dance. Caller:David Millstone.

Visit www.oldsongs.org, for tickets and additional information.

### **Skating club hosts** Spring Ice Show

The Albany Figure Skating Club will hold its 7th Annual Spring Ice Show at the Albany demy Field house Hackett Blvd., Albany) on Sunday, March 6, 2011 from 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm. This event will feature Club members from all over the Capital District performing individual programs, skaters from the Albany FSC Basic Skills program, and the Albany FSC's Achilles Edge Beginner and Open Juvenile Synchronized Skating Teams.

Admission is \$2 for Adults, \$1 for students and seniors, and free for children under 5 years old. Refreshments will be offered for sale, and a 50/50raffle will be held. All proceeds will help support the Albany Figure Skating Club's activities and programs.

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For more information about the Spring Ice Show, please contact Mary Amodeo, show coordinator, at 439-8006 or mamodeo3@nycap.rr.com.

Information about the Albany Figure Skating Club's programs and activities can be found on the Club's website: www. albanyfsc.org.

### Safe boating class offered

In partnership with the United States Power Squadron the Guan-Ho-Ha Fish and Game Club will host a PWC and Boating certification course on Saturday, April 9, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Learn the fundamentals. of safe boat handling and operation in one comprehensive classroom course. This course. meets state specific and National Association of State **Boating Law Administrators** (NASBLA) requirements for operator certification. The class which is offered in a single day satisfies the satte certification requirement for operators of Personal Water Craft and young boaters between the ages of 10 and 16. The class is open to be at Bethlehem to hus \$50 for couples sharing the course textbook. The course fee includes an extensive course textbook.

For more information and to register, contact Armand Canestraro at 372-7220.

### Sugaring demos to be held

Five Rivers Environmental Education Center willhold a series of interactive demonstrations of the maple sugaring process will be conducted on three successive Saturdays, March 19, 26 and April

2, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

These hands-on programs will demonstrate the entire sugaring process, from sap to syrup, at a series of education stations. Participants can twirl a drill and pound a spile, inspect the sap flow in the sugarbush smell the sugary aroma of sap boiling down into syrup at the evaporator and take a maple "taste test". A local maple producer will be on site to answer questions as well as to offer a variety of maple products for sale.

## Basketball Classic back again

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The 2011 BC Basketball Classic, featuring **Bethlehem Central Middle School teachers** versus Bethlehem Central elementary teachers will be held on Friday, March 4, at 7 p.m. in the High School Lower Gym'. Admission is \$5 Adults, \$3 Students and children under five get in free. Pizza, hot foods and snacks will be sold at the event. All proceeds from the game benefit Bethlehem Opportunities Unlimited (BOU) which provides funding for programs to help youth in Bethlehem avoid substance abuse and other risky behaviors.

For moreinformation about BOU and a list of recently awarded grants visit, http://bcsd. k12.ny.us/Parents\_Community/Bethlehem\_ e de la contra Opportunities\_Unlimited.html.

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any time to visit the on-goingdemonstrations. Scout and vouth groups are welcome to participate but are urged to call 475-0291 to register.

more information.

# Public Library

A forum on Revolution in Egypt will be held on Thursday, 🖗 Delaware Ave., Delmar. Event will include a panel discussion with local scholars, activists by Radio Disney and will include local Egyptian community 🔂 include Mai ElBibary, who

### **HVCC** to host Summer Camp Fair March 13

Hudson Valley Community College will host a summer camp fair, Sunday, March 13; for families looking to explore camp options for their children 6905 12 this summer.

"The event will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the McDonough Sports Complex on the Hudson Valley campus, 80 Vandenburgh Ave., Troy. More than 20 camps from around the Capital Region are expected to have booths and representatives in attendance.

a family fun area, clowns, a DJ. music, dancing and a bouncy house for the kids. Parents will be able to speak with summer camp representatives from around the area as well as from Hudson Valley Community College's own Kids Camps programs. This summer, the college will again offer a variety of athletic camps, as well as Circus Theatricks, Technology Camp, Youth Theater Program, and Summer Academy, a fun educational enrichment program for children.

For more information about

homes to shelter kittens and cats that need to be rescued from living outside with no food or warmth.

Cat-Tales Rescue is a not for profit group dedicated to easing the suffering of stray and abandoned cats and is in need of foster homes. and manager

Foster: "parents" have the opportunity to share their homes and their hearts with a cat or kitten in need without. any long-term commitment or financial burden. All fosters are provided with food and litter and any medical needs of their foster kitten or cat will be absorbed by Cat Tales Rescue. Anyone interested can call 248-9682 or email catalesrescue@ gmail.com



Call the center at 475-0291 for

# Egypt forum

March 3, 6 45 - 8:45 p.m. at the Bethlehem Public Library, 451 discuss the call for democracy in Egypt The panel-will moved to the Capital Region from Cairo, Egypt 7 years ago and most recently returned to Egypt in December 2010; Joe Lombardo, a lifelong peace activist, a member of Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace, and currently cocordinator of the national peace organization, United National Antiwar Committee (UNAC); and Dr. Steve Breyman, an Associate Frofessor of

These programs are open to the public free of charge. Participants may come at Science and Technology Studies at Rensselaer Counterpunch and The Education at (518) 629-7339. Palestine Chronicle.

The event is sponsored by Bethlehem Neighbors for Peace. For more information, call 465-1192.

the fair or directions to the campus, go to www.hvcc.edu/ Polytechnic Institute in kidscamps or call the Office of Troy and contributor to Community and Professional

### Cat rescue looking for foster homes

Cat Tales Rescue in Niskayuna is looking for foster



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Notice of Formation of Performance Appraisal Ser-vice LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/02/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: PO Box 3744, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: any lawful activity. 70036 (D) (March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Nooy Properties LLC. Arts Of Org filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/29/10. 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. 70037 (D)

(March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: Cody LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSŃY) on 12/30/2010. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, PO Box 694 Guilderland, NY 12084. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 70038 (D) (March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE P

Notice of Formation of SIS Insurance and Financial Services LLC. Arts, of Org. filed with Secy. of State of (SSNY) on 1/10/11. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1187 Troy Schenectady Road, Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: any lawful activ-

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of LB 1999-C1 Depot Plaza, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/10/11. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 1/5/11. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Capitol Services, Inc. (CSI), 1218 Central Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205 DE address of LLC: CSI 615 S. DuPont Hwy., Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed

