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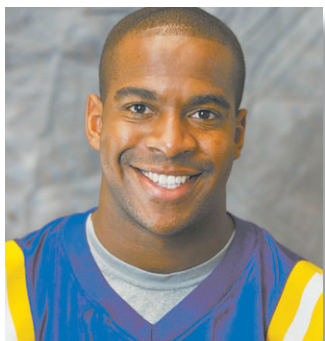
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A casual crowd

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Smith sets sight on NFL

Guilderland High School graduate Drew Smith impressed National Football League scouts at last week's pro day at Fordham University.

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BC talks teacher layoffs

Another aid cut changes district's tax cap limit

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The Bethlehem Central School District is set to lose an additional \$64,400 in state aid after building aid was recalculated for school districts across the state to reflect the lowered interest rates for capital projects.

The decrease in aid means the school district is now facing a larger budget gap of about \$5.01 million. Under the state's tax cap formula, the district can now raise taxes by 3.75 percent, an increase

from the previously projected rate of 3.64 percent.

The district is planning to use \$1.75 million in savings to help close the gap. If the school board were to put forth a budget with a tax increase at the maximum allowable limit of 3.75 percent, the district would still need to close a gap of \$1.04 million through reductions.

"Each time these reductions go up, it becomes harder and harder to support our programmatic offerings," said Superintendent

"The future is not money, the future is our children."

— Ellen Driscoll,
BC bus driver

Tom Douglas at the school board's latest budget deliberations on Wednesday, March 6. "The district has already reduced over 120 positions over the last four years."

Douglas said no one expected to see a fourth year of reductions to the tune of \$1 million. He said district officials last year expected there to be no need for reductions after increasing taxes by 4 percent — above the tax cap — and using some savings.

Assistant Superintendent of Educational Programs Jody Monroe presented a list of instructional and staffing reductions suggested if the board elects to keep the tax hike at 3.75 percent. The district could potentially see the loss of up to 6.5 full-time employees, for a savings of \$393,400.

"I know it's not easy for you all to sit here listening to potential reductions, it's also not easy to be in charge of the instructional programs, recommending we reduce every single year," said Monroe to an audience filled with parents, teachers and support

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Pedaling with a purpose

Two Guilderland 'Red Riders' prepare for Tour de Cure

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Pedaling for 50 miles on a bicycle would be an accomplishment for most, but for an 11-year-old with Type 1 diabetes, it is about more than just the ride.

Sydney Steinhardt, of Guilderland, was diagnosed with Type 1 diabetes during the week of Halloween when she was 8 years old. It's been three years since she was diagnosed and she is preparing for her third year riding in the American Diabetes Association's Tour de Cure. The local race kicks off at Saratoga Springs High School on Sunday, June 2.

"For an 8-year-old to be diagnosed the week of Halloween is probably one of the worst things that can happen," her father, Scott, said. "I am constantly amazed with her and how she handles this with such poise and dignity."

Ever since Sydney was first diagnosed, she has given herself the required insulin shot, which her father said "speaks to the kind of person that she is."

Sydney wasn't really interested in joining the tour at first when her father suggested it, but after her friends decided it was a cool idea she joined in, Scott said. The



Sydney Steinhardt, front center in red, takes off during the start of a previous American Diabetes Association's Tour de Cure.



Erin Parks was helped by her father during her first Tour de Cure ride, with him meeting her at every rest stop along the 25-mile route.

Submitted photo

first year there was 30 riders on her team and they raised around \$15,000. The following year, the riders doubled up and raised around \$20,000.

The distance Sydney has tackled also has increased annually. She did 10 miles her first year as a Red Rider, or a Tour

de Cure rider who has Type 1 or 2 diabetes, then 25 miles and this year is eyeing the 50-mile mark.

"She looks forward to it every year and we have a large team," her mother, Sandy, said. "She likes being a Red Rider that day and she

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Sheriff knocks SAFE Act

Local authorities see benefits and downsides to new gun control law

By JOHN PURCELL
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Police will enforce the new gun control law touted by Gov. Andrew Cuomo as a victory for safety, but that doesn't mean they have to agree with it.

Albany County Sheriff Craig Apple isn't convinced the SAFE Act will make the streets any safer, despite what the legislation's acronym implies, but thinks it could turn formerly lawful gun owners into criminals. The real problem, according to Apple, isn't the assault weapons targeted by the law, but rather the illegal handguns already on the streets.

"It does not address our problem locally," Apple said. "We are addressing an issue that is only going to affect law-abiding citizens."

Apple, who is a Democrat, says he isn't "upset" with the governor, but rather the process of how the law was approved — in a hasty manner with little

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Schools top concern for new assemblywoman

Fahy says education not on radar of Downstate Dems

By MARCY VELTE
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Education was the main topic of discussion when Bethlehem residents met with state Assemblywoman Patricia Fahy for a “community coffee” gathering on the morning of Friday, March 8.

Fahy met with residents for nearly two hours at the Four Corners Luncheonette in Delmar. The program was mostly informal and consisted of a meet-and-greet, followed by a question and answer session. About 30 people attended.

“I really appreciated the support on such a snowy, dreary day,” Fahy said to those gathered.

The talks are part of an initiative by the assemblywoman to form a greater connection with those she represents and to help support locally owned businesses. The gatherings began

in January, when Fahy assumed office, and she hopes to hold one a month in a different area of her district. Last month’s “community coffee” was held in Gunderland.

So far, Fahy said residents have been most concerned about the state’s education system and what is being done to restore education funding to local municipalities.

As the former president of the Albany City School Board, Fahy campaigned on education reform and aid equality. She was victorious after a six-way Democratic primary in September, and eventually beat Republican candidate Ted Danz and Conservative candidate Joseph Sullivan in the general election by a wide margin.

The newly redrawn 109th Assembly district encompasses the southwestern parts of the City of Albany and the towns of Gunderland, New Scotland and Bethlehem. Candidates were vying to replace Assemblyman Jack McEneny, who opted



State Assemblywoman Patricia Fahy held a “community coffee” on the morning of Friday, March 8, at the Four Corners Luncheonette in Delmar to address the concerns of her constituents.

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to retire last year. Most in the audience at the Four Corners Luncheonette asked what could be done to restore funding for schools and were concerned about growing tax rates. Fahy said she was keeping education aid at the forefront of her work on the Capitol and the assembly does plan to restore some aid, but she knows it won’t be enough. “We have 16 new, freshman Democrats, so

I’ve been trying to get to know them,” she said. “One of my strategies is trying to get to know what they care about so that if I know they have a pet project I can align myself to try and show a united front. I tell all of them my concerns about education because it’s not as big an issue for those Downstate.” The Assembly budget allocated \$21.1 billion in school aid across the state, an increase of \$834 million in formula aid from the 2012-13 school year. However, those numbers will not be official until the budget is negotiated and voted on by both houses. Fahy said Downstate

legislators are more worried about housing and the closure of a medical center in Brooklyn. “Education is still a concern for them, but because there are so many competing issues, it’s not at the forefront of their minds and I’m trying to change that,” she said. The assemblywoman said secondary questions from residents during these talks have been about the local economy, cuts to health care and care of the disabled, concerns over the environment and the federal sequester. She also has been asked about how she spends her time at the Capitol. Fahy said all of her time

recently has been spent on the budget, but she is researching legislation to sponsor once the budget is passed. “People should know I really do feel grateful for this position and I do feel that I can be a voice for those I represent,” she said. “I’m working very hard with the new members of this delegation to make sure we work as a united front on as many issues as possible because we know our voices are stronger the more united we are.” Fahy’s next community coffee will take place on Friday, April 12, at Emma Cleary’s Café in the Town of New Scotland.

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First responders recognized

Annual awards dinner focuses on Bethlehem police, fire and EMS

By MARCY VELTE
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Bethlehem's first responders came together on Monday, March 11, to be honored at the annual Community Awards event presented by the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Post 1040 in Bethlehem.

The awards ceremony is held each year in order to recognize a member from each of the town's first response companies who went "above and beyond the call of duty." Nine awards were given out in total.

"This is the time we in the American Legion honor those in the Bethlehem community who support and defend that community, like we in the Legion supported and defended our country," said Post Commander Steve Riedel. "Your dedication and commitment to this community is second to none, and I personally want to thank you for what you do every day."

Bethlehem Supervisor John Clarkson helped present the awards, along with Assemblywoman Patricia Fahy. A representative was sent on behalf of Rep. Paul Tonko, while Albany County Executive Dan McCoy sent proclamations to be given to each award recipient. Town Board members Joann Dawson and Kyle Kotary were also in attendance.

"We like to think of



Deputy Police Chief Tim Beebe, who is set to retire at the end of the month, receives the Law Enforcement Person of the Year award at Bethlehem's Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Post 1040 annual Community Awards.

Marcy Velte/Spotlight Newspapers

Bethlehem as a nice, safe place, and it is primarily because of the work that you do," said Clarkson, addressing the crowd. "I'm very glad we could have this night to recognize all of you, and in particular those who have distinguished themselves."

The chief or department head of each company presented the awards to each of the recipients.

Police Chief Louis Corsi presented the Law Enforcement Person of the Year award to Deputy Chief Tim Beebe, who is retiring at the end of March. Corsi said he chose Beebe not only because of his impending departure, but because of his "countless contributions to public safety in the Town of Bethlehem."

Riedel said the commendation was presented to Beebe for his "outstanding devotion to duty, and contributions

to public service benefitting the Bethlehem Community, New York state and the nation."

Other awards were presented to: Selkirk Fire Company 2 - Andrew McCurdy; Elsmere Fire Company A - Capt. Robert Baldwin; Selkirk Fire Company 1- Benedict "Benny" Christiana; Slingerlands Fire Department- Ryan McConky; Delmar Fire Department- Tim Haverly; Selkirk Fire Company 3 - Kevin Craft, Robert Burns, Robert Messenger (all three provided needed help to downstate residents from Hurricane Sandy); North Bethlehem Fire Department - David Ainspan; Delmar Bethlehem EMS - The combined EMS volunteers from both the Delmar and Bethlehem EMS squads for "their ability to set aside personnel differences for the health and safety of town residents."

IN BRIEF

Women's club offering scholarship

The Bethlehem Business Women's Club is offering scholarships to any Town of Bethlehem graduating senior. High academic standing is not necessary. Application deadline is March 20.

See the school guidance office for details or call 478-0638 to leave a message for the Bethlehem Business Woman's Club.

Community Town Hall meeting

This is the second in a series of community meetings providing an opportunity for citizens to speak directly with town officials and discuss town issues and specific community concerns.

Come to share your

views with Supervisor John Clarkson, Town Board members and other town officials. Some of the community concerns to be discussed include 9W Corridor study and congestion issues, Feura Bush Road sidewalk, local waterfront revitalization plan and development proposals Glenwood Village, CVS and Wemple Corners. The meeting will be held on Thursday, March 21, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Glenmont School, 328 Route 9W.

