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The Rev. Karen Pollan became Delmar Presbyterian Church's new pastor on Sunday, Sept. 8. See Page 2.



Help and have fun

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Cafeteria cuisine comes home

Voorheesville school chef offering dinners to go as a 'fun' way to boost revenue

By JOHN PURCELL
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Picking an affordable, easy dinner has become an elementary decision for the Voorheesville school community.

Two weeks ago, Voorheesville Central School District opened

For a complete menu, visit the district's website at vcasd.neric.org and scroll down the page to the "Blackbird Café: Meals-to-Go" announcement, or visit the "documents" section of spotlightnews.com.

its doors and kitchen to the community through a new "Meals to go" dinner program, which is aimed at keeping its school lunch program in the black.

Tim Mulligan, chef and district cook manager, is cooking

up some of his favorite meals, including chicken marsala as the debut dish, for anyone to purchase and take home. Meals are generally scheduled to be sold every other Wednesday from the high school cafeteria, which is now known as the

Blackbird Café. The second offering will be on Oct. 2 and on Oct. 16, a chicken or shrimp penne is on the menu.

"It is something we have been thinking about for a couple of years," Mulligan said. "It is just an extra way of putting some income into the school lunch fund."

Mulligan has a background

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The McKownville United Methodist Church annual Pumpkin Patch fundraiser is in its 14th year. Members of the community came out to help unload the pumpkin truck and set-up the sale on Thursday, Sept. 27.

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The pumpkins roll in

McKownville church members get ready for annual Pumpkin Patch

By MARCY VELTE
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As volunteers from several community groups gathered last week to help unload the truck to kick off the McKownville United Methodist Church's annual Pumpkin Patch, something seemed different.

The person standing in the back of the truck wasn't their beloved driver, Ben.

"Each year for the past six years, Ben would specifically pick this route so he could come visit us," said the event's co-organizer James Stott. "At the end of each visit, he would say 'See ya next year.' As you can see, Ben didn't come this year, which means he's no longer with us."

The church group orders its pumpkins each year from a Navajo farm in New Mexico. The drivers take the long trip in order to provide the pumpkins to the

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Budget calls for 1.23% tax hike

After tough 2013, next year's plan contains few cuts

By MARCY VELTE
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Supervisor John Clarkson's tentative 2014 budget for the Town of Bethlehem calls for a property tax increase of \$4.98 for the average household, in one of the first years in recent memory the town is not facing a budget gap.

The supervisor and Comptroller Mike Cohen presented the \$38.24 million spending plan to the Town Board on Wednesday, Sept. 25. Expenditures are 1 percent above the 2013 budget. The tentative budget calls for no cuts and is mostly relying on use of the town's fund balance and grant money to stay balanced.

"I think this is great news for our community," said Clarkson. "We are in a good position financially

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Pastor’s calling brings her to Delmar

**New head of church
a rare occurrence
in history of
Delmar Presbyterian**

By MARCY VELTE
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For only the third time in 57 years, Delmar Presbyterian Church is welcoming a new pastor. The Rev. Karen Pollan became the church’s new, permanent pastor on Sunday, Sept. 8. She moved to the Capital District from Salem, Ore., where she served as associate pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Salem for the past 12 years.

Pollan said she was first interviewed for the position in April, and was called back by the presbytery in May before being accepted by the church’s congregation.

She said the process is almost like online dating in that new pastors have to fill out a personal information form in response to presbytery pastor requests that are placed on the denomination’s website. “Something attracted me to New York, and I emailed them back saying God is calling us to work together,” said Pollan. The pastor said she was attracted to Delmar Presbyterian because she liked how open and welcoming the congregation is to all members of the public. “They also have a string interest and involvement with local mission work,” she said. “They’ve made the strong decision to be a positive force in their community, and a high percentage of the congregation is

“Something attracted me to New York, and I emailed them back saying God is calling us to work together.”
— The Rev. Karen Pollan

involved with mission work on a weekly basis.” Pollan said she likes it when members of her church are willing to get involved. “I’m not interested in those who just sit in the pews and feel they’ve fulfilled their spiritual obligations for the week,” she said. “This is a group of people very engaged in advocacy. About 75 percent are involved in

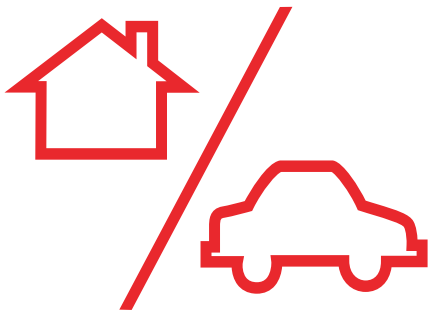


The Rev. Karen Pollan has become only the third pastor in Delmar Presbyterian Church’s 57 years.

Marcy Velte/Spotlight

mission work each week.” Pollan attended Austin Presbyterian Theological School in Austin, Texas, and later served as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Sulphur Springs. She then moved on to Oregon. Pollan is filling the position left by Rev. Tom O’Donnell. Pollan said she has no set goals for her new church because they are already so active. “God doesn’t live in the church, but all around us outside,” she said. “My plan is to be a partner with the church government. We need to be looking for the places God is already at work and strengthen the things already happening. The hard part is I don’t know what that is or what it looks like. We just need to be aware.” Linda Krzykowski, co-chair of the Delmar Presbyterian Church Pastor Transition Committee, said Delmar Presbyterian is blessed Pollan is bringing her years of experience, enthusiasm and deep faith to their church. Pollan said she is

humbled to have come to such a close-knit church community. She said the fact the congregation has only had two past pastors was another big draw. “It means they don’t chew up and spit out pastors,” she said. “It’s also a bit intimidating because the congregation had nothing but high regards for the previous pastor.” Pollan said it is comforting to know Delmar Presbyterian is a congregation that has valued and nurtured its pastor relationships, but she also feels she has big shoes to fill. “I’ll just have to do my best,” she said. “I think this is going to be fun.”



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The Albany County Soil and Water Conservation District has completed three stream restoration projects at the Albany Pine Bush Preserve next to the Albany Landfill.

Going green, from top to bottom

Officials tour environmentally friendly infrastructure throughout Albany County

By JOHN PURCELL
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Albany County officials and community members got a first-hand look at what going green looks like during a recent tour. The Stormwater Coalition of Albany County hosted a Green Infrastructure Tour Tuesday, Sept. 24, for elected and municipal officials, engineers and other community members to see for sites across the county where green ideas have been implemented to manage stormwater issues. Projects ranged from porous pavement being used at Antoinette Estates under construction in Colonie to green roofs helping to reduce

“Budgets are tough, but you’ve got to remember the money we invest today into the environment saves us thousands of dollars down the road.”

— Albany County Executive Dan McCoy

runoff and provide energy efficiency and aesthetic benefits. The event was funded through a state Department of Environmental Conservation grant to help educate local officials and industry members about green infrastructure, to evaluate existing codes and develop local laws to encourage or support environmentally friendly practices. “The purpose of today’s programs is to make real the green infrastructure and practices that you may have heard about or read about,” said Nancy Heinzen, program

coordinator of the Stormwater Coalition. “The starting point for green infrastructure is a concern we all share, which is keeping clean. It is a way of preventing stormwater pollution from getting into our rivers. Not only do we want to keep our streams clean ... we want to do things actively that improve water quality.” Heinzen said implementing green infrastructure practices and techniques is how water quality can be improved through smaller projects like a rain garden or larger endeavors such as stream restorations. Green



Green Infrastructure Tour attendees walk back to a bus after learning about stream restoration efforts at the Albany Pine Bush Preserve.

Photos by John Purcell/Spotlight

infrastructure tackles many areas, but the event focused primarily on water quality. “If we reduce the amount of runoff going into the streams, that means there is less pollution going into the streams and there is less volume hitting the edge of streams so we don’t get the erosion and stream instability,” Heinzen said. Keeping rainwater on site

can reduce runoff, but using plants to absorb water is another method. Plant roots will also slow down the water, allowing for bacteria to start breaking down pollutants. If pipe drainage systems can be opened to form a natural stream, called “stream daylighting,” water pollution is also reduced.

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Police search for suspect in attempted mugging

Guilderland police are investigating an attempted robbery that occurred on Saturday, Sept. 21, at about 9 p.m.

Police said a woman walking her dog in the Terry Avenue area was approached by a man who demanded she give him all her money. A scuffle occurred, police said, and the man ran away. The woman was uninjured and nothing was taken.

Police said the man covered his face and it was dark, so the only description offered was that the man was tall, had a raspy voice and was wearing a baseball hat backwards. Police said they had a person of interest.

Anyone who has information on the incident is asked to contact Guilderland police at 356-1501.

Police pull weed from car

A traffic stop for dark window tints turned up more than a pound of marijuana, according to State Police.

Troopers stopped a 2003 Acura on I-87 at about 5:15 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 28. Police said the car had a strong odor of marijuana inside and the driver, 23-year-old Fernando Londono Jr. of New Rochelle, told police he had a small amount of marijuana in his book bag. When police searched the car, they allegedly found 1.07 pounds of marijuana in vacuum sealed bags, in addition to 5 grams of marijuana in Londono's book bag.

Londono was charged with criminal possession of marijuana in the second degree, a felony, was arraigned in the Town of Coeymans Court and

was remanded to Albany County jail in lieu of \$25,000 cash bail or bail bond. He was scheduled to appear in the Town of Bethlehem Court on Oct. 1.

Businesses cited in underage sweep

State Police made two arrests at local businesses in relation to an underage drinking sweep.

On Sunday, Sept. 29, an underage volunteer was sent into 14 bars, convenience and liquor stores in Albany County to attempt to purchase alcohol. Two establishments allegedly served the 17-year-old: USA Gas at 1600 Western Ave. in Guilderland and My Place and Company at 241 Delaware Ave. in Bethlehem. The clerk and bartender were both arrested and charged with unlawfully dealing with a child, a misdemeanor, police said.

Supervisor staying put

Grimm points to Runion's home sale, incumbent supervisor says he's downsizing

By JOHN PURCELL
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Guilderland Supervisor Ken Runion is selling his 3,200-square-foot home, but he has expressed his intent to stay local and chided his Republican opponent for seizing on sale as a political topic.

Runion said he and his wife are looking to downsize and move into another home within the town. Both of his children have moved out and purchased their own homes, he said.

"We have our eye on another home in the Village (of Altamont) and we are negotiating for that purchase," Runion said. "It isn't really news. ... There isn't anything hidden about it. There is a big sign sitting in front of the house."

Runion's single-family home is located on 4.6 acres and has 4 bedrooms and 2.5 baths, according to an online listing that puts the asking price at \$450,000.

Republican supervisor candidate Mark Grimm originally brought the listing to *The Spotlight's* attention. Grimm said he learned of the sale



Guilderland Supervisor Ken Runion's house is for sale, but he says he has no plans to leave town.

Spotlight file photo

through a real estate agent friend, who noticed the home on a listing service. Grimm in an email said Runion "must be planning to move" and said he also owns a home in Florida. Grimm never explicitly stated he believes Runion was looking to leave the area.

"I thought it was a very curious thing, to say the least," Grimm said.

Runion said he has been told Grimm sent out a "mass email" informing people that he was planning to sell his home. Runion said "most people were kind of angered" to see the email.

"I am not planning on leaving. That is ridiculous," Runion said. "Maybe wishful thinking on Mark Grimm's part."

Grimm said he sent the email to people that

he knows.

"It really shouldn't be a political issue," Runion said. "It is my personal business and I don't think that bit should be invaded by a candidate for public office."

Runion said he was not surprised to see Grimm weighing in on the matter and accused his opponent of negative campaigning in the past. He said Grimm has "never been involved in a positive campaign" and will resort to "bullying."

Grimm, however, said he has talked to "many people" who are selling their home or planning to sell their home while campaigning, and said he wants to call attention to high property taxes.

"He is the town supervisor and people are selling their homes every day in the town because they can't afford the property tax. To a certain extent, it is personal and to a certain extent it is a critical issue in the town," Grimm said.

Grimm said he doesn't believe Runion has done enough to address property taxes.

Runion confirmed he owns a home in Florida, but said his father has lived in the home for around a year. Runion said he pays the bills associated with the home, and his father pays for the electricity.

"I basically bought the house for my father to live in," he said. "It was during the slow sales period down in Florida, so my wife and I go down for a week usually in a year and we saw this house. It was short sale and I thought this was perfect for a retiree to live in and it was very reasonably priced."

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Green

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Green infrastructure implementation is occurring across the world, but Heinzen said it's new to the Capital District. Having funds available through grants to showcase possible projects is key, she said.

"We are in this together," she said. "This doesn't happen with one planning board person or one design engineer – it very much is collaborative."