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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. 70055 (D) (March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 259-68 LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/18/11. 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 Albany, NY 12207. The St. registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 70056 (D) (March 2, 2011)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of BAT GROUP NYC LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/18/11. Office location: Albány 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, LLC. NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 70057 (D) (March 2, 2011)

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of ROYAL ELLA LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/19/11. 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

### 70058 (D) (March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Publication Notice of Orga-nization of Limited Liability

Company Company Company Company Company Limited Liability Company is TANGERINE AVE, LLC. (hereinafter referred to as

the "Company"). SECOND: The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed with the New York Secretary of State on January 18, 2011

THIRD: The County within New York State in which the office of the Company is to be located is ALBANY. FOURTH: The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of Maverick Research Management LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY SSNY) on 1/4/11. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for

service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 200 E.10 St. #524, New York, NY 10003. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 70061 (D) (March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Name of For. LLC: Mohrhoff Street Partners, LLC. App. for Auth. filed NY Dept. of State: 1/6/2011. Jurisd. and date of org.: DE 12/21/2010. Cty off. loc.: Albany Cty. Sec. of State designated as agent of foreign LLC upon whom process against it may be served. The Sec. of State shall mail copy of process to princ. bus. loc.: 49 Bentwood Court, Albany, 12203. Addr. of foreign LLC in DE is: c/o National Corporate Research, Ltd., 615 South DuPont Hwy. Dover, DE 19901. Auth. officer in DE where Cert. of Form, filed: DE Sec. of State, P.O. Box 898, Dover, DE 19903. Purpose: any lawful activity. 70062 (D)

### LEGAL NOTICE

(March 2, 2011)

Notice of formation of SPOTLIGHT HOME IN-SPECTIONS, LLC Pursuant to NY Limited Li-ability Law §203, Art. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 01/12/2011. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to: c/o the LLC.

495 Wemple Rd., Glenmont NY 12077 Purpose: To engage in any lawful act or activity 70063 (D)

### LEGAL NOTICE

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Notice of Qualification of Elderlife Financial Lending, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/14/11. Office loca tion: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/22/10. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be SSNY shall mail served. process to: c/o National Registered Agents, Inc., 875 Ave. of the Americas, Ste. 501, NY, NY 10001. Address to be maintained in DE: 160 Greentree Dr., Ste. 101, Dover, DE 19904: Arts of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities

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Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 71275 (D) (March 2, 2011)\*\*

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the New York Limited Li-

a. The name of the Limited Liability Company is Rare DVD Geeks, LLC.

b. The Articles of Organiza-tion were filed with the Sec-

retary of State on February

Liability Company will be

cated in Albany County.

d. The Secretary of State is

designated as agent of the

Limited Liability Company

upon whom process against

it may be served. The ad-

dress to which the Secretary

of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Limited Liability Company

served upon him or her is: Rare DVD Geeks, LLC

Albany, New York 12203

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Notice of Formation of RCB CONSULTING SER-VICES, LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/18/11. Office location: Albany County, SSNY des ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities 71276 (D)

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### LEGAL NOTICE

119-40 METRO AVE. LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 2/15/2011. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 119-40 Metropolitan Ave., Kew Gar-dens, NY 11415. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 71278 (D)

mail process to: The LLC, 394 Quail St., Albány, NY

12208. Purpose: Physical

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that

at the next meeting of the

Planning Commission of the Village of Voorheesville the

Board will hold a PUBLIC

**HEARING** for the following

Applicant Diane Peverly: for a new SUBWAY busi-

ness and Applicant Niko

Kita: for a new pizza busi-ness - both to be located

in the Voorheesville Plaza,

cant Troy Miller: for Final Plat approval for a Major

Subdivision for property on

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applications from:

Prospect Street.

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tion: Albany County. SSNY LEGAL NOTICE designated as agent of Notice of Formation of New LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall cotland Physical Therapy, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate on 2/16/11. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon Services Inc. at the same whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall address. Purpose: all lawful

activities 71287 (D)

### (March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of GAMER HOLDING LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/22/11. 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 Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 71288 (D)

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY OMPANY. NAME: BSH,

The meeting will be held on Tuesday, March, 8 at 7 PM at the Village Hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave., Voor-LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 01/21/11. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY BY ORDER OF THE has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom PLANNING COMMISSION Georgia Gray, Chairperson process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a Dated: February 24, 2011 copy of process to the LLC. 1221 Altamont Avenue, Schenectady, New York 12303. Purpose: For any

lawful purpose. 71377 (D)

LEGAL NOTICE lawful activities. 71380 (D) Notice of Formation of Lim-(March 2, 2011) ited Liability Company Pursuant to Section 206 of

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Blue Hawaii Transport LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 1/21/2011. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 911 Cen-tral Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities 71381 (D)

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gerlong Lodge, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of

State of NY (SSNY) on

1/19/11. Office location: Schenectady Co. SSNY

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LLC upon whom process

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

The LLC, 74 Oakdale Ave.,

Schenectady, NY 12306. Registered agent: Anna R.

Soellner, 74 Oakdale Ave.,

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Notice of Formation of Veterinary Behavior Consul-tations Of New York City PLLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/07/10. Office location: Albany Coun-ty. SSNY designated as agent of PLLC 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: Profession of Vathinger, Madiaina of Veterinary Medicine.

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of J & D Sam Realty LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/01/10. 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. 71401 (D) 

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of T & D Sam Realty LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/01/10. 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. 71402 (D) (March 2, 2011)

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of D & D Sam Realty LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/01/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be

Schenectady, NY 12306. Purpose: any lawful activi-Notice of Formation of ROBIN SINGH REALTY 71391 (D) ASSOCIATES LLC. Arts. of (March 2, 2011) Org. was filed with SSNY on 12/31/08. Office loca-LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of 3

Wildwood LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/19/11. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Katrine Levin, 3 Wildwood Lane, Boulder, CO 80304. Purpose: any lawful

activities. 71392 (D)

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### **LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of 5094 Broadway LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/20/11. Of-fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation Sys-tem, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: all lawful purposes. 71395 (D) (March 2, 2011)

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West 218 LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/20/11. Of-

fice location: Albany County

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tem, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY

10011, registered agent upon whom process may be

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(SSNY) on 1/20/11. Office location: Albany County. LC formed in Delaware (DE) on 2/18/10. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Capitol Services, Inc., 1218 Central Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205. DE address of LLC: 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 act or activity. 71398 (D)

