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GOP sends supervisor hopeful accusatory letter.

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RCS debuts school's new greenhouse, which will be used to enhance the students' experience in science courses and electives.

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## Dutchmen start rolling

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# Common Core questions

## Education forum focuses on new testing requirements, state mandates

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Students may have already taken the first round of tests using new Common Core standards here in New York, but the debate over the new standardized tests is far from over.

State Sen. Cecilia Tkaczyk, D-Duanesburg, and Assemblywoman Patricia Fahy, D-Albany, organized a forum, "Education at a Crossroads: A

Forum on the Impacts of Testing and Mandates," on Wednesday, June 5, in the Legislative Office Building at the Capitol.

Several representatives from Capital District schools talked about the effects standardized testing has on students and the financial constraints districts are facing when implementing state mandates. Lawmakers from both sides of the aisle were in attendance and questioned educational representatives from students to superintendents.

Tkaczyk said she and Fahy were discussing the "hundreds" of emails

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Gregory Diefenbach, assistant superintendent for business at Voorheesville Central School District, fourth from left, talks about the importance for schools to receive mandate relief. Also pictured, far left, Guilderland Central School District Superintendent Marie Wiles.

John Purcell/Spotlight

## Anniversary makes a splash



Elliott Bergen, an 8-month-old from Delmar, cools down in one of the splash islands at the Elm Avenue Pool Complex on Sunday, June 9. Bethlehem was celebrating the 40th birthday of the complex.

# Pool party

Bethlehem celebrates Elm Avenue Complex's 40th birthday



Steve Phelps, of Delmar, prepares to catch his son, Will, 3, as he takes a big leap into the pool.

How do you celebrate a pool's birthday? With cake, of course!

There was a lot more than a slice of cake for those at the Elm Avenue Pool Complex's 40th birthday party, though. They were treated to a live band, a bouncy house and, of course, full use of the Town of Bethlehem's pool facilities.

Summer was in full swing on Sunday, June 9, as people swam and belly flopped into one of three pools, while younger partygoers romped through the splash island. The pool, which had opened the previous day,

was met with a break in the dreary weather and residents who had awaited its seasonal return.

"It being 40 years, we wanted to something a little more and extra than our normal summer activities, and what better than a birthday party?" said Jason Gallo, assistant

administrator of the town Parks and Recreation Department. "We figured, let's really celebrate 40 years by having all these extra opportunities and a lot of them we tried to find ways where it is not a large cost."

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# Four eye highway position

Primaries brewing on Democratic and Republican lines in Bethlehem

By MARCY VELTE  
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After Bethlehem residents voted down a referendum that would have abolished the office of highway superintendent, four candidates have come forward with hopes of filling the position next year.

The position has been vacant since former Superintendent of Highways Gregg Sagendorph announced he would be retiring in April. The Bethlehem Town Board appointed Public Works Commissioner Erik Deyoe to act as interim highway superintendent until January.

Both the Bethlehem Democratic Committee and the Albany County Independence Party have endorsed Democrat and City of Albany Director of Recycling Frank Zeoli. Resident Brent Meredith, an engineer, intends to primary Zeoli on the Democratic line.

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# Indoor Soccerplex vision coming into focus

Partnership expected to make plans for indoor fields feasible

By MARCY VELTE  
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The Bethlehem Soccer Club's dream to build an indoor soccer facility at its Soccerplex on Wemple Road is becoming a reality through a new partnership.

On Thursday, June 6, the group's new President Jeremy Martelle told parents and club members

about plans for Afrim's Sports to build its indoor soccer venue within the Town of Bethlehem. The information was presented at the club's annual member celebration at Elm Avenue Park.

"Right now, we're in the preliminary stages of design," said Martelle. "We are right now working with the town's zoning and planning boards. We don't anticipate any major issues at this point."

The exact size and design of the facility has

yet to be determined, and depends on what happens during the approval process, said Martelle. It is believed the dome will be similar to the other two Capital District facilities owned by Afrim Nezaj in Malta and Colonie. The current plan calls for the dome to be built in the middle of the club's property, with the four outdoor fields surrounding it.

"Other people have asked me to build in their community," Nezaj told the crowd. "Believe me, you're

not the first, there have been many. But I know Bethlehem can support this facility and I've picked the right place."

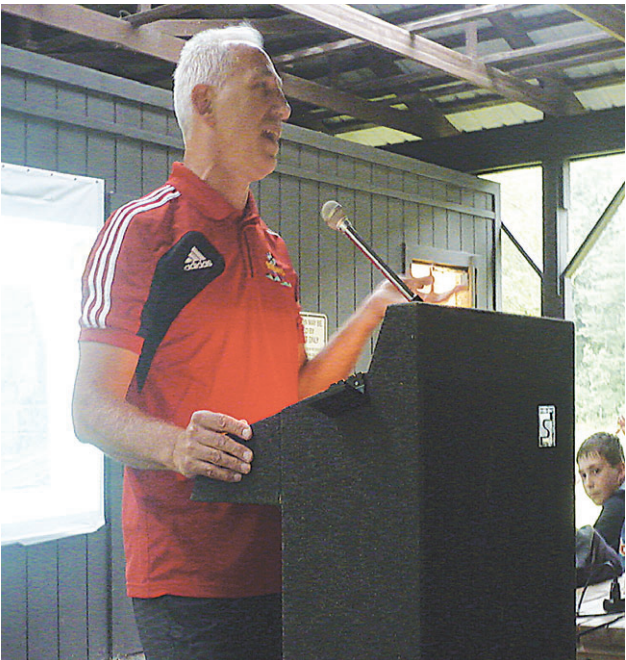
The club presented its first plans for the facility to the Town of Bethlehem in 2009. An updated version of the plan for the then 87,500-square-foot building was next presented to the town's Development Planning Committee that February.

Club officials later retooled the plan in December of 2011 after analyzing costs and the feasibility of the project. The scale-back version was estimated to cost around \$2 million.

Martelle said club officials didn't want to discuss the new cost of the project at this time. The partnership would mean both the club and Afrim would pay for the facility to be built. After construction, day-to-day operations would be left to Afrim with the Bethlehem Soccer Club acting as a landlord.

Nezaj said his main motivation is to teach the sport he loves to a new generation of athletes.

"This is a win-win-win arrangement," Nezaj said. "The club wins with an exceptional facility being



The Bethlehem Soccer Club and Afrim Sports have announced a new partnership to build an indoor soccer dome on Wemple Road.

Marcy Velte/Spotlight

managed professionally. The community wins by having closer access to top-notch facilities year-round. And we win by expanding into a new community."

The Bethlehem Soccer Club has about 750 young participants in the fall season and about 500 in the spring. Martelle said the indoor space has been desperately needed for some time.

Club officials hope

for construction to begin sometime next year.

"This brings our ability to offer soccer programs to a new level," Martelle said. "This will improve the level of play in the club, while increasing interest and hopefully participation at all ages."

The Bethlehem Soccer Club will go before the town's Zoning Board of Appeals seeking a height variance for the project on Wednesday, June 19.

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# RCS opens greenhouse as a teaching tool

**Learning tool eight years in the making**

By MARCY VELTE  
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Since she was a little girl, Casey Young has always been interested in earth and environmental sciences.

The Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk senior said she planned on going to college to study earth science, but until this year there was one thing she lacked – a more hand-on experience with the field of study she loved. Young said she knew the concepts, but wanted to do some experimenting for herself.

“It’s by far easier to learn about the effects you have on your own environment if you see it,” she said.

Now, Young’s getting her chance. On Tuesday, June 4, faculty, students and parents gathered at RCS High School for a dedication ceremony and open house to showcase the school’s new greenhouse. The new facility will be used to help students with a number of classes, including several science courses and electives.

Principal Brian Bailey said he hopes the greenhouse can also be incorporated into other curricula. He said business students might be able to develop a plan to sell items from the greenhouse at



On Tuesday, June 4, faculty, students and parents gathered at RCS High School for a dedication ceremony to showcase the school’s new greenhouse.

school fundraisers, while family and consumer science students may use greenhouse-grown vegetables for cooking. He would also like to see some special education students taking turns caring for the plants.

“We actually retooled the science curriculum to include lessons about the greenhouse several years ago before it was even built,” he said.

Bailey said the greenhouse was purchased through a grant that a staff member applied for eight years ago. The \$10,000 grant paid for most of the materials and the school had the kit to build the greenhouse for several years, but they needed volunteers. They also needed additional funds to install the concrete pad the greenhouse would rest on and to run water

and electricity out to the site. Eventually, another \$11,000 was raised from community members and businesses throughout the Capital District.

There are now 34 juniors and seniors taking an environmental sciences elective at the school. Teacher Erin Roberts said her students are learning to analyze the various components that make up soil to determine which are necessary to be present when growing certain types of plants. They are also learning about germination, hydroponics and how plants reproduce.

“We want the students to really get as much hands-on experience as possible,” said Roberts, who said she hopes the lessons her students learn now could someday help them in their future careers. “We want to be able to provide this experience as a new opportunity for kids who haven’t been able to spend time around a greenhouse.”

Young, 17, said she already knows what she learned will help her in her future studies. One of her favorite lessons so far was a soil study about how organic fertilizers affect growth when compared to commercial fertilizer.

“It all has to do with the pH balance and what nutrients are included,” she said. “A slight difference depending on the plant can change everything.”



Seniors Casey Young, 17, and Alaina Dottino, 18, gave tours to visitors to show off the new facility and the work being done by students.

Photos by Marcy Velte/Spotlight

Senior Alina Dottino, 18, said she plans on majoring in environmental sciences in college.

“I’ve always had an interest in helping the world around me and I think this

is a great place to start my education,” she said.

Young said she hopes future students will look into taking the environmental science class because the greenhouse provides a

unique opportunity for those even with a small interest in gardening or plant life.

“I think involvement will grow bit by bit,” she said. “I know I’ve had fun.”



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Man arrested on warrant for threatening mass shooting

**Man allegedly threatened to ‘shoot up’ Monmouth University, kill woman**

Guiderland police arrested a Slingerlands man wanted by police in New Jersey on charges he threatened to kill a woman and shoot up a university.

Police arrested Chad M. Blackman, 23, of 6077 Johnson Road in Slingerlands, at his home on Friday, May 31, on a warrant out of Cliffside Park New Jersey Municipal Court.

The warrant alleges Blackman threatened to kill a woman through the Internet service Skype and called her cell phone 52 times, according to police. He allegedly threatened to perform a mass shooting at Monmouth University by saying he was going to “shoot the place up,” police said.

When the Cliffside

Park Police Department contacted Blackman he allegedly threatened to stab the officer in the throat, according to police reports.

Guiderland police arrested Blackman without incident on the warrant that included charges of making terroristic threats in the third degree and harassment. He was arraigned before Judge John Bailey in town court. He was remanded to Albany County jail without bail and was awaiting extradition from Cliffside police.

Police said Blackman had cuts on his wrist, which he indicated occurred the night before being arrested. Judge Bailey ordered a mental evaluation of Blackman.

**Other arrests**

• Guiderland police arrested Sharayah Linee Cancer, 25, of 635F South Pearl St., Albany, and

charged her with grand larceny in the fourth degree, a felony, on Friday, May 24, at approximately 6:29 p.m. Cancer was transported from Albany County jail on a warrant out of the town court. She was remanded to county jail on bail of \$2,000 cash or \$5,000 bond. She was scheduled to reappear in town court on Thursday, May 30.

• Guiderland police arrested Haider A. Garzon, 30, of 1337 Corbin Hill Road, Solansville, and charged him with felony DWI with a previous conviction, speeding and failing to stay in a single lane on Thursday, May 30, at approximately 3:36 a.m., on Western Avenue. Police said Garzon was traveling 75 in a 40 mph zone. Police then allegedly observed him swerving left and right, crossing the yellow line and white fog line “numerous times.” Police said he had a strong odor of alcohol on his breath and watery,

bloodshot eyes. Garzon allegedly said he thought it was a 55 mph zone and his speedometer “just broke.” When stepping out of his vehicle for sobriety tests he allegedly used the car door to balance himself. Then he slid his left hand down the side of the car for balance and began to sway and leaned on the rear of the car for balance, police said. He allegedly failed several sobriety tests and had a BAC of 0.13 percent. He previously was convicted of DWI in New Paltz in May of 2009. Garzon was scheduled to reappear in Guiderland Town Court on Thursday, June 13.

• Guiderland police arrested Aderia M. Crawfordnunn, 20, of 1043 Heldberg Ave., Schenectady, and charged her with DWI, motor vehicle lights not meeting standards and illegal U-turn on Saturday, May 18, at approximately 3:01 a.m. Police said Crawfordnunn

was traveling east on Western Avenue and was allegedly seen with driving with one headlight. She allegedly made an illegal U-turn near Lehner Road, hit the curb and then stopped on the curb. Police said she was “excited” and had an odor of alcohol on her. Police said she could not locate her license and “took a while to find her registration.” She performed several field sobriety tests before being arrested for DWI.

• Guiderland police arrested Timothy R. Duffield, 43, of Danniemora, and charged him with operation of a motor vehicle under the influence of drugs on Saturday, May 25, at approximately 6:46 p.m., at 1484 Western Ave. Police allegedly found Duffield sleeping in the driver’s seat of a car with the motor running in a parking lot. He woke up when police knocked on his window,

police said, and allegedly had bloodshot eyes, slurred speech and “a confused behavior.” During sobriety tests Duffield allegedly said he was “feeling nervous” and was about to have a seizure. He then reached into his pocket and allegedly pulled out a small “Love Mint” container and abruptly placed a yellow pill into his mouth, police said. Guiderland Emergency Medical Services were called and evaluated him. Duffield said he normally keeps his anti-seizure medication in the container, according to police. Sobriety tests continued and he allegedly failed several conducted. He had no alcohol in his system according to a breath test, police said, but a three-quarters empty bottle of “Tussin DM” was found on the passenger seat. He was released and was scheduled to reappear in Guiderland Town Court on Thursday, June 13.

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# Candidate under fire from own party

**GOP serves supervisor hopeful Jared King with accusatory letter**

By CHARLES WIFF  
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Republican and Bethlehem supervisor hopeful Jared King is on the outs with his own party. Although it's not inconceivable that would be the case when it comes to a committee person challenging a party's endorsed candidate, it is rarely put to paper.

The leadership of the Albany County Republican Committee has sent King what amounts to a cease and desist letter, claiming he has exhibited a history of defamatory action that has come to a head with his recent effort to primary the party's pick for supervisor, Fred DiMaggio.

DiMaggio has stepped down from his position as the Bethlehem GOP Committee chairman to focus on his campaign, and Peter Kermani, the former head of the County Republican Committee, has taken over.

DiMaggio said the committee's troubles with King started long before the past few weeks.