Business expo

The Guilderland Chamber of Commerce will present a Business to Business Expo at the Best Western Sovereign, 1228 Western Ave. on Wednesday, March 20, from 4:30 to 7 p.m. Vendors fee is \$50 a table.

Bring your products or

information and mix and mingle with attendees and vendors alike. There is space for 32 vendors. Get your table now for \$50. Cash bar, refreshments and door prizes. \$10 admission includes non-alcoholic beverages. Visit www.guilderlandchamber.com/calendar.html to register.

Sunday big breakfast

The Men's Association at St Matthew's Church on Mountainview Street is sponsoring a big breakfast on Sunday, March 17, from 7:30 a.m. to noon in the Social Hall. Menu items include pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, home fries, toast, juice, coffee, tea and hot chocolate. Take-outs are also available. Adults \$6, Children \$3.

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Police Blotter

Police: Fugitive found burglarizing Delmar home

Bethlehem police have arrested an Albany man and fugitive after allegedly catching him in the act of burglarizing a Delmar residence.

Police on Wednesday, March 6, at about 12:28 p.m., responded to 5 Mason Road on a report of a burglary in progress and allegedly found Nuke T. Jennings, 28, in the garage. Police later found Jennings is a fugitive wanted in South Carolina and Colorado on charges that include burglary while armed with a firearm and armed robbery.



Nuke T. Jennings

Jennings was charged as a fugitive from justice and with burglary in the third degree, forgery in the second degree, criminal mischief in the fourth degree and false personation. He was arraigned in Bethlehem Town Court and remanded to the Albany County Correctional Facility. He was scheduled to appear in Bethlehem Town Court on March 11 for a preliminary hearing, and police said an investigation continues and additional charges could be filed.

Woman accused of mailing drug to inmate

A Rome woman is joining her boyfriend in jail after trying to mail him a controlled substance, according to police.

The Albany County Sheriff's Office said Shannon J. Formikell, 36, sent suboxone to her boyfriend, who is imprisoned at the Albany County Correctional Facility. Corrections staff allegedly found the suboxone, which is a controlled substance used to treat opiate addiction, affixed to an envelope behind the postage.



Shannon J. Formikell

Police said Formikell admitted her boyfriend had asked her to mail suboxone to him.

Formikell was arrested and charged with felony attempted criminal sale of a controlled substance in the fifth degree and the misdemeanor charges of promoting prison contraband in the second degree and conspiracy in the sixth degree.

Formikell was arraigned in

the Town of Colonie Justice Court by Judge Norman Massry and remanded to the Albany County Correctional Facility in lieu of \$10,000 bail.

Police said her boyfriend is expected to be charged with a misdemeanor offense in connection with the case.

Police make arrest in trooper stabbing

Authorities arrested a man who allegedly stabbed a 15-year veteran of the State Police in the concourse of the Empire State Plaza in Albany on Sunday, March 3.

State Police arrested Eric L. Green, 18, on Tuesday, March 5, at 12:30 p.m., after he was located walking near the intersection of Western and Washington Avenues in Albany. Green allegedly identified himself by another name when questioned by police, but ultimately confirmed who he was, according to police.

Green was arrested without incident and was transported to the State Police Troop G Headquarters in Latham for processing. He was arraigned at the Town of Colonie Court Tuesday, March 5, and charged with aggravated assault on a police officer in the first degree and robbery in the first degree, both felonies.

Police said additional charges could be filed against Green.

According to state police, Green approached Trooper Rodney Smith on Sunday, March 3, at approximately 3:15 p.m. Green was said to have talked to Smith about being "new in town" and not knowing anyone in the area. As Smith was in the process of checking Green's identification, he was allegedly stabbed on the left side of his neck with a steak knife.



Eric L. Green

A brief struggle allegedly ensued and Smith was able to fend off Green, but Smith suffered an additional stab wound to the right side of his neck, his face, and several minor wounds to hands and arms, according to police.

Green allegedly removed

Smith's radio before fleeing the scene on foot, police said. Smith was able to call for help using a cell phone.

Smith is expected to fully recover, according to State Police Superintendent Joseph D'Amico.

"Our troopers can find themselves in dangerous and sometimes life threatening situations on any given day," D'Amico said in a statement on Monday, March 4.

State Police are continuing their investigation and ask anyone who still has information about where Green had been since the March 3 assault up until the time he was arrested to contact them at 474-5330.

Other arrest

• Guilderland police arrested Kristin Kitchen, 28, on Thursday, March 7 on charges of felony possession of a forged instrument in the second degree.

Bond vote info online

The vote on two Bethlehem Central School District bonds occurred Tuesday, March 12, after *The Spotlight* went to press.

For results of the public vote on a \$20.2 million facilities improvement proposition and a \$3.5 million athletics bond, visit spotlightnews.com.

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Red Cross worker arrested

Police say man sent explicit texts to RCS student

By MARCY VELTE
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Coeymans police arrested an American Red Cross volunteer after he allegedly sent sexually explicit text messages to a Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk student after a recent blood drive.

Police said Reynaldo Higgins, 30, was volunteering at a blood drive at the RCS High School on Friday, March 1, when he allegedly obtained the phone number of a 19-year-old student from their donor card and then made "inappropriate contact" with the girl. Higgins allegedly sent nude of himself and sexually explicit text messages "in the hopes of furthering the relationship." He also attempted to call her several times, according to police.

The girl rejected his advances and asked him to stop contacting her. When the calls and texts continued over a four-day period, the girl notified school officials, who then contacted the authorities, police said.

The American Red Cross cooperated in the investigation and Higgins has since been fired. He

had been volunteering with the organization for four months.

Higgins, who was temporarily living in Schenectady, was charged with aggravated harassment in the second degree and stalking in the fourth degree, both misdemeanors. He was arraigned in Ravena Village Justice Court and remanded to Albany County Correctional Facility in lieu of \$20,000.00 bail.

High School Principal Brian Bailey sent a letter home with all students. In the letter, the incident is explained in full and any students who may have been



Reynaldo Higgins

contacted in a similar way by Higgins are asked to contact the school district or police.

All of the students who participated in the blood drive were spoken to by school officials. At the time, no additional students came forward to say they had a similar experience with Higgins, but later another girl said the Red Cross worker also made inappropriate comments to her while she was at the blood drive.

"We are so proud of the generous spirit of our students who participated in the blood drive," Bailey wrote in the letter. "The combined efforts of our adult and student population helped to donate 166 units of blood that will potentially save 498 lives. This unusual and uncomfortable incident cannot outdo the good that was done through our donations."

RCS parents who have any concerns about their children receiving inappropriate communication from a stranger can contact the Coeymans Police Department directly at 756-2059.

Parents who have further questions for the district can call Principal Bailey at 518-756-5200, ext. 2003.

"In addition to our pride in our student donors, we are proud of the one student who took action to be safe and protect others," Bailey wrote. "We teach students to speak up against inappropriate sexual advances and other forms of abuse and harassment. When students speak up, they are safer and we are safer as a community."

Your opinion in The Spotlight School's Out a good neighbor

Editor, The Spotlight:

My thanks to The Spotlight for publishing the front page article in the February 27th issue with the caption, "No easy path for School's Out". I am sorry to say that in this busy world I am not always current with the news and did not know about the current struggle School's Out is having, nor was I aware of the public hearing that was held on this matter. I am therefore very appreciative of The Spotlight's article regarding this issue.

I write to express my hope that the officials of the Town of Bethlehem will be able to see the way clear so that School's Out will be able to purchase and occupy the building at 90 Adams Place in Delmar.

As pastor of the Delmar Presbyterian Church for many years, I had the pleasure of a good relationship with School's Out as they used space in the church's fellowship hall. I found the program to be well run and the staff were delightful to work with. I was in the building in the pastor's study doing concentrated work, at no time did I find the presence of the children either in the building or outside playing

to be a distraction or an annoyance. As a matter of fact I was proud of the church that we were able to provide space for such an important program for the children and their families.

We live in a time when young families are hustling to make ends meet and they deal with a lot of stresses and strains in working and raising a family. I think it is a great comfort for them to know that their children are well cared for and this is the service that School's Out provides for many families in our town. Nothing is more important than our children and the families who love them and who need the support of the larger community for their well being.

I understand that people will naturally have questions about noise levels and what not.

There are always concerns that can be raised about anything new.

While I understand the concerns I think they will be discovered to be unfounded.

Having School's Out at 90 Adams Place would speak well for this community and for the leaders of our town as we seek to care for the needs of children and their families.

I found School's Out to be a good neighbor and I think others will too if they are given the chance.

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From the Editor's Desk

Kudos (and attention) in order for EMS

First things first. Things are looking a little different on page 6 this week.

You'll notice things have been rearranged, but more importantly, we've added a sidebar we plan to make a running feature: The word on the street.

We've been running a weekly online poll for some time now, and through it and our letters page we find members of our community are generally more than eager to give their opinions on the issues of the day. We decided to take that one step further by featuring a few local voices here on the opinion page, then letting the community as a whole weigh in on the weekly question at our website.

A Spotlight reporter will be at a public place sometime during the week before the feature's publication gathering opinions. If you spot a Spotlight-er, feel free to say "hi." This presents us with another opportunity for us to get to know you, and vice versa.

Moving on, we aren't the only institution in town that's trying something new this year. Reporter Marcy Velte this past week covered the annual Community Awards that recognized Bethlehem's outstanding first responders. Among the awards handed out was one for the newly formed Delmar-Bethlehem EMS, which was awarded to the entire membership for "their ability to set aside personnel differences for the health and

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safety of town residents."

You see, a merger of Delmar EMS and Bethlehem EMS became effective as of the first of this year, effectively combining two separate services into an ambulance corps that covers the entire town. And we think the organization as a whole should be recognized for that groundbreaking effort, and even treated as a trailblazer in this regard.

We'll have to wait for the real-world figures to roll in, but the town's District Board of Ambulance Commissioners estimated the merger would result in about a \$100,000 decrease in the tax levy. Maintaining quality of service while reducing taxes qualifies as a win in our book.

Not everyone was initially on board with the plan, though. When the aforementioned board came out with the idea in September of 2012, it was said the merger was being met with some resistance, and EMS leaders said the timetable was too aggressive. Nevertheless, a scant three months later, a combined EMS force was online.

Government does not typically move at anything approaching that speed. It says a lot

about the leadership in these organizations that rubber was wedded with road so quickly. Likewise, it speaks to the caliber of those riding with EMS in Bethlehem, volunteer or paid, that everyone was willing to adapt.

There's a lesson here that can be applied elsewhere.

There are five fire departments serving the people of Bethlehem (seven if you count the multiple arms of the Selkirk Fire Department). A 2011 study, commissioned collectively by those departments, suggested they be merged into two organizations and finally, in a decade's time, a singular unit.

There's effectively been zero movement on the suggestion — indeed, when we originally reported on the study's findings some firefighters basically shrugged the idea off despite an agreement it would save money and even help firefighters do a better job. It would seem that for many, autonomy and individual identity is more important than effectiveness, even in a job so serious as fighting fires.