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with DE Secy. of State, PO Box 898, Dover, DE 19903. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. 70042 (D) (March 2, 2011) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation Levay Productions, LLC art. of org. filed Secy. of State NY (SSNY) 12/20/10. Off. loc. in Schenectady Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 2059 Eastern Pkwy, Schenecta- dy, NY 12309. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 70043 (D) (March 2, 2011) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of 259ST BUILDERS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/18/11. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of JMJ Investors LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/14/10. Office lo- cation: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washing- ton 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. 70060 (D) (March 2, 2011)	Amendment to Local Law 3 of 2009 - sewer use law. The hearing will be held on Wednesday, March 9 at 6:00pm. at Village Hall, 29 Voorheesville Ave., Voor- heesville, NY 12186. BY ORDER OF THE MAYOR Robert D. Conway 71273 (D) (March 2, 2011) <b>LEGAL NOTICE</b> Notice of Formation of MODEL REALTY GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/16/11. Of- fice location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process	NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV- EN: the next general Vil- lage Election for the Village of Voorheesville will be held on Tuesday, March 15, 2011 between the hours of 12:00 noon and 9:00 PM. The polling place will be the Voorheesville Fire House, located at 12 Altamont Road in said Village. The names and addresses of all those who have been duly nominated and the office and term of such office for which they are nominated are: Trustee, to fill expired four (4) year term David B. Cardona, 3 Danbury Court, Voorheesville, NY Trustee, to fill expired four (4) year term William F. Hotaling, 11 Circle Drive, Voorheesville, NY Linda Pasquali Election Chairperson 71284 (D) (March 2, 2011)	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation Luxury Furnishing LLC Arts. of Ora, filed with SSNY on	71396 (D) (March 2, 2011) LEGAL NOTICE SENIOR TRANSITION SO- LUTIONS, LLC, a domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC), filed with the Sec of State of NY on 1/13/11. NY Office location: Sche- nectady County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him/her to Steven J. DiStefano, 922 Morgan Ave., Niskayuna, NY 12309. General Pur- poses. Latest date to dis- solve 1/13/2041 71397 (D) (March 2, 2011) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of RIS Insulation Supply (New Jersey), LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY	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. 71403 (D) (March 2, 2011) <b>LEGAL NOTICE</b> Notice of Formation of 200 Madison Ave Holdings LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/01/10. 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 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71404 (D) (March 2, 2011)
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Notice of Formation of 4G Consultants, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/10/10. 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. 71405 (D) 

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Notice of Formation of Aardvark Intelligence LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/13/10. 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 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71406 (D) (March 2, 2011)

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Notice of Formation of High Level NYC, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State NY (SSNY) on 6/15/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 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. 71407 (D) 71407 (D) (March 2, 2011); C (2016)

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Notice of Formation of JLM 816 LLC. Arts Of Org.filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/26/10. 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. 71408 (D)

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Notice of Formation of JLM Clam LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/26/10. Office location: Albany County SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Macklowe Capital, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/19/10. 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. Regis-tered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71510 (D)

bas Solutions Group LLC.

Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/23/08. Office location:

Albany County. SSNY des

ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY

shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008,

Albany, NY 12260. Regis-

tered Agent upon whom

process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity.

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Realty LLC. Arts Of Org filed with Secy. Of State of

NY (SSNY) on 12/14/10.

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

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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 octivity. activity 71516 (D) (March 2, 2011) (March 2, 2011)

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New Utrecht LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State

of NY (SSNY) on 10/1/10.

Office location: Albany County, SSNY designated

as agent of LLC upon whom

process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: 99 Washington

Greenspon Gallery LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/7/10. Office location:

Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC

upon whom process against

shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008,

Albany, NY 12260. Regis-

tered Agent upon whom

process may be served: 99

Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose:

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Liquors & Wine LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/14/10.

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 contribution

activity. 71522 (D)

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George Fischer LLC Arts.

of Org. filed with SSNY 1/28/2011. Off. Loc.: Albany

Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom

process may be served.

SSNY shall mail process

to: c/o The LLC, 911 Cen-

tral Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful

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(SOP) to NW Registered Agent LLC @ 90 State St

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designated as agent for SOP at 90 State St STE

700 Office 40, purpose is

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Road, Staten Island, NY 10306. Purpose: Any Law-

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TOWNS NISSAN LLC. Arts.

of Org. filed with SSNY on 01/19/11. Off. Loc.: Albany

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upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail pro-cess to: The LLC, 65 Oceana

Dr. E, Apt. 2D, Brooklyn, NY

11235-6688. Purpose: Any

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MERCHANT GROUP LLC.

Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 01/26/11. Off. Loc.: Alba-

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upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail

process to: The LLC, 2508

Coney Island Ave., Brooklyn,

NY 11223-5026. Purpose;

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Notice of App. for Auth. of 2 PENNSYLVANIA COURT LLC a foreign LLC. App.

for Auth. filed with SSN on 01/24/11. LLC org. in State of DE on 01/06/11

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Notice of Qualification of 636 Sixth Avenue Owner LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 12/15/10. LLC Formed in (DE) on 12/13/010. 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. 71523 (D)

### LEGAL NOTICE

(March 2, 2011)

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: SYM-ETRY HAIR DESIGN STU DIO, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 01/26/11. Office location: Schenectady County, SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC: 634 alvia Lane, Schenectady, New York 12303: Purpose: For any lawful purpose 71524 (D) non-(March 2, 2011) to ----

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Notice of Formation of an LLC: Maple Pine Manor,

Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on January 13, 2011. Office location is in Schenectady County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process gainst it may be served SSNY shall mail a copy of rocess to the LLC, 325 Duanesburg Road, Apt. 35, Schenectady, NY 12306. Purpose: for any lawful purpose. 71525 (D)

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THE FARRELL CASSIDY GROUP, LLC Notice of formation of the above Limited Liability Company (LLC). Articles of Organization were filed with the NY Sec-retary of State (NYSS) on 1/20/2011. Office Location: Albany County NYSS is designated the LLCs agent against whom process may be served, and

shall mail a copy of such process: The Farrell Cassidy Group, LLC, 18 Dutch Village, Number 2C, Albany, NY 12204 Purpose: any

Notice of Formation of Elec-tric Ether LLC. Articles of Org. filed with NY Secretary of State (NS) on lawful act. 71542 (D) (March 2, 2011) 12/28/2010, office location: Albany County, NS is desig-