"We repeatedly tried to engage him in a positive way," DiMaggio said. "He has not worked for the collective good of the committee. ... With Jared, it's not the common goals, it's what Jared's goals are."

Counsel to the county

Republican Committee Bryon McKim, who is also a committee member hailing from the City of Albany, composed the letter sent to King. He said he's been aware of the leadership's problems with King for about a year.

McKim said King has made defamatory statements about members of the party, though he did not elaborate on specific charges. He described the letter as an instrument to make it clear King does not speak for the party. He also said King has regularly derailed meetings and made it difficult to get the party's work done.

"Jared has disrupted and hurt the town committee to the point where there's members who don't show up anymore. There are members who have walked out when he's gone on his diatribes and disrupted meetings," he said.

McKim emphasized the committee has not taken steps to remove King from the committee, and that it is not a step under consideration. State law allows for the removal of a committee person "for disloyalty to the party or corruption in office."

King, however, said he think it's obvious this is the opening move in an effort to oust him from the committee.

"They are getting very nasty, and they do not like the idea of me talking about what I call 'love of people Republicanism,' doing stuff that is in the people's interest and

**"Jared has disrupted and hurt the town committee to the point where there's members who don't show up anymore. There are members who have walked out when he's gone on his diatribes and disrupted meetings."**

— Bryon McKim, counsel to the county Republican Committee

not just their personal interest," he said.

He described the county's Republican party as a "cabal" whose leaders routinely cut secret deals with Democrats to lock up elections and secure patronage. He also accused DiMaggio of locking committee persons he disagrees with out of the process and demanding monetary donations from them.

"The Republican voters in this town have to understand how thoroughly corrupt the county party leadership is under Peter Kermani, (County GOP Chairwoman) Rachel Bledi and their puppet, Fred DiMaggio," King said.

The final straw came

last week, McKim said, when King was asked to leave the grounds of the Good Samaritan Village Nursing Home in Delmar as he was gathering signatures for his petition.

Staff at the adult home there said King had been barred from the home last year for approaching residents while walking petitions.

"He was going right into their private rooms and shutting the door. They didn't know him," said administrator Courtney Stricos.

She said unlike an apartment complex, the residents of the facility's Kenwood Manor are in the care of the staff there. Some have dementia or other medical issues.

"For an unknown person to walk into their rooms is inappropriate," Stricos said.

She said last week, King left the premises, but not before arguing with staff over his right to be there.

King said he had indeed been asked to leave while carrying petitions in 2012, but it was not his understanding he was barred from the facility.

"If they don't want me to come back, that's fine. I left a message with that activities director, and I didn't get a response," he said.

As for his petition drive, King said he's received a good response from Republican voters thus far.

## Your Opinion in The Spotlight

### Show respect during the National Anthem

Editor, *The Spotlight*:

I just emailed this to our Bethlehem Central Board of Education. I think our public deserves to know this also.

Last year at the graduation ceremony for the class of 2012, I was dismayed and truthfully disgusted to witness the lack of respect shown when our National Anthem was played.

This behavior was not only by about 30 percent of the persons in the bleachers, but by MOST of those on the platform which included the Superintendent, BOE and administrators. You are the people educating our children. Please set the example.

Proper behavior when the National Anthem is played or

sung is for everyone to face the flag (if one is present) and stand at attention (basically with feet together and back straight), placing the right hand, palm open, over the heart. Remain in this position until the Anthem is completed. Any persons in uniform render a military salute. Veterans in civilian attire may also render the military salute.

I would ask that the Class of 2013 be instructed at their rehearsal as to the proper behavior and that the members on the platform also be informed. Let's show that respect due.

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From the Editor's Desk

June's arrival means paperwork for politicians

If you're a registered member of a political party, there's a chance that in the coming days someone holding up clipboard will walk up to your door, pull you aside at a farmers market or catch you at the shops, and ask for your John Hancock.

It's the annual funfest of designating petitions. Collecting signatures is the way many candidates for office will end up on the ballot, and in local races (like the ones being held this year) it's a battle fought door-to-door in our communities. And it just started.

The process is not exactly intuitive. So what is petitioning all about? Well, it's about deciding who ends up on the ballot. Here's how it works.

Local political parties have already made their nominations through caucusing in recent weeks. But what remains is the petitioning process, when those who were not nominated can get onto the ballot.

Hopefuls may collect signatures from voters registered in their party – this year, they have from June 4 to July 11. If successful, the candidate will appear with any other candidates for that line in a September primary. Voters take part in their own party's primary, and the candidates run in November on the line or lines they won.

Candidates must collect signatures of 5 percent of the active, registered voters in a party, or either 500, 1,000 or 2,000 signatures, depending on the office (whichever of the two categories is smaller).

Collecting signatures can be a tricky business. Suffice it to say every piece of information on a form must be exactly correct – if a single voter's address is written as "Delmar" when the Board of Elections records has it as "Bethlehem," the signature and all other signatures on the petition sheet can be tossed out.

Candidates will likely "walk" their petitions themselves, but many also employ volunteers to carry it on their behalf. Some candidates will pool their efforts with other campaigns and ask voters to sign on to several candidates in one go.

Phew. So, what should voters be sure to remember? Firstly, know that you only give one signature per office – you can't sign for both supervisor candidate A and candidate B. You also can only sign a petition for the party you're enrolled in. Oh, and if you lie about anything and affix your signature to a petition, it could well be considered perjury (Democrats in Troy could tell you a little about that).

But wait, there's more! There's also a thing called an opportunity to ballot. If a candidate gathers up enough signatures, this will open up a write-in position on the September primary ballot next to an endorsed candidate who has no individual primary opponent.

A candidate may then stage a write-in campaign to take the line from the endorsed candidate. As an example, this mechanism allowed Jack Cunningham to wrest the

Working Families Party line from Sam Messina in the 2009 Bethlehem supervisor race.

The period to circulate these opportunity to ballot petitions is June 25 to July 18 this year.

If that doesn't sound like enough paperwork, there's of course more. Most candidates will also form a campaign committee to handle all the matters of money. The candidate or his/her committee must register with the state Board of Elections and then submit campaign finance disclosures at certain intervals. The public can access that information (donations and expenses) through the board's website.

(Candidates who don't spend more than \$1,000 are not required to submit itemized reports. The utility of these public reports is also somewhat dubious; the law requires committees to submit a disclosure report 11 days before an election, and 10 days after. So whatever money changes hands in the days leading up to the election is masked until the votes have already been cast.)

This all means that when you give money to a candidate, that contribution is out there for the world to see. Under state law, anonymous donations must be handed over to the state and placed in the general treasury.

The point is, you have important decisions to make well before the voting booth. We hope this information helps.

The word on the street

What makes the best Father's Day gift?



Debbie Tafilowski, Delmar

"Prepaid gas card."



Russell Shaver, Clarksville

"Probably power tools."



Sean Corcoran, Slingerlands

"Something made by my kids."

Asked Monday, June 10, at Slingerlands ShopRite and Delaware Plaza

What do you think?

Go to spotlightnews.com to take the poll.

Guest opinion

Pass public funding of elections

By LISA BARRON

The author is an activist and Loudonville resident working with moveon.org and has a longtime interest in public campaign funding.

In response to the recent Spotlight editorial concerning New York state corruption scandals, the many coalitions of citizens that support campaign finance reform (with a central focus on public funding of elections) correctly maintain that this is the only way to combat the corrupt system that allows and encouraged the crimes of 27 legislators, arrested, indicted or forced to resign over the past 12 years. This may be just the tip of the "pay-to-play" iceberg, threatening to sink our democracy.

The results of this nonfunctioning system are defunded education, unfair

taxes, an impoverishing minimum wage, continued costly privatization of essential public services and threats to our environmental and personal health from ill-conceived energy extraction plans lacking proper safety evaluations. Think fracking.

Trust in our government continues to evaporate rapidly, accelerated by the lack of accountability and transparency. Large donations by the wealthy and corporations bring them big pay backs, preventing our government from functioning for ordinary people, working instead for those with expensive lobbyists and deep pockets. These nifty investments are rewarded with special rewards, often up by up to 100-to-1.

Public funding of elections is not simply an "interesting idea" but it already works well in Arizona, Maine and Connecticut, as well as in many cities and

towns, for both candidates and voters, allowing those elected to serve and spend time with their constituents rather than dialing for dollars and catering to special interests.

This voluntary participation proposal, working well in New York City, allows candidates raising a certain number of small donations to demonstrate their viability in their own communities, then are given public matching funds (6-to-1) to run in primary and in the general election, if they commit to using no private money, including their own.

This levels the playing field by allowing potential candidates who otherwise qualify but lack money or the time and help, to run for office.

Republicans allied with the crossover Democrats in the NYS Senate are refusing to allow the bill to come to the floor for discussion, despite the support of the governor and its usual passage in the Assembly. In the latest Siena poll 60 percent of New Yorkers want public funding. It works and we need it.

If we want our government back we need to tell the Republicans to allow a democratic process to proceed on this bill and stop their obfuscations and misrepresentations.

This law will save much of now wasted taxpayer money, for only \$2 per voter we will be spared the loss of taxes, the subsidies, exorbitant no-bid contracts, payments to create jobs to corporations that never materialize, and other such outrages and rip-offs.

"Don't go home Without It" was the message of 500 or more demonstrators from all over the state demanding passage of this bill at the Capitol last week.

Let your senator and the governor know public funding of elections should finally happen in New York state.

We have until the June 20 adjournment to convince Republicans and the rebellious "crossover" Dems to pass this law. We are closer than ever to success.

It is a moral issue – and simply, the right thing to do.

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# Kids reading program starting

Young people from preschool through high school can participate in this year's New York State Summer Reading Program at the library. Signup begins Monday, June 17, and is ongoing. Preschoolers (age 3-4) sign up at the library to receive their reading logs. K-12 can sign up either at the library or online at [www.bplkids.org](http://www.bplkids.org) and [www.bplteens.org](http://www.bplteens.org). Readers in grade K-12 keep a personal online reading log that they can take back to school in the fall.

This year's themes, "Dig Into Reading" (preschool-grade 5) and "Beneath the Surface" (grade 6-12) encourage young readers to explore the worlds beyond the words - worlds of ideas, imagery and imagination.

In addition to a full schedule of themed events for all ages, the library welcomes some special guests: author Steve Sheinkin and percussionist/educator Jonathan Duda in July, and the Zucchini Brothers in August. These three programs are part of our ongoing Kids and Friends series made possible by the library Friends. All program details can be found in the July/August edition



of the library newsletter, Footnotes, mailed this week to all households in the Bethlehem Central School District.

### Bookmark contest

The theme this summer is "I Heart My Library Because..." Winners are selected from four age groups, and winning bookmarks are printed on card stock for distribution in the library. Entry forms are available beginning next Monday, June 17, in the library and online at [www.bplkids.org](http://www.bplkids.org) and [www.bplteens.org](http://www.bplteens.org).

### Study hall @ the library

Got exams? Remember that our meeting rooms are open until Tuesday, June 18 for individual and group study. Check the schedule posted at the information desk for days and times.

### Lego Club

Thursday, June 27, 3 p.m. Build things, build friendships! Kids and families.

### Library Centennial Community Party

Saturday, June 29, 2 to

5 p.m. Geurtze BBQ on the Green (rain or shine) with music by "Playing With Fire." Minigolf in the library from 2:15 to 9 p.m. Family film screening 5 and 7 p.m. Call 439-9314 for BBQ ticket information.

### Summer Cinema

Fridays, June 28 through Aug. 30, 2:30 p.m. Experience our upgraded AV system. Bring a blanket and pillow. We'll provide the popcorn. Call 439-9314 for film titles. Families.

### Shark Week

Monday, July 1, 6:30 p.m. Shark cupcakes, shark Bingo, and other toothsome fun. Grade 6-12.

### Dig into pond life

Tuesday, July 2, 7 p.m. Join environmental educator George Steele in a hands-on exploration of pond creatures. Call 439-9314 to sign up. Grade 1-5.

### Evening on the Green: Young At Heart

Wednesday, July 3, 7 p.m. Vocal duo performs popular tunes from many eras. Bring a blanket or lawn chair. Concerts move indoors if it rains.

-Louise Grieco, Public Information Specialist

# Teen summer volunteers wanted

Students entering grade six and up are needed to assist with summer programs. Tasks include helping with craft projects, checking reading lists, crowd management and working with younger kids at programs.

To participate, volunteers must fill out a form on the library website or at the library, have the form signed by a parent and return it to Mrs. Laiosa. For more information, email [joyce.laiosa@voorheesvillelibrary.org](mailto:joyce.laiosa@voorheesvillelibrary.org). Attendance at the orientation meeting on Friday, June 14 at 4 p.m. is mandatory.

### Summer reading registration now open

"Dig Into Reading" is our theme for 2013. Our programs are free and open to all. Young people who join the summer library program keep their minds active and enter school in the fall ready to learn and ready to succeed. Check our library web site for up-to-date information about our programs, reading lists and the many ways to discover the treasures of your library!

Tween Tech Week, July 16-18, offers "Bits, Bytes and Bots for Stop Motion



Animated Movie Making" program.

Caldecott Week, July 22-26, includes a family trivia night competition and a two-day workshop with artist Kyra Teis.

American Girl Doll Party, Aug. 6, includes games, crafts, refreshments, a cookie exchange pictures with your doll and more! Program is for doll owners of all ages.

Flow Circus, Aug. 8, is a family comedy, magic and juggling performance for all ages and followed by a "skill toy" workshop just for tweens and teens.

Registration is required for all of the above programs. Please register early, as they are sure to fill up.

### Ice Cream Social for kids

On Tuesday, June 25, at 6:30 p.m., come enjoy our annual ice cream feast provided by our neighborhood friends at Stewart's Shops.

Dig in to the free ice cream, enjoy a craft project and find "buried treasures" of reading

suggestions. Before long you might be burrowing into a book!

### Thursday Afternoon at the Movies

Join us on Thursday afternoons at 1:30 p.m., in air conditioned comfort as we watch some old, and not so old, classic movies. The movie choice for June 20 is Broadcast News. No registration needed and there is always room for one more.

The next Thursday Afternoon Movie will be Princess Bride, on June 27

### Free painting lessons

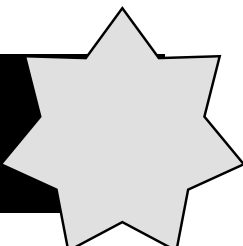
Back by popular demand, artist Doreen Montemeyor will be giving free painting lessons on Mondays in June from 1 to 3 p.m. Vines, flowers, roses...you will be amazed when Doreen shows you how easy it is. No appointments needed, drop-ins welcome!

### Encaustic Painting

Artist Paul Steinkamp will be hosting a talk on Encaustic Painting on Wednesday, June 26.