Albany County Executive Dan McCoy said while the county has talked about going green, the sites included along the tour showcased actual implementation.

"I think we are on the right step," McCoy said. "We still have a lot more to do; it is just the beginning of trying to clean up the environment and give back some green space in this county."

McCoy said being a member of the coalition is important even with budgetary issues municipalities are facing. He noted one of the coalition's 13 members (Voorheesville) would likely be leaving at the end of the year.

"Budgets are tough, but you've got to remember the money we invest today into the environment saves us thousands of dollars down the road," McCoy said. "We are going to work with one of the villages that had to drop out to due to budget problems."

The first tour stop was outside the Cook Park Pavilion in the Village of Colonie, where a rain garden was built to catch runoff from a parking lot. The gardens might resemble regular flower gardens, but they offer environmental benefits by allowing 30 percent more water to be soaked into the ground than a comparable patch of lawn.

"This is not a garden for a wet area, it is not a solution for that, it is a solution for stormwater runoff," said Susan Pezzolla, master gardener at Cornell Cooperative Extension of Albany County. "The plants are very specific to this type of garden. They are all native plants and they have big root systems, so they are making channels down in through the soil. ... We are not fertilizing them at all; we are not babying them. They are just on their own and do fine."

The average cost for a demonstration rain garden like at Cook Park is around \$1,500 for labor, equipment and materials. There are similar rain gardens in the county maintained by Cornell Cooperative Extension volunteer master gardeners and staff, along with Stormwater Coalition staff. Both organizations are also working to develop a training program for the gardens.

Good drainage is required for a rain garden, which is built at least 10 feet away from a home. They range from 100 to 300 square feet in residential settings.

Another stop was to view a green roof located at the University of Albany Liberty Terrace Dorm, which is a LEED Gold facility that opened August 2012.

The green roof captures runoff through a layer of vegetation and soil on the flat roof and then the plants allow for evaporation and evapotranspiration to reduce the amount and rate of runoff.

"As much as I like to think we are cutting edge when it comes to research and academics, we don't quite do the same thing when it comes to facilities," said Diana Delp, architect and project manager at UAlbany.

University officials said there haven't been

any problems with the green roof system and the only real surprise was how easy it was to install. The vegetation also adds another layer of insulation to the building, and cuts down the glare of the sun.

Take your own tour

An unrelated self-guided tour throughout the Capital District will provide an opportunity to visit almost 40 homes and businesses welcoming people to learn about solar and green building techniques.

The Solar and Green Building Tour will be held on Saturday, Oct. 5, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and feature super insulation, straw-bale construction, extensive gardening, root cellars, recycled and innovative products, water catchment, sun utilization, ventilation systems and other green practices. The event is free and aims to educate people on how to use less fossil fuels in their homes,



Susan Pezzolla, master gardener at Cornell Cooperative Extension of Albany County, discusses how a rain garden at Cook Park Pavilion in the Village of Colonie was built and the environmental benefits it offers.

John Purcell/
Spotlight

transportation and food.

To view information about the tour including a tour map, visit Our Energy Independent Community's website at www.OEIC.us/Tour.

The TEC-SMART Sustainability Series will also host Bruce Brownell presenting his passive solar home system on Tuesday, Oct. 15. Brownell founded Adirondack

Alternate Energy and has constructed almost 400 passive solar homes nationally, with most located in the Northeast.

The presentation will be held at Hudson Valley Community College's TEC-SMART facility located at 345 Hermes Road in Malta and starts at 6:30 p.m. For information about the Sustainability Speaker Series, visit www.OEIC.us/Tec-Smart or call 629-7075.

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The American Society of Mechanical Engineers Hudson-Mohawk Section's inaugural Capitol Mechanical Engineering and Energy Symposium will be held the following day, on Thursday, Oct. 17, at the Empire State Plaza. For event information and to register visit www.oeic.us/asme.

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From the Editor's Desk

Time to resuscitate relationship

We've known for quite some time that the relationship between the Village of Voorheesville and the Voorheesville Area Ambulance Service has been far from peachy. But as bickering between the two parties continues, it has become increasingly clear it's time to seek a permanent solution that's best for the residents of the village.

It will be difficult to determine whether that's a seismic shift, continuation of business as usual or something in between given the current environment, though. We warrant things have become toxic enough there are very few level heads left. What's needed is a fresh, unbiased look.

As we've previously reported, negotiations over the 2013 contract between the village and ambulance service were fraught with standoffish and intractable behavior – exactly who was exhibiting it depends on whom you ask. It's led to village

officials being particularly open about researching dropping VAAS altogether, which has led company officials to be outspoken about what they say is unfair treatment by the village.

Things came to a head yet again this past week. Mayor Robert Conway had very publicly aired some of his concerns about VAAS in the town newsletter, and in response, dozens of VAAS supporters showed up to a Board of Trustees meeting to put their thoughts on the record.

Though the entire situation was described by one ambulance company member as a "pissing contest" (which seems a fairly apt summation at this juncture), at least one constructive idea emerged from the meeting: the formation of a committee to examine the future of ambulance service in the village.

Things have become convoluted enough that neither side can agree on even the

simplest facts, figures or events, and that does not bode well for the upcoming 2014 contract negotiations. When two sides are unable to come to an agreement, the common practice is to summon an arbitrator. In this instance, an independent and impartial group of citizens and officials could serve the task.

Honestly, it's well past time for such a measure, given the degree of confusion and disagreement that's been commonplace in recent months. And with the possibility of options other than continuation of VAAS coverage on the table, the case for an in-depth study is made all the stronger.

The people of the village deserve a frank look at the costs and benefits of making a change – one that's assembled with cool heads not involved in the ongoing fracas. Let's move on from the business of finger pointing, and get on with the business of mending this situation for the public good.

The word on the street

Do you pay attention to your town's budget process? Why or why not?



David Haynes, Delmar

Yes, because it's my money they're wasting and I want to know where they are spending it.



Don Collins, Delmar

No, I don't. I don't like the politics.



Edward Phillips, Delmar

No, because no matter what you say they don't listen anyway, so what's the point?

Asked Monday, Sept. 30, near Delmar's Four Corners.

What do you think?

Go to spotlightnews.com to take the poll.

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Guest Opinion

10 tips to help for caregivers cope

By JAN HEMPSTEAD, R.N.

Once you made it through the years of caring for your children, you probably breathed a sigh of relief. But for many of us, the responsibilities come full circle as our parents age and may require our assistance. Caring for an aging parent can be a rewarding experience and an extension of our love. It can also be physically and emotionally draining at times.

It is so easy to be pulled into the spiral of our job, caregiving, household chores, shopping and myriad other tasks that we are the last on the list of priorities. In an attempt to be a good son/daughter, you forget about the most important person of all... you!

- To help you successfully get through each day with better health, peace and calm, follow these self-care guidelines:
- You need support too, so take time to talk to friends, even if only on the phone.
- Fuel your body with nutritious food. Your energy

Make your point

The Spotlight welcomes longer opinion pieces for the Point of View section.

Do you have a hobby or cause you feel passionate about? We'd love to share it with our readers.

Do you have information you think others would benefit from hearing about? Let us know.

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level depends on it.

- Fit in regular exercise, something you enjoy. Fifteen minutes at a time still works!
- Sleep is your rejuvenator, so make it a priority. Turn off the TV at night and turn in earlier.
- Ask for help. Tap into local resources for eldercare assistance. Call your local Office for the Aging for guidance.
- Set realistic expectations. Your house does not have to be spotless and every meal gourmet. Decide what is really, really important and relax with

the rest.

- Although using alcohol or drugs to calm you may sound tempting, learn a relaxation technique, such as meditation or breath work. It's much better for your body!
- Use humor. Watch funny movies, YouTube videos or

read comics. Laughing gets the endorphins flowing.

- Join a support group. Being around other people who totally understand your frustrations and who can share ideas and solutions that worked for them is not only timesaving but also uplifting.
- If you have a spouse or partner, remember to take time to nurture that relationship and communicate your feelings to prevent isolating yourself from them.

Some day your parents will be gone and it will be just you again. When you look back on this time, you will know that you provided nurturing, love and support for the most important people in your life. For now, be sure you are taking care of yourself first.

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Letters to the Editor

Budget plan raises questions

Editor, *The Spotlight*:
Town Supervisor John Clarkson presented his 2014 Tentative Budget plan, entitled "Steady & Smooth Financial Path" at the Town Board meeting on Sept. 25. The supervisor describes the 2014 plan as a "Good News Budget." Since the supervisor is running for reelection it is appropriate to review the tax and spending plans he established to assess whether "Steady & Smooth" is an accurate description of Mr. Clarkson's performance as the Town's Chief Fiscal Officer.

First, in 2012 the Property Tax Levy was \$11.2M. For 2013 Mr. Clarkson increased the

tax levy \$1.3M or 11.33 percent. This followed property tax increases of 1.7 percent, 1.6 percent and 2.1 percent in 2010, 2011 and 2012, respectively. The three budgets preceding Mr. Clarkson's first budget might be described as "Steady & Smooth"; a 9.5 percent jump over the prior three year average does not line up with the supervisor's self-description of his fiscal policies.

Mr. Clarkson's plan for 2014 further increases taxes on the property owners in Town by \$0.2M or 1.23 percent. If you focus on the 2014 Budget Plan only, you might conclude this is "good news." However, the two budget plans put forth by the supervisor have resulted in an increase of taxation on Bethlehem property owners of \$1.5M, with an annual average increase in the Property Tax Levy of 6.3 percent.

Also included in the budget presentation are plans for a 19.8 percent fund balance to appropriations ratio, which is just under the ceiling of 20 percent,

and over the Town's stated optimal level of 15 percent. At first pass, this financial metric appears positive however, the monies represented by these fund balances come from us, the town residents. The difference between the 19.8 percent presented, and the optimal level of 15 percent, is approximately \$1.8M; this is our money. With that in mind I wonder, was that 11.33 percent tax increase really necessary? Could it have been political posturing in anticipation of the election cycle? Or is it poor fiscal management? This \$1.8M is money not being invested or spent in our local economy; it is now in the Town's reserves. We all know once government takes your money, you're not getting it back. Yet, Mr. Clarkson wants still more of your money to spend as he sees fit.

Many town residents do not see Mr. Clarkson's tax increases as "good news". If he is re-elected, some residents may be forced to take the "Steady & Smooth Path" out of town.

Bill Kolberg
Delmar

Support Sasso in her run for Bethlehem Town Board

Editor, *The Spotlight*:
I am excited to be running for Bethlehem Town Board. As the co-owner of a small business (McSharry and Associates Realty) my family's livelihood rises and falls with the success of Bethlehem. As a mother of two children in Bethlehem schools, I have a vested interest in the town's future. As a social worker, a volunteer for various organizations, and now through my company's Community Give Back Program I always look for ways to be involved, as I believe civic participation is a responsibility. Running for Town Board is, for me, yet another opportunity to serve my community.

Our community deserves leaders who have a vision for the future and an investment in moving forward. We deserve leaders committed to working together on creative solutions for difficult problems. We want elected officials

who will work together cooperatively in the best interests of the voters. The best leaders possess a diversity of work and life experiences and a proven record of prioritizing community service over other motivations. We need leaders who are optimistic about the future of Bethlehem.

Development is among the biggest issues we face as a town. Bethlehem is a unique Albany suburb because we are more than a suburb, we are a community. If elected, I am committed to ensuring that future development

is done mindfully and on our terms, not anyone else's. We need smart ways to diversify our tax base, by encouraging commercial and business development, while remembering that growth should enhance the sense of community that sets Bethlehem apart. Residential development should provide a net gain, not a drain, on our community resources, as well as a supply of diverse housing options so residents, regardless of their life stage, can

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Letters to the Editor

Clarkson's term full of successes

Editor, *The Spotlight*:
I've been watching politics for a long time in Bethlehem and have been a Democrat all my life. I'm also a friend and supporter of John Clarkson, our town supervisor; and I want to see him reelected, so you know where I'm coming from. Here's why I support him.