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COMPLYNY, LLC Notice of formation of the above Limited Liability Company (LLC). Articles of Organization were filed with the NY Secretary of State (NYSS) on 1/20/2011. Ofice

location: Albany County. NYSS is designated the LLCs agent against whom process may be served, and

shall mail a copy of such process to: COMPLYNY, LLC, 90 South Swan Notice of formation of BZBZ REALTY, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 01/03/11. Street, Albany, NY 12210 Off, Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY Purpose: any lawful act. desig. as agt. upon whom 71543 (D) process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: (March 2, 2011) The LLC, 1829 Richmond

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LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF PROFESSIONAL SER-LIMITED LIABILITY COM-PANY

The Articles of Organization of Fusco & Carey, PLLC ("F&C PLLC") was filed with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on January 19, 2011. Office location: 90 State St., Suite 700, Albany, NY 12207, County of Albany, SSNY is designated as agent of F&C PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to Fusco & Carey, PLLC, 90 State St., Suite 700, Albany, NY 12207 F&C PLLC does not have a specific date of dissolution. Purpose: The practice of law and all other legal purposes. 71546 (D)

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Notice of Formation of A SENGUL JEWELRY LLC Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/1/11. 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. 71547 (D)

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shall mail process to: c/o InCorp Services, One Com-merce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 805A, Albany, NY 12210, registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity 71549 (D)

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Notice of Formation of BIL-EXX INTERNATIONAL ALLIANCES LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/2/11. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Sue Preziotti Consulting Services LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 2/3/2011. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated 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. 71551 (D)

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Granite LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 2/3/2011. Off., Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated 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 lawfulractivities. P. J. O.S. Rov: 71552'(D) (March 2, 2011) Sec. 20

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Notice of Formation Trinity 95 LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 2/3/2011. Off: Doc. Albany Cnty SSNY designated 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. 71773 (D) 🚓 🍱 🤌

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Notice of Formation Bayev LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 2/3/2011: Off. oc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated 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.

### 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 71513 (D)

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Notice of Formation of Parkview Twins LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/12/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Zevu-lun Realty LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY. (SSNY) on 11/23/10. 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

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filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/26/10. 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. 71519 (D) (March 2, 2011)

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Notice of Formation of Tanexis Productions, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/27/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against

# filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/9/10. Office location: Albany 12260. Purpose: any lawful

•	between Store Shar Shar main 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. 71508 (D) (March 2, 2011)	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. 71514 (D) (March 2, 2011)	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 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71520 (D) (March 2, 2011)	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation Biernacki Property Manage- ment LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 11/18/2010. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail	be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 119 Washington Ave., Ste 101, Albany, NY 12210. Off. ad- dress in jurisdiction of org.: One Commerce Center/ Ste 762 1201 N. Orange St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Copy of Cert of org. on file with S/S DE. Purpose: All lawful purposes.	(March 2, 2011) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of THE LITTLE GLOBAL VILLAGE, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/3/11. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of FFC Real Estate LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/3/09. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process
	LEGAL NOTICE		LEGAL NOTICE	process to: c/o The LLC, 32 Smith Lane, Voorheesville, NY 12186. Purpose: all law-	71533 (D) (March 2, 2011)	of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process	against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 10 Forts Ferry Rd.,
•	Notice of Formation of Clam Cosmetics, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/19/10. 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. 71509 (D) (March 2, 2011)	Notice of Formation of SHM Fuel LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 11/12/10. Of- fice location: Albany Coun- ty. 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. 71515 (D) (March 2, 2011)	Notice of Formation of MF Advisory Company LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/17/10. 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 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008; Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71521 (D) (March 2, 2011).	ful activities. 71526 (D) (March 2, 2011) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation Yvebo LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 1/26/2011. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Al- bany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. 71527 (D) (March 2, 2011)	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of F.C.S FASHION CONCEPT AND SERVICES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/25/11. Office lo- cation: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: National Corporate Research, Ltd., 10 E. 40th St., 10th FL, NY, NY 10016. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71541 (D) (March 2, 2011)		Latham, NY 12110. Pur- pose: any lawful activities. 71777 (D) (March 2, 2011) LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Energy, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with NY Sec. of State 12/17/10. Office in Albany Co. SSNY design. Agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 11 Furman Place, Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: any lawful act. 71778 (D) (March 2, 2011)

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Notice of Formation of Bazar's Autobody, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/31/11. Office location: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 160 Vliet Blvd., Cohoes, NY 12047. Purpose: any lawful activities. 71779 (D) (March 2, 2011)

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Notice of Qualification of Leaf Capital Funding, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/28/11. Office location: Al-bany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/14/10. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Registered Agent Solutions, Inc., 99 Washington Avenue, Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Principal office address: 110 S. Poplar St., Ste. 101, Wilmington, DE 19801. Address to be main-tained in DE: 32 W. Loockerman St., Ste. 201, Dover, DE 19904. Arts of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activities. 71780 (D) (March 2, 2011)

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Notice of Formation SD Global Partners LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 2/8/2011. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated 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. 71782 (D), (March/2,/2011)

Notice of Qualification of BHARATH CAMPBELL IN-DUSTRIES, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 2/7/11. Of-fice location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/25/10, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o **USA Corporate Services** Inc., 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 Federal St., Ste 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71784 (D)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: SUM-MIT HOME INSPECTIONS, LLC. Articles of Organization ere filed with the

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LIMITED LIABILITY COM-PANY

Name: Northern Drive JMK, LLC (LLC). Articles of Organization filed with NY Dept. of State on 1/26/11. Office location: Albany County, NY Secretary of State (SOS) designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to c/o TRG Property Management, LLC, One Park Place, Suite 204, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. 71791 (D) (March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of VOLT INTERNATIONAL, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 11/23/10. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1567 West 4th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11204. Purpose: Any Lawful purposes. 71794 (D) (March 2, 2011)

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Notice of Formation of 100 Market Street, LLC, Arts, of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/9/11. Office location: Schenectady Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 353 Mohawk Ave., Scotia, NY 12302. Purpose: any lawful activities (71795 (D) (March 2, 2011)

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Notice of Formation of CB EMPIRE ASSOCIATES, tributive very bonie (LLC, Arts, of Org, was filed. bonie with SSNY on 2/10/11; Of-LEGAL NOTICE Strip fice location: Albany Coun-9 8 ty. 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:

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Notice of Formation of STODDARD LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/9/11. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 71797 (D)

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LIMITED LIABILITY COM-PANY Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC) Name: SCH PLUMBING & HEATING, LLC Articles of Organization filed by the Department of State of New York on: 01/06/2011 Office location: County of Albany. Purpose: any and all lawful activities. Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) designated as agent

of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: O Box 187 Slingerlands, NY 12159 71800 (D)

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Notice of Formation of Ditmas Park Holdings LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/8/10. 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 /e., 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. 71910 (D) (March 2, 2011).