He is currently showcasing his work in the library gallery. Please stop by, have a cup of coffee and learn about this interesting painting technique.

## Congratulations to all our Advanced Study Award Students!



### Three years above grade level (Math/Reading)

Aakash Iyer  
Aditya Kattuboina  
Albert Qi  
Andrew Eldeiry  
Aneesh Muppidi  
Ashritha Annam  
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Cameron Burdgick  
Chaitanya Pasupuleti  
Megan Thomas  
Nishant Patel  
Pranav Venkataraman  
Priyansh khare  
Sandra Eldeiry  
Satvik Ramineni  
Shrivarsha Jayaprakash  
Sonal Swain  
Suhan Suresh  
Sunitha Kishore



### Two years above grade level (Math/Reading)

Abhinav Gudapati  
Anacapri Ciccone  
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Bryan Chong  
Bryce Chong  
Christopher Ciccone  
Dhanush Busarapu  
Diya Patel  
Gann Detchprohm  
Kennedy Swedick  
Meghana Bhupati  
Mihir Kulkarni  
Monica Eldeiry  
Pratham Khare  
Reuben Thomas  
Sathvika Jothivenkatesan  
Shraeyah Rajeshwaran  
Sidharth Shamshabad  
Tanush Senthilkumar  
Trivika Komatireddy  
Varun Appalaneni

### One year above grade level (Math/Reading)

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Abdullah Noordeen	Hunnan Jafri	Renato Maritato
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Abhishikth Nadella	Isabella Maritato	Roshni Ramesh
Abigail Yakimova	Ishanvi Roy	Satyam Patel
Adithya Balaji	Ishrar Eusha	Savanna Jiang
Aditi Agni	Jeffrey Li	Shahnaila Mahmood
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Akkhil Morkonda	Katherine Lamica	Shamshabad
Alara Crisafulli	Khushi Sumani	Shreeya Gillela
Angie Chen	Krishnadhev	Shreya Devaram
Anushree Sripathy	Jammula	Siah Maslo
Anya Fedorov	Leah Chow	Sindhu Mateti
Arav Singh	Madhura Chettiar	Sivasubramanian
Ashutosh Mittal	Mahsum Jafri	Balamurugan
Avishi Shukla	Maryam Sami	Sohan Pattanaik
Brian Qi	Mirac Ozbay	Srisharanya Rajesh
Dara Weingarten	Nakul Patel	Sriya Ilipilla
Deesha Busarapu	Nicalis Williams	Suhani Iyer
Dhara Patel	Nikash Ravi	Surya Suresh
Ela Yucel	Niki Patel	Susan Mosley
Elizabeth Grace	Pranav Jagannath	Vaishnavi Balaji
		Varsha Yerram

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# Fine free days at the library

Guilderland residents will enjoy fine-free days beginning June 13 through the end of the month. We're doing this because the current parking lot construction may make it difficult to return library materials on time.

## Good news about the parking lot

Work is starting on fixing the library's main parking lot. This project, underwritten by state construction-grant matching funds, will reconfigure the parking lot's entrance to calm traffic, regrade and repave the surface, replace the sidewalks and benches, and create a safer environment for you when you visit the library.

While this is going on, please follow signs directing you to the appropriate entrance door and parking lot. Signs will be prominently posted. Thank you for your understanding as we make the parking lot a little larger and a lot safer!

## Wild About Greens: Featuring Author Nava Atlas

Come to the Guilderland

Public Library at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 15, to learn about one of the best, healthy choices you can make: Incorporate more leafy greens into your diet.

Acclaimed cookbook author Nava Atlas, who's created many titles about vegetarian cooking, will be at the library to discuss great ways to prepare delicious meals using power-packed foods such as kale, arugula, collard greens and spinach. You can taste some yummy samples as well!

There is also an opportunity to purchase Ms. Atlas' latest book, "Wild About Greens," after the program. Learn more about Ms. Atlas at [www.vegkitchen.com/about-nava](http://www.vegkitchen.com/about-nava).

Food Allergy Alert! This program involves food. Please contact us if you have questions.

To attend, please register by calling 456-2400, ext. 2.

## It's a bird! It's a plane! It's a movie at GPL!

The "Man of Steel," the 1978 movie version, anyway, makes his cinematic premiere at the Guilderland Public Library on Thursday, June 13, at

GUILDERLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY  
[www.guilpl.org](http://www.guilpl.org)

6 pm.

The planet Krypton is doomed and Jor-El (Marlon Brando!) sends his infant son (who grows up to be Christopher Reeve as superman) to safety on a distant planet (Earth) where superman develops extraordinary powers that he hides (quite successfully as the charming but bumbling reporter Clark Kent) from the mortals around him.

Watch for Gene Hackman's performance; he plays one of the funniest, campiest evil-villains you will ever see. Jackie Cooper excels as the gruff but kind-hearted newspaper editor and Margot Kidder is an over-the-top Lois Lane.

## Photography: CSI

Guilderland Police Officer Brian Leach will talk about Forensic Photography at the Guilderland Public Library on Thursday, June 20, at 7 p.m.

Office Leach is an Investigator in GPD's Criminal Investigation Unit. His duties include forensic processing of crime scenes, including

photography, investigation of major cases, maintaining the evidence room for the department and custodian of warrants. He also provides investigative support to the Patrol Division. He is also an accident investigator and teaches accident investigation in the Law Enforcement Academy.

In short, Officer Leach will give you a fascinating look at specialized uses of photography in police investigations.

This program is part of the library's monthly Digital Photo Forum, during which area photographers gather to discuss work they are doing and to share information about how to improve their work. This is an open forum. You're invited to bring your work to share and also your questions.

The Guilderland Public Library is located at 2228 Western Avenue, Guilderland. Visit the Library's website at [www.guilpl.org](http://www.guilpl.org). Check out the "unofficial" Library stuff at [facebook.com/Guilderland.Library](http://facebook.com/Guilderland.Library). Follow the library on Twitter @GuilderlandLib.

# New library group forming

Love your library? Join a new group forming to support the library. An organizational meeting for the new Friends of the Library will be held on June 25, at the library, beginning at 7 p.m.

Timothy Burke, Executive Director of the Upper Hudson Library System, will attend the meeting and provide perspective from the Library System.

## Meeting space available at the library

Nonprofit organizations can reserve the Community Room for meetings that take place during library hours. There is a policy form which spells out what's available and what restrictions must be accepted.

Call the library for further information.

## Register for June computer classes

June computer classes focus on getting what you want from your computer. Whether for work or play, let your computer make things easier!

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.

## RCS COMMUNITY LIBRARY

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- What is Excel? Intro to Spreadsheets

Introduces the basic features of Microsoft Excel, a computer spreadsheet program that can help you keep track of your expenses, grades, contacts, etc. at home or at work. Practice entering and editing data, formatting and using basic formulas.

Wednesday, June 12, at 11 a.m. or Thursday, June 13, at 6:30 p.m.

- Photo Editing with Free Google Picassa

You've taken the pictures, now learn how to save and edit on your computer. Come and learn to make a short slide show with a few of your favorite photos. Practice getting images from the internet and inserting photos into Word documents or emails. Please bring your digital camera and its downloading cable.

Wednesday, June 19, at 11 a.m. or Thursday, June 20, at 6:30 p.m.

- Pandora, Spotify? Learn About Free Internet Radio Stations

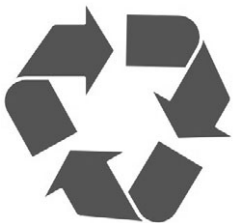
Got Internet? Then you can listen to an unlimited amount of free music like new top 40 hits, classics and outrageous indie tunes. See the wide variety of options with safe, reliable services like Pandora, Spotify, I heart radio and more.

Wednesday, June 26, at 11 a.m. or Thursday, June 27, at 6:30 p.m.

Registration is required. Call 756-2053 or email from [info@rcscommunitylibrary.org](mailto:info@rcscommunitylibrary.org) to register.

## What's New? New Movies On DVD

"Cloud Atlas," "The Guilt Trip," "In the Hive," "Lego: Batman the Movie," "Max & Ruby: Max's Blast Off," "Pokemon Black & White," "Set 4," "Nobodys Fool," "Ruby Sparks," "Silver Linings," "Stand Up Guys."



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# Free Yellow Dot program for seniors

A Yellow Dot decal in the driver's side rear window alerts first responders that vital medical attention is stored in the glove compartment. This is a free program sponsored by the NYS Sheriffs' Association. To request a Yellow Dot kit, stop in the Senior Office or go to [www.nysheriffs.org/yellowdot](http://www.nysheriffs.org/yellowdot).

## Tuesday luncheon program

Every Tuesday at 11:30 a.m., seniors over 50 gather to have lunch together in our Town Hall Board Room. Participants may order the featured hot meal listed on the calendar 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 only \$3. Some decide to bring their own lunch, which is also fine. Following the lunch, many seniors play bingo, board games, shoot a game of pool or simply converse with friends. Please think about joining our Tuesday family. Transportation available.

## Movie of the Month: "Quartet"

Thursday, June 27, at 10:30 a.m. in the Town Hall Courtroom. "The plot takes place in Beecham House, a retirement home for gifted musicians, patterned after the real-life Casa di Riposo per Musicisti founded by Giuseppe Verdi. All the guests in the retirement home continue to be engaged in their former profession in one way or the other, which gives place to lots of amusing times in the home, but also some rivalries amongst the musicians. Finances threaten closure of the home but proceeds from a yearly gala concert on Verdi's birthday hold hope for a continuation of the place." Cast: Maggie Smith, Tom Courtenay, Billy Connolly. Rated: PG-13; 1 hr. 37 min. Please sign up by June 20.

## Volunteers needed

On June 3, Albany County Dept. for Aging, in partnership with Father Peter Young's Organization, will begin delivering over 200 meals a day to seniors residing in Albany County. Volunteers are needed to assist with meal deliveries to eligible seniors. If interested, please contact Keri O'Brien at 463-1121, x. 266, or e-mail [keri.obrien@pyhit.org](mailto:keri.obrien@pyhit.org)

## Guilderland area AARP Chapter 980

Meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 1 p.m. Location:

## Town of Guilderland SENIOR CALENDAR

Christ the King Church, Sumter Ave. Park in the back parking lot, enter double doors, and go left down the hallway to the Chapel Room.

### Monday, June 17

Scheduled Shopping  
No Aerobics  
No Strong Bones +  
No Senior Fitness  
1:30 Strong Bones +

### Tuesday, June 18

9 a.m. Strong Bones +  
10:45 to Noon Blood Pressure Screening  
11:30 a.m. Luncheon Savory Meatloaf or Cold Plate  
12:30 p.m. Bingo/Games/Billiards

### Wednesday, June 19

Scheduled Shopping  
9 a.m. Cardio Circuit  
10:30 a.m. Strong Bones +  
10:30 a.m. Sr Fitness  
1 p.m. Needlecraft  
1:30 p.m. Strong Bones +

### Thursday, June 20

Scheduled Shopping  
9 a.m. Strong Bones +  
9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Scheduled Medicaid & Legal Appts.  
10 to Noon Scheduled Food Stamp Appts  
10:30 a.m. Men's Trip to Albany  
12:30 p.m. Mahjongg  
1 p.m. Pinochle

### Friday, June 21

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

# Bethlehem YMCA installing Sport Court

One of the largest capital projects at the Bethlehem YMCA since its construction will take place this month when a state-of-the-art sport court surface is installed in the Y's ice rink. The multi-sport surface will be the only one in the Capital Region and the first of its kind in Northeast New York.

"One of the most frequently asked questions is what do we do with our ice rink during the summer," Bethlehem YMCA Executive Director Derek Martin, said. "The sport court is the answer. This unique, state-of-the-art surface opens up a world of new opportunities for local teams, athletes and schools to play and practice indoors."

The sport court is comprised of more than 47,000 individual, modular tiles that are assembled on top of the concrete floor when the ice is removed from the rink in the spring. The seamless surface mimics many types of playing surfaces from basketball courts to soccer fields. The tiles are incredibly durable and even bulletproof.

"We hear from many people who can't find places to play sports in our area, they have to reserve space late at night or travel out of the area," Martin said. "There is a great demand for real competition space and, with the new sport court, the Bethlehem Y is prepared to help meet that demand."

Around the country, sport courts are gaining popularity, from simple, backyard play areas for kids, to the massive,



200 foot-long, ice-blue, playing surface that will be installed at the Bethlehem Y. Sports courts have been used in many large-scale events including the NCAA Final Four, USA Volleyball tournaments, even at sporting exhibitions at the White House.

"We envision using the sport court for indoor hockey, soccer and lacrosse, basketball tournaments, even baseball or softball," Martin said. "We have already heard from some local sports leagues that want to play on the sport court and we will be actively reaching out to others who looking for space to play."

The Bethlehem Y is one of only four YMCA's in the entire country with an ice rink. Having the sport court will enable the Y to make better use of that space in spring, summer and fall, opening up the gym space to be used for more basketball, pickleball, and other activities.

"The sport court is going to have a huge

positive impact on the Bethlehem Y and the entire community," Martin said.

## Y Summer Camp

Spots are still open for the Bethlehem YMCA summer camp, including spots in the new adventure travel camp. This camp is designed for older campers and features several field trips each week, including attending Yankee and Met games.

## Special rate for college students

For students who are home from college for the summer, the Y has a special reduced rate and no joiner fee.

## Men's basketball league

The Bethlehem Y is starting up a summer men's basketball league on Monday evenings. Please stop by the Y front desk to sign up.

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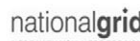
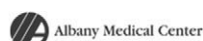
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# Subdivision clears first hurdle

New Scotland planners give preliminary approval for 12-home Biernacki development

By JOHN PURCELL  
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A 12-lot subdivision in New Scotland saw considerably less public protest in its second public hearing before the town's Planning Board, leading the board to move the project forward in the planning process.

Last month's New Scotland Planning Board meeting overflowed into the hallway when residents protested a residential subdivision that would split up a 31.4-acre parcel to make way for 12 homes. Planning Board Chairman Charles Voss decided to keep the public hearing open until the Tuesday, June 4, meeting, but at that meeting concerns about drainage appeared to have been assuaged given the smaller turnout and fewer outspoken opponents.

Parcel owner MJ Biernacki Builders, LLC, received unanimous preliminary plat subdivision approval from the Planning Board Tuesday. The board is scheduled to review the project for final approval

*"We'll have minimal if any impact on groundwater by recharging into the ground."*

— Joe Bianchine,  
of ABD Engineers & Land Surveyors

at its Tuesday, July 2, meeting.

"We left it open because we wanted to provide an opportunity for those who had questions to be able to review the materials," board member Jo Ann Davies said.