What's happened with the town's ambulance service challenges that outmoded thinking. These organizations found a way to organize a speedy merger that saved money, and lo and behold, the world kept turning. For fire departments, it might be time for another look at consolidation — a serious one, this time.

The word on the street

The Dow reached a record high recently. Has the economy recovered?



Dave Bonney, Colonie

"I think it has kind of artificially recovered ... When it comes down it's going to come crashing down."



Jeanette Scrum, Selkirk

"I don't think so. ... The price of living is just going up and it is insane. A gallon of milk is now \$3 when it used to be a dollar something."



Amy Riddell, Slingerlands

"I opened Emack & Bolio's five years ago when the recession hit and I do feel that business is improving."

Asked Friday, March 8, at Delaware Plaza in Elmsmere.

What do you think?

Go to spotlightnews.com to take the poll.

Your opinion

Will the real Mr. McCoy please stand up?

Editor, The Spotlight:

As a member of the legislature, Albany County Executive Dan McCoy fought to keep the nursing home open. Standing in front of residents and families at ACNH stating it would remain open and he would take care of them as Albany County had taken care of his father knowing the hardships of having a family member sent out of state. He fought to bring his own father back to ACNH, the only nursing home to accept him. He stated that Mr. Breslin was wrong in his figures and we needed the entire consortium of care and he would work with the Family Council and the residents to build a new home knowing the figures presented by Breslin and staff were very inflated and would work to correct them.

The other Dan McCoy is trying his hardest to sell the nursing home and residents down the river and give USG a lot more than \$18 million. He stated to legislators there were no other bidders and no takers to the proposal of a private management team. That is not the case. Lies or did he just

forget?

Truth - ACNH is being assessed \$2.4 million in fees for Human Resources and for IT? How many HR people are at the nursing home and very few computers. This information was FOILED by a union at the facility. Are there more things assessed that don't belong? McCoy was given many cost cutting suggestions by employees but they never heard from him again. One suggestion, ACNH has state of the art rehabilitation equipment, filling 25 beds with rehab patients would pay for the facility and make money but the facility needs a sign stating rehabilitation and hospitals need to know it's not closing. Seems a difficult thing!

Mr. McCoy is not forthcoming in his dealings with the Legislature, ACNH Family Council, nor the taxpayers. Over \$10 million spent in the past 10 years for empty parking lots and no convention center, nearly \$100 million refurbishing the courthouse, buying the family court building, running a hockey rink always in the red. But that doesn't come under

scrutiny.

The final statement from Mr. McCoy to our legislators - You can put on your election flyers that you saved over \$100 million - but please add and threw away the most

vulnerable of our population - the residents and families at ACNH as well as the taxpayers. How disgusting!

Steve Layne

Member of the Albany County Nursing Home Family

Paper provided opportunity

Editor, The Spotlight:

My heart was heavy as I read the news that The Spotlight has made the difficult but necessary decision to suspend production of its print products in Saratoga and Schenectady counties. I got my start in journalism in 2007 when John McIntyre and Kathy McCarthy took a chance on a young reporter short on experience but full of enthusiasm and a willingness to learn - and learn I did while at The Spotlight.

The Spotlight's passion for local news and covering stories that matter to neighbors solidified my desire to continue my career in journalism and communications. I value the time I spent at the newspaper and have fond memories of editorial meetings, iMac computers and, of course, the

paper's incomparable sports editor.

The Spotlight rightfully prides itself on reporters' coverage of local news, and I have appreciated the partnership with your newspaper as I now promote the town government's work here at Clifton Park Town Hall. I look forward to continuing this partnership and sincerely hope conditions in the not-too-distant future will permit The Spotlight to again publish a print edition in Saratoga County.

J. Jude Hazard
Clifton Park

Editor's note: The writer is currently the Information Specialist for the Town of Clifton Park. He was a reporter for The Spotlight in 2007, covering Clifton Park and Halfmoon.



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Directory available

The latest edition of the directory of libraries and other organizations accepting used books and magazines is now available. You'll find it on the rack at the information desk and online at www.bethlehempubliclibrary.org. Be sure to call the agency first to verify policy; types and terms of donation are subject to



change. The booklet also includes a supplemental book recycling guide for Bethlehem residents.

Holiday closing

A reminder that the library will be closed Sunday, March 31, for the Easter holiday. Regular hours resume Monday, April 1, at 9 a.m. We're always open online. Visit us there to access a variety of services and information.

Trustee vacancies

Nominating petition packets are available at the library's information desk for two vacancies on the Bethlehem Public Library board of trustees, each for a full term of five years, beginning July 1. Petitions must contain at least 129 signatures of voters residing in Central School District No. 6 of the Towns of Bethlehem and

New Scotland. Petitions must be filed with the District Clerk, Bethlehem Central High School, 700 Delaware Avenue, Delmar by 5 p.m. on April 22.

Raising a Resilient Child

Thursday, March 28, 7 p.m. Sarah Gould from the Capital District Child Care Council leads a workshop on the life skills children and teens need to become thriving, self-directed, engaged learners. Parents and caregivers.

Minecraft Overload

Friday, March 29, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. One-hour blocks of computer time offered on a first-come, first-served basis. No signup necessary, but space is limited. Grade 3 and up.

Visit Art Institute with museum pass

The RCS Community Library's museum pass collection now includes two family passes for the Albany Institute of History and Art, located on Washington Avenue.

The pass offers free admission for three adults and all children under the age of 18.

The museum is currently exhibiting, "The Making of the Hudson River School: More than the Eye Beholds," "The Legacy of Currier & Ives: Shaping the American Spirit and Sense of Place," "18th and 19th Century Paintings and Sculpture" and several others. Don't miss the Ancient Egypt exhibit featuring the museum's two human

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mummies and the "cat" mummy especially fascinating for the kids.

Adult borrowers who are residents of the RCS Community Library service area may check out one pass for one week. Available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations.

Computer classes

Free classes are offered weekly with a new topic each week. Both day and evening classes are available.

Class size is small

allowing for individualized attention. Registration is required; call today to reserve your place.

Note that evening classes are moving to Thursdays.

What's new? New Adult Fiction

"Alex Cross Run" by James Patterson "Brooklyn Bones" by Triss Stein, "Daddy Love" by Joyce Carol Oates, "Ghostman" by Roger Hobbs, "Guilt" by Jonathan Kellerman, "The Night Ranger" by Alex Berenson, "The Sound of Broken Glass" by Deborah Crombie, "Week in Winter" by Maeve Binchy.

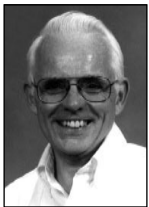
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get more involved in your town, this is it. To become a candidate, start by coming to the library and picking up an information packet. This package provides all the details you need including a welcoming memo from the director, instructions on how to run and an informative document outlining the responsibilities and opportunities the position entails. There is also a two-page biographical information sheet which must be completed. This information is used in the library's publicity pertaining to the election. Your completed packet must be filed with the School District's Clerk on or before Monday, April 22. Witness for yourself the good, important work

the Board does and come to their next meeting on Thursday, March 14, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting is in the library's Tawasentha Room. Call the Library Director at 456-2400, ext. 113 or the school district clerk at 456-6200 with any questions.

Make it Healthy, Make it Ahead!

On Friday, March 22, at 6 p.m., Roni Shapiro, owner of Healthy Gourmet To-Go in Saugerties, a vegan, organic, gluten-free weekly meal delivery and catering company, will share her great ideas for planning ahead to make healthy and delicious meals your whole family will enjoy. This Tastes Good/Get Healthy program just happens to fall during National Nutrition Month! Register for this program by calling 456-2400, ext. 2. Snow date is March 27, at 6 p.m.

Congressman to tackle healthcare overhaul

How will the Affordable Care Act affect you? On Wednesday, March 27, at 7 p.m., you can ask your lawmaker. Congressman Paul Tonko will explain the many changes in health insurance that are now underway, including the new Health Insurance Marketplace that is set to open this fall. Learn about choices, protections, potential impact, navigating the new system and how to get assistance when you need it. Questions about health care reform? Come and ask the Congressman.

The topics that Congressman Tonko will be ready to address include the choices the new system has to offer, consumer rights and protections and the impact the Affordable Care Act could have on business owners,

families, people who can't afford health insurance, persons on Medicaid and seniors on Medicare. Congressman Tonko, who represents the 20th District of New York, will also discuss navigating the system and how to get assistance when you need it.

Comic Character Quick Draw!

On March 15, it's a half day of school, so come to the library at 1 p.m. for a drawing lesson! Learn to draw characters through a "quick draw" with help from local artist Matthew Laiosa. Choose three cards: an emotion, an animal/creature and an occupation. Combine the cards to build a character using costumes and expressions. Registration requested (grades 3-5).



Mingle and Munch at the Book Club Brunch

If you're in a book club, or you'd like to be, come to the library on Saturday, March 16, at 10 a.m. The Book Club Brunch will feature good food, friends and conversation about books at what book clubs do. Meet mingle and share ideas. Registration is requested. Call the library or email Suzanne Fisher at suzanne.fisher@voorheesvillelibrary.org. A reception for Suzanne, who is retiring, will be held that day at 1 p.m.

Artist's Reception

Photographer MJ Adleman of Delmar will host a reception for ☐ VPL Page 9

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her exhibit, “Elements of Culture,” on Sunday, March 17, at 1:30 p.m. The reception will feature a half-hour slide presentation on Cuba – its architecture, landscapes, wildlife, marketplaces, arts and people.

Painting Made Easy
Would you like to try your hand at painting but don’t know where to begin? Come to the library Saturday, March 23 and learn from an experienced teacher, Doreen Montemayor. No supplies are necessary. The class is meant for beginners and is limited to ten. Call Julie Stump at the library, 765-2791.

Special Toddler Town
On Thursday, March 28, Lisa Russo will present a musical program that engages children with instruments, movement and songs.

Thursday at the movies
On March 14, watch the classic adventure film, “Only Angels Have Wings.” On March 21, watch Laura, the classic mystery directed by Otto Preminger. Both movies start at 1:30 p.m.

St. Patrick’s Day Lunch



Join us for the St. Patrick’s Day Celebration Luncheon on Saturday, March 16, at V.F.W. Post #3185, 404 Delaware Ave. Delmar. We’ll have corned beef on rye; the Reuben, corned beef with sauerkraut; or the Rachel, corned beef with coleslaw. Cost is \$8.50 plus beverage cost payable on the day of the event. A bake sale will be offered. Senior transportation will leave Town Hall at about 10:45 a.m. Home pick up can be arranged. Suggested van donation is \$5. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176.

Tuesday, March 19
• Seniors in Motion. Bethlehem Town Hall auditorium, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 9 to 10 a.m. No registration is necessary. \$3 fee per class.

Wednesday, March 20
• Senior grocery shopping for residents of Elsmere, Delmar, Slingerlands, North Bethlehem and Marie Rose Manor. For reservations, call 439-5770.
• Health Insurance, Medicare and EPIC

counseling offered by Candy Rivera Whitehead, NYS EPIC, and Peggy Moran, Senior Services of Albany from 10 a.m. to noon at the Bethlehem Town Hall. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176 to make a reservation.