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 608 DeGraw Realty LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/6/11. 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 Agentupon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste: 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. Albany, NY 71911 (D) Albany, NY (March 2, 2011) Albany, NY

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 600 DeGraw Realty LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/5/11. 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. 71912 (D)

(March 2, 2011) .

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of DBB

LEGAL NOTICE upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity 71914 (D)

(March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Blessed Homes LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/30/10. Office location: Albany County, SSNY des ignated as agent of LLC upon whom process against 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 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71915 (D) (March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

### Notice of Formation of Kandice Pelletier LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State NY (SSNY) on 5/26/10. 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. 71916 (D)

(March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

### Notice of Formation of Eleven, Audio Design LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/10/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC ipon 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 any lawful activity.

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### Notice of Formation of International Tours and Events, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/4/11. 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 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71918 (D)

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### LEGAL NOTICE

#### LEGAL NOTICE. 12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity 71920 (D) (March 2, 2011)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Plan-ning For Life, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State NY (SSNY) on 12/14/10. 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. 71921 (D)

(March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Riv erhead Bowl LLC. Arts Of Org, filed with Secv. Of State NY (SSNY) on 10/20/10. 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 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 71922 (D)

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### **LEGAL NOTICE**

Notice of Formation of Crvs tal Touch Dry Cleaners, LLC Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on /30/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY activity 1105 71923 (D)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Reliable Litigation Services LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/5/10. 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. 71924 (D)

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### LEGAL NOTICE 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 71926 (D)

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Adar Medical Uniforms LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/17/10. 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:

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Oakview Properties LLC Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/1/10. 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 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71928 (D)

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of The Big Drop Group LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/22/10. 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: Purpose: any lawful-

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of DNP55, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/25/11. 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. 71933 (D)

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of High Horse LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/25/11. 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.

71934 (D) (March 2, 2011)

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of One Step Beyond, SLP, OT, PELC Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY Ex (SSNY) on 3/4/10. Office 101 location: Albany County 101 SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process 12260- Registered Agent SSNY shall mail process upon whom process may to: -99 Washington Ave.93 be served: 99 Washington Ste. 1008, Albany, NY Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Registered Agent al upon whom process may on be served 99 Washington 71929 (D) Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY (March 2, 2011) and Fio Bolto 12260. Purpose: Profession of Occupational Therapy and Speech Language Pathology. 71935 (D)<sup>(C</sup>

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Notice of Formation of Bonanza Electronics LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/14/10. 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. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose:

Washington Ave., Ster 1008, ... be served: 99 Washington Albany, NY 12260, Purpose: Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY any lawful activity (March 2, 2011) ~

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been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served.	was filed with SSNY on 2/9/11. Office location: Al- bany County. SSNY des-	of NY (SSNY) on 1/11/11. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom	Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/29/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated	Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/30/10. Office location:	Of Life Dietetic Nutrition Consulting PLLC. Arts Of Org, filed with Secy. Of State	(March 2, 2011) LEGAL NOTICE
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pire Public Affairs, LLC. Ar- ticles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State	LEGAL NOTICE	(March 2, 2011) 	(March 2, 2011)	71925 (D) (March 2, 2011)	12260. Purpose: Profession of Dietetics-Nutrition. 71931 (D)	12260. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY
(SSNY) on 1/6/2011. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom	Notice of Formation of SS88 DEVELOPMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY	Notice of Formation of Knight Bedbug Protection, LLC, Arts Of Org. filed with	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Stu- dio 336 LLC. Arts Of Org.	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of 6th	(March 2, 2011) 	12260. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71937 (D)
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way, 5th Floor, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71790 (D)	whom process against may be served, SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 112 Christopher Lane, Altamont,	nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington	County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail	on 10/26/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY desig- nated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may	Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/25/11. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Qualification of Terramusic Publishing, LLC.
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town in the future, and it is under such reasoning a Freedom of Information Law request for the town's bid was denied.

Messina said as much on Wednesday, Feb. 23, when the town submitted its bid.

We would note that it is possible that a national concern could acquire the Normanside debt as part of a bid for a block of bank assets, and that they could re-sell the Normanside piece," Messina said. "We would not want our bid to the bank revealed to potential local competitors for this property.

While the bid was withheld, The Spotlight did acquire minutes resulting from the board's executive session deliberations on the matter. Those records show Councilman Mark Jordan cast the sole vote against placing a bid.

Iordan said his vote was not necessarily in opposition to the idea of Bethlehem obtaining the Normanside property, but was rather due to the details of the arrangement.

Under the bidding process, the winner will acquire the debt Normanside has with the Bank of America, which will afford the ability to foreclose on the club. Normanside would

"I would not have supported this if I <sup>i</sup>felt in any way this would be a drain on taxpayer dollars." Supervisor Sam Messina

presumably hand over the deed to the property in lieu of payment of its \$4 million debt.

But absent a contract stating that arrangement, Jordan said he was wary of the terms, which he characterized as putting the town in the role of a bank.

"My thought was that it was a wiser decision to wait and see what would happen with the bid process," Jordan said. "The only way it would work for me is if we were to have a whole. slew of contingencies."

Under the terms of the bidding process, the town would also have had to put up 10 percent of the purchase price within 24 hours of its acceptance.

Dan Byrnes, the president of Normanside Country Club, has publicly said the club would hand over the deed should it be foreclosed on. The club had been seeking a buyer that would be willing to continue operating it as a golf course.

Messina said after an extensive review of theilissue, he and three

confident Normanside would be a financially viable town asset and an acquisition of the club's indebtedness would not put the town in a difficult position.

"I do not have concerns about the details of the instrument, because I think we've done good work and due diligence," he said. "I would not have supported this if I felt in any way this would be a drain on taxpayer dollars."

The town's course on the Normanside matter has been the subject of considerable debate since the club announced in early February it would be closing its doors, including during a public hearing that filled Town Hall's auditorium to the brim.

Opponents to town involvement worried the course would be a financial albatross. and said government. resources should be spent elsewhere.

Messina argued the town can fix its sewers, water system and roads while still grabbing up Normanside.

we'll also do. They are not mutually exclusive," he said. "Government has the responsibility of technical, two-year or fourinvesting where it should. and the golf course is a good investment."

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### other board members felt Price Chopper donates vouchers for flu vaccine to United Way based, educational.