Davies led the meeting and said chairman Voss was unable to attend the meeting. Alternate board member Thomas Hart sat in, as well.

Expanded notification of the second public hearing was given to homeowners outside of the initial 500 feet radius required by law. Town Building Inspector Jeremy Cramer said notification was extended along Route 85A to just before Voorheesville High School.

The proposal consists of two lots to the south of Route 85A, with the remaining 10 to the north of the road. Seven lots would face Picard Road and the remaining five would face New Salem Road. There is also a small parcel of land Mike Biernacki

is negotiating with town officials to acquire, which would be added onto lots 2 and 3.

The majority of development would be within an inactive cornfield and the project was scaled down from 15 to the present 12 lots.

Residents had expressed concern the project would negatively affect drainage issues and worsen flooding problems already present.

Joe Bianchine, of ABD Engineers & Land Surveyors and representing the developer, said some minor adjustments were made to address the Planning Board's concerns. He restated the project would actually be reducing run off from the cornfield by 20 to 25 percent.

"By doing infiltration we will actually be reducing the amount of runoff from this site after development than what currently happens now," Bianchine said.

Board member Robert Stapf asked if the land would be able to support more groundwater from stormwater infiltration. Bianchine said the development would not negatively impact groundwater levels.

"We looked for seasonal high groundwater ... so you can tell where the high groundwater reaches at various times of the year," Bianchine said. "We'll have minimal if any impact on groundwater by recharging into the ground."

Even if the Planning Board grants approval to the project it won't be the last step for the developer, because the Planning Board is recommending the Town Board establish a stormwater drainage district for the area.

The recommendation was given largely because it's seen as the simplest method for the town to be reimbursed if any maintenance or other work is performed on drainage systems.

If the Town Board approved the district, homeowners would be billed for work on their tax bills. Without the district, the town would need to bill the homeowner for work performed and seek collection, which the board's attorney Jeffery Baker said would be more likely to lead to legal action.

# Endorsements from third parties roll in

Bethlehem United candidates for Town Board, supervisor backed on I and C lines

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The Albany County Independence and Conservative parties have announced their endorsements for the Town of Bethlehem local elections.

The endorsements were made last week, at the same time as petitions began to be circulated by candidates. For Town Board, the party endorsed Independence Party member Dan Cunningham and Conservative Linda Jasinski. The party's pick for supervisor is Republican Fred DiMaggio.

"We support these candidates first because they are highly capable, but more importantly, they have a proven record of working successfully together and putting community before politics," said Independence Party Chairman Paul Caputo. "They have roots in every corner of the town and each has experience advocating in the interests of the residents."

Caputo said Cunningham is on the Independence Party's executive committee and he feels confident in his abilities. He also said he does not mind that Cunningham interviewed with both the

town's Democratic and Republican parties.

"Many of our candidates interview with other parties and it would be unfair of us to say they could only run on our line," he said. "There's a lot of people who run for selfish reasons. It's a real breath of fresh air to see people run strictly for the betterment of their community. We're really pleased with this slate of candidates."

The Albany County Conservative Party has backed the same candidates for Town Board and supervisor. The endorsements mirror the Republican choices for the candidates on the Bethlehem United coalition.

"We chose these candidates based on their independent viewpoints," said Conservative Chairman Richie Stack. "This effort really came together because of the heavy handedness of Supervisor John Clarkson and his attempt to disenfranchise the people of Bethlehem by taking away their right to vote for their highway superintendent. We felt it was time for a change."

When it comes to the rest of the races, the parties diverged in their choices.

The Independence Party endorsed Democrat Nanci Moquin for town clerk, Democrat Frank Zeoli for superintendent of highways and Democrat Michael James Kelley for town justice.

The Conservative Party has backed Republican Melanie Calzone for town clerk, Independence Party member Terry Ritz for superintendent of highways and Kelley for town justice.

Stack said the Conservative Committee backed Ritz over Zeoli because he's an employee of the town who also had some innovative ideas. He also said he was glad the committee opted to back a Democrat among the selections.

"I've known Jim (Kelley) for a long time and there's no one more qualified or decent," Stack said. "He's a middle-of-the-road Democrat and the kind of person you want in government,"

Caputo said the Independence Party was also pleased with its slate.

"We think they will do good things in Bethlehem and that they have their community at heart," he said.

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## An odyssey to remember

County Executive Dan McCoy recently presented certificates of achievement to Voorheesville seventh grade “Odyssey of the Mind” team which finished ninth out of 64 teams at World Championships in East Lansing, Mich. Pictured from left to right in the front row are Joelle Lisboa, Isabel Jobin Davis, Tori Szesnel, Rachel Crawford and Emma Hampston. In the back row, from left to right, Voorheesville Superintendent Teresa Thayer Snyder, County Executive Daniel P. McCoy, Advisor Jean Mackay and Middle School Principal James Franchini.

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## Stuyvesant Plaza adding parking

**Project will include improvements at small adjacent park**

By JOHN PURCELL  
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Finding a parking spot at Stuyvesant Plaza will be a little easier after 24 parking spaces are added at the shopping center.

The Guilderland Zoning Board of Appeals approved the plans for additional parking on Wednesday, June 5. Twenty-one parking spaces for shoppers and employees and three spaces designated for McKownville Reservoir Park visitors will be built between T.G.I. Friday’s and Route 20. The project will also replace several trash bins near the park with enclosed, energy-efficient trash and recycling compactors.

Stuyvesant Plaza plans to continue working with town officials to enhance the park by planting additional vegetation and installing a small retaining wall.

Vice President of Real Estate for Stuyvesant Plaza Janet Kaplan said the company has worked with town officials to address concerns it and residents raised over the parking proposal.

“The stores are completely filled at the plaza and it has been busy,” she said. “We noticed more and more people at certain times of the day filling up the lot and that was sort of the genesis that we needed more spaces.”

Employees for several years have been asked to park at the back of the shopping center or at its

adjacent Executive Park, Kaplan said.

The town granted an easement in 2009 for the additional parking spots, and the plaza agreed to contribute \$123,000 towards addressing drainage issues at the former reservoir.

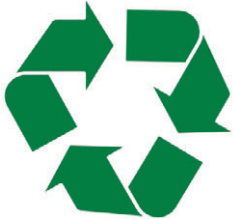
The initial plan had called for more parking spaces than what was ultimately approved and the design was modified so the parking lot was built around trees already present at the site. Modifying the design largely reduced the number of spaces.

“We have a great relationship with the town and we’re delighted to move forward with a plan that will heighten the shopping experience at the plaza and encourage visits to the park,” Kaplan said in a statement. “The combination of parking spaces and visual enhancements will improve access and beautify the area.”

The small park primarily consists of a trail with benches around the former reservoir.

“Most of the visitors to that park walk over, I think,” Kaplan said.

The project is expected to be completed this summer.



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# BC to fill vacancy with appointment

**School board will seek applications to replace Laura Ladd Bierman**

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The Bethlehem Central School District Board of Education has opted to appoint a new member to the school board after Laura Ladd Bierman announced she was submitting her letter of resignation at the end of May.

On Wednesday, June 5, Superintendent Tom Douglas told the board after researching state education law, it was determined the district has the “duty and power to fill the vacancy” as the board sees fit because Bethlehem is a central school district.

“The Board of Education has to look at the specific seat in question and decide on that seat,” said Douglas. “With this happening after the election that poses a unique situation, however it is about the seat, not the election at this point.”

Bierman resigned from her position on the school board at the end of May, following

the vote on the school budget. Bierman said she has been thinking of leaving the school board for a while because of additional responsibilities at her home and work. She delayed the decision to see whether or not the budget would pass.

Douglas said school law stipulates the vacancy could be filled by special election or appointment by a majority vote of the board. In rare cases when a decision could not be made, the BOCES Superintendent or the Commission of Education could be asked to appoint someone.

Douglas said if the board had decided to hold a special election, the district would have to adhere to all general election laws. According to the district’s Chief Business and Financial Officer Judith Kehoe, the cost of holding the vote would be around \$10,000.

Board member Charmaine Wijeyesinghe said she felt spending the money on an election was not appropriate at a time when the district is attempting to cut costs.

“It’s going to be the summer months and people aren’t going

to come,” she said. “I would suggest going the appointment route.”

Board member Caitrin Navarro said she would like to see the board appoint Christine Beck, who came in a close third during the election held two weeks prior.

“She put herself out there, she showed interest and received a substantial number of votes,” Navarro said. “I think the point of the election is for the community to decide and she was within 70 votes of being on this board anyway.”

Wijeyesinghe agreed with Navarro, but said she would be comfortable with whatever the majority of the board decides.

Other board members said additional candidates might be more likely to apply now that there is an open seat and there isn’t fear of taking a position away from a sitting board

member.

Board member Lynn Lenhardt said in similar instances in the past, the board asked for residents to submit applications and to be interviewed.

“I feel that is important to do,” she said. “We always had about 10 to 12 people show interest and it was a very fair process.”

The majority of the board opted to appoint a new board member after seeking applications. Douglas recommended for transparency’s sake, the names of all applicants should be released to the public before a selection is made, but that decision is at the board’s discretion.

The district is now looking for applications from residents who would like to be appointed to the school board. Applications should be submitted to the school board by July 1.

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# Y officially opens new pavilion

**\$490k project years in making, already being used by summer campers**

By MARCY VELTE  
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More than a year after the Bethlehem YMCA broke ground on a new lunch pavilion to accommodate the organization’s summer campers, the structure is complete.

On Thursday, June 6, staff of the Bethlehem YMCA gathered, along with members of the community and benefactors of the pavilion, to celebrate the project finally becoming a reality. Fundraising and planning had begun nearly five years prior.

“This pavilion represents our commitment to the Bethlehem community and the hundreds of children who participate in our camp each year,” said Capital District YMCA President and CEO David Brown at the dedication ceremony.

The 3,200-square-foot pavilion includes an eating area, space for activities, a food service area, bathrooms and a storage

room. A walking path and a utility road from the parking lot will be built in the future. The building also has water, sewer and electrical connections.

The pavilion was completed before camp began in June last year at the 14-acre property located at 900 Delaware Ave. About 150 campers attend the Bethlehem YMCA summer camp per week, and it runs for nine weeks.

Bethlehem YMCA Director Derek Martin said volunteers were doing finishing touches, like the construction of picnic tables, just three days before campers arrived.

“In this case, many hands made for light work, but it certainly didn’t make for light anxiety on my part,” said Martin.

The entire project cost around \$490,000. More than \$250,000 was obtained through grants, with the rest coming from donations. Sen. Neil Breslin, a Bethlehem resident, secured the largest portion of the funds needed. The pavilion was dedicated in his name.

“I’m just so thankful to be even a small part of this,” said Breslin. “I look

at the list of folks who’ve given their own money and their own sweat and efforts to make this a reality, and the fact over 350 kids will get use of it over the summer, it brings me joy.”

Large donations came from the Slingerland family through the Slingerland Foundation, Christopher and Christine Edwards, Woodward Connor Gillies & Seleman Architects and the Standish Foundation.

“Just seeing the kids faces and the fun they’re having is what really hits home about being able to provide this type of facility,” said Don Slingerland. “Not just the pavilion, but all of the Y.”

Martin said the pavilion is part of the Bethlehem branch’s capital campaign. The entire plan also includes the installation of activity fields, a welcome center and a playground. The projects total an additional \$150,000. Those plans will be completed as funds become available.

The pavilion will be used exclusively for YMCA members and those who attend camp, but corporations and the community can rent it out for local functions during



On Thursday, June 6, staff of the Bethlehem YMCA gathered, along with members of the community, to dedicate the facility’s new pavilion.

Photos by Marcy Velte/Spotlight

the off season. Martin also said some exercise classes might use the pavilion on a regular basis for things like yoga instruction.

“When we built this pavilion, the vision was first and foremost for the kids, but it has so many more uses,” said Martin, calling the

pavilion a lasting legacy to the Y’s commitment to Bethlehem. “We do these things to engage our community, and to engage our members.”



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Pool

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The birthday celebration was not the end of the party. A busy schedule of events are planned at the pool, and the next event is a Hawaiian Theme Day on Friday, June 14, concluding with the annual Teen Luau for middle school students.

For four days, starting July 29, kids can get into the Halloween spirit early, because there are themed costume days encouraging them to come dressed up in their favorite costume. Treats will be handed out to costumed kids.

This year will also be the first Duck Pluck Fundraiser, which will see people purchasing a duck for \$5. If it is picked from the pool, they'll win a prize that has been donated by a local business. Funds raised will go towards purchasing pool equipment and supplies.

Gallo said one equipment purchase being eyed is a "funbrella," which is basically a huge umbrella that provides shade for several people.

**"It is just a great place to come and take the kids and see people from town."**

— James Knox, Delmar resident

"It depends on how much money we can raise, but that is one of the things we are targeting," Gallo said. "You can fit families underneath it."

Gallo said the town's pools have been a "centerpiece" of the summer for families over the years. There are even some vintage photos people can look at showing the facility's history.

Splash islands replaced the sand pits more than five years ago. Gallo said they "did a number on the pool filters," because kids would be covered in sand and then jump in the pool. Splash islands now shoot, spray and dump water on kids.

"It is not like the beach where you can just go wash the sand off, the sand actually went somewhere into our filtration



Kids made a splash to kick off the summer, too, in the complex's diving pool.

John Purcell/  
Spotlight

system," he said.

The Elm Avenue Pool Complex building has essentially remained unchanged for 40 years, with repairs and slight renovations made.

James Knox, of Delmar, was with his two daughters and son sitting by the band after getting out of the pool. Knox said he

comes to the pool every year with his kids.

"It is just a great place to come and take the kids and see people from town," Knox said.

Steve Phelps, was standing in the pool as his 3-and-a-half-year-old son, Will, jumped from the pool's edge into his arms. Phelps said coming to the pool makes

for a break from everything around him.

"My wife made me stop doing yard work," he said and laughed. "I left the smartphone at home and the whole nine."

All the summer's events can be viewed on the pool complex's page on the town's website at [www.townofbethlehem.org](http://www.townofbethlehem.org).

Job

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"I've got a few years of proven leadership and hands-on experience," Zeoli said. "There's a lot of things the Highway Department does now

that I've had experience doing while I worked with the Department of General Services. I can bring these things to the table and hit the ground running."

Zeoli has worked for the City of Albany for the past 15 years in a number of positions.

The last four years, he has been the city's director of recycling. Zeoli said he has kept up-to-date on trends in paving, stormwater management and solid waste management. He also would to implement some ideas at the compost facility that

would allow it to make a profit and become more sustainable, he said.

"Good service and safety is my mantra," he said.

Zeoli said he would want to make sure paving stays on a routine schedule and pledged to work closely with Deyoe in an attempt to share employees and equipment.