First and foremost, John Clarkson is genuine. He'll tell you what he thinks even if he knows you might disagree. That doesn't mean he won't listen, consider your point of view, and try to find middle ground. But he doesn't just tell you just what he thinks you want to hear. We've all seen politicians – incumbents and wannabe's – who do nothing but pander and promise. They won't even go near problems where there's controversy. John isn't

that type of guy, and that's why he's been able to do so much in a short time.
John ran for office in 2011 knowing full well that the town was facing a huge budget gap (\$3.5 million). He walked door to door talking about the problem and how for years the town budget was balanced by spending down reserves, borrowing, and other financial shell games. Most of John's career before running for supervisor was in finance and budgeting, and so he was the right guy at the right time.
John didn't lay anyone off, but he also didn't replace most of the people who left. That's the right way to cut back, when you have to. He cut back in many areas, but didn't eliminate the services people needed. He privatized the Colonial

Acres golf course, despite stiff opposition; and now, instead of losing money, the town's being paid by a private operator. John also saved money by modernizing operations and sharing work between town departments. Those steps not only saved money; they even won the town a special state award – totaling \$776,000! This money can be used for tax relief or to pay to cover other costs.
Whether you like everything he did or not, at least you know John Clarkson stepped up to the plate. He cut spending and made do with less tax revenue that was the result of the end of Selkirk Cogen pilot payments. Even after all that cutting, property taxes had to go up some last year to cover part of the huge loss from Selkirk Cogen. None of

this was easy, and that's why there were over 20 public meetings to talk through the budget issues. He didn't hide from the problem, and he dealt with it squarely and openly. As a result, the town is in good financial shape this year. The town will be below the tax cap again, but town employees will be able to get a 2 percent cost of living bump. That's good management, and that's just what we need.
Everything John has done is about saving money and maintaining services. I know you'll hear from people saying they can do better, but none of them stepped up and took responsibility last year when we needed it. John Clarkson did, and that's why he'll get my vote.

Lou Picarazzi
Selkirk

Sasso

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find a place to live that meets their needs. If elected, I will prioritize maintaining our town character amidst this growth and change. While town character means something different to each of us, we have an abundance of unique resources (the rail trail, our town parks and green spaces, and our town center to name just a few) and the maintenance of these resources is crucial.

There are other important issues facing Bethlehem which I address on my campaign website – www.sasso4bethlehem.com. I am also very interested in hearing about issues from residents so please contact me with your questions or ideas.
I thank you for your support on Election Day. If given the opportunity, I will serve Bethlehem with the highest level of professionalism and dedication.



Julie Sasso
Candidate for
Bethlehem Town Board

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Library continues tech help for adult beginners

The library offers free one-on-one tutoring for adult beginners unsure of their way around the personal computer universe.

Instruction takes place in the library, on library laptops. Lessons are arranged on weekdays during library hours.

Launched in September 2005, the program has since expanded to include a second level for students who wish to learn more. Materials are prepared by library staff and updated as the technology changes.

If you are interested in becoming a Computer Partners student or tutor, contact Michele Giuffre at 439-9314 ext. 3018 for more information.



More tech help

Today's consumer technology can be daunting and hard to keep up with. If you're a little overwhelmed, you can set up a half-hour appointment with a librarian for help with a variety of devices and media: smart phones and tablets, e-readers and email, Facebook and Twitter, Microsoft Word and Microsoft Excel. Make an appointment at least a week in advance by visiting the information desk or calling the library at 439-9314, ext. 3009.

Spooky story contest

Got a spooky story to tell? Now's the time to tell it! Kids in grade K-5 can enter our online contest. Go to www.bplkids.org, click on the link, and enter your original story. The winner's story will be posted on our Kids Page and also transformed into a library storywalk display. You'll find all the details online. Last day to enter: October 14.

— Louise Grieco
Public Information Specialist
Bethlehem Public Library

Music and movement

Friday, Oct. 11, at 10 a.m.
Sing, dance, play an

instrument. Children age 2-6 and families.

Knit one, purl one

Sunday, Oct. 13, at 2 p.m.

Bring a current project or, if you're a beginner, bring size 8 knitting needles; we'll provide some yarn to get you started. Age 9 and up, adults.

Lego Club

Monday, Oct. 14, at 10 a.m.

We supply the Legos, you supply the imagination. Try Lego challenges and build friendships. Kids and families.

Daybooks

Monday, Oct. 14, at 1:30 p.m.
"Fellow Mortals" by Dennis

Mahoney. The author will join this discussion. New members welcome.

Teen advisory group

Monday, Oct. 14, at 1:30 p.m.

TAG meets monthly to talk about teen programs and activities at the library. Grade 6-12.

Tabletop Gaming Night

Monday, Oct. 14, at 6:30 p.m.

New monthly series. Drop in for games and snacks. Adults, teens age 16 and up.

Paws to Read

Tuesday, Oct. 15, at 3:45-5 p.m.

Drop in and read to Oliver, a gentle dog who loves stories. Grades 1-5.

Programs for hiking enthusiasts

Are you a hiking enthusiast?

Then we have two upcoming programs that you won't want to miss! On Wednesday, Oct. 16, at 7 p.m., the Voorheesville Library will be hosting author Alan Via and his dog Bookah. Alan has led hikes for the Adirondack Mt. Club, Catskill 3500 Club, Appalachian Mountain Club, and Taconic Hiking Club for 35 years. He was Albany ADK's Outings Chair for 14 years and currently an ADK main club committee chair for 24 years. He's a "regular" and winter 46er and 35er, Northeast 111 completer and has hiked all over the western and Canadian mountains. He is only one of a small handful of hikers to have hiked all the Adirondack and Catskill 100 highest peaks, the latter with his Lab, Bookah who will be joining us.

The Adirondack Mt. Club published Alan's book, "The Catskill 67 — A Hiker's Guide to the Catskill 100 Highest Peaks under 3500," in



2012 and the Schenectady Gazette named it one of the top 10 new books of 2012. The hiking guide has color photos and maps and Alan will be sharing additional photos from the photographers who contributed to the book. Alan enjoys engaging the audience with stories and tales of his hikes.

The theme of the presentation is Catskill 100 highest mountains, where they are, how they are unique. His presentation is an introduction for hikers and other mountain enthusiasts to a range of peaks largely unknown to the public. There will be time for questions and book signing after the program.

For our second hiking program, on Wednesday, Oct. 23, at 6:30 p.m., we will be welcoming Erik Schlimmer, hiker and founder of the Trans Adirondack Route. Erik designs sustainable trails

for federal, state, and private agencies. He will give a presentation highlighting the history, ecology and preservation of the Adirondack Park, as well as photographs of his personal trek traversing the entire park. The Trans-Adirondack Route is 235 miles long and climbs 25,000 vertical feet from end-to-end. It begins in Ellenburg Center, N.Y., just nine miles from Canada and ends near the small settlement of Lassellsville, N. Y. Some highlights of the route include Whiteface Mountain, the Cold River, the Cedar River, Long Lake, Catamount Mountain, and the High Peaks. His guidebook and maps will also be available, so you can follow his footsteps across the largest park in the United States.

Book sale success

The Voorheesville Library wanted to send out a big thank you to the

entire community! Our annual fall book sale was a huge success this year, thanks to all of the used books, cd's and dvd's so generously donated by our neighbors. A special thanks to all of the volunteers who tirelessly worked to sort and box and stack countless items, day after day. And a heartfelt thank you to FOL President, Sherry Burgoon, for her above and beyond efforts that made this the best booksale ever!

Hall Gallery

Be sure to stop in and admire the works of our October artist of the month, Barbara Meilinger. Barbara has graciously agreed to display her incredible quilt collection. You won't want to miss it!

A harvest of autumn activities at library

"Autumn carries more gold in its pocket than all the other seasons."

— Jim Bishop

Supervisor to be guest reader

Be part of a record-setting reading day at the Library during Positively Preschool this Thursday, Oct. 3. Join the library to participate in Read for the Record, an effort to read the same book on the same day all across the country. Read for the Record is a campaign to draw attention to the importance early childhood education.

Supervisor Stephen Flach will read "Otis," by Lauren Long. Find out how Otis, a fun-loving red tractor, finds his way after a new tractor

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replaces him.

So, make history with Otis and your little one! Storytime will begin at 10:30 a.m. at the library — no registration is required.

Making faces this Saturday

October's First Saturday/ First Monday activity for 8-to-12 year olds will launch your Halloween preparations! Kids will use professional-quality art software to create a variety of cartoon faces. They will each print their favorite and add a body to make

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Healthy Living Center debuts

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Over the past year, working with community leaders, Hannaford Supermarkets and CDPHP, the Capital District YMCA has developed a one-of-a-kind community health center.

The new Healthy Living Center at the Albany Hannaford Supermarket on Central Avenue will have a grand opening on Saturday, Oct. 5.

The Healthy Living Center will serve the community with programs and services designed to help people live healthier, happier lives. From our Diabetes Prevention Program to Pedaling for Parkinson's,



people will have access to help where life finds them, in their own community. If you are in the area of the Central Avenue Hannaford, please stop by and check out the Y's Healthy Living Center.

Fall program registration

The registration period for YMCA fall programs begins October 14th. Signing up for exercise programs at the Y is a great way to stay in shape if you have been working out regularly, or they can be a wonderful start to turning over a bright new leaf and leading a healthier lifestyle.

Healthy Family Month

Many activities are advertised as being 'fun for the whole family,' including going to the movies, the circus, going to the park or a special event. During Healthy Family Month in October, set aside some time to bring your whole family to the Bethlehem YMCA and enjoy swimming in the pool, ice skating, or playing games in the gym. Fun for the whole family can also be healthy for the whole family.

Member picnic a success

More than 600 members of the Bethlehem YMCA attended the annual Member Appreciation Picnic and enjoyed games, free food, music and more.

Get your flu and shingles vaccines at the library

Price Chopper Pharmacy has partnered with the Guiderland Public Library to offer both the Flu and Shingles vaccines at the Library on Thursday, Oct. 10, from noon to 4 p.m.

Did you know that one in three people will experience shingles in their lifetime? As you're probably aware, shingles is caused by the same virus that causes chickenpox. The virus lays dormant in your body and may re-erupt as shingles later in life. It can result in a painful rash, blisters, and possibly other complications. Your best prevention is to get vaccinated. The FDA-approved vaccine, Zostavax, is for individuals aged 50 or older and is covered by most health insurance and Medicare Part D plans. (Age requirements may apply in some cases.)

The same coverage applies for the flu vaccine, which the Centers for Disease Control recommends for everyone 6 months or older. For this clinic, Price Chopper can offer flu vaccines to anyone 19 and older. (Younger patients need to see their doctor.)

You must register to get vaccinated; please call 456-2400 x 2, or register online at bit.ly/Shingles-Flu-Clinic. After you register, Price Chopper Pharmacy will contact you for more information on your insurance coverage, and can tell you the cost of the vaccines if you do not have insurance.

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First Friday Family Film: "A Zambesian Adventure"

Set in a bustling bird city on the edge of the majestic Victoria Falls, the next First Friday Family Film, showing at 7 pm on October 4, is the story of Kai. This naïve but high-spirited young falcon travels to the bird city of "Zambezia" where he discovers the truth about his origins and, in defending the city, learns how to be part of a community.

The 2012 film is rated G, and just less than 90 minutes long. The free popcorn is rated Good, and the Helderberg Room's Big Screen is an ideal place to watch Kai do his thing.

Sensory Storytime

The next Sensory Storytime will be held on Wednesday, October 9, at 6:30 p.m. Held on the second Wednesday of every month, these sessions are designed for children with autism spectrum disorder, and a parent/caregiver. We share simple stories, and engage in sensory integration through games and crafts. Registration is required, so please call 456-2400 x 4 to attend.

Bystander: Tweens and Parents Reading Together

Students in grades 5 through 8 are invited

to come to the Library on Thursday, Oct. 10, at 6:30 pm, to participate in National Bullying Prevention Month by joining the parent/teen book discussion of Bystander. Local author James Preller will join us to explore the key issue raised in his acclaimed novel: how can a kid stop being a bystander without becoming a victim?

Registration required; please call 456-2400, ext. 4.

Better Books Sale

Don't worry if you missed the last Better Books Sale; the library has a whole new selection for you to choose from at the next sale on Saturday, Oct. 12, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. There's surely something that will catch your eye.

About the Library

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Mark Curiale
Public Information Officer
Guiderland Public Library

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a delightful Halloween decoration for the door. Choose either the 11 a.m. or the noon session on Saturday, Oct. 5, or the 5:30 p.m. session on Monday, Oct. 7. Register by calling the Library at 756-2053 or emailing info@rcscommunitylibrary.org.

Excel classes

October computer classes are an Excel extravaganza. Class size is limited, so you will get your questions answered. All classes are free and take place in the library. Registration is required; call 756-2053, or email info@rcscommunitylibrary.org

• **Intro to Excel spreadsheets:** Introduces the basic features of Microsoft Excel, a computer spreadsheet

program. Wednesday, Oct. 2, at 11 a.m. or Thursday, Oct. 3, at 6:30 p.m.

• **Excel clinic: Formatting:** Use basic formulas and create pleasing boxes and backgrounds for your lists and tables. Wednesday, Oct. 9 at 11 a.m. or Thursday, Oct. 10, at 6:30 p.m.