In an effort to help members of the community who would like to get a flu shot but cannot afford to do so, Price Chopper Supermarkets is supplying the United Way of the **Greater Capital Region** with nearly 2,000 vaccine vouchers at no cost.

Price Chopper has provided United Way with hundreds of vouchers that, when presented at any of chain's more than 70 pharmacies, will enable the bearer to receive a free flu shot. United Way will distribute these vouchers through its CA\$H (Creating Assets, Savings and Hope) Coalition of \_ community, social, faith-

Bridging People and U.S. citizens residing Places, a not-for-profit corporation in Saratoga County, offers an annual scholarship for women 30 and older. The \$500 scholarship is offered to a female student who is "That's something at a transitional point in her life. Its purpose is for pursuing post secondary education (vocational/ vear college program) to secure a degree, increase job skills or develop a new

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business, financial and government organizations that promote financial stability and asset building for individuals and families . in the Capital Region. CA\$H, which leads the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) tax aide program, provides free tax preparation and helps working families access the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) and many other credits and savings. The VITA volunteers will distribute the vaccine vouchers at the many free tax preparation sites throughout Albany, Rensselaer, Schenectady, Schoharie and Saratoga counties.

"We are grateful to be assisted by our longtime partners at the United Way, who are helping us to get our flu shot vouchers into the hands of those in our community who need them most." said Mona Golub, vice president of Public **Relations and Consumer** & Marketing Services at Price Chopper.

According to the Centers for Disease Control, the timing of flu is very unpredictable and can vary from season to season. Flu activity most commonly peaks in the U.S. in January or February; however, seasonal flu activity can occur as late as May.

### Scholarship offered to women 30 and older

in New York state. The applicant must be accepted or enrolled in a certified technical or vocational : training program or an undergraduate college program. Priority is given to unemployed or underemployed women with children.

Each applicant is asked to provide a statement of goals, a personal work history, letters of recommendation, and financial information.

financial assistance. The scholarship committee also looks at any special circumstances that impact the applicant's ability to finance her education. Awards will be made to promising students with significant financial need. Completed applications. must be postmarked by April 30, 2011. The scholarship 'application can be downloaded from ... www.bridgingpeople.org or obtained by contacting Lorraine Thompson at 695-3349. 

LEGAL NOTICE

on 10/10/10. LLC Formed (DE) on 10/26/10. 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 Ste. 1008, Albany, Ave., NY 12260. DE address d LLC: 32 Loockerman St. Ate. 201, Dover, DE 19904 Arts. Of Org. filed with DE Secy. Of State, PO Box 898, Dover, DE 19903. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71938 (D)

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 130 New York Management LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) LEGAL NOTICE

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Notice of Formation of Leuci Design Group, LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State Notice of Formation of LSP NY (SSNY) on 1/14/11. Office location: Albany Of State of NY (SSNY on 1/20/11. Office local County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail tion: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of process to: 99 Washington LLC upon whom process ve., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY against it may be served. 12260. Registered Agent SSNY shall mail process to: upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington activity 71941 (D) Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful

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Notice of Formation of Nassau County Tarheels Baseball Club LLC. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/10/11. 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. 71947 (D)

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Kissena Fish 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. Registered Agent upon whom process may be served: 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY 12260. Purpose: any lawful

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### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Tai-Pan Development, L.L.C.. Arts Of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/30/10. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 1461 Western Ave., Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: any lawful activity. 71986 (Ď)

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Notice of Formation Manhattan NY Entertain-ment LLC Arts, of Org. filed with SSNY 2/10/2011. Off. oc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Al-bany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. 71989 (D) (March 2, 2011)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Precise Resource of New York. LLC. Authority filed Secy. of State of NY SSNY) on 2/7/11. Office location: Albany Coun-LLC formed in Ohio (OH) on 1/21/11. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process

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	Washington Ave., Ste. 1008,	served. SSNY shall mail	County. SSNY designated	LLC. Arts Of Org. filed		Arts of Org. filed with SSNY .	address: 501 W. Schrock	
	Albany, NY 12260. Regis-	process to: 99 Washington	as agent of LLC upon whom	with Secy. Of State of NY	Notice of Formation of	2/11/2011. Off. Loc.: Albany	Rd., Ste. 203, Westerville,	
	tered Agent upon whom	Ave., Ste. 1008, Albany, NY	process against it may be	(SSNY) on 1/5/11. Office	D.R.S. Fish LLC. Arts Of	Cnty. SSNY designated	OH 43081. Arts of Org.	
	process may be served: 99	12260. Registered Agent	served. SSNY shall mail	location: Albany County.	Org. filed with Secy. Of State	as agent of LLC whom	filed with OH Secy. Of	
	Washington Ave., Ste. 1008,	upon whom process may	process to: 99 Washington	SSNY designated as agent	of NY (SSNY) on 5/26/10.	process may be served.	State, 180 E. Broad St.,	
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Once he took me down fin the first period, it was pretty much all downhill from there," said Rue.

would have something for [Murphy] with his wrestling style, but he had an answer for everything he did," said Mormile.

Rue-who moved to R-C-Sfrom Saratoga Springs last - fall – was dominant in his first two state tournament matches, pinning both of his opponents in the second period. He then edged Chittenango's Wesley Blanding 7-6 in the semifinals to reach the championship bout.

proud of him I am," said Section II was fifth in the Mormile. "To get him from intersectional standingsnot getting past a Sectional with 174 points. Section V semifinal before to the took top honors with 266.5 state finals in one year is an points.

incredible achievement." "I knew I had it in me." said Rue: "I looked at [states] as just another tournament. My coach told me that each match is a two-person tournament, and if you win each period you win the match.'

Rue and Lyman were two of Section II's five finalists in Division II. Duanesburg's Nick Gwiazdowski won his second state title at 215 pounds, while Hudson Falls' Luke Albrecht defeated Holley's Kacee Sauer 2-1 for the 285-pound division title.

**R-C-S** finished ninth in the individual team standings with 44 points, a half-point behind eighthplace Hudson Falls. Section V's Palmyra-Macedon led "I can't tell you how the way with 70.5 points.



Holley's Quinton Murphy, left, gets Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk's A.J. Rue off his feet during the 135-pound division championship bout at last weekend's state wrestling tournament. Murphy earned a third-period technical fall against Rue to earn his third state championship in four years. Rob Jonas/Spotlight

### Jimmer (From Page 32)

a chance to reach the America East semifinals. Then again, that's only because the Great Danes need one win to get that far. Siena will need two wins in the MAAC tournament to get to the semifinals, and even with Ryan Rossiter and Clarence Jackson leading the way, I just don't see it happening.