"I heard some equipment is sitting there unused, so that is something I would like to evaluate," he said.

Meredith has a degree in engineering from Clarkson University. He was a civil and environmental engineer with the federal government for 13 years before moving to Delmar in 2000. Since that time, he has been a stay-at-home dad.

"I wanted to do something to help the community I lived in and the superintendent of highways remains an important job, no matter what your views on how the vote should have gone," he said. "I have the experience and the background needed."

Meredith said he has yet to speak with anyone within the department about what they would like to see changed, but would like to try achieve some of the same efficiencies that were talked about by Town Board members when there was talk of consolidation with the DPW. So far, he is paying for his campaign himself and petitions are being circulated on his behalf through the work of family and friends.

"I think my experience and work with the Navy makes me the most

qualified guy in the Democratic race," he said. "People care about this and I don't think we can rely on someone the party picks who may or may not be qualified."

Meredith interviewed for the endorsement of the Democrats, but was neither nominated nor selected.

Meanwhile, Bethlehem Republicans and county Conservatives have endorsed the town's Coordinator of the Development Planning Committee Terry Ritz. Howard Hyer, a manager within the town's Highway Department, said he plans to primary Ritz on the Republican line.

Ritz, a member of the Independence Party, has worked with the engineering division of the town for the past 27 years and was the previous executive director of the Bethlehem Industrial Development Agency. He has been attending highway superintendent training and finished up with classes in October, he said. For the past four years, he has also been working with highway employees to see where he could improve the department.

"Most of my goals came from current highway staff, and I'm already a familiar face," he said.

Ritz said he would also like to evaluate the department's equipment to see what could be consolidated with other departments. He would also like to eliminate a policy that stipulates when employees have to take their mandatory two-week vacation.

"There's almost a month when the department is at half staff

because of the policy," he said. "It causes paving to be off schedule and pushes back leaf pickup. It's also inconvenient for employees because their scheduled time off might not coincide with when their family and children have off."

Hyer is also a familiar face with highway employees. He has been working with the town's Highway Department for 21 years and has been a foreman for 10. He is now the director of administrative services and fleet management. Hyer said he already works closely with the supervisor and Deyoe, and would also want to create efficiencies between the two departments.

"I've worked with the town on consolidation from the beginning," he said. "I integrated management between the office staff for highway and DPW and I think it's a good goal if it can be done where it works and where it fits."

Hyer said he's looking to make the department more environmentally friendly by cutting back on the use of road salt. He's also interested in looking into bringing some new technology into the department, such as using liquid de-icers.

"I feel like I'm the most experienced," he said. "I believe I have the support of the employees and the former superintendent. He worked with the Town Board for years and I feel I would follow in that mold as well."

Candidates will be collecting petition signatures into July. This year's primary falls on Sept. 10.


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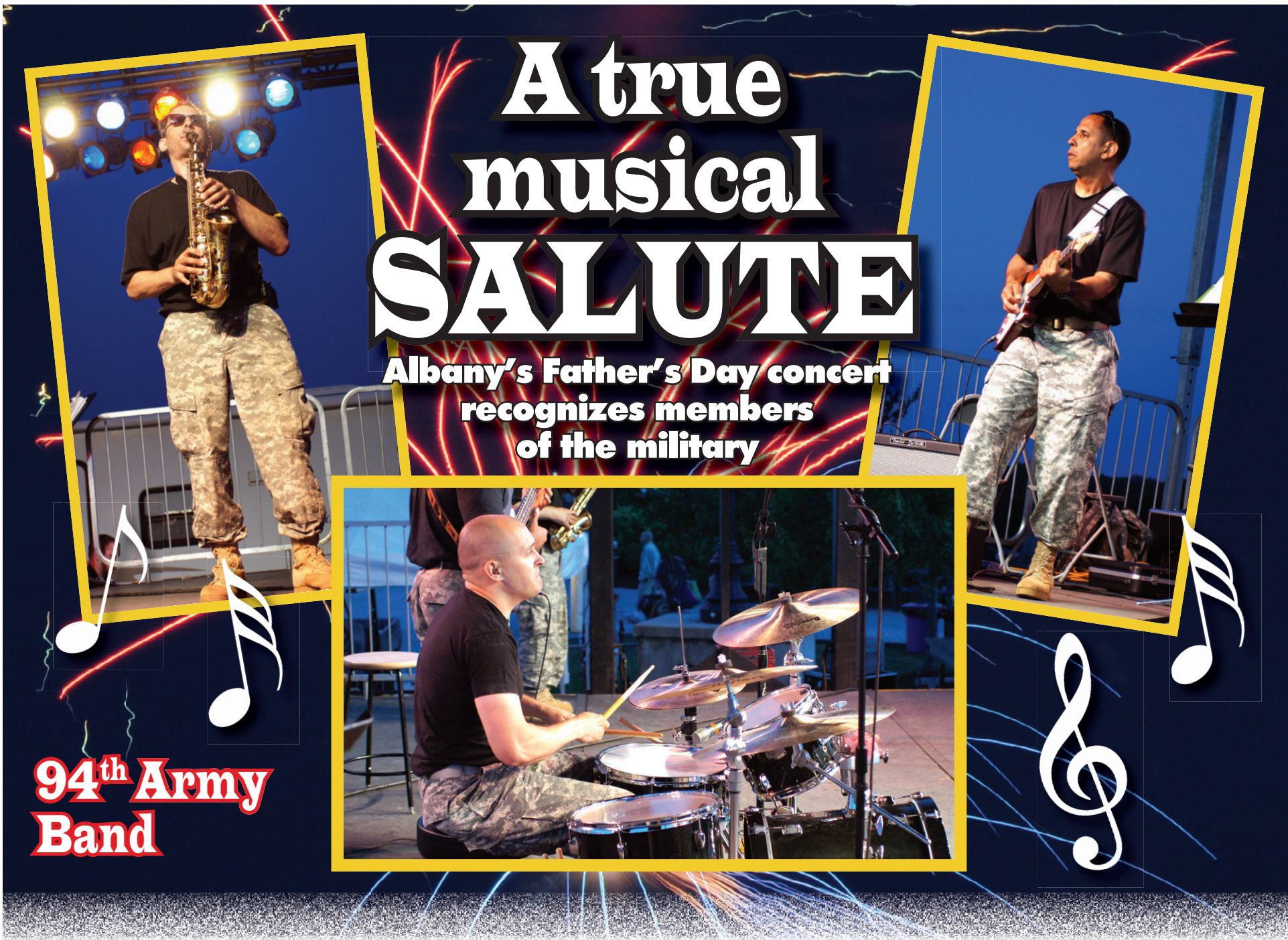
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Entertainment in the Spotlight



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Albany's Father's Day concert recognizes members of the military

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Summer weekends in the Capital District are chock-full of entertainment options, but for Jason Bonafide of the City of

Albany's Office of Special Events, Sunday's Father's Day concert at Albany's Riverfront Park has a component that makes it extra special.

Now in its 11th year, the concert doesn't just celebrates fathers, but also the armed forces. This year, both the United States Army's 238th birthday and the Watervliet Arsenal's 200th year of operation will be recognized. The concert will feature performances by two acclaimed military ensembles: the USO Liberty Bells and the 94th Army Band.

"We switched over to a more military theme a few years ago," Bonafide said. "People who are in the armed forces, or have been, can come out and be recognized."

John Snyder, from the U.S. Army Watervliet Arsenal Public Affairs office, said Father's Day is a great opportunity

to celebrate the community's military members. Bringing military bands to the city, he believes, helps to ensure the community is connected to its military.

"What's great about this community ... at every community event whether it's military related or not, there are veterans there," Snyder said. "This community is rich in military history and rich in service to our country."

The concert, which draws more than 2,000 people to the Albany Riverfront each June, first began in 2003.

For the first eight years, entertainment was provided by the Albany Symphony Orchestra.

Bonafide said repeat visitors are common.

"We have a number of people who call us and say they enjoy the concert every year – it's a tradition for them," he said.

The concert promises a variety of music including Broadway-type songs, traditional military music, pop and rock. The 94th Army Band is made up of

active members of the Army Reserves and the USO Liberty Bells is composed of Broadway and off-Broadway professionals who travel the world performing for servicemen and women, their families and veterans.

Bonafide said the event has a family picnic kind of atmosphere, which ends with a fireworks show over the river.

"It's a very laid back evening – not a gigantic crowd," Bonafide said. He encouraged people to come down with families and friends, bring chairs and blankets and enjoy the evening on the river.

"I think it's a great setting with wonderful music - the kind of music you don't see that often," Bonafide said.

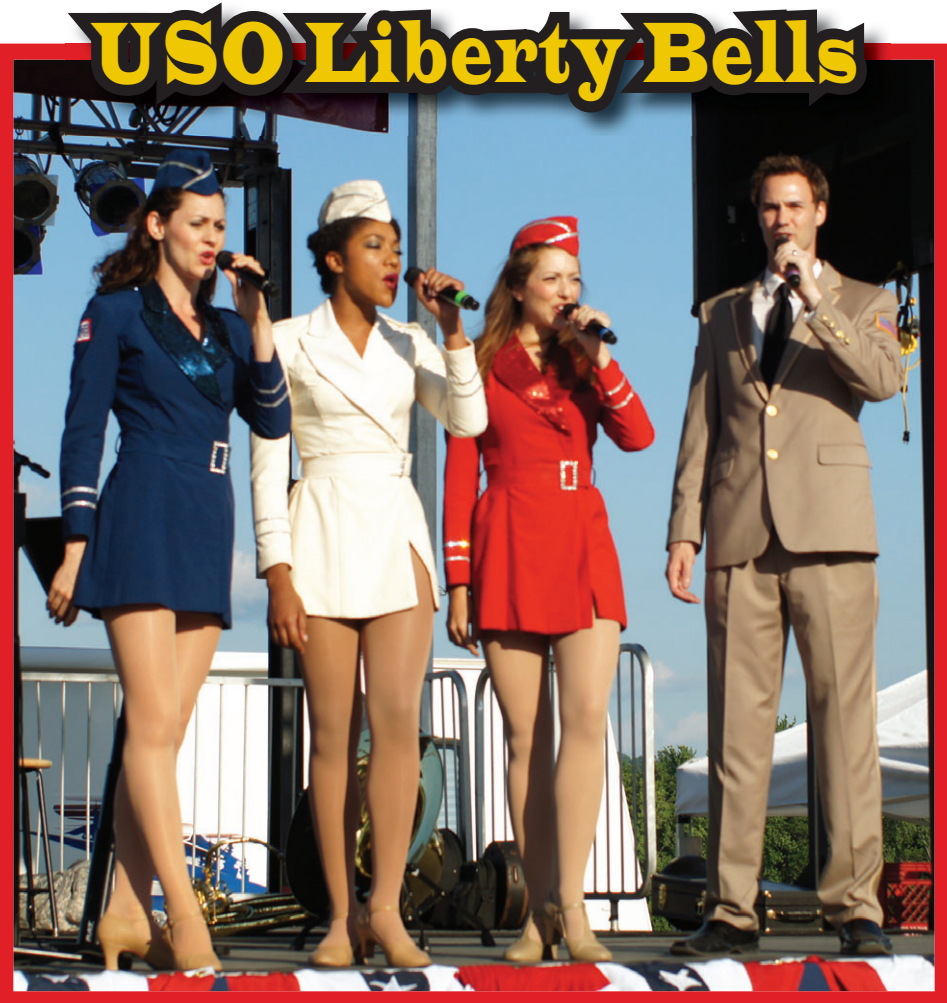
Food and beverage vendors will be available beginning at 6 p.m. The concert kicks off at 7 and ends at 9:30 p.m. at Corning Preserve's Albany Riverfront Park Amphitheatre on Sunday, June 16. Admission is free. The concert will end with a fireworks show over the river. Coolers and chairs are allowed. No glass containers or animals are permitted. For more information, visit [www.albanyevents.org](http://www.albanyevents.org).



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### THE LION IN WINTER

Square One Productions is presenting the dramatic comedy, The Lion In Winter by James Goldman, directed by Charity Buckbee. The Lion In Winter is a 1966 play depicting the personal and political conflicts of Henry II of England, his wife Eleanor of Aquitaine, their children and their guests during Christmas. Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Avenue, Albany. June 14, 15, 21, 22 at 8 p.m.; June 16, 23 at 3 p.m. Admission is \$10. 438-5503.

### SUNDAY FOUR POETRY OPEN MIC

On June 23, Dennis Sullican, Mike Burke and Edie Abrams will host an

open poetry mic at the Old Songs Community Arts Center. Come read your poetry to other poets and listeners at 3 p.m. Old Songs Community Arts Center, 37 S. Main Street. Voorheesville, 469-0202.

### THIRD THURSDAY POETRY

Mid-Hudson poet Glenn Werner will read from his work at the Social Justice Center, 33 Central Ave., Albany, June 20, 7:30 p.m. Open mic sign up at 7 p.m. Suggested donation \$3. 482-0262.

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- Patriarch who saw a ladder
- Montenegrin
- Kind of dragon
- Eleve’s place
- Helm heading
- Winsome
- Range job?
- Central Oregon city
- Doing
- Disapproval sound
- With it, you’ve got it made
- \_\_\_ la Cite
- Cabbages and Kings author
- Conns
- Viva \_\_\_
- Savalas role
- Diner’s exercises?
- Way off
- Vinegar companion
- Ontario native
- Source of sour cream?
- Check endorser
- Something \_\_\_ again
- Jog the noggin
- Have a finger in the

- pie
- Philosopher Kierkegaard
- With it, you’ve got it all
- Juliette Low’s org.
- \_\_\_ fixe
- Rocky \_\_\_ ice cream
- It’s a matter of taste
- Scurry
- Anagram of vile
- Not suitable
- Invites
- Valley
- Window box favorite

## DOWN

- Roast dish-out?
- Expletives in Essen
- It catches some sticky fingers
- Cheer
- Beside oneself
- Cape at tip of Florida
- Mountain stat
- Russo, of *Tin Cup*
- Flintstone’s city
- Swamp bird
- It’s curtains for this
- He might play the sticks

- Showy perennial
- Age-proving docs.
- Author Silverstein
- Hear
- 32-card game
- Low-fat protein food
- Kin of 11 Down
- Architect’s fillet
- Watch chains
- “\_\_\_, I saw, ...”
- Where fire jumpers start?
- An age
- Spot for Hingis
- Musician/TV host John \_\_\_
- Modified
- Gets better
- Nessen or Howard
- Dog of Honshu ancestry
- Surfaces
- Treat from the grill
- For them, it’s frosting on the cake
- Edge, with up to
- Hubble find
- Jigger, for one
- How it’s done, for short
- La-di-da
- Wheel of Fortune buy



# Your Community in The Spotlight

## Q.U.I.L.T. Inc. General Meeting

Q.U.I.L.T. Inc. will meet on Friday, June 14, at the Delmar Reformed Church, 386 Delaware Ave. The general meeting starts at 9:45 a.m., and doors open at 9:15 a.m. There is a \$5 visitor donation. There will be a show and share and Quilt Show Viewers Choice on display, so come early with your piece to hang it. A potluck luncheon will follow the meeting. Bring an item based on your last name: A-F salads, G-N desserts and O-Z main dishes. For more information, call 393-2284, or visit [www.quiltinc.org](http://www.quiltinc.org).