• **Excel clinic: Sorting and charts:** Add charts and sorting to your toolkit. Wednesday, Oct. 16, at 11 a.m. or Thursday, Oct. 17, at 6:30 p.m.

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Medicare appointments available

Janet Kiffney from the Albany County Health Insurance Counseling Program

will be in the Senior Office every Monday from Oct. 21 to Nov. 26. If you would like to schedule a free 1-hour appointment between 10:30-2:30, please call the Senior Office.

Art and culture

Seats are still available for a trip on Thursday, Oct. 17, to a show at the Albany Jewish Community Center called “Great Songs by the Great Songwriters.” The group will have lunch first at an area restaurant. Please call Cindy in the Senior Office for more information.

Thanksgiving dinner deliveries

Thanksgiving Day preparations are in the works by Equinox, Inc. for their 44th annual Equinox Thanksgiving Day Dinner. In order to get home delivery, we need to update our list of dinner recipients, so please contact the Senior Office to make your reservation by Nov. 8.

— Cindy Wadach,
Director of Senior Services

Bus trip to Proctors show

You will not want to miss the award winning production of “Sleeping Beauty-the Ballet” at Proctors Theater on Thursday, Oct. 17 at 8 p.m. The cost is \$30, payable to Town of Bethlehem. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176. to be added to the wait list. Senior transportation will leave Town Hall at about 6:30 p.m. Home pick up can be arranged. Suggested van donation: \$10.

It’s time for a Fall Nature Walk. On Fridays, Oct. 4, 11, and 18, we’ll go to Pine Hollow Arboretum in Slingerlands, 5 Rivers, or Normanskill Preserve. Wear good walking shoes and bring a bagged lunch and a water bottle. We’ll meet at the Town Hall at 9 a.m. For reservations or information, call Will Vail at 439-4955, ext.1173.

Enjoy shopping with us at Wal-Mart in Glenmont on Monday, Oct. 7. Call 439-5077 to arrange transportation.

Enjoy “Dinner Out” at the Bethlehem Grange on Saturday, Oct. 5. Dinner will feature country pulled pork with all the fixing’s. The cost is \$10, at the door. Senior transportation will leave Town Hall at about 3



p.m. Home pick up can be arranged. Suggested van donation: \$5. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176.

The Second Milers will meet on Wednesday, Oct. 9, at noon at the Normanside Country Club for lunch and a presentation by Jerry Dievendorf on “Butterflies and Moths of New Guinea.” New members can call Glen Cropsey at 862-0856 to make a reservation.

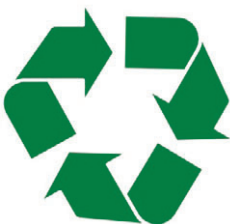
The Legal Services Program, staffed by the Legal Aid Society, will be available on Thursday, Oct. 10, between 10:30 a.m. and noon at the Bethlehem Town Hall. The program provides legal advice and service at no cost for residents of Albany County who are 60 years of age or older. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176, for an appointment.

Bethlehem Senior Citizens Club meets weekly on Thursdays for an enjoyable afternoon of games and socializing at the Bethlehem Town Hall auditorium, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar

from 11:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

Bethlehem Senior Transportation Service provides rides to medical, dental, therapy, and clinic appointments, grocery stores, and a variety of social and recreational programs. The Bethlehem Food Pantry offers assistance to those in need and accepts donations of non-perishable food, as well as paper and household products. Come to the Senior Office in Town Hall for a copy of our newsletter or visit the Senior Services website at townofbethlehem.org. You can also make an appointment for counseling on health insurance, housing issues, health and income related programs and heating costs support.

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Bethlehem Senior Projects, Inc. Board Member



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John and his wife Connie, a teacher, have lived in Bethlehem for 21 years and have two sons who are BC graduates now in college.



Elsmere Elementary earns top honor

School one of 18 in New York to be given Blue Ribbon designation

By MARCY VELTE
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The achievements of Bethlehem Central's Elsmere Elementary are being recognized at the federal level, as the school has been named a National Blue Ribbon school by the U.S. Department of Education.

Elsmere was one of 18 schools in the state to be recognized. In total, 236 public schools and 50 private schools were given the award this year.

"I am extremely proud that Elsmere Elementary has received an honor it so richly deserves," said BC Superintendent Thomas Douglas in a statement. "The faculty and staff at Elsmere are part of a strong network of educators and support staff here in Bethlehem who are dedicated and give their best every day to strengthen education for all students in the district."

The National Blue Ribbon Schools program honors public and private elementary, middle and high schools, where students perform at very high levels, according to the U.S. Department of Education.

Elsmere is considered an "Exemplary High Performing" school. This means Elsmere is among state's highest

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— Elsmere Principal
Kate Kloss

performing schools, as measured by state assessments. Schools are nominated by state education officials. The criteria they are judged on include performance on standardized tests from the previous year, essays written by faculty and staff and various other data about the school's demographics.

Elsmere Principal Kate Kloss said she believes Elsmere was selected in part because the school places a strong emphasis on family involvement and character education.

"We are a small school, so we know our students very well," she said. "I think all of those things together helped us to achieve the award."

The award program was first started 31 years ago, and since the Blue Ribbon has been presented to more than 7,500 schools across the state. Hamagrael Elementary won the award in 2009.

"We just learned that we won



Elsmere Elementary School was one of 18 schools in the state to be recognized this year by the U.S. Department of Education as a National Blue Ribbon School.

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the award last week, so we are all very excited," Kloss said.

The Elsmere principal said faculty and staff began writing essays as part of the application process last November. Some of the questions asked about community outreach, important education elements outside of the typical curriculum, such as character development, and math instruction.

"We would really like to emphasize how we (the staff) feel very fortunate to have such a strong relationship with our students' families and the community," said Kloss. "It really makes our job very enjoyable."

Kloss and another faculty member will travel to Washington, D.C. this November to accept the award

in person.

Douglas said the Elsmere faculty and staff is a group of professionals who have shown "particular grace under pressure in meeting the many requirements of recent education reform mandates."

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IDA approves trial webcasting plans

Bethlehem group reconsiders stance, OK six-month trial

By MARCY VELTE
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The Bethlehem Industrial Development Agency will begin webcasting its meetings this month with the approval of a six-month trial period.

The vote was held on Friday, Sept. 27, after recommendations were heard from the agency's Governance Committee. Town Supervisor John Clarkson had asked BIDA members in July to reconsider webcasting meetings in order to promote transparency.

Governance Committee Chairman Sam NeJame said the committee found only two IDAs in the state webcast their meetings. However, because members of the Town Board said they are in favor of having the BIDA webcast, the committee opted to weigh the pros and cons.

Some IDA members had previously said webcasting the meetings may limit open discussion among the agency's members, or that sound bites from the discussion could be taken out of context for political reasons. There was also the concern that webcasting the meetings may be a disadvantage for developers who are in the negotiation process because their competitors could easily watch the archived footage on the Internet.

The committee did like that IDA members would easily be able to re-watch meetings to remind themselves what was said during previous discussions. They also liked that with the webcasting system, a greater number of Bethlehem residents might opt to watch the meetings.

The agency eventually approved the committee's recommendation of a six-month trial period beginning in October. All regular meetings and public hearings will be webcast and archived on the town's website, much like Town Board meetings.

"I think some thought is going to go into analysis," said NeJame. "We want to know if this is benefiting the community, is this actually working and if there are additional pros and cons as a result."

Webcasting of the meetings will be handled by the town's existing system and will come at no cost to the agency.

Clarkson also urged that the agency once again consider being hosted on the town's new website. The IDA maintains a website separate from the town's domain. Clarkson said the new website is tentatively scheduled to go live in October.

"It will be much easier for residents to access," he said.

New executive director named

Bethlehem IDA members also voted to fill the executive director position left vacant by Mike Morelli when he retired in June.

Tom Connelly, the agency's former assistant executive director, will now take on the role.

"I am excited to be named executive director of the IDA and look forward to promoting the town's economic development strategy with new jobs and new capitol investments," he said.

Connelly said he was very familiar with the position's duties and he doesn't expect his day-to-day responsibilities to change.

In August, the Bethlehem Town Board unanimously voted to appoint former Deputy Planner Rob Leslie to fill the position of planning director. The town and IDA are now partnering to hire a part-time employee to focus on economic development.



Challenge accepted

The Colonie Youth Center's 10th annual Crossings 5K Challenge and Kids Run was held Sunday, Sept. 29, under sunny skies at the Rudy A. Ciccotti Family Recreation Center in Colonie. The event featured a 5K run, followed by a competitive 1-mile kids' run as well as a "fun run" for younger participants. Also on site were kids' activities, such as a bounce house and rock climbing wall. See more photos at spotlightnews.com.

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V'ville mayor's newsletter prompts backlash

Fresh wounds before ambulance contract negotiations, committee proposed

By JOHN PURCELL
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Tensions between Voorheesville officials and its local ambulance service were reignited after the mayor voiced concerns in the village's seasonal newsletter.

Voorheesville Area Ambulance Service members and residents packed the village Board of Trustees meeting Tuesday, Sept. 24. More than 40 people filled the chairs and overflowed into the hallway. The ambulance service rallied for supporters to attend the meeting in response to Mayor Robert Conway's comments in the village's one-page, double-sided newsletter, "The Village Report," mailed to residents. The majority of the newsletter consisted of Conway restating financial concerns the board has with its historic ambulance service provider.

Ambulance company members contested several statements made by Conway in the newsletter, which he said is aimed at making residents "aware of the facts and to, hopefully, clear up any misconception or misinformation."

Conway wrote of five instances in which the board felt the company didn't act as "fiscally prudent" as the board preferred, including

prior reluctance towards revenue recovery, losing an ambulance, inability to staff for 24/7 coverage, insisting on continued reserve account funding and not agreeing to include language in the village's contract to return a portion of its assets to the Voorheesville if the company dissolved. The last is the most recent contention resulting from this year's contract negotiations, which was completed recently.

VAAS recently submitted its proposed 2014 budget to the village, which is reduced 4 percent from this year's budget. Conway, in the village's newsletter, said the expenditure reduction was "good news," but suggested the decrease should be greater.

"We must bear in mind that the squad is on duty 35 percent fewer hours and answering an estimated 70 percent fewer calls," Conway wrote. "Picture what would happen if you told your employer that you would be working 35 percent less hours but still expected 96 percent of your pay."

He encouraged everyone to voice concerns or ask questions by attending board meetings, or contacting him, and that call was answered Tuesday.

"We're losing very, very good people because they don't want to deal with any of this," VAAS Treasurer Laura Blow said at the trustees meeting. "We are not wasting any taxpayer



Kathy Martin, a veteran member of the Voorheesville Area Ambulance Service, said a committee including ambulance, village and community representatives should be formed to evaluate what the village's future ambulance services.

Photos by John Purcell/Spotlight

money. We're not stealing money or blackmailing or sticking it to the village. We're doing the best we can on a volunteer squad with what we have to work with."

VAAS First Lt. Kate Odell read aloud the company's response letter to Conway's comments, in which it contested several statements he made.

Conway said costs associated with the ambulance service in the village's 2005-06 budget approached around 42.5 percent of the total taxes collected. Odell claimed this was inaccurate and said its proposed 2014 budget would be approximately 2.6 percent of the village's budget.

Voorheesville's adopted 2013-14 budget totals \$2.12 million and increases spending by around \$140,000, or 7 percent. The village is budgeted to

raise more than \$275,000 from taxes.

The company's proposed budget for next year is nearly \$90,250, which would be approximately 32 percent of real property taxes levied for 2013-14. The general fund — excluding water, sewer and special districts — totals more than \$1.4 million.

Odell also contested the loss of an ambulance, resulting in \$40,000 in taxpayer money being essentially thrown away.

VAAS retained a broker used for two prior ambulance purchases, but this time the broker took a current ambulance and cash deposit as down payment and pocketed the revenue. The broker died soon afterwards, leaving an estimated loss of \$40,000, according to Conway.

Odell said the ambulance manufacturer reduced the cost of the new vehicle purchased, so the "actual loss" was \$23,345. The company tapped reserve funds to cover the loss.

"Upon advice from our attorney at the time it was determined it would

be in the best interest not to pursue the lost funds," Odell said. "The cost of litigation would likely exceed any monies recovered."

Odell also said the "most recent" review of ambulance calls revealed 37 percent of their calls had occurred during weekdays from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m., which is when the county Sheriff's Office covers calls due to staffing issues at the local company. She added around 41 percent of calls occurred at night and 22.5 percent occur on weekends.

When asked by a resident, VAAS Board of Directors Chairwoman Denise Garrah said the company had around 150 calls last year in the village.

After the meeting, village officials remarked they had been asking for call figures for around three years, but never received anything. The estimate that claimed 70 percent of calls were from the daytime, weekday periods, were provided by Conway were from the Sheriff's Office.