Thursday, March 21
• The Bereavement Support Group will meet at Town Hall from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Call Will Vail at 439-4955, ext. 1173, to register or to get more information.
• Bethlehem Senior Citizens Club meets weekly on Thursdays at the Bethlehem Town Hall auditorium, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, 11:30 am to 4 p.m. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176 for more information.
• Senior grocery shopping for residents of Glenmont, Selkirk and South Bethlehem. For reservations, call 439-5770.

Friday, March 22
• “Making the Choice to Manage Stress, Simple Techniques for Relaxation.” Learn to understand the stress response and to use focused relaxation techniques, including breathing, imagery and basic hand massage. The program is free and transportation can be arranged by calling 439-4955, ext. 1176.

OsteoBusters for seniors

OsteoBusters is a community-based exercise and education program that promotes strong bones. The exercise program consists of weightbearing, muscle strengthening, postural training and balance exercises.

These exercises, along with a healthy diet rich in calcium and vitamin D, have been shown to help maintain and improve bone health.

Trained volunteers instruct the classes, so there is no charge. Currently, there is room in all three classes offered at Town Hall.

Call the Senior Office for more information.

Movie of the month: “The Green Mile”

Thursday, March 28, 10:30 a.m. in the Courtroom. A 1999 American drama, told in flashbacks, stars Tom Hanks and Michael Clarke Duncan.

The film tells the

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story of a man’s life as a death row corrections officer during the Great Depression, and the supernatural events he witnessed. Sign up by March 21.

Tuesday Luncheons

Every Tuesday at 11:30 a.m., over 50 seniors gather to have lunch together in our Town Hall Board Room. Participants may order the featured hot meal or opt for a cold tuna salad plate or cold fruit plate.

Orders must be placed with our office by 10:30 a.m. the day before the luncheon and the suggested donation is \$3. Some decide to bring their own lunch, which is also fine.

Following the lunch, many seniors play bingo, other board games, shoot a game of pool or simply converse with friends.

Monday, March 18
Scheduled Shopping
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Tuesday, March 19
9 a.m. OsteoBusters
11:30 a.m. Luncheon Noon Food Pantry Raffle
12:30 p.m. Bingo/Games/ Billiards

Wednesday, March 20
Scheduled Shopping
9 a.m. Cardio Circuit
10:30 a.m. OsteoBusters
1 p.m. Needlecraft
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Thursday, March 21
Scheduled Shopping
9 a.m. OsteoBusters
9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Blood Pressure & Scheduled Medicaid & Legal Appt
12:30 p.m. Mahjongg
1 p.m. Pinochle

Friday, March 22
Scheduled Shopping
10 a.m. Painting
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Voorheesville schools facing \$440k budget gap

Proposed cuts forthcoming, two bus purchases eyed for referendum

By JOHN PURCELL
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It remains to be seen how deeply \$440,000 worth of cuts will affect the Voorheesville Central School District, as administrators consider how to stay within a tax cap of a 3.87 percent increase. The district won't be getting any respite from the state either, despite

Gov. Andrew Cuomo increasing state aid to schools by 4.4 percent. Voorheesville is projected to see a 4 percent decrease in aid, a total aid package of \$4.9 million. During the last three years the state's gap elimination adjustment has reduced aid to the district by \$2.87 million. Declining enrollment is another issue, with Voorheesville shedding 56 students during the last five years and facing another projected decline next school year.

The projections were

offered at a Wednesday, March 6, meeting of the school board. If the district presented a budget at its tax cap, the 2013-14 budget would total \$22.6 million, a \$720,000 increase. Homeowners with a property assessed at \$250,000 could expect taxes to increase by \$194 in the Town of New Scotland (4.83 percent), \$270 in Guilderland (5.75 percent) and around \$350 in Berne homeowners.

Superintendent Teresa Thayer Snyder said most Berne homeowners fall below an assessment of \$250,000, so the tax increase wouldn't be as large.

"This year, in all the years I have been in the

business (20 years), I have never such a more difficult with the budget," Assistant Superintendent of Business Gregory Diefenbach said. "This is a budget that is fluid ... the state hasn't passed a budget yet so school districts are working again in the dark."

Potential cuts are being targeted for staffing, professional development, supplies, equipment and athletics, but the district didn't offer any specifics.

Possible reductions are expected to be presented during the Board of Education's Monday, March 11, and Monday, March 25, meetings. Adoption of the 2013-14 Budget is scheduled for

April 8.

District officials are also weighing whether to join into the governor's proposed flat-rate employee contribution plan, at 12.5 percent for 25 years. The state Teachers' Retirement System first needs to approve the measure though and school officials don't expect it to be done before adopting next year's budget.

If the district went with the proposal, its tax cap next year would be reduced to 2.58 percent.

"Like any state thing that has happened over the years, some things are half baked and then it comes out and is given to us and it is not even figured out," Diefenbach said.

Diefenbach, along with other school officials, appeared hesitant to jump into the 25-year commitment, but resident Tricia Putnam urged the board to go for the reduced rate. The district currently has a contribution rate at 16.25 percent and would save around \$300,00 under the proposal.

"I think I would be more apt to go for it," Putnam said.

District officials are also proposing to present voters with two referendums alongside the budget in May, the first for purchasing two 60-passenger buses at \$214,000 and another to transfer up to \$250,000 from unallocated fund balances to the repair reserve.

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Trustee cautions contingency usage

Altamont board OKs Wastewater Treatment Plant project change orders

By JOHN PURCELL
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Altamont Trustee William Aylward expressed concern about again tapping contingency funds allocated for the

wastewater treatment plant improvement project at a Tuesday, March 5, meeting, but other town officials argued the move to be responsible budgeting.

The Altamont Board of Trustees Tuesday authorized two change orders totaling nearly \$18,400 for the \$3.5 million capital improvement project, which includes installing new equipment. Board members awarded project contracts in May 2012 after the Department of Environmental Conservation mandated the improvements following a 2010 order of consent citing the village for overflow of untreated sewage during weather-related, high water events.

In the end, the change orders were unanimously approved, but Aylward first questioned why the first change order presented included allocating funds for additional concrete and grout demolition at the tertiary filters.

"Would that not be part of the original plan?" Aylward asked.

Jason Ballard, project engineer from Barton & Loguidice, said the additional demolition couldn't be foreseen because engineers only had plans from when it was first built in the 1950s. Ballard added the filters weren't drained until work began to avoid interrupting operations.

"It was an unforeseen condition," Ballard said. "When we drained it and started looking at the filter we realized we had to remove that."

After approving \$16,700 of contingency allowance, there is \$5,345 remaining in the contract budget.

"My concern is we are using up contingency funds rather rapidly," Aylward said. "I am concerned we



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Altamont

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are going to end up with a change order for \$100,000.”

Ballard said he doesn't see that happening, but there could be further change orders brought to the board.

“When you keep digging, there is stuff unforeseen,” Ballard said. “We are going faster with our contract than we are with our contingency.

The second change order allowed tapping \$1,697 in contingency funds to include electrical grounding of a panel in the existing tertiary filter building. There is \$2,000 of contingency funds remaining for that project.

Mayor James Gaughan said the board is tracking the project carefully to make sure money is spent “efficiently and effectively.” Before any change order reaches the board it also goes through a subcommittee, Gaughan said.

“I welcome the conversation, but I don't personally think there has been irresponsibility on this,” Gaughan said.

Aylward said he didn't want to “give the impression that change orders are routine.”

The project must be completed by June, and this is the first year sewage system users will see increased bills to pay for the project, which will be paid off during the next 20 years. The increase is approximately 25 cents per household daily.

In other business, the board approved spending \$41,000 to purchase a new four-wheel drive police vehicle, approved holding it organizational meeting on Tuesday, April 2, at 7 p.m. and scheduled a budget public hearing during its April 2 meeting.



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How do you spell community? B-E-E

Bethlehem Opportunities Unlimited holds event, invites town

By MARCY VELTE
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Struggling spellers who may have fantasized about getting even with a demanding English teacher will have their chance at revenge, as educators are set to take on Bethlehem residents in the inaugural Community Spelling Bee.

The event is being sponsored by Bethlehem Opportunities Unlimited, a local nonprofit group that funds youth activities and alcohol and drug prevention education to teens. The spelling bee is meant to be the group's main fundraiser of the year, and takes the place of the “March Madness” faculty basketball game that is now sponsored by the Bethlehem Central Community Foundation.

“We usually sponsor the basketball classic but we wanted to do something a little different that would not only involve teachers and students, but also the greater community,” said BOU Co-President Jayne Deane-White.

The group decided to move away from the basketball event because many felt the game was getting too competitive. Deane-White said one of the organization's goals is to promote education, and members wanted to focus on an event that would intellectually challenge participants.

Deane-White said a fellow board member suggested a spelling bee after a member of her family successfully ran a similar event as a fundraiser in Connecticut. So far, 14 groups have registered to participate in the bee. BC teachers and administrative staff at all levels have signed on, as have employees from

local businesses like Price Chopper and Kinderhook Bank and members of town government.

All participants are asked to work in teams of three to five members, and are encouraged to wear matching uniforms. At the bee, each team captain will be deemed the designated speller, but team members will be allowed to give their advice. The words are to be written out on a large white board, and each team will have 60 seconds after the second pronunciation of the word to spell it correctly.

The teams will be asked to spell 12 words in two preliminary rounds, and teams will be eliminated for misspelled words. The two winning teams from each round will then move on to

the quarterfinals and finals, where they will spell five words each. BC Superintendent Tom Douglas will participate on the judges panel.

BOU is hoping the event turns out to be successful financially. A team in the competition can be sponsored by a local organization for \$100 and companies or groups may also pay \$75 to sponsor a word.

“These words aren't going to be easy,” Deane-White said. “We had a local dental practice sponsor a word from the dental field, so participants are going to have to bring their thinking caps.”

She added for those who don't want to compete in the bee, BOU is hoping the community will come out to watch and show their support

for their favorite team.

“We're hoping to sponsor a friendly competition that will become popular and turn into an annual event,” said Deane-White.

Refreshments will be served at the event and a 50/50 raffle will be held.

Teams can register to participate in the spelling bee until Wednesday, March 20. The competition will take place the following week on Wednesday, March 27, at 7 p.m., in the BC Middle School auditorium. Admission is \$3 for students, seniors and veterans, \$5 for adults and \$10 for a family.

For more information, email bouthebee@hotmail.com, or visit the BOU web page on the Bethlehem Central School District website.



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Another Guilderland native, Erin Parks, is also looking forward to riding again this year.

Parks, a 25-year-old living in Glenmont, had just started her fall semester as a senior at Syracuse University when she started noticing symptoms. In a little more than two weeks she lost around 20 pounds, but doctors didn’t diagnose her correctly at first.