## Thacher Park Nature Center June Programs

Thacher Park Nature Center will be hosting several programs during June. Sunday, June 9, at 1 p.m. is “Who’s In My Nest Box?” which is a program introducing children to the basics of nest box monitoring. Children will observe bird activity and check nest material, eggs and possibly hatchings, and record the data. The program is open to all. Size is limited. Pre-registration is required by calling 872-0800.

On Saturday, June 15, at 10 a.m., a StoryWalk program will be featured. Children will walk the Nature Center Trail while stopping for readings of a children’s story along the way. Call 872-0800 to register.

Children have the chance to walk to a bullfrog pond to look for eggs, tadpoles, adult frogs and other wildlife on Saturday, June 22, at 10 a.m. The program is appropriate for all ages. Rubber boots and old sneakers are suggested, as feet will get wet. Call 872-0800 to register.

## Albany County Helps Residents Go Green

The Albany County Soil and Water Conservation District would like to encourage the residents of Albany County and surrounding areas to apply a backyard conservation

practice to their homes in an effort to prevent soil erosion and to promote infiltration of rainwater into the soil profile. By purchasing and installing a rain barrel, you can collect and store rainwater from your roof that would otherwise be diverted into storm drains and streams. A one-inch rainfall on a 1,000-square-foot roof will yield over 620 gallons of water.

The Conservation District currently has 53-gallon terra cotta colored rain barrels available for \$80 a piece. The barrels are made from recycled food grade barrels. Each barrel is drilled, screened, and fitted for catching water straight from the downspout of your house, garage, or shed. The barrels are designed for outdoor use, with overflow connections, a nylon spigot and a drain plug. They can also be linked together for additional capacity. The barrels have screw on lids, and the overflows are designed to fit any standard garden hose to make it easier to redirect the overflow.

For more information on this program, call 518-765-7923 or visit [www.albanycounty.com/swed](http://www.albanycounty.com/swed).

## Guilderland Hosts A Battle of the Bands

The Nervosity Battle of the Bands to Help Stop AIDS will be held at the Guilderland Performing Arts Center in Tawasentha Park from 6 to 10 p.m. on Friday, June 14. Nervosity began in the summer of 2003 to give teens a fun, safe place to celebrate the end of school. In 2006, Nervosity partnered with World Vision to raise money to help stop the AIDS epidemic in Africa. Since 2006, Nervosity has raised over \$15,000. The main event at Nervosity is the Battle of the Bands, and many local bands have had their start playing at the event. Bands are judged on their musical talent, originality, stage presence and overall impression.

The event will be open to all middle and high school students and is free to enter. There will be raffles and games. Proceeds will go toward efforts to stop the AIDS epidemic. For more information, go to [www.nervosity.org](http://www.nervosity.org).



## Guilderland Kumon Honors Students

More than 350 kids and parents together attended the awards ceremony organized by Kumon math and reading learning center of Guilderland at 10 New Karner Road on last Sunday at 2 p.m. The event recognized the kids for their achievements in Math and Reading at Kumon, an after-school learning program which promotes confidence and practice through individualized programs. Notable among students were several kids who have reached Calculus before 9th grade and Algebra by 5th grade.

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## Bethlehem Welcomes Maud and David Easter

Maud and David Easter will discuss their experiences and share their analysis of the current hostilities between the United States and North Korea on Thursday, June 20, from 7 to 8:45 p.m. Maud and David Easter negotiated and participated in the first non-sectarian United States delegation to visit North Korea in 1980. They worked on U.S./Korean policy issues for the American Friends Service Committee while living in Japan, and visited South Korea to document the impact of U.S. support for the then dictatorship. They organized the Committee for a New Korea in 1981 after moving to Albany.

The program will be held at the Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave. There will be time for questions and discussion after the talk. For additional information, call 466-1192.

## YMCA Will Host Annual Triathlon

The Capital District YMCA will host the 13th

Pine Bush Triathlon Sunday, July 14, at 8 a.m. The event involves a 325-yard swim starting at Six Mile/Rensselaer Lake off of Fuller Road, an 11.5-mile bike, and a 3.25-mile run in the City of Albany and Town of Guilderland. Funds raised by the event will be used to help with recreational projects in Albany and Guilderland. The race typically welcomes more than 450 runners. Individuals and teams of three are welcome. Register today at [ACTIVE.com](http://ACTIVE.com). For more information about the race, course description, travel directions and parking, visit [www.cdymca.org](http://www.cdymca.org), or call 518-456-3634.

## WorldQuest Team Trivia

The International Center of the Capital Region would like to extend an invitation to trivia buffs for the first WorldQuest International Trivia Competition for adults on Aug. 1, from 6 to 8:30 p.m. at the Polish Community Center on Washington Ave. Extension. The event will provide an evening of fun competition for adult teams of eight to

compete for trophies and other prizes against other area teams. Categories will include flags and capitals, geography, people in the news, current events, international food and international music. Questions will be given in a multi-choice format.

For teams registerd before June 24 a special pre-event orientation aboard the Dutch Apple will be awarded to the entire team free of charge on Thursday, June 27, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. The cruise will include a wine tasting, sample questions and hints to prepare for the competition. For additional information please contact 708-7608, or email [info@iccralbany.org](mailto:info@iccralbany.org).

## Emergency Awareness Book

Albany County Sheriff Craig D. Apple Sr. announces a pilot program to better inform people of what to do in emergency situations. The initiative involves the distribution of a book titled “Disaster Strikes.” The books contain a message

from Sheriff Apple, local emergency organization contact information, and space for personal notes. This book provides information for readers on family emergency planning; disaster supplies kits; first aid kits; thinking about shelters and more.

“Disaster Strikes” can be obtained at the Albany County Sheriff’s Office at 16 Eagle St., Albany, and the Clarksville Public Safety Building. Individuals or organizations wishing to partner with Apple in further productions of this important publication may do so by sending an e-mail to [contactsheriff@albanycountysheriff.com](mailto:contactsheriff@albanycountysheriff.com).

## 4-H Holds Sports Programs

The Cornell Cooperative Extension Albany County 4-H Shooting Sports Program will be offering an outdoor shooting sports session at the William Rice Extension Building in Voorheesville. The summer session will take place July 10, 17, 24 and 31 from 6 to 8 p.m. Participants must be between 11 and 18 years of age. There is a fee of \$35 for each participant. The deadline to register for this session is Monday, July 1. Participants must pre-register, and registration will be limited. To register or for more information, call Eileen DePaula at 765-3500, or email her at [emd32@cornell.edu](mailto:emd32@cornell.edu). For more information about other 4-H youth development opportunities, contact the Albany County 4-H office at 765-3500.

## Cultural History of Plants

A field study of the natural and cultural history of wildflowers will be conducted at the Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar, on Friday, June 21, at 7 p.m. This program is open to the public free of charge. In the event of inclement weather, the program may be cancelled. Call 475-0291 for more information.

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Please take notice that the limited liability company known as THE PEBBLE EFFECT, LLC has been formed and that its Articles of Organization were filed with the New York State Secretary of State on February 20, 2013. The office of the limited liability company is to be located in Schenectady County and the New York State Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against it served upon him or her is 43 Pinewood Drive, Scotia, New York 12302. The purpose of the business is to engage in any business or any other lawful purpose, act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized. The limited liability company shall continue indefinitely until dissolution by mutual agreement of all members. 87128(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

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Please take notice that the limited liability company known as REX EARTH, LLC has been formed and that its Articles of Organization were filed with the New York State Secretary of State on April 5, 2013. The office of the limited liability company is to be located in Schenectady County and the New York State Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against it served upon him or her is P.O. Box 4027, Schenectady, New York 12304. The purpose of the business is to engage in any business or any other lawful purpose, act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized. The limited liability company shall continue indefinitely until dissolution by mutual agreement of all members. 87129(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of B2B Partners, LLC, Arts of Org. filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on 02/14/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to McNamee, Lochner, Titus & Williams, P.C., 677 Broadway, Albany, New York 12207. Purpose: any lawful activity 87130(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Apple Construction Group LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 5/3/2013 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. 87131(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CREATIVE GENIUS GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/27/08. 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. 87133(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CORSO, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 6/10/03. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may

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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. 87134(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Tusk Funding LLC. Authority filed with NY Dept. of State (SSNY) on 3/1/2013. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in DE on 2/19/2013. SSNY has been designated as agent upon whom process against it may be served. The Post Office address to which the SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC served upon him/her is: 90 State Street STE 700 Office 40 Albany NY 12207. DE addr. of LLC: 16192 Coastal Highway Lewws DE 19958. Certificate of LLC filed with Sec of State of DE located at: 401 Federal St Dover DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. 87135(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CMB Realty Group, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 4/22/13. 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 47 Forts Ferry Rd., Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: any lawful activities. 87136(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Carboo, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 4/19/13. 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 637 Western Ave., Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: any lawful activities. Latest date 1/1/2112. 87137(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qual. of DKB Group Limited Liability Company, with a fictitious name of DKB Agency, LLC, Auth. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 3/22/13. Office loc.: Albany County. LLC org. in NJ 5/16/11. SSNY desig. as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of proc. to 22 Mara Rd., Lake Hiawatha, NJ 07034, the principal office addr. of LLC. Art. of Org. on file: NJ Div. of Revenue, 33 W. State St., Trenton, NJ 08608. Purp.: any lawful activities. 87138(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of HAPPY PILLS CANDY LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/ Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/19/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 99 Washington Ave. #805A, Albany, NY 12210. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 87140(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of IQ Media Group LLC. App. for Auth. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/2/13. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Pennsylvania (PA) on 8/6/10. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Capitol Services, Inc., 1218 Central

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Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205. PA address of LLC: 600 N 2nd St, Ste 401, Harrisburg, PA 17101. Arts. of Org. filed with PA Dept. of State, 401 North St., Room 206, Harrisburg, PA 17120. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. 87210(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of KLMG LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/7/13. 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. 87211(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation String It Up LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 5/8/2013 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. 87212(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of Innovative Audience Acquisition Solutions, LLC. Art of Org. filed with Secy. Of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/30/2013. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to: c/o the LLC, 1053 WTRY Rd. Schenectady, NY 12309. Purpose: To engage in any lawful activity. 87213(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

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Please take notice of the formation of 3127 River Road, LLC, a limited liability corporation authorized to engage in any lawful purpose. 3127 River Road, LLC, is located in Albany County and maintains a postal address of 21 Westchester Drive, Albany, New York 12205. The Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State on January 3, 2013. The Secretary of State is designated as agent for service of process upon 3127 River Road, LLC. 87216(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: 426 NKR LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, May 10, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 8 Stoneridge Drive, Loudonville, NY 12211. 87217(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of COASTAL WELLNESS CENTER, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/8/13. 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. 87218(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of SPOT 20 LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/8/13. 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. 87219(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SPOT 72 LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/8/13. 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. 87220(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SPOT TRIBECA LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/8/13. 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. 87221(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) The name of the LLC is Capital Region Apartments LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on 04/15/2013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. The office of the LLC is to be located in Schenectady County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 8 Jordan Lane, Glenville, NY 12302. 87222(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: Rethink Design, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/27/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 5 Launfal Street, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 87224(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Good Samaritan Senior Housing  
119 Rockefeller Road  
Delmar, NY 12054  
Currently taking sealed bids to replace decks with pressure treated lumber on 36 total apartment units. Bids would include material and all labor. Bids will be received by the Senior Housing Manager, Bruce Deragon by June 15th via email: bderagon@tcln.org or by mail. Any additional questions please call (518) 475-0275. 87342(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Qualification of KIMBERLEY MODEL WORLD-WIDE, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/10/13. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/8/13. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC , 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. DE address of LLC: 3500 S. Dupont Hwy, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. Of Org. filed with the DE Secy. Of State, 401 Federal St. #4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful activity. 87343(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of JULESABEL LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/10/13. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Nevada (NV) on 5/6/13. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC , 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. NV address of LLC: 6100 Neil Rd. #500, Reno, NV 89520. Arts. Of Org. filed with the NV Secy. Of State, 202 N. Carson St., Carson City, NV 89701. Purpose: any lawful activity. 87344(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

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Notice of formation Tartufato LLC Arts. Of Org. filed with SSNY 4/10/2013. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 283 Hudson Ave, Apt. 1, Albany, NY 12210. Purpose: All lawful activities. 87347(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation Rustic Justice LLC Arts. Of Org. filed with SSNY 4/03/2013. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 283 Hudson Ave, Apt. 1, Albany, NY 12210. Purpose: All lawful activities. 87348(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation Rustic Justice Productions LLC Arts. Of Org. filed with SSNY 4/03/2013. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 283 Hudson Ave, Apt. 1, Albany, NY 12210. Purpose: All lawful activities. 87349(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation Rustic Justice Records LLC Arts. Of Org. filed with SSNY 4/03/2013. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 283 Hudson Ave, Apt. 1, Albany, NY 12210. Purpose: All lawful activities. 87350(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of DEE HUTTON, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/10/13. 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. 87354(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)  
Name: Rotterdam Steel, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on May 2, 2013. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to The LLC, 18 Mariaville Road, Schenectady, New York 12306. Purpose: Any lawful business purpose. 87355(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)  
Name: SSC Property Associates LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on May 2, 2013. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to The LLC, 18 Mariaville Road, Schenectady, New York 12306. Purpose: Any lawful business purpose. 87356(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)  
Name: West End Contracting, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on March 25, 2013. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to The LLC, 286 Rector Road, Glenville, New York 12302. Purpose: Any lawful business purpose. 87357(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)  
Name: Mohawk Building Restoration, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on March 25, 2013. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to The LLC, 1865 Chrisler Avenue, Schenectady, New York 12303. Purpose: Any lawful business purpose. 87387(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: 140 STATE STREET PROPERTIES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, May 15, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 302 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12203. 87392(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: 138 STATE STREET PROPERTIES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, May 15, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 302 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12203. 87393(D)  
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(June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: 132 STATE STREET PROPERTIES LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, May 15, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 302 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12203. 87396(D)  
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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Platinum Parcel LLC, Arts of Org. filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on 05/13/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 115 Spyglass Court, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: any lawful activity. 87397(D)  
(June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of BLOCK 865 LOT 300 LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/14/13. 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. 87398(D)  
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Notice of Formation of IFT GROUP LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/14/13. 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. 87399(D)  
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Notice of Formation of BRIPATCH MUSIC/THETRE, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/16/13. 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. 87400(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation GORGES PROPERTIES, LLC. Art. of org. filed Secy. of State NY (SSNY) 5/10/13. Off. loc. in Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, PO Box 8781, Albany, NY 12208. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 87405(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation HOUSE 2 HOMEBUYERS, LLC. Art. of org. filed Secy. of State NY (SSNY) 5/02/13. Off. loc. in Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, PO Box 8781, Albany, NY 12208. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 87406(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of 11 Stone Castle Road, LLC, Arts of Org. filed with NY Secy of State (SSNY) on 05/17/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 26 Main Street, Albany, NY 12204. Purpose: any lawful activity. 87407(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: OLD BRICK RAILROAD, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, May 20, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 33-37 Warehouse Row, Albany, NY 12205. 87408(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: EONIC LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/12/2013. 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 process to the LLC, 283 State Street, Albany, New York 12210. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 87409(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of BHAGAWATI RAIL EUROPE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/17/13. 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. 87426(D) (June 12, 2013)