Bottom line: area college basketball fans will have to satisfy themselves watching Jimmer and BYU in the e NCAA Tournament this year because the local teams are staying home this March.

• One local college team area fans will be able to \* watch in an NCAA Tournament is the Union College 36. s. s. ju L Dutchmen.

With Saturday's 5-0 victory over Princeton, the ECAC hockey regular season title. And though it doesn't guarantee Union an at-large berth should something go wrong in the ECAC playoffs, it certainly makes it difficult to deny the Dutchmen a berth.

Union will have to be wary of its quarterfinal matchup, especially after last year's league playoffs when " (Queensbury) - finished second. last-place Brown stunned regular season champion Yale." The bottom feeders this year have been getting stronger finishers from Section II.

as the regular season has wound down - especially last-place Colgate, which has won three of its last six games after starting the season with one win in its first 16 league contests.

But even if Union can't get through to the ECAC Final Four, I think the regular season title will be enough to gain the program's first NCAA Tournament bid since moving to Division I in 1991.

Of course, it would be better if Union won the ECAC Tournament and locked up a No. 1 seed.

 Finally, the Shenendehowa wrestling team proved you don't always need a champion to win the individual team title at the state championships.

The Plainsmen failed to get any of their seven wrestlers into the finals last weekend at the Times Union Center, but five of them placed in the top six to help Shen finish with 83.5 points, well ahead of runnerup Fox Lane.

As a whole, Section II fared better than last year, when Dutchmen (now ranked No. 4 in the nation) clinched the only two wrestlers won state titles. That number doubled to four this year - LaSalle's Connor Sutton, Ravena-Coeymans Selkirk's Andy Lyman, Duanesburg's Nick Gwiazdowski and Hudson Falls' Luke Albrecht. Three other area wrestlers - A.J. Rue (R-C-S), Brian Walsh (Loudonville Christian/Watervliet) and Matt Lashway

Congratulations to all the champions and the place

## Vincent, Parente make all-star list

Bethlehem's Sam Vin- juniors on the list. cent and Nicholas Parente were named second-team all-stars by the Capital Distrcit High School Hockey League.

Vincent, a junior forward, led the Eagles with 29 points, while Parente led the defensive unit with

ente on the second team star. Shields was the only are Queensbury forward Dutch Warrior chosen by Brian Frederick, Shaker/ the CDHSHL coaches. Colonie forward Chris Cu-Queensbury's Kevin sack, Saratoga Springs de Valentiswas named the fenseman Justin Wormley CDHSHL player of the year and Saratoga goaltender after leading the league in Tyler Ellor. Vincent, Par-ente and Ellor are the only 31 assists.



Bethlehem junior for-

ward John Gosstola was an

honorable mention all-star.

Gosstola led the Eagles

with 17 goals and finished





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Voorheesville. Stephanie Rice's nine points paced Duanesburg.

Voorheesville meets Greenwich in Wednesday's Class C semifinal at Rensselaer High School. The winner of that game goes to Hudson Valley Community College for Saturday's championship game against either Berne-Knox-Westerlo or Cambridge:

The Blackbirds opened the playoffs with a 49-20 victory over Salem last Wednesday.

Voorheesville established control in the second quarter by outscoring the Generals 10-2. The Blackbirds then pulled. away by outscoring Salem 28-10 in the second half.

Madden netted 16 points for Voorheesville.

The Blackbirds are the last area basketball team standing in the Section II playoffs, boys or girls.

The Bethlehem girls team had hoped to get to the Class AA semifinals, but Albany denied the Lady Eagles by pulling out a 74-65 victory in last Saturday's quarterfinal round. - - **1** 

through much of the game. led Watervliet's defensive The Lady Eagles got close . effort with three blocked to Albany several times, shots.

surge ahead again. poured in 27 points to lead Albany, the regular season Big 10 champions. Kelsev Greene chipped in 17 points, and Breahanda Stratton added 13 points.

Jaci Oskam had 26 points, and Bridget ban Council South Division Murphy added 24 points, champion Bethlehem lost for Bethlehem, but no other player had more than seven points.

The Lady Eagles began the playoffs with a 51-29 victory over Amsterdam last Tuesday in Delmar.

Bethlehem got off to a slow start, but it bounced back by outscoring Amsterdam 21-2 in the third quarter. A 16-9 fourth quarter sealed the Lady Eagles' win.

Emily Kirby had 16 points for Bethlehem. which trailed 18-14 at halftime. Oskam contributed 14 points, and Murphy added 11 points.

Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk saw its season come to an end with last Saturday's 38-31 loss to Colonial Council rival Watervliet in the Class B quarterfinals.

The Indians (15-5) led 24-22 at halftime, but their offense was held in check in the second half as the Cannoneers rallied for the Bethlehem (15-5) trailed victory. Mikayla Deguire

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12 points and pulled Emia Willingham-Hurst down 10 rebounds for the Cannoneers. Kate Murraycontributed 10 points.

Halev Richter's 11 points paced R-C-S, which ousted Schuylerville 45-32 in last Tuesday's opening round,

On the boys' side, Suburto Bishop Maginn 67-64 in overtime last Tuesday in Delmar.

The Eagles (13-6) rallied from a fourth quarter deficit to tie the game at 57 before the Golden Griffins pulled away to earn the upset and advance in the Class AA playoffs.

Matt Petruccione led Bishop Maginn with 19 points. Antoine Johnson poured in 16 points, while Maurice West and Cameron Womack-Bush each added 10 points.

Jordan Sperber drained four three-pointers on his way to a 17-point night for Bethlehem. Ryan Stempsev had 15 points, and Scott Clas contributed 11 points.

Guilderland couldn't stop Albany's offense in a 93-72 opening-round loss last Tuesday.

The Falcons built a 49-37 halftime lead and pulled away to reach the Class AA quarterfinals.

Jakei Turman's 19 points paced a balanced Albany attack, while Cameron Dobbs' 22 points



Bethlehem's Ryan Stempsey, background, tries to get the ball away from a Bishop Maginn player during last Tuesday's Class AA opening round game." Rob Jonas/Spotlight





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### **Sports** in the Spotlight

Lyman takes title

### R-C-S senior wins state tournament

### **By ROB JONAS** jonasr@spotlightnews.com

Andy Lyman did exactly what he needed to do to win his first state wrestling title.

The Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk senior scored an escape midway through the third period and held on for a 2-1 victory over Bainbridge-Guildford/ Afton's Danny Gormley to take the Division II (small school) 125pound championship at last weekend's state tournament at the Times Union Center.