“I was thirsty all the time and very lethargic and tired, so I went to the doctor’s a few times and they said it was just a virus at first,” Parks said.

Both Parks and Sydney Steinhardt didn’t have any family history of diabetes, so the diagnosis was a surprise to both families.

Parks said she was glad it was “something very manageable” and was

happy to start addressing the problem to feel better.

“I just always have to be prepared and make sure I have extra insulin on hand and something to eat, or some juice in case my blood sugar gets a little bit low,” Parks said.

Parks said she checks her blood sugar level about six times daily, typically before and a few hours after a meal. The first year she did injections, but she now uses an insulin pump to help manage her diabetes.

Sandy Steinhardt said she makes sure Sydney understands that having diabetes is not what defines her.

“My biggest struggle with her as a parent is making sure she continues to be an 11-year-old,” Sandy Steinhardt said. “She can’t just be like a regular kid outside playing all day. ... It is a constant thing that she has to deal with.”

Scott Steinhardt said Sydney remained a competitive swimmer after being diagnosed. The year

of her diagnosis she won a state title in the freestyle eight and under category.

Sydney, a Pine Bush Elementary student, will also be joined, adults from her school community, with five of her teachers, principal, and school nurse riding on her team, “Sydney’s Spinners.”

Parks, who formed Team Parks, said education and awareness are big aspects of Tour de Cure, besides raising funds for the ADA.

“A lot of people don’t know the differences between Type 1 and Type 2 and how much money is spent on diabetes each year,” Parks said.

The event also helps people with diabetes connect with others to share experiences and support.

“You know that the things you are experiencing are normal,” Parks said.

For more information on the event and to donate to a specific rider or team, visit tour.diabetes.org and click on “Find your local tour.”

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staff. “Unfortunately, given the state aid picture, we’re forced to make decisions that we don’t like to do.”

The recommendation includes reducing staff in the subjects of English, science, art, foreign language and physical education at the high school level. The plan also calls for the reduction of a librarian, a social worker, a monitor and a guidance counselor.

Monroe said a new plan could potentially be enacted at the high school level to allow students who participate in two or more sports to drop physical education class, thereby reducing the number of classes taught. Action would need to be taken by the school board to change school code.

If the school board

decides to set the tax increase lower than the maximum allowable limit, the district could see the loss of up to nine additional full-time positions at the elementary and middle school levels and a 20 percent reduction to electives. This plan would see the sixth grade schedule reduced by one period and middle school students taking fewer sections of foreign language and physical education. These changes would save \$652,000.

Monroe said previous reductions to staff have already led to larger class sizes, less specialized attention from teachers, the loss of class offerings and a drop in standardized test scores.

District officials also offered further potential reductions to the district’s operations and athletics budgets beside \$260,000 in cuts recommended earlier in the month. An operations and maintenance supervisor

could be cut and the district could reduce sports levels from three to two for a combined savings of \$180,000.

“Everyone here is trying to do everything they can to preserve one of our most sacred trusts — our students. And the education of that youth for a great tomorrow,” said Douglas, pushing for greater advocacy to state lawmakers to restore aid.

David Rounds, the president of the Bethlehem Central Teacher’s Association, said he sympathized with the board because they have been “boxed in” by the state legislature.

“Every person in this community has done their job, it’s the State of New York that’s not, specifically the governor,” he said in response to the last-minute aid reduction.

“Given the fact that you’ve been forced into this situation, I urge you

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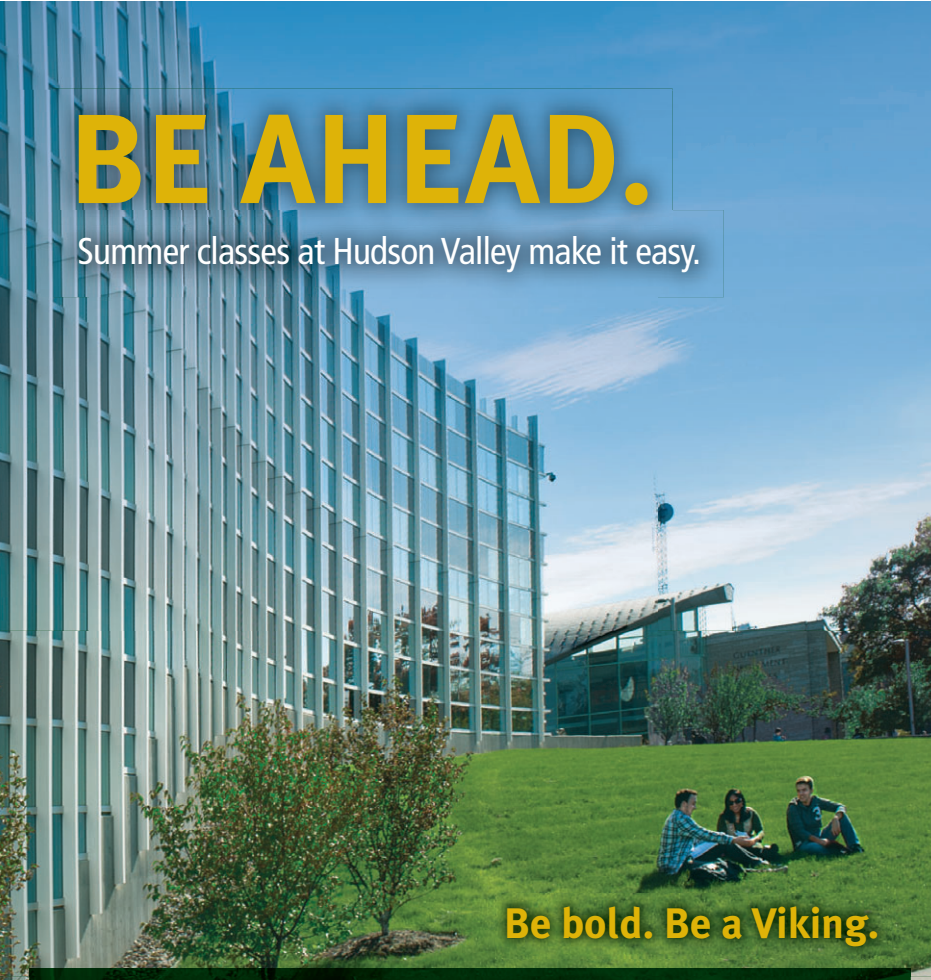
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Entertainment in the Spotlight



The annual Café Malta event is falling near St. Patrick's Day this year so organizer Elyse Young is turning her attention to bringing some Irish flair to the family-friendly event.



Café gets touch of the Irish

St. Patrick's Day the theme for family-friendly Café Malta performances

Elyse Young is once again bringing café-style entertainment to Malta, but this time it has a touch of the Irish.

Young began holding the Café Malta event in 2010 at the Malta Community Center as an acoustic café of sorts in which local performers and musicians got a chance to show off their stuff in a casual, family-friendly, yet lively atmosphere. The show takes place in the center's multipurpose room where tables are set up and covered with tablecloths, lights are turned down lower than normal and candles are placed around the room, giving off that evening coffee café feel.

Young likens the café event to the atmosphere found at Caffè Lena, with the main difference being Café Malta is family-style. Instead of alcohol, you can sip on hot coffee.

"The crowd is a little bit of everything from kids, singles, families and teens," Young said.

Jane McVey, who volunteers at the event, said she brings her entire family every year.

"Sometimes if you go into Saratoga to the bars you are going to run into people who over imbibe and it makes it unpleasant," McVey said. "At this event, you can comfortably sit, have coffee, soda or a small snack and be entertained in a safe environment."

The upcoming Café Malta event falls on the weekend of St. Patrick's Day, and appropriately Michael Yates, a musician from Saratoga Springs, will bring his love of Irish heritage to the stage.

"I consider myself Irish, even though like most Americans, I am of mixed heritage. I'm probably about one-quarter Irish, but that's the part of my heritage that I associate with," Yates said with a laugh.

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Included in Yates' repertoire that evening will be a song he wrote about the young Irish men who migrated to America after the potato famine in the 1800s.

"I often wondered what it was like for a man to leave his family at home in Ireland and come to a

strange country, a new world, find a job in many places where he was looked down upon, and earn money to send home to his family," Yates said. "That was the inspiration for the song I am going to do at the café."

As the theater director at the community center, Young sees the array of talent in the community and said the idea of Café Malta is to provide an opportunity for these performers to perform in a different type of venue.

"I have never done anything like Café Malta before this. I have directed shows, but this is an idea that I had for quite a few years, and it finally came to fruition three or four years ago when I started it," Young said.

Young tries to bring different talent to the stage each year. This year, the event will highlight St. Patrick's Day showcasing live Irish music and clogging as well as sing-alongs and singing waitresses.

"This is the first year I have made a theme of it, calling it 'Irish-style,' so I am gearing my musicians and performers toward that," Young said.

In addition to the yearly Café Malta event, Young directs two full musicals a year at the community center and teaches acting classes throughout the year to kids and adults.

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day Café Malta style on Saturday, March 16, at 7 p.m. at the Malta Community Center, One Bayberry Drive in Malta. Tickets are \$6 in advance and \$8 at the door. Coffee and desserts will be available for purchase.

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Theater Voices will present a staged reading of The Timekeepers by Dan Clancy. directed by Stewart J. Zully on Friday, March 22 at 8 p.m., Saturday, March 23, at 3 p.m. and 8 p.m., and Sunday, March 24, at 3 p.m. at the Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Ave., Albany. Admission is free.

CAVALCADE OF SCENES

The College of Saint Rose Drama Program announces the Saint Rose Theatre Festival’s “Cavalcade of Scenes,” an evening of staged readings of scripts written by some of Albany’s newest and youngest playwrights. Friday, March 15, and Saturday, March 16, at 7 p.m. in the Saint Rose Campus Theatre, 996A Madison Ave. (directly behind 1000 Madison Ave.), Albany. Free, contributions welcomed.

Music

JEFFREY T. AND BOB REDMOND

Oldies done right! Jeffrey T. and Bob Redmond. March 15, 8 p.m., Moon and River Cafe, 115 South Ferry St., Schenectady, free. Information, 382-1938.

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Here’s How It Works:

Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

Arts and Entertainment

JON BROOKS

Maple Leaf Series with Jon Brooks. March 16, 8 p.m., Caffe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, members \$14, general admission \$16, children under 13 \$8. Information, 583-0022.

ROOTS OF CHANGE

Roots of Change, Socially Relevant Folk, Americana & Original. March 15, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio’s, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany, free. Information, 512-5100.

ETUDE CLUB

The Etude Club, an accomplished and enthusiastic group of local musicians, will present a one hour concert, free and open to the public, Sunday, March 17, 2:30 p.m. The program, in the McChesney Room at the Main Branch of the Schenectady County Public Library, is part of their “Beat the Snow” concert series. Performers will include Mary Moran, Stephanie Pieck, Meg Bassin-son, Paula Shaw, Cheryl Florin and Jody Shayne. The concert features music by Chopin, Brahms, Grieg and Gershwin.