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SECTION# 206 - FOR FORMAT OF AFFIDAVIT. GALLET REALTY NY LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 5/6/13. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the

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LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 2787 W. Lydius St., Schenectady, NY 12306. General Purposes. 87427(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Name: CAPITAL DISTRICT MOBILE VETERINARY SERVICES, PLLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/08/2013. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the PLLC upon which process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the PLLC, 38 Carstead Drive, Slingerlands, NY 12159. Purpose: For the practice of the profession of veterinary medicine. 87428(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Legal Notice of Formation of LLC. Chemapotheca, LLC (LLC) filed Arts. of Org. with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 05/13/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process may be served and SSNY shall mail process to c/o Harold Meckler, 45 Preston Road, Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: any business permitted under law. 87464(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation Life Love Art LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 5/15/2013 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. 87471(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION IN NEW YORK BY A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Name: Springs Acquisition, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY(SOS) on 5/22/13. Office location: Albany County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to 108 Spy Glass Court, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. 87474(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 1614 STATE ST LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/14/13. The latest date of dissolution is 12/31/2112. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 2079 E. 1st Street, Brooklyn, New York 11223. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 87475(D) (June 12, 2013)

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B Squared Ad Ops Limited Liability Company Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 4/19/2013. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to Brian Slattery, 23 Verdi Blvd., Latham, NY 12110, which is also the

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principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 87476(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of REGO SUBS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/22/13. 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. 87477(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of BOXWOOD CONSTRUCTION LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/22/13. 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. 87478(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of BLINDOM 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. 87479(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: Tig-Werks LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/12/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 20 Fort Vaux Lane Watervliet, NY 12189. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 87480(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Qualification of Red Capital Partners, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/21/13. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Ohio (OH) on 10/31/00. 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. OH address of LLC: Two Miranova Place, 12th Fl., Columbus, OH 43215. Arts. of Org. filed with OH Secy. of State, 180 East Broad St., 16th Fl., Columbus, OH 43215. Purpose: any lawful act or activity. 87481(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of Port Chester Holdings I LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 5/21/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Renatus Group, 200 Railroad Avenue, 3rd Fl., Greenwich, CT 06830. Purpose: any lawful activity. 87482(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Qualification of CORPORATE RESEARCH AND INVESTIGATIONS LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 5/20/13. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Colorado (CO) on 7/21/11. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC , 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. CO address of LLC: 1675 Broadway #1200, Denver, CO 80202. Arts. Of Org. filed with the CO Secy. Of State, 1700 Broadway, Denver, CO 80290. Purpose: any lawful activity. 87483(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of SB BRONX LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/23/13. 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. 87484(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of MARLA PROPERTIES LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/23/13. 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. 87491(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, NAME: DENTAL DEFENSE LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/12/2013. 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 process to the LLC, 88 Willett Street APT 1E, Albany, New York 12210. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 87492(D) (June 12, 2013)

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FILED MAY 16, 2013 Broome County Surrogate's Court STATE OF NEW YORK SURROGATE'S COURT :COUNTY OF BROOME In the Matter of the Probate Proceeding in the Estate of Mildred E. Barnard, Deceased. AMENDED ORDER FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS SCPA 307(3)(a) On reading and filing proof to the satisfaction of the Surrogate that the following persons, whose names and addresses appear below: Col. Edward F. Minch, Jr., Lloyd A. Smith, and Alvin W. Bamard paternal first cousins of the decedent, Mildred E. Barnard, if living, whose whereabouts after due diligence demonstrated are unknown; and if Col. Edward F. Minch, Jr., Lloyd A. Smith, and Alvin W. Bamard paternal first cousins of the decedent, survived the decedent, Mildred E. Barnard, but died subsequently, then to their fiduciaries, assigns and successors in interest of the property of Mildred E. Barnard, deceased, derived from the said Col. Edward F. Minch, Jr., Lloyd A. Smith, and Alvin W. Bamard whose whereabouts after due diligence demonstrated are unknown; and

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unknown; and "John Doe" and "Jane Doe", said names being fictitious and intended to designate any maternal aunts, uncles, or cousins of the decedent, Mildred E. Bamard, if living, whose whereabouts after due diligence demonstrated are unknown; and if "John Doe" and "Jane Doe", said names being fictitious and intended to designate any maternal aunts, uncles, and of the decedent, Mildred E. Bamard survived the decedent and died subsequently, then to their fiduciaries, beneficiaries, assigns and successors in interest of the property of Mildred E. Bamard, deceased, derived from the said "John Doe" and "Jane Doe", said names being fictitious and intended to designate any maternal aunts, uncles, and cousins of the decedent, Mildred E. Barnard, all of whose names and whereabouts, after due diligence demonstrated are unknown; are necessary parties to this proceeding and that they are persons upon whom service of process is authorized pursuant to the Order of the Court; it is ORDERED that the supplemental citation issued in this matter be served upon the said above named person by Publication thereof in The Spotlight, a newspaper published in Albanv. New York, once in each of four successive weeks, the first publication to be made at least 28 days before the return date fixed in said citation. Dated: May 16,2013 Acting Surrogate FILED MAY 16, 2013 Broome County Surrogate's Court SUPPLEMENTAL CITATION THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, By the Grace of God Free and Independent TO: Col. Edward F. Mich, Jr., Lloyd A. Smith, and Alvin W. Bamard paternal first cousins of the decedent, Mildred E. Bamard, if living, whose whereabouts after due diligence demonstrated are unknown; and if Col. Edward F. Minch, Jr., Lloyd A. Smith, and Alvin W. Barnard paternal first cousins of the decedent of the decedent, survived the decedent, Mildred E. Bamard, but died subsequently, then to their fiduciaries, beneficiaries, assigns and successors in interest of the property of Mildred E. Barnard, deceased, derived from the said Col. Edward F. Minch, Jr., Lloyd A. Smith, and Alvin W. Barnard whose whereabouts after due diligence demonstrated are unknown; and "John Doe" and "Jane Doe", said names being fictitious and intended to designate any maternal aunts, uncles, or cousins of the decedent, Mildred E. Barnard, if living, whose whereabouts after due diligence demonstrated are unknown; and if "John Doe" and "Jane Doe", said names being fictitious and intended to designate any maternal aunts, uncles, and of the decedent, Mildred E. Barnard survived the decedent and died subsequently, then to their fiduciaries, beneficiaries, assigns and successors in interest of the property of Mildred E. Barnard, deceased, derived from the said Col. Edward F. Minch, Jr., Lloyd A. Smith, and Alvin W. Barnard whose whereabouts after due diligence demonstrated are unknown; A petition having been duly filed by Marie F. Kalka as the Director of the Broome Countv Office of Management and Budget, whose place of business is at 60 Hawlev Street. Binehamton, NY 13902 YOU ARE HEREBY CITED TO SHOW CAUSE before the Surrogate's Court, Broome County, at Binghamton, New York, on July 15, 2013, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why a decree should not be made in the estate of Mildred Elizabeth Bernard late-

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ly domiciled at 41 Loughlin Road, Lot 58, Kirkwood, NY 13904 admitting to probate a Will dated January 11, 2000, a copy of which is attached, as the Will of Mildred Elizabeth Bernard , deceased, relating to real and personal property, and directing that [X] Letters of Administration cta issue to: Marie F. Kalka as the Director of the Broome County Office of Management and Budget Dated, Attested and Sealed May 16, 2013 HON. MARTIN E. SMITH Rebecca A. Malmquist, Chief Clerk Attorney for Petitioner: Martin J. Kane, Esq. Telephone Number: 607-723-5341 Address: Hinman, Howard & Kattell, 80 Exchange Street, PO Box 5250, Binghamton, NY 13902 NOTE: This citation is served upon you as required by law. You are not required to appear. If you fail to appear it will be assumed you do not object to the relief requested. You have a right to have an attorney appear for you.] 87361(D) (June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

COMMUNITY PROPERTY SERVICES, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 5/29/13. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 28 Clarendon Rd., Albany, NY 12203, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 87495(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation JCW Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist PLLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 5/24/2013. 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. 87498(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation UFS Capital Fund, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 5/24/2013 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. 87499(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Organization of 303 First Street Troy, LLC On May 21, 2013, 303 First Street Troy, LLC (the "LLC") filed Articles of Organization with the NYS Department of State. The principal business location of the LLC is 199 South Allen Street, 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 is 199 South Allen Street, Albany, NY 12208. The LLC is organized for the purpose of any and all lawful business. 87500(D) (June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Name: EC4 Personal Training LLC. Articles of organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on May 13, 2013. Office Location: Schenectady County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall

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mail a copy of the process to the LLC to: EC4 Personal Training LLC, 2364 Curry Road, Apt. 6, Rotterdam, NY 12306. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 87502(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: MAGELLAN DONUTS, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, June 3, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 1676 New Scotland Road, Slingerlands, NY 12159. 87542(D) (June 12, 2013)

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The name of the Limited Liability Company is 4C's CATERING, LLC. The Articles of Organization were filed on 5/9/13 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: 376 Broadway, Schenectady, NY 12305. 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. 87543(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Pursuant to Section 206 of the New York Limited Liability Law a. The name of the Limited Liability Company is 260 ISLAND DRIVE, LLC b. The Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State on May 30, 2013. c. The office of the Limited Liability Company will be located in Albany County. d. The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the Limited Liability Company upon whom process against it may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Limited Liability Company served upon him or her is: 260 ISLAND DRIVE, LLC Richard William Bader 158 Swift Road Voorheesville, NY 12186 e. The Limited Liability Company is formed for any lawful business purpose or purposes. 87545(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Pursuant to Section 206 of the New York Limited Liability Law a. The name of the Limited Liability Company is 2515 BOSTON ST, LLC b. The Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State on May 30, 2013. c. The office of the Limited Liability Company will be located in Albany County. d. The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the Limited Liability Company upon whom process against it may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Limited Liability Company served upon him or her is: 2515 BOSTON ST, LLC Richard William Bader 158 Swift Road Voorheesville, NY 12186 e. The Limited Liability Company is formed for any lawful business purpose or purposes. 87546(D) (June 12, 2013)



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and letters they received from people concerned about the impacts of standardized testing on education programming and student wellbeing.

“We wanted to give the real experts – the superintendents, teachers and students – an opportunity to talk about those issues directly to their legislators and to the public,” Tkaczyk said in a statement. “We spoke with our colleagues from the region – Republican and Democratic – and they enthusiastically agreed to join us.”

Within Tkaczyk’s five-county 46th Senate District is a wide variety of schools districts from “wealthy low-need suburban districts to poor, high-needs rural and urban districts,” she said. A common thread is the concern over increased testing, she said.

Colin Winters, an eighth-grader at O’Rourke Middle School in the Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake School District, said increased testing is negatively affecting his education. The amount of time spent testing and how long the tests take to complete is too much, he said.

Fahy said though 45

states have adopted the Common Core Standards, New York state is only one of two states testing on the new standards this year.

“I worry about the self esteem, not just the stress on children,” Fahy said, “especially when I don’t know a single child ... in some of our highest performing schools that finished some tests that were given this spring.”

Winters recalled the second day of state testing on English language arts when he hit his “breaking point” after becoming increasingly frustrated.

“I wrote comments all over my test hoping that somebody would see them. After I realized no one would see them I wrote a letter to the commissioner of education and before I even knew about this forum,” Winters said. “I am still looking forward to hearing back from him.”

He said the tests “have done harm” and have added “real stress” for students.

Guilderland Central School District Superintendent Marie Wiles said her main request to the State Education Department is to “please slow down.”

Since the testing on the Common Core has already been done, Wiles said student achievement should be reviewed to

determine how tests should be designed for next school year.

Assemblyman James Tedisco, R-Glenville, said he believes there is not enough autonomy for districts when it comes to implementation.

“I think the money would be better and well spent by the school boards, by the administrators,” Tedisco said. “The differences are widespread and the funding needs are different.”

Wiles said Tedisco’s concept is an improvement, because reforms lean towards “one size fits all.” She said the state could define goals while giving districts more ability to determine what is best for its community.

Gregory Diefenbach, assistant superintendent for business at Voorheesville Central School District, stressed more inroads must be made on mandate relief.

“Many of the mandates we are already doing in some fashion, so we are doing it in a redundant way,” Diefenbach said. “They need to be reviewed and in many cases I believe a lot of them can be eliminated, which would save a lot of money.”

Diefenbach said some of the ideas presented by legislators at the forum

were interesting and he is looking forward to continuing the dialogue. He urged lawmakers to simply talk to local school officials on how to tackle problems.

Winters said because of the Common Core, he learned the vocabulary word “bureaucracy” firsthand this year.

“These tests are a bureaucratic solution to a problem that often does not exist and there is no reason to have a solution when there is no problem,” he said. “I feel kids are overworked and stressed out. The last thing my peers and I need is another test.”