The company's budget has remained fairly flat from 2002 to 2013, with a low of just below \$82,000 to a peak of almost \$99,500. VAAS's vehicle reserve account had \$165,000 in it this year, Conway said, and \$25,000 is reserved for capital projects.

"We are volunteers, so we never earn a paycheck," Odell said. "Our total budget reflects the cost of operating a BLS/EMS agency. If we had no calls for a given year ... our budget would remain the same for that given year, with the exception for fuel."

Marty Finkle, an officer with the New Salem Volunteer Fire Department, criticized board members for the "dollar and cents" issues

and said there would be "less response" if VAAS were dissolved.

"There is nothing where you guys want to put a dollar ahead of a life, and that is what you are doing here," Finkle said. "We're going to sit there and watch somebody bleed longer if Voorheesville (Area Ambulance Service) disappears, there is no question."

Kathy Martin, a veteran member of the ambulance company, expressed support for the village's contention over reserve funds, which was the primary sticking point in budget negotiations.

"I think it is a little ridiculous to argue over," Martin said. "I have to agree with the village that there is no reason why they need to continually give that amount of extra money at this time. If the money is needed all they have to do come to them and they can work having money ... for an extra ambulance."

Martin said the 10-year ambulance replacement recommendation expressed by company representatives also isn't necessary, because the ambulances don't get used every day and don't sustain the same amount of wear and tear.

One of her biggest concerns, though, is what each side is saying about the other publicly.

"In my opinion, it has gotten really into a pissing contest," Martin said.

Due to declining volunteerism, she said a committee should be established compromised of ambulance, village and community representatives to tackle what the future of ambulance services should be in the village.

"The time has come that volunteering isn't what it used to be and sooner or later we are going to have to make some changes," Martin said, "either by the way we do things with the existing ambulance or with some other kind of ambulance service."

Conway after the meeting said he would support establishing an advisory committee.

Contract negotiations are expected to start soon between the company and the Town of New Scotland, with the village planned to join in on talks. The contracts expire at the end of the year.

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Village targets two taps for shutoff

Voorheesville says leaky pipe has wasted more than 1 million gallons

By JOHN PURCELL
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Voorheesville officials have warned two village homeowners they could soon be without water after more than one million gallons of water has reportedly leaked from their connection since May.

The village sent notice via certified mail, dated Sept. 3, to two State Farm Road homeowners, Dominick Mariani and Lauri Sargent, that water service would be discontinued to each of their properties on Monday, Sept. 30. Repairs were made to the water pipe the weekend before the deadline, but the problem hasn't been completely addressed, according to village officials.

The village had

"We have asked them to fix it or address it, or even have a conservation about it, and they haven't."

— Voorheesville Mayor Robert Conway

previously informed both homeowners of the leaks in the shared line on June 5. Leaks have been an ongoing problem at the shared line.

Both letters stated village rules and regulations prohibit the "willful waste or use of water through improper or imperfect pipes" and asserted that no corrective action had been taken. The village also requires property owners to "protect and maintain" all water pipes on their property.

"We have asked them to fix it or address it, or even have a conservation about it, and they haven't," Mayor Robert Conway said during a Village Board of Trustees' workshop meeting Monday, Sept. 16.

Voorheesville Clerk Treasurer Linda Pasquali said the Marianis have since been in contact with the village. If plan is outlined with village officials, an extension could be granted.

Jennie Mariani, Dominick's wife, said on

Thursday, Sept. 26, they are working on resolving the problem, and declined a chance to further comment on the situation.

Pasquali said Public Works Superintendent William Smith informed village officials the Marianis had work done to fix the pipe, but it was were still leaking significantly.

Pasquali said the shared line was still leaking 5.8 gallons per minute, which totals to around 8,350 gallons daily. The total water bill for between the two homes has ballooned to \$12,000 since May, according to Pasquali.

A decision from the village board is forthcoming on what action will be taken, she said.

The village requires a minimum fee of \$150 to be paid in advance to cover 25,000 gallons of water use, and the out-of-village customer rate is double that amount. The prior rate before June 1 was \$130. After the initial fee, there are increasing rates for usage.

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Highlights from a half-century ago

From The Spotlight, Oct. 3, 1963

• The Bethlehem Town Board passed a no parking ordinance affecting both sides of Poplar Drive between Elsmere Avenue and Ridge Road to clear the way for firefighting equipment. Firefighters had complained that equipment leaving the Elsmere Fire Company firehouse was being delayed by parked cars.

• Residents of the Bethlehem Central School District will be able to speak at an Oct. 10 public hearing on a \$290,000 bond issue to expand, remodel and equip the Elsmere Elementary School. The plans call for an addition containing three classrooms, a warming kitchen, dining area, shower and locker room and a receiving room for equipment. Four-hundred-seven pupils are enrolled, and the district expects another 93 over the coming five years due to home construction in the Kenwood Avenue area.

• Bethlehem Community Ambassador Shirley Cunningham wrote about her 20-day tour of Turkey.

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Your Community in The Spotlight

Art in the Bethlehem Town Hall

An exhibition of artwork by members of Bethlehem Art Association will be on display at the Bethlehem Town Hall for the next two months. The show will feature work done in a variety of mediums by 19 local area artists.

The artists include: Leslie Berlinsky, Bev Braun, Theresa Corrigan, Lynne Dearstyne, Dorothea Foley, Nancy Gardner, Ray Henrickson, Darla Jowett, Peter Keitel, Michiko Kubotera, Penny Koburger, Bob Lynk, Barbara McGeachen, Marion Menna, Ellie Prakken, Judy Scanlon, Judy Selkirk, Loretta Simon and Diane Wozniak. The exhibit can be seen from Oct. 3 through Dec. 1. The works are for sale and can be purchased by contacting the individual artist.

The Bethlehem Art Association has been part of the community since 1966. It was formed to serve as a focal point for all forms of visual art activities. It also provides contacts among artists, and between artists and the public. A show in the Town Hall is a welcome exhibit for Bethlehem area artists.

The BAA's website, www.bethlehemartassociation.com, provides a convenient way to find out more about local artists. The website provides easy links to the personal sites of many of the Association's artists, lists where their works are currently on display in the area, and offers additional information to anyone who is interested in the visual arts.

Button Club to meet

The Half Moon Button Club will meet on Wednesday, Oct. 9, at 10 a.m. at the Bethlehem Library, 451 Delaware Avenue, Delmar.

The social time starts at 11 a.m. and the business meeting starts at noon followed by the program, which will be a presentation on wee people (fairies, leprechauns, gnome, etc.) buttons.

Bring a bag lunch. Dessert will be provided. For more information call Kathy at 393-3156 or Kirsti at 869-8125. Everyone is welcome.



Fire department to show off new station

An Open House will take place at the newly renovated Slingerlands Fire Station located at 1520 New Scotland Road in Slingerlands on Saturday, Oct. 5, from noon to 4 p.m. Events planned for the Open House start with the landing of the Life Net 7-1 medical helicopter around 11:45 a.m. The Albany County Sheriff's Office will be on site with their Child ID System and with information on the Yellow Dot Program for seniors. The NYS OFPC Fire Safety Trailer will be on site and staffed for the kids. Also scheduled are hands-only CPR demonstrations, a live burn of an 8x8 room and an extrication (Jaws of Life) demonstration. Light food will be served at the pavilion. The event is open to the public and is free of charge. The newly completed renovations and additions to the building, designed by Mitchell Associates Architects of Voorheesville, will be recognized with a ribbon cutting ceremony at noon. Changes to the 1960s vintage station include two new bays, lengthening of the existing three bays, additional firematic support spaces, and a day room.

Before (above) and after photos submitted by Slingerlands FD

Food and Fellowship

The Food and Fellowship Luncheon program at the New Baltimore Reformed Church, located on the corner of Route 144 and Church Street in the hamlet, begins once again, and the first event will be Wednesday, Oct. 9, from noon to 2 p.m.

The menu will feature roast pork, sweet potatoes, green beans and spice cake for dessert. Entertainment will be provided by Steve Schwebler One Man Band playing many favorite selections as well as special pieces dedicated to the theme: Birthdays Throughout the Year.

The luncheon is open to all members of the community. To facilitate with planning, reservations are encouraged. Call the church office at 756-8764 and leave your name, contact number and the number of reservations you are making for this Oct. 9 meal.

Additionally, if you require transportation, leave that information as well. Dining space is limited to 60 seats.

Free will offerings are graciously accepted to offset food costs.

'Celebrate Life' concert

Sunday, Oct. 6, 4 - 5:30 p.m. at Clarksville Community Church, Delaware Turnpike, Clarksville. Free-will offering for the church. Refreshments will be served after the program. All are welcome.

Popular, show tunes, Beatles, Christian and classical music.

Sunday morning breakfast

On Sunday, Oct. 6, at the Onesquethaw Fish & Game Club, 2032 Tarrytown Road, Feura Bush, NY there will be a breakfast from 7:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. The breakfast will include, plain, blueberry and whole wheat pancakes, eggs, bacon, home fries, toast, sausage. The cost will be \$8 for adults, \$5 for 6 to 10 yrs and 5 and under free. Take outs are available by calling 526-8721 the morning of the breakfast.

Old Field Trail walk at Five Rivers

A naturalist's tour of the Old Field Trail will be conducted at the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation's Five Rivers Environmental Education Center, 56 Game Farm Road, Delmar on Saturday, Oct. 5, at 10 a.m.

Join us for a hike through the meandering wilds of the Old Field Trail, visiting forest, shrub, prairie and pond habitats while enjoying the fall weather and colors. Trail distance is about one mile. Please bring drinking water and wear comfortable closed-toe footwear.

This program is open to the public free of charge. In the event of inclement weather, this program may be cancelled. Please call 475-0291 for more information.

Five Rivers Environmental Education Center is a designated New York State Watchable Wildlife site,

where wildlife viewing opportunities abound. Learn more by visiting "Watchable Wildlife" at www.dec.ny.gov.

Study strategies outlined

Randy L. Cale, a psychologist and parenting expert, will host an informative workshop for families where he will discuss ways to eliminate homework battles and employ strategies at home to get students on track for success in 2013-14. The event will take place on Tuesday, Oct. 8, at 7 p.m. at Bethlehem Central Middle School.

Cale will also be hosting five informal sessions entitled "Coffee with Cale" at the district's five elementary schools beginning in November.

Mountain biking at Thacher Park

An intermediate mountain biking program will be held at Thacher Park on Saturday, Oct. 5,

from 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

Develop your riding technique, make new friends and become acquainted with Thacher Park's diverse trail system. A brief orientation will be followed by a guided ride on some of the park's choice biking trails. A reliable bicycle, a helmet, and some riding proficiency are required for this physically demanding program. Content is aimed at experienced mountain bikers. Appropriate for ages 16 and up. Call 872-0800 to register and for meeting place.

Road project under way in Altamont

The state Department of Transportation began a paving project on Altamont Boulevard (Route 156) in Altamont on Monday, Sept. 30.

The project is targeted for a one-mile stretch of road just south of the road's intersection with Main Street (Route 146) at the village's center. Motorists should expect

delays in this area.

During the first phase, which is expected to last for less than a week, the road will be milled, according to information from the DOT. Within the following two weeks, workers are scheduled to have installed new asphalt on the stretch of road.

Single lane closures will accompany the work.

Turkey supper on Saturday

There will be a turkey supper at Jerusalem Reformed Church on Saturday, Oct. 5, from 4 to 6:30 p.m.

The menu will include turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, corn, rolls, coffee, tea, milk, iced tea, and lemonade along with choices of many delicious homemade desserts.

Free will donations accepted. Take outs are available.

Jerusalem Reformed Church is located at Route 32 in Feura Bush.

Homemade baked goods and craft items will also be for sale.

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Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF METALS INDUSTRIES ADVISORY GROUP LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/10/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 244 5th Ave. #C-132, NY, NY 10001. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89439(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF TRAIL BLAZERS INK LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/10/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: PO Box 426, Beacon, NY 12508. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89440(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF SKIMEGAMEETUP.COM LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/10/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 145 W. 67 St. #9G, NY, NY 10023. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89442(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF BONTEMPO ASSOCIATES LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/11/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 1582 Moffitt Ave., Hewlett, NY 11557. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89443(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF AMABELL LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/11/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 177 N. Marginal Rd., Jericho, NY 11753. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89444(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF CRANE MEDICAL DISTRIBUTORS, LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/12/13. Office location:

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Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 64-52 213 St, Bayside, NY 11364. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89445(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION of JT RESEARCH, LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/ Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/14/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 54 Prince St. #4F, NY, NY 10012. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89446(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF AIDAN KEOGH LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/18/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 229 E. 89 St. #5FW, NY, NY 10128. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89447(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION of MEANJEEN LLC Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/25/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 756 Myrtle Ave. #3B, Bklyn, NY 11206. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89448(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION of 1231 LAWRENCE LLC Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/27/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 79 Heisser Ct., Farmingdale, NY 11735. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89449(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF SECURETRUST USA LLC Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/26/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 54 Diamond St., Bklyn, NY 11222 Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89317(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION of RED DUCK HOLDINGS LLC Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/15/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: Brodsky LLC, 305 Broadway, 14th Fl., NY, NY 10007. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89318(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of RMA BRANDS LLC. Arts. of Org.