SHARON SHANNON

Old Songs, Inc. presents Sharon Shan-non — Irish accordion queen. March 15, 8 p.m. \$25. 37 S. Main St., Voorhees-ville. Information and tickets: 765-2815, oldsongs.org.

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Acoustic folk duo, March 16, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio’s, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany, free. Information, 512-5100.

MIKE BLOOMFIELD TRIBUTE

Organist Al Kooper and guitarist Jimmy Vivino explore the music of legendary blues guitarist Mike Bloomfield - revis-iting his classic work with the Butterfield Blues Band, Electric Flag and Super Session. March 16, 7:30 p.m. The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$34. Infor-mation, 473-1845.

WALT MICHAEL & COMPANY

St. Patrick’s Day with Walt Michael & Company, March 17, 7 p.m., Caffe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, members \$16, general admission \$18, children under 13 \$9. Information, 583-0022.

TOPHERJAMIN

Brothers Christopher and Benjamin are TopherJamin, jazzy bluegrass, March 16, 8 p.m., Moon and River Cafe, 115 South Ferry St., Schenectady, free. Infor-mation, 382-1938.

CHANDLER TRAVIS THREE-O

Chandler on vocals and guitar, accom-panied by Berke McKelvey on keyboard and reeds and John Clark on bass, along with valet services and harmony vocals from Fred Boak. Opener, Jack Grace. March 15, 8 p.m., Caffe Lena, 47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs, members \$18, general admission \$20, children under 13 \$10. Information, 583-0022.

GLEN MATLOCK, SYLVAIN SYLVAIN

Glen Matlock (Sex Pistols) and Sylvain Sylvain (New York Dolls) North Ameri-can Acoustic tour. March 15, 8 p.m., WAMC Performing Arts Studio, 339 Central Ave., Albany, \$15. Information, 465-5233, ext. 4.

Comedy

MOP AND BUCKET COMPANY

A weekly show of improvised comedy, March 15, 8 p.m., Proctors Under-ground, 432 State St., Schenectady, adults \$14, students/seniors \$6. Infor-mation, 346-6204. Also, weekly improv skit show, March 16, 8 p.m., Comedy Works, 500 Northern Blvd., Albany, advance tickets \$15, day of show \$20, dinner packages \$33.95 in advance, \$44.95 day of show. Information, 275-6897.

DEMETRI MARTIN

An evening with comedian Demetri Mar-tin. March 16, 7 p.m. The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany, \$39.75. Infor-mation, 473-1845.

COMEDY WORKS

Vic DiBittetto with Liz Miele, March 15 and 16, 7:30 and 9:30 p.m., 500 Northern Blvd., Albany, advance tickets \$15, day of show \$20, dinner packages \$39.95 in advance, \$44.95 day of show. Information, 275-6897.

Dance

PILOBOLUS - “CLASSICS”

Pilobolus, the modern movement com-pany founded in 1971, April 21, 7:30 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Al-bany, members \$26, general public \$28. Information, 473-1845.

OLD SONGS COMMUNITY DANCE

Dinner and participatory dance featuring music by Fennig’s All-Stars. Caller, Paul Rosenberg. April 6, 6:30 p.m., Old Songs Inc., 37 South Main St., Voorheesville, \$7. Information, 765-2815.

Visual Arts

NEW YORK STATE MUSEUM

“An Irrepressible Conflict: The Empire State in the Civil War,” through Sept. 22; “Gordon Parks: 100 Moments,” through May 19; “Eugene Ludins: An American Fantastist,” through May 12; “Seneca Ray Stoddard: Capturing the Adiron-dacks,” through Feb. 24; “Beneath the City: An Archeological Perspective of Albany,” permanent collections on the 9/11 recovery effort, New York state history and geography, Empire State Plaza, Madison Avenue. Information, 474-5877.

ALBANY INSTITUTE OF ART

“The Making of the Hudson River School: More than the Eye Beholds,” through Aug. 18; “The Legacy of Currier & Ives: Shaping the American Spirit,” through June 15; plus “The Folk Spirit of Albany: Folk Art from the Collec-tion 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, 463-3726.

MISCI

“Seeing,” through June 2; plus “FETCH! Lab” and “Fueling the Future,” ongoing; Nott Terrace Heights, Schenectady. Infor-mation, 382-7890.

SARATOGA AUTOMOBILE MUSEUM

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TANG TEACHING MUSEUM & GALLERY

“Someday is Now: The Art of Corita Kent,” through July 28; “Opener 24: Carrie Moyer,” through May 19; Skid-more College, Saratoga Springs. Infor-mation, 580-8080.

MASS MOCA

“Oh Canada,” through April 1; “Sol Le-Witt: A Wall Drawing Retrospective,” ongoing; plus more; 87 Marshall St., North Adams, Mass. Information, (413) 664-4481.

ARKELL MUSEUM

“Pastoral and Parkland: American Land-scape Paintings,” through March 31; plus “Arkell’s Inspiration: the Marketing of Beech-Nut and Art for the People,” ongo-ing; Canajoharie. Information, 673-2314.

Call for Artists

AJKUN BALLET THEATRE

Seeking dancers from pre-Kindergarten to young teens for its summer residency production of “La Bayadere” at The Egg in Albany, rehearsals begin July 29, 2013 for the Aug. 10 performance date, dancers will have the option to join the full company for its performances the following week in New York City. Infor-mation, www.ajkunbt.org or email Ajkun@aol.com.

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, McClellan Street, Schenectady.

ETUDE CLUB

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

CAPITALAND CHORUS

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

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Group meets four times a year and holds an annual show, promotes and encour-ages the medium of pastel through exhi-bitions, education and comradery in the medium. Information, 793-9350.

DELMAR COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

Openings in the string, horn and percus-sion sections. Information, 813-4299 or e-mail delmarcommunityorchestra@gmail.com.

COLONIE TOWN BAND

Several openings, rehearsals on Mon-days 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 hall, Route 9, Newtonville. Information, 783-2760.

SUBURBAN SOUNDS COMMUNITY CHORUS

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

FRIENDSHIP SINGERS

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

SIENA CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

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THE ORCHESTRA ON THE COMMON

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

ELECTRIC CITY CHORUS

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

Weekly Crossword

Old Songs, New Singers

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30 Roald’s Barbie?
32 Infer
33 Abscond
34 Adage
36 Firearms lobby, briefly
37 Unsteady
40 Directed
43 Stray
44 Bribe
46 Singer Falana
47 Confine
50 Helmut’s drink of choice?

- 54 Sotto voce comment
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57 Psychic’s forte
59 Apiece
61 Hosp. test
62 Mort’s sports wrap-up?
67 Playwright Simon
68 Aleutian island
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70 Seizes
71 Some votes
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2 Enrico’s lament
3 NY summer time
4 Adorn
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6 Islamic rulers
7 Assistance
8 Spruce
9 Group of four
10 Letters for Elizabeth II
11 Parisian friend
12 Existed
13 Pitchers

- 17 Impedes
18 Beget
23 Cant
25 Bridge coup
27 Carl’s secret of suc-cess?
28 Land measure
29 Leader
31 Born: Fr.
35 Actor Eli
37 Anatomical tissue
38 Goddess of discord
39 Joining bar
41 Female pol. bloc
42 Too bad!
45 Cornmeal mush
48 Standards of excel-lence
49 Stage and TV enter-tainer
51 Break in continuity
52 Like a desert
53 Star in Orion
58 Game maneuver
60 Receive audibly
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63 One kind of party
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Town backs off on SAFE Act plan

In letter, board states support but will not pursue resolution

By MARCY VELTE
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The Bethlehem Town Board is no longer pursuing a resolution stating its support for the SAFE Act, as officials say it would be a distraction from local issues.

"We received some emails and calls from residents on both sides of the issue," said Supervisor John Clarkson. "We now feel the topic might detract from town business and we, as town officials, are elected to oversee issues within the Town of Bethlehem."

Councilman Jeffrey Kuhn had originally proposed the measure at the Wednesday, Feb. 27, Town Board meeting. The resolution stated the town support for the state's newly enacted Secure Ammunition and Firearms Enforcement Act.

Although a majority of the board was in favor of the resolution, some residents were strongly opposed to the motion and there should have been more time for them to weigh in. The proposal was brought up during the "new business" portion of the meeting and was not on the agenda.

On Thursday, March 7, a letter to the editor was submitted to The Spotlight signed by Kuhn, Councilman Kyle Kotary, Councilman Bill Reinhardt and Clarkson, which said the board would no longer pursue the resolution because members did "not wish to distract" from important town business."

The four Town Board members also wrote while there is support on the board for the SAFE Act, they "acknowledge that there are also many in our town who are strongly opposed to some or all of its provisions."

Kuhn said he had proposed the resolution in response to efforts across the state to get local municipalities to pass resolutions opposing the law, as well as a protest being held at the Capitol. He said he felt those in favor of the SAFE Act should also speak out.

Resident Linda Jasinski had asked during the public comment section that the board pass a resolution in opposition of the SAFE Act, "if for no other reason than the way it had been passed."

At the Feb. 27 meeting, Reinhardt was in favor of passing the resolution, Clarkson said he agreed with the idea but also felt residents should have more time to voice their opinions on the matter, Kotary did not speak for or against the resolution and Councilwoman Joann Dawson said she felt the law was not something the board should take a stance on at all.

The board had planned to take the issue up again at its next meeting on Wednesday, March 13.

"We strongly support the SAFE Act, stand in solidarity with those who enacted it, and certainly do not support its repeal," the letter from the board members read. "However, we also do not see the advantage in a protracted discussion at the town level on the details of the act."

SAFE

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input from outside of the Capitol.

"We were never given a chance, at least the sheriffs in the state, to participate in the debate for or against it because there really wasn't any," Apple said. "I certainly want provisions of this law repealed."

The New York State Sheriffs' Association previously voiced similar concerns over not being included in discussions

and suggested portions of the law be amended or clarified.

"Any time government decides it is necessary or desirable to nibble around the edges of a Constitutional right that it should only be done with caution and with great respect for the Constitutional boundaries," read a statement previously released by the Sheriffs' Association. "And it should only be done if the benefit to be gained is so great and certain that it far outweighs the damage done by the constriction of individual liberty. While many of the

provisions of this bill have surface appeal, it is far from certain that all, or even many, of them will have any significant effect in reducing gun violence, which is the presumed goal of all of us."

Apple didn't explicitly call the law unconstitutional, but claimed it infringes on the right to bear arms.

"I think it does in fact start to encroach on our second amendment," Apple said.