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Notice of Formation of Hiland LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 5/13/13. 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 CSC, 80 State St., Albany, NY 12207, the Reg. Agt. upon whom proc. may be served. Purpose: any lawful activities. 87549(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of KE 202 Canal Street, LLC. Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 5/8/13. 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 c/o Delaney Corp. Services, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 80A, Albany, NY 12210, the Reg. Agt. upon whom proc. may be served. Purpose: any lawful activities. 87550(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION PLLC Articles of org. filed w/SSNY 5/16/2013 for Lauren E. Hoffman PhD, Clinical Psychologist PLLC. Loc Albany county. SSNY

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has been designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 90 Latham Ridge Rd Latham NY 12110. Purpose: any lawful purpose 87551(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: CARLEE ACQUISITION LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, June 5, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 14 Pheasant Lane, Menands, NY 12204. 87552(D) (June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Pursuant to Section 206 of the New York Limited Liability Law

a. The name of the Limited Liability Company is COK Properties, LLC.

b. The Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State on June 4, 2013.

c. The office of the Limited Liability Company will be located in Albany County.

d. The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the Limited Liability Company upon whom process against it may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Limited Liability Company served upon him or her is: COK Properties, LLC c/o Christopher O’Keeffe 6 Bailey Avenue Latham, New York 12110

e. The Limited Liability Company is formed for any lawful business purpose or purposes. 87556(D) (June 12, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF 131 Main Street Properties, LLC Under Section 203 of the Limited Liability Company Law

First, the name of the limited liability company is 131 Main Street Properties, LLC.

Second, the articles of organization were filed with the New York Department of State on May 29, 2013.

Third, the County in which the limited liability company is located is Albany, New York.

Fourth, The Secretary of State of the State of New York has been designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The principal address of the limited liability company is 646 Kinns Road, Clifton Park, New York 12065.

Fifth, the purpose of the company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the New York Limited Liability Law. 87557(D) (June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CATV TRAINING INSTITUTE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/28/13. 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. 87558(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Little House Calls Psychological Services PLLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with SSNY on 05/10/13. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. As agt. Upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail

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process to: The LLC, 700 Fort Washington Ave., Apt. 4C, NY, NY 10040. Purpose: Psychology 87559(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Artemis51 LLC. Arts. Of Org. filed with SSNY on 05/28/13. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. As agt. Upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 440 E 23 St., Ste 6E, NY, NY 10010. General Purposes. 87560(D) (June 12, 2013)

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Notice of Formation BFC 475 Parking LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 6/4/2013 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. 87562(D) (June 12, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of MAIN MAN WATER & SEWER SERVICE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/30/13. 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.

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, June 19, 2013, at 7:00 PM., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York, to take action on an application by L. Sipperly & Associates for an area variance under Article XIII, Section 128-100, Schedule of area yard and bulk requirements. Applicant wishes to construct a Soccer Dome that exceeds the allowable height, located at The Bethlehem Soccer Complex, 450 Wemple Road, Glenmont.

Daniel W. Coffey  
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87501(D)  
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NOTICE OF BOND RESOLUTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the resolution published herewith has been adopted for the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, on the 27th

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day of March, 2013. Such resolution was adopted subject to permissive referendum and the period of time has elapsed for the submission and filing of a petition for such referendum without a valid petition having been submitted and filed, and the validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if:

(1)(a)such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the Town of Bethlehem is not authorized to expend money or

(b)if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with and an action, suit or proceeding contesting such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice; or

(2)such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution of New York.

SUMMARY OF RESOLUTION

The following is a summary of a resolution adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem on March 27, 2013. Said resolution authorizes the issuance and sale of a serial bond or bonds and a bond anticipation note or notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of said serial bonds, in an amount not to exceed \$315,000. The proceeds from the sale of the obligations authorized in said resolution shall be used for the specific purpose of financing various town maintenance, highway and operations equipment at an aggregate estimated maximum cost of \$315,000 and having a period of probable usefulness of fifteen (15) years.

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8	7	3	1	6	4	5	2	9
2	6	9	8	5	7	3	4	1
4	2	1	9	7	3	6	8	5
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# This week in history in The Spotlight

Highlights from a half-century ago

From *The Spotlight*, June 13, 1963

- The community is invited to a special meeting of the Citizens' Advisory Committee on Town Planning in Selkirk at which the problems of zoning and planning will be discussed. Representatives of the Bethlehem Planning Board will be on hand to answer questions at the informal meeting. It is the first public meeting to be held by the committee.
- The American Legion Blanchard Post No. 1040 selects Thomas Boehm to attends Boys State Colgate University. Boehm will be among several hundred boys to partake in the Legion-sponsored workshop targeted at exhibiting the ways of democratic government.
- The Delmar Kiwanis Block of Dimes fundraising campaign is to be held on Friday and Saturday. The club is also putting out a recipe book filled with recipes from well-known housewives in Bethlehem, such as wives of judges and the supervisor.



## Fun with Science

Guiderland High School AP chemistry students joined their teachers on Thursday, June 6, to present "Fun With Science," which featured several science demonstrations, for district elementary and middle school students. Younger students also participated in experiments including "Make your own slime" and "Silver my bottle." This was the first time AP chemistry students presented the event.

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# Lady Dutch shut down in regionals

**O'Hara pitches Cicero-North Syracuse past Guilderland**

By PHIL BLACKWELL  
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Having ended a 15-year wait for a Section II championship, the Guilderland softball team entered a new realm when it played in last Tuesday's Class AA regional finals outside Syracuse.

But for the Lady Dutch, that meant running into long-time Section III power

**FINAL SCORE**

- C-NS North Stars, 7
- Guilderland Lady Dutch, 0

Cicero-North Syracuse and its dominant pitching ace, Sydney O'Hara, who starred once more as the Northstars prevailed 7-0.

O'Hara, who is headed to Syracuse University next year, struck out 12 Guilderland batters and did not allow a hit until the seventh inning. She also hit a fifth-inning solo home run to help C-NS, a state finalist each of the last three years, pull away.

"Sydney is the best pitcher we've seen this season," said Guilderland head coach Lou Marino. "She wasn't going to give

us much." The Lady Dutch knew this going into the game, and it would spend the early stages guessing how to hit O'Hara's 65 mph fastball. Though Mallory Harrigan and Tori Greco drew walks, they were left stranded as O'Hara's strikeout total piled up.

Meanwhile, Guilderland pitcher Taylor Tewksbury tried to tiptoe around C-NS's dangerous lineup, but the Northstars went up 2-0 on Morgan Phillips' two-run single in the bottom of the first inning.

It stayed 2-0 for a while thanks to a strong defensive effort by the Lady Dutch. Gabby Marino provided a highlight with a running catch in center field in the third, starting a double play as she threw to Torie Rathwell to force out Lindsey Silfer.

"We played perfect defense," said Lou Marino.

But in the fifth, O'Hara made sure no one caught Tewksbury's pitch as she crushed it well over the right field fence to make the score 3-0. C-NS added four more runs in the sixth inning to put the game out of Guilderland's reach.

Guilderland achieved a small victory when Jenna Cubello's double in the top of the seventh broke



Guilderland's Tori Greco waits for the ball as a Cicero-North Syracuse player reaches first base during last Tuesday's Class AA regional final.

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up O'Hara's no-hit bid. Rathwell added a single before C-NS got the final outs.

Though disappointed, the Lady Dutch were far from discouraged with this defeat since just two seniors – Cubello and Harrigan – graduate. Everyone else is back to

make another title push in 2014, but Marino said his players have already accomplished a lot and just ran into a better opponent on this day.

"I am very pleased and proud of the girls," said Marino. "There's no reason to be dejected. We didn't beat ourselves."

**Strong**  
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Albany scored all three of its runs in the top of the seventh off Elmira reliever Ryan Blinderman. Right fielder Danny Crowe drove in Wietlispach and Rupiper with a one-out single to center field, and Crowe came home with the winning run on shortstop Tyler Orris' double.

Carr picked up the win, and Ben Seabrook earned the save with a perfect ninth inning.

Albany found itself in another hole in Sunday's home game, as Newark struck for two runs in the top of the first inning off

**Lizzote vaults to fifth-place tie**

Guilderland's Kendra Lizzote tied Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake's Kalli Manly for fifth place in the Division 1 (large school) girls pole vault at Saturday's New York State High School Track and Field Championships in Middletown.

Lizzote and Manly each cleared the bar at 10 feet, 6 inches, which was also good enough for them to tie for seventh place in the Federation standings.

Bethlehem's Vicky Buehler was sixth among Division 1 girls triple jumpers with a distance of 36 feet, 11.25 inches.

starter Matt Gallup. But the Dutchmen responded with five runs in the bottom of the first to bail out Gallup, a Christian Brothers Academy graduate.

Center fielder Lukas Nethaway – a Fonda-Fultonville graduate – had three hits and two RBI to lead Albany's 13-hit attack.

One of Nethaway's three hits was a solo home run in the fourth inning. Orris and designated hitter Connor White each contributed a double and a single.

Albany was scheduled to play PGCBL newcomer Adirondack Monday in Boonville before hosting Cooperstown Tuesday.

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## Lady Dutch fall in regionals

The Guilderland softball team's playoff run came to an end with last Tuesday's 7-0 loss to Section III champion Cicero-North Syracuse in the Class AA regional finals. The Lady Dutch didn't get a hit until the top of the seventh inning.

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## Last week's poll results:

What spring team had the best season in 2013?

- Bethlehem boys track 63%
- G'land girls lacrosse 19%
- Guilderland softball 7%
- Voorheesville baseball 7%
- Guilderland boys tennis 4%

# Dutchmen start strong

After power outage and two rainouts, Albany wins two in a row

By ROB JONAS  
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The Albany Dutchmen showed what they can do when the weather and National Grid cooperate.

The Dutchmen rallied for a 3-2 victory at Elmira Saturday and defeated Newark 6-3 Sunday at Bellizzi Field to start their Perfect Game Collegiate Baseball League season with a 2-0 record.

Albany endured a series of mishaps before completing its first official game of the season. The Dutchmen were in the midst of a rally against Amsterdam in last Wednesday's home opener when National Grid cut the power to the neighborhood around Bellizzi Field because of a reported power line emergency. Then, their Thursday and Friday games were postponed by rain.

At the time Bellizzi Field lost power, Albany had come back from a 4-1 deficit to tie Amsterdam at 5-5 and was coming to bat in the bottom of the eighth inning.

"It was right there for us to take," said Albany manager Nick Davey. "It just got taken out of our hands."

The Dutchmen scored three runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to tie the score at 4-4. Catcher Nate Rupiper drove in second baseman Jack Wietlispach with a two-out single, and an error by Amsterdam shortstop Chris Kalica on center fielder Jonathan Torres' hard chopper led to two more runs.

Amsterdam scored a run in the top of the seventh on Ed Charlton's RBI groundout, but Albany got it back in its half of the



Albany Dutchmen third baseman Zach Remillard talks to Tri-Village Little League player Sam Greenberg during pre-game player introductions at last Wednesday's home opener against Amsterdam at Bob Bellizzi Field.

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inning when third baseman Zach Remillard walked, stole second, moved to third on a groundout and scored on a throwing error by second baseman Josh Gardiner.

Reliever Chad Moss set Amsterdam down in order in the top of the eighth – the first inning an Albany pitcher avoided walking or hitting a batter.

"It wasn't the prettiest of games on either side," said Davey. "They're going to be a little nervous because it is their

first game of the season, and we just have to settle in and throw strikes."

The theme of early struggles by Albany pitchers continued Saturday in Elmira when the Pioneers scored two runs in the bottom of the first inning. However, starter Bryan Carr and two relievers help Elmira without a run or a hit over the next eight innings to give the Dutchmen a chance to win the game.

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# 'Birds lose in semis

Geneseo holds on to beat Voorheesville at state tournament

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The Voorheesville baseball team fell short of reaching the state finals for the second year in a row.

Geneseo scored twice in the third inning on its way to a 2-1 victory over the Blackbirds in Saturday's Class C state semifinal game in Binghamton.

The Blackbirds (19-8) took a 1-0 lead in the first on pitcher Nick Chiseri's RBI single, but they couldn't push across another run despite getting at least one baserunner on per inning.

Geneseo took advantage of a pair of Voorheesville errors in the bottom of the third inning to get its two runs.

The Blackbirds made it to the state semifinals last year, where it lost to Halvern 6-0. They got back to states this year despite graduating several players from the 2012 squad.

Geneseo went on to lose to Seton Catholic of Binghamton 9-0 in the Class D state finals.

Voorheesville advanced to the state semifinals with last Tuesday's 10-3 regional final victory over Ticonderoga at Amsterdam's Shuttleworth Park.

Kristian Singh pitched a complete-game five-hitter, and he helped his own cause with a three-run double that jumpstarted the Blackbirds' offense. Voorheesville added seven runs over the next two innings to pull away.

Voorheesville began its state tournament run with last Monday's 6-1 regional victory over Norwood-Norfolk in Amsterdam.

Chiseri and Mike Young each had RBI singles in the first inning to help the Blackbirds build a 3-0 lead. Voorheesville added three runs in the fifth inning on Jared Paigo's RBI single and a pair of bases-loaded walks.

Chiseri went the distance on the pitcher's mound for Voorheesville against Norwood-Norfolk. He allowed one run on six hits.

# Comber named SC All Star

Four Guilderland players earn honorable mentions from league coaches

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Bethlehem goaltender Dan Comber was named a second-team all-star by the Suburban Council boys lacrosse coaches last week.

Guilderland's Cody Dyer, Jake Smith, Azmad Din and Marcus Knodler were honorable mention selections.

The Suburban Council all stars are as follows:

### Attack

First team: Luke Goldstock (Niskayuna), Lucas Maloney (Niskayuna) and Mike D'Amario (Niskayuna)

Second team: Joe Romano (Shenendehowa), Kyle Marr (Shen) and Tim Leahey (Shaker)  
Honorable mention: Cody Dyer

(Guilderland) and Jake Smith (Guilderland)

### Defense

First team: Kyle Fragnoli (Shaker), Dom Sloma (Niskayuna) and Tyler Olney (Shen)

Second team: Nate Martin (Niskayuna), Carter Richardson (Ballston Spa) and Ian Grey (Shen)

Honorable mention: Azmad Din (Guilderland), Ben Roberts (Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake), Jon Tiberio (Niskayuna) and Brendon Wormley (Saratoga)

### Goaltender

First team: Evan Quinn (Niskayuna)

Second team: Dan Comber (Bethlehem)

Honorable mention: Lucas Carter (Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake)

### Face-off specialist

First team: Tyler Pantalone (Niskayuna)

Second team: Jake Quay (Shaker)

Honorable mention: Marcus Knodler (Guilderland)

### Defensive midfield

First team: Kyle Abdellatif (Ballston Spa) and Logan Ball (Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake)

Second team: Reed Avveduti (Niskayuna) and Corey Acker (Shen)

Honorable mention: Kevin Mauro (Saratoga) and Brian Guiry (Shen)

### Midfield

First team: Brian Rogers (Shen), Aidan O'Brien (Niskayuna), Nick Dodd (Shaker) and D.J. Edick (Shen)

Second team: John McDonald (Ballston Spa), Mike Mineau (Colonie), Ryan Lawson (Niskayuna) and John Prendergast (Niskayuna)

Honorable mention: Bill Chapman (Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake) and Liam King (Shaker).