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was filed with SSNY on 8/16/13. 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 Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 89319(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of LRP CONSTRUCTION CONSULTANT LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 8/16/13. 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 Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 89320(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF SECURETRUS T USA MGMT LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/2/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 54 Diamond St., Bklyn, NY 11222. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89340(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF RELIC PICTURES LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/11/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 154 W. 70 ST. #12L, NY, NY 10023. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89341(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION of 41-12 162 REALTY LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/24/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 229 Dogwood Rd., Valley Stream, NY 11580. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89342(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION of ASARA LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/25/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: PO Box 11, Bronx, NY 10461. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89343(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION of NINE DRAGONS RETAIL EQUITIES 149TH LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/7/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 54 Diamond St., Bklyn, NY 11222. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89344(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION of MATRIX CLEANING SERVICES LLC Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/8/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 158 E. 107 ST. #3B, NY, NY 10029. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89345(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION OF SACRED GROUND CASUAL KITS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/25/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 117-04 109 Ave., S. Ozone Pk., NY 11420. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89346(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: NARDINI DESIGN, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 7/29/2013. 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 the process to the LLC c/o Lauren Palmer, Cioffi Slezak Wilgrube P.C., 2310 Nott St. E., STE 1, Niskayuna, New York 12309. Purpose: For any lawful purpose. 89347(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of an LLC: HPM-E LLC Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on July 16, 2013. Office location is in Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be served, SSNY shall mail a copy of Process to the LLC, at 20 Corporate Woods Blvd., Albany, NY 12211. Purpose: for any lawful purpose. 89348(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation O.N.P. Properties LLC Application for Authority filed with SSNY on 8/19/13. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. Arts. of Org. filed with SSFL on 10/3/2012. 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. Address required to be maintained in FL: 400 Kings Point Dr., #104, Sunny Isles Beach, FL 33160. Name and address of the authorized officer in FL where copy of Arts. of Org. is filed: Florida Secretary of State, Division of Corporations, Clifton Building, 2661 Executive Center Circle, Tallahassee, FL 32301. Purpose: all lawful activities. 89349(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Green Sea Group LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/20/2013 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o the LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. 89350(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF QUALIFICATION OF KUB CAPITAL LLC. Appl. for Auth. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 6/26/13. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 4/26/13. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 90 State St., #700, Ofc. 40, Albany, NY 12207 DE address of LLC: 1209 Orange St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Art. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St. Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19904. 89351(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Section 206
NOTICE OF FORMATION of STYLERARE LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/8/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 110 Broadway #305, Bklyn, NY 11249. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 89352(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company (LLC) Name: MacFawn LLC Articles of Organization filed by the Department of State of New York on: 08/15/2013 Office location: County of Albany. Principal business location: 1583 Central Avenue Albany, NY 12205 Purpose: any and all lawful activities. Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: 100 Great Oaks Blvd. Suite 121 Albany, NY 12203 89353(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SS 181AR LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 8/16/13. 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 Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 89355(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of Red Mortgage Capital, LLC. App. for Auth. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/15/13. Office location: Albany County. LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 5/4/10. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Capitol Services, Inc., 1218 Central Ave., Ste. 100, Albany, NY 12205. DE address of LLC: 1675 South State St., Ste. B, Dover, DE 19901. Arts. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Federal St., Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: any lawful act or activity 89356(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: 907 OCEAN REEF, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, July 29, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Schenectady County.

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Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 1 Regina Drive, Schenectady, NY 12303. 89364(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: 856 LONG BAY, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, July 29, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Schenectady County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 1 Regina Drive, Schenectady, NY 12303. 89365(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Publication Notice of Organization of Limited Liability Company
FIRST: The name of the Limited Liability Company is IHRP, LLC. (hereinafter referred to as the "Company").
SECOND: The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed with the New York Secretary of State on August 8, 2013.
THIRD: The County within New York State in which the office of the Company is to be located is ALBANY.
FOURTH: The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail process is P.O. Box 3 Voorheesville, NY 12186
FIFTH: The purposes of the business of the Company is The Company's purpose is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the New York Limited Liability Law. 89366(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Dormer's Opportunity, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 3/22/12. 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. 89261(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of Quantum Returns Club, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 1/25/12. 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. 89262(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of Dormer Medical Skincare LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 10/30/12. 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. 89263(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of Quantman, LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 2/7/11. Office loca-

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tion: 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. 89264(D)

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Notice of Formation of ALDMD Company LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 4/5/13. 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 Arnold R. Dormer, III, 12 E. 71st St., NY, NY 10021. Purpose: any lawful activities. 89265(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Notice of Qual. of Legent Comm LLC, Auth. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 6/6/13. Office loc.: Albany County. LLC org. in NV 3/30/13. SSNY desig. as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of proc. to 147 Barrett St., Schenectady, NY 12305. NV off. addr.: 500 N. Rainbow Blvd., Ste. 300A, Las Vegas, NV 89107. Art. of Org. on file: SSNV, 101 N. Carson St., Carson City, NV 89701. Purp.: any lawful activities. 89266(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Laning Insurance Agency, LLC, LLC was filed with the SSNY on 08/19/2013. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. The P.O. address which SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC served upon him: Gary Cardella, Laning Insurance Agency, LLC, 176 Laning Street, Southington, CT 06489. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 89267(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: PARK SOUTH PARTNERS LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State 8/13/2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to c/o Tri City Rentals, 255 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany NY 12205. 89268(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of ARI-EMMA'S ITALIAN DELI, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 8/21/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 89269(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Notice of Formation of SOUCCARKORKHOVA LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 8/12/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose:

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(October 2, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY.NAME: ZAMEK CONSULTANTS, LLC. Articles of organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/21/2013. 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 the process to the LLC c/o Michelle H. Wildgrube, Esq., Cioffi Slezak Wildgrube P.C., 2310 Nott St. E., STE 1, Niskayuna, New York 12309. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.
89273(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of a Limited Liability Company (LLC): Name: Adirondack Transport LLC, Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 8/21/2013. 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: C/O Adirondack Transport LLC, 28 Quail Hollow Road, Glenmont, NY, 12077. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Latest date upon which LLC is to dissolve: No specific date.
89274(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Basha LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/21/2013 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.
89275(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation B Grace Realty LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/23/2013 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.
89278(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of KLPBPC PROPERTIES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/12/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 40 Continental Avenue, Cohoes, NY 12047. Purpose: any lawful activity.
89279(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Cox Private Wealth Management, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/23/2013 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.
89280(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Personalitini LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/28/2013 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process

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may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o the LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities.
89183(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation eAppWorld LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/29/2013 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.
89184(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 7801 OWNERS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 8/27/13. 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.
89185(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION OF EMENIUS SLEEPUS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 7/13/12. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 90 Butler St. #2, Bklyn, NY 11231. Purpose: Any lawful activity. Current name of LLC: HOPE MANAGEMENT CONSULTING, LLC.
89186(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 2000 L EAT Owner L.L.C. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/26/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, the registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity.
89195(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 2000 L EAT II L.L.C. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/26/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, the registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity.
89196(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 2000 L EAT I L.L.C. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/26/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, the registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity.
89197(D)
(October 2, 2013)

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: Clique

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Studio, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/16/13. 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, c/o Genine Gullickson, 1524 Myron Street, Schenectady, NY 12309 . Purpose: For any lawful purpose.
89198(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: iceDreamApp LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, August 26, 2013. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: Schenectady County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to c/o Aaron Sternlicht, 123 Partridge Run, Niskayuna, New York 12309.
89199(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Cinderella's Flats LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/30/2013 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.
89119(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SPV 2, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/29/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: One Juniper Drive, Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: any lawful activity.
89120(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of EAST ORANGE FACILITY LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 9/4/13. 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.
89122(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation: Turn-around Guys LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 7/23/2013. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o the LLC, 17 Gabriel Way, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: all lawful activities.
89123(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION OF FLY LIKE THE WIND LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/3/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: Brodsky LLC, 305 Broadway, 14 Fl., NY, NY 10007. Purpose: Any lawful activity.
89126(D)
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of GOING TO PASALACQUA LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/3/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: Brodsky LLC, 305 Broadway, 14 Fl., NY, NY 10007. Purpose: Any lawful activity.
89127(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

EPIC MOLD SOLUTIONS, LLC, a domestic LLC, filed with the SSNY on 8/21/13. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 224 Shirlwood Dr., Rotterdam, NY 12306. General Purposes.
89128(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of KATZKE & MORGENBESSER LLP. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 9/4/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLP whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLP, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.
89129(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Jackson Avenue EAT L.L.C. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/3/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o CT Corporation System, 111 8th Ave., NY, NY 10011, the registered agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful activity.
89130(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION IN NEW YORK BY A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Name: 2AW LLC. Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY(SOS) on 9/4/13. Office location: Schenectady County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to 2917 Rosendale Road, Niskayuna, NY 12309. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.
88965(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: RawVive, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/12/13. 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, c/o Jaime Pallotolo, 165 Droms Road, Glenville, New York 12302. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.
88967(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Name: Burdeck Street Management, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 9/5/2013. Office location: Schenectady County. SSNY has been designated agent of the LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY

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shall mail a copy of the process to The DeLorenzo Law Firm, LLP located at 670 Franklin Street, Suite 100, Schenectady, New York 12305. Purpose: any lawful purpose.
88968(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 233 WEST 137TH STREET, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 9/5/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.
88970(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of 534 IMPERIAL PLACE, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on August 7, 2013. Office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC, at 4 Kennedy Place, Cohoes, New York 12047. The purposes of the LLC are to engage in any lawful purposes; to incur indebtedness, secured and unsecured; to enter into and perform contracts and agreements of any kind necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the business of the LLC; and to carry on any other activities necessary to, in connection with or incidental to the foregoing, as the Members in their discretion may deem desirable.
88971(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF SEVENCATS GALERIE LLC On August 29, 2013, Articles of Organization of SevenCats Galerie LLC were filed with the Secretary of State of the State of New York. The office of the NY limited liability company is located in Albany County. The SSSNY is designated as the agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served and the post office address within New York State to which the SSSNY shall mail a copy of any process against it served upon him or her is c/o Scheuermann & Scheuermann, LLP, 3 Park Edge Lane, Delmar, NY 12054. The purpose of the limited liability company is for any lawful business purpose or purposes.
88972(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of D2M2 LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 9/6/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.
88978(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Chinatown True Care Medical, PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 07/17/13. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 139 Centre St., Ste. 711, NY, NY 10013. Purpose: Medicine
88979(D)
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Flushing True Care Medical, PLLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 07/17/13. Off. Loc.: Albany co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 42-35 Main St., Ste 3N, Flushing, NY 11355. Purpose: Medicine
88980(D)
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Curson 2E, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 08/21/13. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 2 Rector St., Ste 1202, NY, NY 10006. General Purpose.
88981(D)
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LEGAL NOTICE

Merchant Capital Network LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 08/23/13. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 2020 Ave V, Apt 1G, Brooklyn, NY 11229. General Purposes.
88982(D)
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LEGAL NOTICE

14th Street Vision Express, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 09/04/13. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 20 W 14th St., NY, NY 10011. General Purpose.
88983(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

AGS Realty, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 08/30/13. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 1900 Quentin Rd., Apt E3, Brooklyn, NY 11229. General Purposes.
88984(D)
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LEGAL NOTICE

Bajilio Consulting LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 09/09/13. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. as agt. upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 51-60 Van Kleeck St., Apt 4G, Elmhurst, NY 11373. General Purposes.
88985(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 686-690 BAY REALTY, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 9/10/13. 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.
88990(D)
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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Yankee Distillers LLC, Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 8/19/13. 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 1 Stonehenge, 9-B, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose: any lawful activities.
88992(D)
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Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company

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Name: Paradise Pet Salon LLC. Articles of organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on July 17, 2013. 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 the process to the LLC to: Paradise Pet Salon LLC, 165 Freemans Bridge Road, Glenville NY 12302. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.
88993(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: HYAB LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, September 13, 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 Apt. 630, 420 Sand Creek Road, Albany, NY 12205.
88994(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of SRB Global Partners, LLC Arts. Of Org. filed with NY Secy. Of State (SSNY) on 08/21/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 249 Westchester Drive South Delmar, NY 12054. Purpose: any lawful activity.
88995(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of FIELD TRIP VENTURES LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 9/11/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.
88996(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CLEVER CONSULTING, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 9/11/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.
88912(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: FREE STYLE FITNESS & YOGA CENTER, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 09/03/13. 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, 1092 Alheim Drive, Schenectady, New York 12304. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.
88913(D)
(October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Ainsworth Pain Management & Rehabilitation, PLLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 9/12/2013. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as

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group on consignment. The church is then able to pay back the farm based on what they sell.