Other local law enforcement officers had opinions that varied

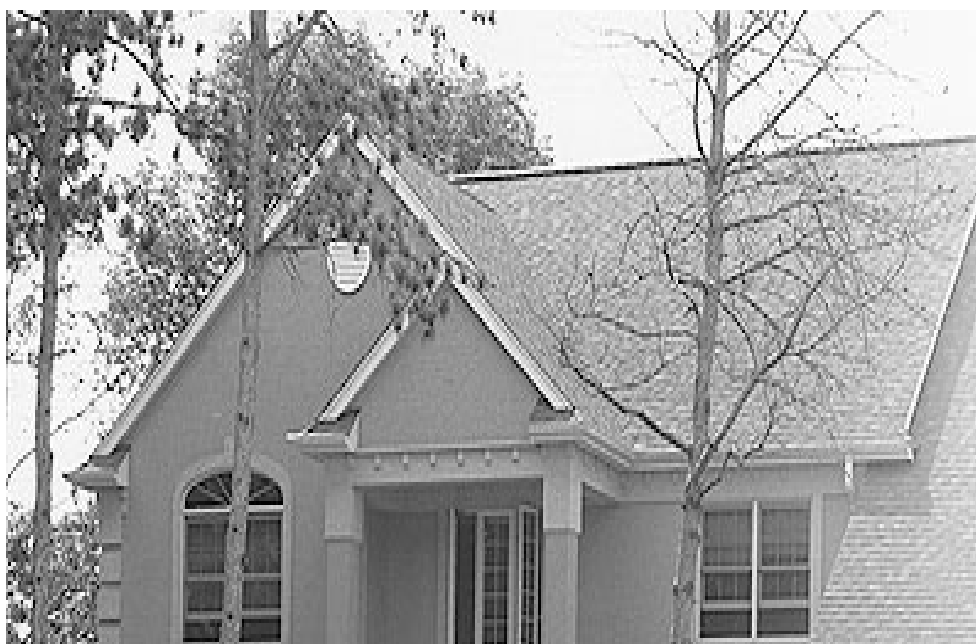
from that of Apple, who holds an elected office. Bethlehem Police Chief Louis Corsi acknowledged the controversy over the law, but declined to share his opinion and thus get involved in the politics of it.

"From a law enforcement perspective, at the end of the day we are charged with enforcing the law ... and that is what we intend to do," Corsi said. "My personal opinion on this has no bearing at all."

Colonie Police Chief Steven Heider said he

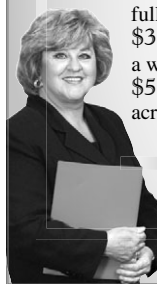
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Notice of Formation Reign Energy Services LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 10/26/2012 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o the LLC, 125 Wolf Rd, Suite 306, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: all lawful activities. 85836 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION IN NEW YORK BY A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Name: No Limits Fitness, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY(SOS) on 2/1/13. Office location: Albany County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to 301 Elm Avenue, Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. 85838 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LOIS A SHAPIRO PHD PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES PLLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 01/07/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to theP NY, LLC: 77 Marsdale Street, Albany, NY, 12208. Purpose: Psychology. 85909 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of MIGHTY RECRUITING, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/1/13. 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. 85912 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 90-75 179TH ST, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/24/13. 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,

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NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 85914 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Vio Air LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 1/23/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 6 Jetway Dr., Albany, NY 12211. Purpose: any lawful activities. 85916 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Elite Motors of Voorheesville, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 1/29/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 19 Drywall Ln., Unit 1, Voorheesville, NY 12186. Purpose: any lawful activities. 85917 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF METRO CITY RENTALS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/8/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 610 W.150 St., NY, NY 10031. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85926 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF BGGJ LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/15/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 17 E.84 St. #3A, NY, NY 10028. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85927 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of EVOKE SCENT MEMORY, LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/4/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 229 Chrystie St. #1211, NY, NY 10002. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85928 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of PETER REAGAN LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/4/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 30 EAST Hartsdale Ave., Hartsdale, NY 10530. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85929 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of SUNTECT LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/9/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 176 Seeley St. #3F, Bklyn, NY 11218. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85930 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF VERSA H.I.M. SOLUTIONS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/11/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 839 Throggs Neck Expy., Bronx, NY 10465. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85931 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of AMORONDE, LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/16/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 515 W.52 St. #20H, NY, NY 10019. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85932 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of XNO LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/16/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 55 W.11 St. #3A, NY, NY 10011. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85933 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of SCHERMERHORN PARKING LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/16/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 54 Diamond St., Bklyn, NY 11222. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85934 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of AQUIDNECK FILMS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/22/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 5 Clubhouse Rd. Ext., Tuxedo Pk., NY 10987. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85935 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of CHRISTOPHER MILES LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/22/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 507 Grand St. #3, Bklyn, NY 11211. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 85936 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of JIM ANNESH PHOTOGRAPHY, LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/31/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to 116 Pinehurst Ave. #R-21, NY, NY 10033. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 86094 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of formation of One Bethlehem Court LLC, a domestic limited liability company, the purpose of which is to engage in any lawful

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activity. Articles of Org. were filed with NY Secretary of State ("NYSS") on September 14, 2012. Offices are located in Albany County. NYSS is designated as agent upon whom process may be served. NYSS shall mail service of process to One Bethlehem Court LLC, c/o Elisabeth Ruthman, 14 Aspen Heights, Slingerlands, NY 12159. The latest date of dissolution shall be December 31, 2062. 86097 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of NINAMARIE LUCCHINI, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/5/13. 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. 86098 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of IMLJ TRADING LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/5/13. 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. 86099 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of LUCKY STAR CBB LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/6/13. 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. 86100 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of BAP 149-34 LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/7/13. 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. 86101 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of BAP 149-36 LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/6/13. 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. 86102 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of HARDWARE 101 LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/7/13. 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

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Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 86106 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Qualification of E2 Energy Services, LLC. App. for Auth. filed Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/5/13. Off. loc.: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 12/14/12. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, the registered agent upon whom process may be served. DE address of LLC: The Corporation Trust Company, 1209 Orange St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Arts. of Org. filed DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: all lawful purposes. 86107 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of BRUNETTI MEDIA LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/11/13. 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. 86115 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of 327 DEER PARK ROAD LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/11/13. 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. 86116 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of 255 SMITH STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/12/13. 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. 86118 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of 70 DOUGLASS STREET LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/12/13. 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. 86119 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation Patricia Hunter PSY.D. PLLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 2/12/2013. 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. 86122 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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understands the emotional response some gun owners have towards the law, but believes there are “a lot of great things” within it.

“I am probably one of the most in the middle kind of people, I am not a gun enthusiast and I am not anti-gun either,” Heider said.

Heider said once past emotional issues, people might see the positives to the SAFE Act. He also reaffirmed police officers

wouldn’t go to people’s homes and confiscate weapons newly banned under the law.

“This bill does not create a police state,” Heider said.

Heider, along with Apple and the Sheriffs’ Association, pointed to new reporting requirements for mental health care professionals as a benefit of the law.

The state Conference of Local Mental Hygiene Directors said requiring practitioners to report people who are a dangerous to themselves or others to the local Director of Community Services, a provision that becomes effective

March 16, would overburden mental health offices and would “cost local governments millions of dollars” annually.

Other SAFE Act provisions like strengthening penalties for those who kill first responders, requiring safe storage of firearms and increasing penalties for illegal use of weapons have generally been uncontroversial.

Apple and Heider said some sections of the law are based on good faith, such as limiting magazines to holding seven rounds, and police likely wouldn’t ever discover those violations

unless investigating another charge.

“To take a 10-round magazine and tell people to only put seven rounds in it, come on,” Apple said.

The act also strengthened penalties for crimes like possessing an unloaded illegal gun. Apple suggested penalties for carrying an illegal gun be even tougher, with a mandatory five-year sentence.

Heider said the proliferation of illegal weapons has only increased gun violence because people who want to do bad things can more easily obtain a weapon.

“The unfortunate part is that there are just so many guns available for people that want to do something bad with them and unfortunately, this law does not address that,” Heider said.

In the hilltowns of Albany County, guns aren’t a large concern for law enforcement, Apple said. During the past decade there have been two murders in the hilltowns, with the weapons of choice being a bungee cord in one and cutlery in the other.

“Bad people are always going to do bad things,” Apple said.

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Notice of Formation of NYC SEM LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/12/13. 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. 86123 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of PROJECT FELICIA, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/14/13. 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. 86121 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation Barking at Trees LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 2/19/2013 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o the LLC, 150 Bay Street, Apt 713, Jersey City, NJ 07302. Purpose: all lawful activities. 86124 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AUTHORITY OF GENERAL MATERIALS TRADING COMPANY LIMITED LLC. Application for Authority was filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/12/2013. The LLC was formed in Hanoi, Vietnam on 10/31/2003. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Office location: Albany County. SSNY shall mail process to: 1392 Delaware Tpke., Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: any lawful activity. 86125 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: JABAR W. HANDY-MAN, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 2/13/2013. 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 the process to the LLC c/o Michelle H. Wildgrube, Esq., Cioffi Slezak Wildgrube P.C., 2310 Nott St. E., STE 1, Niskayuna, New York 12309. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 86126 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of GMH Mortgage Services LLC. App. for Auth. filed

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Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/31/13. Off. loc.: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 9/3/08. 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: 1675 South State St., Ste. B, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. 86188 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of WESTSIDE DONUT 42ND STREET VENTURES LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/19/13. 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. 86189 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

HR JASMINE BROADWAY, LLC The name of the Limited Liability Company is HR JASMINE BROADWAY, LLC. The Articles of Organization were filed on January 28, 2013 with the Secretary of State. The Office of the LLC is in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company is to be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail process is: 1670 Western Avenue, Guilderland, NY 12203 The purpose of the business of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which the LLC may be organized under the Limited Liability Law for the State of New York. 86190 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

PROVIDENCE AVENUE ASSOCIATES, LLC The name of the Limited Liability Company is PROVIDENCE AVENUE ASSOCIATES, LLC. The Articles of Organization were filed on February 1, 2013 with the Secretary of State. The Office of the LLC is in Schenectady County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company is to be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail process is: 1675 Providence Avenue, Schenectady, NY 12309 The purpose of the business of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which the LLC may be organized under the Limited Liability Law for the State of New York. 86191 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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NOTICE OF ORGANAZATION OF 28 THATCHER LLC On February 13th, 2013, 28 Thatcher LLC (the “LLC”) filed Articles of Organization with the New York State Department of State. The principal business location of the LLC is c/o 942 Broadway, City and County of Albany, New York. The New York Secretary of State is designated as the agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The Post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him or her to the LLC is c/o 942 Broadway, Albany, New York 12207. The LLC is organized for the purpose of a live music venue. 86199 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company. Name: Berry Pi Services LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 02/05/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, PO Box 816, Glenmont, NY 12077. Purpose: any lawful purpose. 86200 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CORNER BEDFORD REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/20/13. 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. 86201 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 2941 AVE S LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/20/13. 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. 86202 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of GIG PARTNERS, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/20/13. 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. 86203 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of ROOKMIN DEVELOPERS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/21/13. 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. 86204 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SPENCER REALTY MANAGEMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/21/13. 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. 86205 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of 250 Bowery PHB Properties, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/19/13. Off. loc.: Albany County. 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. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. 86207 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation Agent Jade LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 2/20/2013 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. 86208 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Organization of grant group, LLC On February 15, 2013, grant group, LLC (the “LLC”) filed Articles of Organization with the NYS Department of State. The principal business location of the LLC is 20 Turnberry Drive, Slingerlands, Albany County, New York. The New York Secretary of State is designated as the agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him or her to the LLC is 20 Turnberry Drive, Slingerlands, New York. The LLC is organized for the purpose of any lawful business. 86209 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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271 Gin Lane, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 12/7/12. Off. Loc.: Albany