"It's like everything that I've been working towards my whole life has paid off," said Lyman.

Gormley - the No. 1 seed - took a 1-0 lead early in the second period with an escape, but he was penalized one point for his second stall in the third period while he was riding Lyman.

"I felt like he wasn't being aggressive. I felt like he was just trying to hang on at that point and ride me out," said Lyman. "

"The kid rode him parallel," said R-C-S coach Henry Mormile." "If Andy did the same thing, he would have deserved a [stalling] penalty."

The penalty point gave Lyman the momentum shift he needed. Less than 15 seconds later, Lyman escaped from Gormley's grasp to take the lead. and the two/of them spent the last 56/seconds of the Lyman in the tournament. match trying in vain to get a takedown.



Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk's Andy Lyman hugs coach Henry Mormile after winning the 125-pound division title at last weekend's state wrestling tournament at the Times Union Center. Lyman edged Danny Gormley 2-1 in the finals. Rob Jonas/Spotlight

hands with Gormley and his coaches before running and leaping into Mormile's arms for a big hug.

"This is a storybook ending for me," said Lyman.

All of his bouts were eight kids who placed at third-period technical fall. decided by one or two When the final whistle points including his 6-5

sounded, Lyman shook semifinal victory over [Gormley]."

up," said Lyman. "At this state title. The senior made tournament, a win is a win it to the 135-pound division as long as it means I move on."

Nothing came easy for class," said Mormile. champion made quick states before. I think he

Windsor's Colton Perry. Lyman's teammate, A.J. "I really had to step it Rue, also had a shot at a

finals before running into Holley's Quinton Murphy, "It was a stacked weight and the two-time state "There were seven or work of Rue by earning a

# **Eagle hurdles** to state meet

### Kearney beats Harris in finals at qualifier

Bethlehem's Jackie Kearney and Guilderland's Dejana Harris qualified for the state indoor track and field championships after a one-two finish at Sunday's qualifier at the University at Albany.

Kearney won the 55meter hurdles title with a time of 8.81 seconds in the finals. Harris was second with a time of 9.11 seconds.

Ravena-Coeymans-Diamonte also qualified for this weekend's state meet at Cornell University. Thomas placed second in the 55-meter dash with a time of 7.54 seconds, and Diamonte was second in the triple jump with a Ichabod Crane's Nicholas inches.

On the boys' side, Bethlehem's 1,600meter relay team edged nationally-ranked Colonie by .08 seconds to win the Section II title. The team of Luke Carpinello, Matt Crawford, Max Seiler and Kyle Bossung finished with a time of 3:36.04.

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Carpinello and Crawford will also be competing individually at the state meet. Carpinello finished second in the 1,000-meter race with a time of 2:38.33, and Crawford finished third in the 600-meter run with a time of 1:25.99.

Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk's Mike Morrow Selkirk's Arnelle Thomas earned a spot on the and Guilderland's Catalena intersectional distance medley relay team after finishing fourth in the 1.600-meter race with a time of 4:36.50. Morrow joins Shenendehowa's Kevin Hulbert, Ballsto Spa's Phil Williams and distance of 35 feet, 6.75 Accuosti in the distance medley relay.

'Birds reach semifina No. 1 seed uses Saturday at home. -

defense to beat Duanesburg 28 - - - C Without one of its

key offensive players, the Voorheesville girls basketball team has gotten defensive.

The top-seeded Blackbirds (13-7) reached the Section II Class C semifinals with a 40-26 victory had a tougher draw than 🔝 🖸 Lyman Page 30 over Duanesburg last

\* Playing without injured forward Jennifer Cillis, Voorheesville made certain Duanesburg never got its offense going. The Blackbirds limited the Eagles to 15 first-half points and held them to three points in the fourth quarter to seal the victory.

Anna Feller scored 14 points, and Sarah Madden contributed 10 points for

□ Birds Page 31



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trying to figure out now to stop the Glens Falls hauve.

forward, but his other skills will be valuable enough to an NBA team to give him a chance to be a starting point guard.

that the NFL is heading for a lengthy lockout, but the NHL is looking into hosting Sunday outdoor games at NFL stadiums as



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early as November. OK, moving on...

• To paraphrase Mojo Nixon's only hit song "Elvis is Everywhere," Jimmer is everywhere.

BYU senior guard Jimmer Fredette been featured in the New York Times, Sports Illustrated and NPR's "All Things Considered." He has been a regular topic on ESPN programs including SportsCenter, "Pardon the Interruption" and "Jim Rome is Burning." People are starting to come up with "Jimmer-isms" like "Chuck Norris wears Jimmer's jersey to bed."

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It's enough to make any college basketball fan drool

But how has Jimmer transcended from college basketball superstar to a one-name pop culture phenomenon? Why is he being talked about by the likes of Ohio State super freshman Jared Sullinger, NBA superstar Kevin Durant and rapper (if you can call him that) Nelly?

I suppose it has something to do with Jimmer's physical traits. He's not a tall, lanky man like most NBA prospects - he's built more like a barrel than a redwood. Yet somehow, he can twist his body in manners that most humans wouldn't think of so he can get around defenders and create a shot when he's being denied on the perimeter.

It also has to do with where Jimmer can shoot threepointers from. Some players like to stay close to the three-point line before attempting a shot. Jimmer will shoot it from anywhere inside the half-court line. When he calmly launched a 40-foot three to beat the first-half buzzer against Utah (as part of a 47-point night), you could tell that he had all the confidence in the world that it would go in.

Will any of Jimmer's skills translate to the NBA? Well, he has very good ball-handling skills, and the ability to make three-pointers is always welcome at the next level. I'm not sure he'll be able to drive through traffic

In the meantime, Jimmer will continue to own the college basketball headlines - one of which will undoubtedly be "Fredette wins Player of the Year honors."

• In other local college basketball news, the University at Albany finished the America East season strong by beating Maine 81-77 in overtime Sunday. The victory gave the Great Danes (9-7 league, 16-15 overall) fourth place in the standings and a quarterfinal match-up with Stony Brook in the upcoming league tournament.

Not bad for a team that was predicted to finish nextto-last in the league.

Meanwhile, Siena beat Marist 81-73 Sunday to wrap up its regular season in seventh place in the MAAC - by far its lowest finish in the league since the year before Fran McCaffery came to Loudonville.

Not good for a team that was predicted to be in the MAAC top four before the season began.

It's highly doubtful that either UAlbany or Siena will win their league tournaments, but at least UAlbany has

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