The McKownville United Methodist Church Pumpkin Patch is its 14th year. Angela Stott, James’ wife, said the event started as a small fundraiser for the church. It has since grown by leaps and bounds.

In 1999, the church

grossed about \$7,000. Now, the whole community looks forward to the Patch and about \$30,000 worth of pumpkins are typically sold. The church gets to keep 40 percent, which goes toward its mission scholarship programs.

Mission trips have been funded to places like Haiti and Long Island in previous years. The church also sent a peace ambassador to Ireland. One of the church’s most recent trips was local, when church members

“The connections we’ve made are really what stands out.”

— James Stott,
Pumpkin Patch co-organizer

took shifts helping Schoharie residents rebuild their community after Tropical Storm Irene.

Visiting the Pumpkin Patch has developed into a tradition for those in the community.

“The connections

we’ve made are really what stands out,” said Angela Stott. “Last year, I was talking with a customer about what the profits were for and he was so impressed he looked for more information to see how he could help. The man turned out to be in construction and he

inspired his crew to go to Schoharie and volunteer, so we helped inspire that, too.”

The annual Pumpkin Festival will take place on Saturday, Oct. 5, and will feature Brooks BBQ, a vendor fair and activities for children. The Pumpkin Patch sale is open every day until Oct. 31. The patch is open Monday through Friday 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Sundays from noon to 6 p.m., all month long.

The church will be

selling about 3,000 pumpkins in various sizes and colors.

This year, a prize-winning pumpkin was taken from the pile by a church member and placed on a tree stump to remain, unsold, for the entirety of the event as a memorial to Ben. With bowed heads, the group stood around the truck for a quiet moment before unloading began.

“Let’s have a moment of silence for Ben,” said Stott.

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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. 88914(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of Gladys, LLC. Articles of Org. filed with NY Secretary of State (NS) on 09/09/2013, office location: Albany County, NS is designated as agent upon whom process may be served, NS shall mail service of process (SOP) to Registered Agents Inc. @ 90 State St, STE 700 Office 40. Registered Agents Inc. is designated as agent for SOP at 90 State St, STE 700 Office 40, purpose is any lawful purpose. 88853(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of HEL FITNESS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 5/20/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 88855(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a license, number 2190049 for beer, liquor, and wine has been applied for by the undersigned to sell beer, liquor, and wine at retail in a restaurant under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law at 99 Pine Street/ 55 N Pearl Street Albany, NY 12207, Albany County for on premise consumption. 88856(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). The name of the LLC is Steve Casey Landscaping, LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on September 12, 2013. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The Address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 10 Cavesson Lane, Colonie, NY 12205. 88857(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Qualification of WOMEN IN THE WORLD MEDIA, LLC. Authority filed with Secy. Of State of N.Y. (SSNY) on 8/30/13. Office location: Albany County, LLC formed in Delaware (DE) on 8/20/13. SSNY designated as agent of

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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. 88858(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation Hard G LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 9/18/2013 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. 88781(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of SHERMAN PARKING MANAGEMENT LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/12/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 1078 Dobbs Ferry Rd., White Plains, NY 10607. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 88783(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of 1318 HALSEY STREET LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/20/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 600 Asylum Ave. #609, Hartford, NY 06105. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 88784(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of SUNSHINE KISSED WEST MUSIC LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/21/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 257 E. 61 St. #4D, NY, NY 10165. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 88785(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of JAMKER CAPITAL LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/ Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/21/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 4919 Goodridge Ave., Bronx, NY 10471. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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88786(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of RADESKY & MARYANN’S LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 8/21/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 398 Oliver Pl. #4D, Bronx, NY 10458. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 88787(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of BACZONE, LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/4/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 892 Union St., Bklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 88788(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of THE SURFACE PASS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/3/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 3034 Grand Concourse #C35, Bronx, NY 10458. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 88789(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of GIORLAN STONE LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/3/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 20 Giordan Ct., Staten Island, NY 10303. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 88790(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of FLEURISHNYC, LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/3/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 50 W. 127 St. #4C, NY, NY 10027. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 88791(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Section 206 NOTICE OF FORMATION of STATIC 1 INDUSTRIES LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 9/6/13. Office location:

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Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 465 W. 166 St. #5B, NY, NY 10032. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 88792(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of J4 REALTY LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 9/19/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 88795(D) (October 2, 2013)

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FKILIN GO ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION IN NEW YORK BY A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Name: CapitalCare Holdings, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY(SOS) on 9/20/13. Office location: Albany County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. .SOS shall mail copy of process to 501 New Karner Road, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity. 88797(D) (October 2, 2013)

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Vellano

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Vellano wasn't selected in April's NFL Draft. In fact, it took Vellano until the end of April to receive a contract offer from the Patriots.

Vellano certainly deserved a look from NFL teams coming out of the University of Maryland. He had 94 total tackles during his junior season in 2011, and he added 63 tackles and a career-high six sacks for the Terrapins last season. His junior season statistics earned him first team All-Atlantic Coast Conference and All-American honors.

Still, Vellano didn't get a call until after the draft ended. And in the NFL, going undrafted makes the road to playing in the league that much harder. An undrafted player has to compete against both veterans and those selected in the draft, and they're usually among the first to be released in training camp. Basically, there are no guarantees for an undrafted player.

However, Patriots' head coach Bill Belichick saw something in Vellano because he kept Vellano on the roster when the final cuts were made. In the cut-throat world of the NFL, that's a huge victory for Vellano in itself.

Now, Vellano may be on the verge of another breakthrough. That is, only if the Patriots don't go out and either trade for or sign a veteran defensive tackle to replace Wolfork. This being written on a Monday, there is always a chance the Patriots will look for reinforcements from outside the organization by Tuesday.

Even so, you can bet that Vellano will continue to play a significant role for the Patriots this season. He already has.

On the other side of the spectrum, Guilderland High School graduate Drew Smith was back at his alma mater last Friday night watching the Dutchmen beat Shaker 31-28 in overtime. The running back looked like he was going to have a shot to stick on an NFL roster as an undrafted player until he injured his thumb during a Buffalo Bills' preseason

game. Rather than place Smith on injured reserve, the Bills released him.

The move came as a surprise, since the Bills offered Smith a three-year contract before he suited up for rookie mini-camp in May. NFL teams don't usually offer undrafted rookies a three-year deal unless they believe they will be good.

The Bills may come to regret dropping Smith from their roster. Smith's collegiate stats at the University at Albany (4,721 all-purpose yards, 45 touchdowns, two consecutive 1,000-yard rushing seasons) and his pro day effort in March (4.53-second 40-yard dash) should still carry some weight among other NFL teams. And if Smith gets into the right situation, he could find himself on an NFL field before the end of the season. After all, there are plenty of teams in the league that could use help at running back.

It may take a little more time for Smith to realize his NFL dream than Vellano, but the opportunity is there. All he needs is one team to call him.

Lady Dutch prevail in OT

Oliver's goal gives Guilderland a win over Saratoga

By SPORTS STAFF
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The Guilderland girls soccer team escaped Saturday's Suburban Council showdown with Saratoga Springs with a 1-0 overtime victory.

Emma Oliver scored off Rebecca Golderman's pass in the extra period to help the Lady Dutch (9-1-0) edge a stubborn Saratoga (4-4-1) squad. Guilderland held an 18-12 advantage in shots, but Saratoga goalkeeper Carly Slade made eight saves to keep the

Blue Streaks in the game. Goaltenders Carli Weinberg and Taylor Dorado each made three saves for Guilderland.

The Lady Dutch entered Saturday's game off a 3-0 victory over Suburban Council South Division rival Mohonasen last Thursday.

Oliver scored twice, and Emily Center added a goal for Guilderland, which out-shot Mohonasen 11-4.

Elsewhere in the Suburban Council, Bethlehem (5-4-0) had a two-game winning streak snapped with a 1-0 loss to Shaker Saturday in Delmar.

Maggie Iveson scored in the first half off a pass

from Kate Essepian, and goaltender Colleen Felt made it stand with eight saves for the Blue Bison (5-3-1).

Bethlehem goaltender Miranda Manzano stopped seven shots in the loss.

The Lady Eagles picked up a 3-1 overtime victory at Colonie last Thursday. Kaleigh Fowler's second-half goal tied the score at 1-1 for Colonie before Bethlehem scored twice in the first overtime period to pull out the win.

Grace Hotaling, Shannon Russo and Samantha Taillon each scored a goal for Bethlehem. Manzano made nine saves to pick up the win.

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Cahill, sophomore outside hitter Aaron Carrk and senior setter Kevin Mahar, whom Wood said was the on-court leader.

"He runs the court very well just by his demeanor - how he carries himself - and what he expects from everybody else," Wood said of Mahar.

Carrk, Sica and Cahill are part of a long list of contributors at the net for Bethlehem that also includes senior Joe Foley

and junior Ryan Sheffer. "It's just been a nice distribution (of scoring) this year," said Wood. "I don't think anybody has been able to focus on any one guy."

Carrk is also developing into one of the best servers in the Suburban Council, said Wood.

"He's got a great jump serve," said Wood. "It's still a work in progress, but the hard work is starting to show itself."

Wood said he's hopeful Bethlehem's performance at Saturday's mid-season tournament will set up the

Eagles for another strong finish.

"I think our defense is something we need to continue to work on because we're such a good offensive team," said Wood. "I think that's something that can help us become a stronger team in Sectionals."

Following Tuesday's match against Shaker, the Eagles meet Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake Thursday. They needed all three sets to defeat the Spartans in the championship match of Saturday's mid-season tournament.

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touchdown pass to Mike Mainella with 53.9 seconds left in the fourth quarter to tie the score at 28-28.

Woods replaced Jason Natale at the start of the fourth quarter when Natale re-injured his leg. Woods completed six of his 14 pass attempts for 110 yards, including the game-tying touchdown.

“Matt Woods came into a tough spot, and he did a great job of making plays,” said Sheeler.

Guilderland quarterback Frank Gallo wasn’t his usual efficient self against Shaker’s aggressive pass defense. Gallo completed only 25 of his 46 passes, but it was good for 260 yards and helped set up all of the Dutchmen’s touchdowns.

“The (offensive) line blocked well against a great Shaker defense,” said Penna.

Jake Smith was the primary beneficiary of Gallo’s passes, as he compiled 126 receiving yards. But it was Henningham who took advantage of Gallo’s arm, as he capped three Guilderland drives with touchdown runs.

“A lot of teams underestimate us, but we can beat anybody,” said Henningham.

Henningham got Guilderland on the scoreboard midway through the first quarter with a 1-yard touchdown run. Gallo drove the Dutchmen deep inside Shaker territory with a long pass to Smith and a swing pass to Brad Johnston that Johnston converted into a 29-yard gain.

Shaker responded quickly on its next series. Deven Koehler’s 64-yard run and a 20-yard pass from Natale to Andrew Bolton brought the Blue Bison to Guilderland’s 1-yard line. Natale finished the series with a 1-yard scoring plunge to tie the score at 7-7.

Shaker’s defense came up big on Guilderland’s ensuing series when it stopped the Dutchmen inches away from a first down on a fourth-down play at the Blue Bison’s 26-yard line. Natale turned around and connected with Kevin Egan on a 74-yard touchdown pass to give the Blue Bison a 14-7 lead 17 seconds into the second quarter.

Guilderland caught a break later in the second quarter when it recovered a fumbled punt return at Shaker’s 20-yard line. Five plays later, Henningham scored on a 2-yard run to pull the Dutchmen even at 14-14.

Guilderland regained the lead when Henningham broke through for a 16-yard touchdown run with 1:36 left in the third quarter, but it was short

lived. Shaker needed two plays in 35 seconds to pull even at 21-21 – Bolton’s 29-yard run into Dutchmen territory, and Koehler’s 36-yard scoring scamper.

Gallo appeared to throw a 16-yard touchdown pass to Smith early in the fourth quarter, but the referee ruled that Smith was down at Shaker’s 1-yard line. Gallo finished the series himself with a short touchdown plunge to put the Dutchmen ahead 28-21.