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Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 2 Rector St., Ste. 1202, NY, NY 10006. General Purposes. 86210 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

DZ Realty Second Avenue, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 12/31/12. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 2 Rector St., Ste. 1202, NY, NY 10006. General Purposes. 86029 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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MKB Family, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 12/14/12. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 2 Rector St., Ste. 1202, NY, NY 10006. General Purposes. 86030 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Live Books, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 10/23/12. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 2 Rector St., Ste. 1202, NY, NY 10006. General Purposes. 86211 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Qualification of Atlantic Plant Services, LLC. App. for Auth. filed Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/25/13. Off. loc.: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 6/30/99. 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, 1675 South State St., Ste. B, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. 86212 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of Gold Coast Outfitters, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 02/21/2013. 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, 62 Shore Road, Bayville, NY 11709, Purpose: any lawful act or activity. 86220 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of 73 Crescent Drive, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with the Sect’y of State of NY (SSNY) on 03.01.13. Office location, County of Albany. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall

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mail process to: 426 Pinkster Lane, Slingerlands, New York 12159. Purpose: any lawful act. 86221 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of NATIONAL EVENT COMPANY III, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/10/13. 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. 86225 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of FRANKLIN AVENUE FILMS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 8/10/12. 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. Purpose: all lawful activities. 86226 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: THE DIEVENDORF LAW FIRM PLLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 2/21/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the PLLC, 271 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York 12054. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of law. 86227 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation. Rabid Panda Productions LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 3/1/2013. 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. 86229 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation 40 Broad Street Realty LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 2/27/2013. 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. 86230 (D) (March 13, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SHEFFIELD MANAGEMENT, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 3/1/13. Office location: Al-

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bany 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. Purpose: all lawful activities. 86232 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of Mad-dog Hospitality Group LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec’y of State (SSNY) 1/23/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 55 Edgecomb St., Albany, NY 12209. Purpose: any lawful activities. 86234 (D) (March 13, 2013)

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Parents at the meeting

were concerned about a further reduction to guidance and counseling staff at a time when bullying is considered an issue of concern in schools. Others were afraid money was being put before the education of students.

“We should not be battling with these numbers and dragging down the quality of the future of our society, of our community and of our children,” said Ellen Driscoll, a bus driver

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Albany halts Eagles in final

Experienced Falcons hand Bethlehem its first loss

By ROB JONAS
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Experience trumped youth in last Monday's Section II Class AA girls basketball final at the Times Union Center.

Three Albany players reached double digits in scoring to lead the Lady Falcons to a 64-47 victory over Bethlehem.

Senior guard Emia Willingham-Hurst had 15 points, 13 rebounds, three assists and five steals to help Albany (20-1) win the Sectional title one year after losing to Colonie in the Class AA final.

"That was a big one," said Willingham-Hurst. "It was great to get over (the hump)."

Playing in its first Sectional final since 2009, Bethlehem (20-1) had a difficult time getting into an offensive rhythm. The Lady Eagles made only 27 percent of their shots from the field and turned the ball over 21 times.

"That was us playing a very good team, and we didn't execute as well as we had during most of the season," said Bethlehem coach Matt Bixby.

The key moments came



Bethlehem's Kaylee Rickert tries to knock the ball out of the hands of Albany's Ayanna Hunter during last Monday's Section II Class AA final.
Rob Jonas/Spotlight

in the second quarter. Albany scored the first six points of the period to build a 26-13 lead. Bethlehem countered with a 7-0 run fueled by Erin O'Donnell's three-point play and a pair of free throws, but a basket by Mylah Chandler and a three-pointer from Cara Waterson put the Lady Falcons up 31-20 at halftime.

The theme continued

in the third quarter. Every time Bethlehem bid to get back in the game, Albany would make a bigger run to keep the score one-sided.

"That's a credit to them," said Bixby. "That's what a championship team does."

Ayanna Hunter had 13 points for Albany. Jenna Giacone netted 14 points, and Gabby Giacone added 13 points for Bethlehem.

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much of a transition for me," said Smith.

Smith's first two seasons at UAlbany showed a steady progression. He rushed for 379 yards in his freshman year while running behind starter David McCarty, and he nearly doubled his yardage in his sophomore season as he gained 753 yards in his first campaign as a starter.

Smith said his biggest leap forward came in his junior season when he rushed for 1,092 yards 10 touchdowns to help the Great Danes win the Northeast Conference title

and go to the NCAA FCS tournament.

"I had to change my running style in my junior year," said Smith. "I had to stop being afraid of contact ... and I had to use my size to my advantage."

Smith put up similar rushing statistics in his senior season, as he gained 1,001 yards on 195 attempts. But it was the number of touchdowns he scored that attracted the attention of the NFL.

"Touchdown production was huge, and that's probably what got the attention of the scouts," said Smith.

Between what he did for UAlbany and what he did at the pro day, Smith is hoping he has the resume he needs to get a shot with

an NFL club.

"I know the NFL is a tough business. Hopefully, I can make it in and get my foot in the door," said Smith.

The one thing Smith won't do is hang around for the phone to ring during the NFL Draft next month. He said he isn't counting on hearing his name called on any of the three days the draft takes place.

"Let's be realistic. I'm coming from Albany – not Texas, not USC, not Florida," said Smith. "My expectations going into draft day? To be honest, to be drafted ... would be awesome. But I know a couple of teams have me as a priority free agent. That was my goal from the beginning."

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Eagles fall in Class AA final

Albany used its experience to defeat Bethlehem 64-47 in last Monday's Section II Class AA girls basketball championship game at the Times Union Center. The Lady Eagles finished the season with a 20-1 record.

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First step toward the NFL

Guilderland grad Smith impresses pro scouts with his speed

By ROB JONAS
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Drew Smith took another step toward a career in the National Football League.

The Guilderland High School graduate participated in a pro day last Wednesday at Fordham University and so impressed the NFL scouts in attendance that he was kept behind to run several drills.

"They had me run some routes, and the scouts were all watching me," said Smith. "It was actually kind of nerve wracking, but it was a good sign."

The 6-foot, 2-inch University at Albany senior tailback set himself apart from the pack by running a 4.53-second 40-yard dash.

"I was really kind of nervous about it because they hold that (40-yard dash time) in such high regard," said Smith. "I know they were impressed with it."

After completing several agility drills, Smith was one of two players at the pro day asked by the scouts to stay and show what they could do when asked to run some plays. The scouts liked with what they saw.

"Afterwards, a couple of (NFL) scouts came up to me and said they were hoping to keep me under the radar (on draft day) so they could sign me as a free agent," said Smith.

Smith is hoping be one of a growing number of NCAA Division I Football Championship



Guilderland High School graduate Drew Smith tries to elude a pair of defenders during a University at Albany football game last year. Smith is seeking a chance to take his game to the National Football League following a successful four-year career with the Great Danes. Submitted photo

Subdivision players to make the jump to the NFL – a list that includes reigning Super Bowl most valuable player Joe Flacco of the Baltimore Ravens.

"These (NFL) coaches, they don't look at where you've played. They look at what you can do," said Smith.

Smith has accomplished a lot during his four-year playing career at UAlbany. He's led the

Great Danes in rushing each of the last three years and gained more than 1,000 yards in 2011 and 2012. He was also one of the nation's leaders in touchdowns last season with 19.

"It was a blast. I had a great time," said Smith, who gained 4,721 all-purpose yards and scored 45 touchdowns in his career. "I wasn't sure what to expect coming to Albany. There

are so many kids coming in with you, you don't know if you're going to make it. I was fortunate to come in and given the chance to contribute right away."

A quarterback at Guilderland, Smith switched to tailback in his freshman season – a transition he said wasn't hard to make.

"I was always between those two positions. So, it wasn't that
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Buonaguro didn't get the job done

April 7, 2010

I think Siena will miss a golden opportunity for creating stability with its men's basketball program if it doesn't promote assistant coach Mitch Buonaguro to succeed Fran McCaffery as the Saints head coach.

April 14, 2010

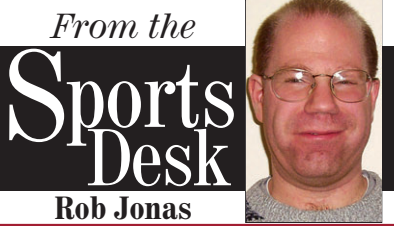
I'm glad Mitch Buonaguro is getting his chance to coach the Siena College men's basketball team. As I said in last week's column, Buonaguro gives the Saints stability. He knows the players and what they're capable of, and the players know Buonaguro and the style of play he'll be implementing.

March 13, 2013

So much for creating stability.

After an 8-24 season – its third consecutive losing campaign – it appears that Buonaguro's days as Siena's head coach may be coming to an end. The embattled coach is slated to meet with Athletic Director John D'Argenio this week, and if past history is any indication of what the Loudonville school is going to do in this situation, Buonaguro is as good as gone. The last two coaches to lose 20 or more games in a season – Bob Beyer and Rob Lanier – were fired after that happened.

Buonaguro had established some good



will among the Siena faithful when the Saints finished with a 14-17 record last year, despite only having seven scholarship players on the court due to injuries. People figured with time and a new recruiting class that Siena was headed for better days in 2012-13.

That good will evaporated quickly this year as Siena lost 13 of its first 15 games on the way to its 8-24 finish. The Saints didn't win a home game until it defeated Canisius 57-54 on Jan. 11. They finished with a 4-10 record at the Times Union Center.

What really bothered Siena fans was how careless the Saints were with the ball. Siena ranked near the bottom of all NCAA Division I teams in total turnovers (490), and the Saints had a -4.3 turnover margin.

Certainly, you can blame the turnovers on the players. But Buonaguro must share in the blame for not getting the players to

correct the problem. A good coach will find a way to fix what isn't working, and Buonaguro didn't do that.

Injuries also played a role in Siena's struggles this season. Rakeem Brookins missed 12 games, while Trenity Burdine was out for nine games and Rob Poole sat out four games. That's 60 percent of Siena's starting lineup missing significant time due to ailments.

Ultimately, though, a college basketball team's performance is a direct reflection of the coach's abilities of directing the on-court results and recruiting the players. It's hard to see Buonaguro as a success when the players he recruited led Siena to a ninth-place finish in the 10-team Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference.

If Buonaguro is allowed to return to Loudonville for the 2013-14 season, he will have to find a way to get his players to improve their level of play. If he isn't allowed to return, that challenge will be left to Buonaguro's successor. Either way, the turnover issue has to be the first priority.

As for Buonaguro, all I can say is I really hoped he could maintain Siena's winning tradition. Unfortunately, he couldn't do it.