Shaker had prime field position much of the remaining time in regulation, but the Blue Bison managed to reach the end zone once on the strength of Woods’ touchdown pass to Mainella. Their other two drives resulted in a turnover on downs and a missed field goal with one second left.

“I’m very happy with how well the kids played. They kept fighting back,” said Sheeler. “We had opportunities at the end to make plays, and we just didn’t do it.”

Shaker had the ball first in overtime, and it nearly took the lead when Woods’ fourth-down pass was batted down by Henningham at the goal line.

“I thought (the Shaker receiver) had it in his hands, and then I looked down and saw it (on the ground),” said Henningham.

Guilderland came up short on a third-down play on its first offensive series in overtime, but it was close enough for Sentz to go out and kick the winning field goal.

Guilderland hosts Shenendehowa (4-0) in a key Empire Division contest Friday.

Lady Eagles claw their way past the Blue Bison



Bethlehem’s Laura Morelli, right, battles Shaker’s Abby Leahey for the ball during last Wednesday’s Suburban Council field hockey game in Latham. Morelli scored the go-ahead goal for the Lady Eagles in a 2-1 victory over the Blue Bison. Marina Skrabalak had the other Bethlehem goal, and goaltender Laura Downey made two saves. Bethlehem improved its record to 3-5 with the win, while Shaker fell to 1-6.

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BC field hockey gets road win

The Bethlehem field hockey team scored twice in the second half to pull out a 2-1 Suburban Council victory over Shaker last Wednesday in Latham. Marina Skrabalak and Laura Morelli scored the Lady Eagles' goals, and goaltender Laura Downey made two saves.

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Weekly poll

Which team will win the Empire Division title?

- CBA
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Offense prevails



Guilderland's Brad Johnston carries the ball during last Friday's non-conference game against Shaker.
Rob Jonas/Spotlight

Sentz's overtime field goal lifts Guilderland past Shaker in non-conference game

By ROB JONAS
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Andrew Sentz kicked the biggest field goal of the season for the Guilderland football team.

Sentz's 28-yard kick in overtime gave the Dutchmen (4-0) a 31-28 victory over defending Section II Class AA champion Shaker (3-1) in last Friday's non-conference game in Guilderland.

"It's just a huge confidence boost," said Guilderland tailback Micaiah Henningham, who scored three of the Dutchmen's four touchdowns. "I have to give it up to Shaker. They're a great team."

"It's still a non-conference game, so we're still where we were before (in the Empire Division standings)," said Guilderland coach Dan Penna. "But this meant a lot for us to see where we stand with the best of Section II."

The game was billed as a battle between one of the top offenses (Guilderland) and one of the top defenses (Shaker) in Section II, and offense won out. The Dutchmen racked up approximately 400 yards on a Blue Bison defense that entered last Friday's game off back-to-back shutouts against Niskayuna and Section III's Nottingham.

"Guilderland really spreads you out (with its formations), and I thought our guys did a very good job of handling it," said Shaker coach Greg Sheeler. "They just made more plays."

Shaker's offense also made several big plays – none bigger than quarterback Matt Woods' 22-yard

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Vellano gets his chance

Could Joe Vellano go from being undrafted to a starter in the National Football League?

The Christian Brothers Academy graduate may get his chance, thanks to an Achilles tendon injury that may sideline New England Patriots' defensive tackle Vincent Wolfork for the rest of the season.

Vellano had been listed second behind Wolfork on the Patriots' depth chart before the All-Pro tackle injured his foot during Sunday's 30-23 victory over the Atlanta Falcons. Vellano came in and had a productive evening, recording a pair of solo tackles and recording his first career quarterback sack.

Vellano had seen significant playing time before Sunday night's win in Atlanta. He played several defensive series in Wolfork's place for the Patriots in the first three games and recorded seven combined tackles.

All of this is impressive when you consider that

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The beat goes on for BC boys volleyball



Bethlehem's John Sica (9) and Kevin Cahill (7) block a shot during last Friday's Suburban Council match against Niskayuna.
Rob Jonas/Spotlight

Eagles are undefeated under new coach Jason Wood

By ROB JONAS
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The Bethlehem boys volleyball team has a new head coach, but it hasn't skipped a beat.

The Eagles entered the second half of the Suburban Council season Tuesday against Shaker with an 8-0 league record and a first-place finish in the league's mid-season tournament.

Bethlehem first-year coach Jason Wood said having veteran leadership has helped his team continue its winning streak against Suburban Council competition – a streak that has entered its third season.

"It was a very unique situation," said Wood, who took over for Richard

Arket after Arket became an assistant principal in the New Lebanon School District. "You don't normally walk into a situation where you get to work with kids of that caliber."

Wood left a successful Sage College women's volleyball program to take the reins at Bethlehem, and he said the transition was an easy one.

"Considering the level of athletes we have at Bethlehem, it wasn't very difficult at all," said Wood. "They were able to pick up a new offense very quickly."

Several players are back from last year's team, which reached the Class A state tournament for the second consecutive season. The list of veterans includes junior middle hitter John Sica, junior outside hitter Kevin

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The Spotlight arts calendar highlights happenings all over the Capital District.

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Home of the brave

Maple Ski Ridge's Fall Festival supports oncology camp for women

By DANIA BIANCHI
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When thinking of a cancer support group, many would picture a group sitting in a circle, taking turns telling their stories. The purpose of any support group is for people who are in the same situation to get together and share their coping strategies in an effort to not feel alone.

One cancer support group is taking it a step further and changing lives in the process.

In 2004, Maple Ski Ridge co-manager Karen Doyle's life took an unexpected turn. At the age of 39, she was diagnosed with breast

cancer. Right away, she began looking for groups that could help her get through this challenging and stressful time in her life.

"I was looking for different outlets. I had tried groups at the hospitals

and things like that and found them to be very depressing, and just walked away from those getting absolutely nothing and feeling worse than when I walked in," Doyle said.

One day, Doyle was browsing the Susan G. Komen website and happened to see a link for Camp Braveheart, an oncology camp for women.

"It mentioned horseback riding and whitewater rafting," she said. "Not just, sit down with me and cry."

On the last day of Doyle's radiation treatment, she got on the bus and headed to Camp Braveheart.



Camp Braveheart offers women fighting cancer a variety of different weekend retreats, such as rafting down a river, relaxing on a beach or tackling high ropes.

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Help and have fun

When Karen Doyle and her sister, Kate Michener, the Special Event Coordinator at Maple Ski Ridge in Mariaville, were contemplating which organization to support with this year's Fall Festival and Car and Tractor Show, it didn't take them long to settle on Camp Braveheart.

"There are so many organizations out there fighting for the cure, and that is so important, but (this is) a place where women can go to be together and share their stories," Michener said.

"Karen came back reenergized and she made some fantastic friends that she stays in touch with and continue to be a part of their life."

This is the second year Maple Ski Ridge will support the organization.

"Not everyone can afford to go, so when we choose to donate, that is one of our favorites because of the good work they do for survivors" Michener said.

IF YOU GO

- **What:** Maple Ski Ridge Fall Festival
- **When:** Saturday, Oct. 12, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- **Where:** 2725 Mariaville Road
- **How much:** No entrance fee
- **Info:** maple.skiridge.com

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The 19th NENY Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure on Oct. 5 benefits organizations across a 15-county area that provide breast cancer treatment, education and screening.

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Running for a reason

The Northeastern New York Komen Race for the Cure is as much cause as run.

Some run to honor those lost to breast cancer or celebrate survivors. Typically, more than 150 teams participate, some in matching T-shirts crossing the finish line together, some in tears, others hairless after breast cancer treatments.

"We celebrate our survivors, but also remember that breast cancer is the second leading cause of cancer deaths among women," said Lynette Stark of the Northeastern New York Affiliate (NENY) of Susan G. Komen, which presents the NENY Race and supports treatment and screening programs locally.

This year, nearly 40,000 Americans will die from breast cancer, and more than 230,000 men and women will be diagnosed.

The NENY Komen Race for the Cure shares the same course as the Freihofer's Run for Women through Albany's Washington Park. The three Komen runners who beat their times in the Freihofer's Run by the greatest margins will win prizes at the Komen

□ **Race** Page B3



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The Maple Ski Ridge will feature a tractor show, hay maze, chairlift rides and plenty of activities for kids.

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Help

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The 6th annual Maple Ski Ridge Fall Festival, Craft, Car and Tractor Show will feature more than 40 local crafters, the car, truck and tractor show, hay maze, wagon rides, chairlift rides, tractor pull, pie eating contest, a cupcake bakeoff, a family 3K run, music and food.

“We hope that people bring their blankets and just plan on staying the day,” Michener said.

Doyle said she has had a full recovery and is doing very well.

“It’s been nine years. I just go see my doc once a year now,” she said.

Doyle said although it has been a number

of years since she has attended a retreat, she can always count on her Braveheart friends.

“If I called and said ‘I need to have coffee,’ they would be right here near me. I’m a Braveheart, and that’s what kind of people they are. They will support you through anything,” she said. “The doctor saved my body, it was Bravehearts that saved my life, soul and spirit.”

Maple Ski Ridge’s Fall Festival will take place Saturday, Oct. 12, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the ski area at 2725 Mariaville Road in Schenectady.

For more information about the festival, visit mapleskiridge.com, and for more information about Camp Bravehearts, visit www.braveheartscamp.org.

Brave

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“It was scary, you don’t know anyone, you are going through this tremendous part of your life, and you get on a bus with a bunch of women,” Doyle said.

But she said it was the best thing she has ever done.

Camp Braveheart offers women fighting cancer a variety of different weekend retreats, such as rafting down a river, relaxing on a beach or tackling high ropes. Doyle’s first experience was on one of the less physically challenging retreats.

“I felt like I wasn’t alone. For the first time, I felt like I could talk to people. It wasn’t with pity that they were looking at me. They were truly understanding, encouraging and supportive,” Doyle said. “You could talk to them about anything ... how medication worked to hair loss, makeup, lack of sex life, or too much of a sex life, or how family reacts to you differently. They understood that.”

Doyle explains that even with a supportive family, “your family still treats you differently, and they get that, they just get it.”

The camp is open to all women facing the diagnosis of any type of cancer, not just breast cancer, and can be as



Camp Braveheart retreats are offered from May to October at Lake Luzerne, Shelter Island and the Pocono Mountains.

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— cancer survivor Karen Doyle

physically challenging or as soothing as each woman chooses.

“You can make the weekend as busy or challenging as you want,” said Eva Simpson, a staff member at Camp Braveheart. “It’s unbelievable the strength that the women undergo and overcome fears.”

Simpson said that through the exercise activities, as well as wellness education and social interaction, the organization helps to increase self-esteem and confidence, in addition to helping address the fears that women face during and after treatment.

“We have women who are currently in treatment, women coming out of treatment that attend, and we also have campers that are survivors 10, 15, 20 years out,” Simpson said. “It really gives it a powerful essence for those women to bond with.”

Camp Braveheart was started 13 years ago when

three women, all newly diagnosed with cancer, met at a similar breast cancer support group just outside of Rochester.

“Just being away from it all and with folks dealing with the same stuff was very healing and very positive,” said Karen Haag, one of the three co-founders of Camp Braveheart. “That fellowship was a real powerful experience for us.”

Haag said they wanted that same experience to be available to women in the Capital District.

“We didn’t want the retreats to be ‘cancerish.’ We didn’t want them to be clinical or cold. We wanted them to be full of love and laughter and about support, friendship, stretching our limits, finding reserves of strength and courage that maybe they didn’t know they had before,” Haag said.

Each year, close to 500 cancer survivors attend the Camp Braveheart retreats, which are offered

from May to October in Lake Luzerne, Shelter Island and The Pocono Mountains.

Sherry Huzar, a Camp Braveheart staff member, said it’s not just about challenging yourself on the high ropes or horseback riding.

“The All About Me weekend in August is very pampering,” she said.

Campers do need permission from their doctors to attend, and Simpson said an oncology nurse is always at each campsite if needed.

Doyle said the experience was a lifesaver for her.

“Just ask my family what I got out of it. They said I came alive. I was talking nonstop about it. The women were inspiring. It makes you sit back and say, what I went through is nothing compared to what they went through, and yet they are still out there living full lives,” Doyle said. “There is life after cancer.”

Huzar said the goal is that the women “walk away with a feeling that they can do anything they want, they are not limited and that they have a whole new family. It’s a sisterhood.”

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Runners in the Northeastern New York Komen Race for the Cure can raise money for the cause through donations.
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Running
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Race. At the Komen Race, timing chips will be on runners’ bibs, smoothing finish-line congestion at the popular event.

The 19th NENY Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure on Oct. 5 benefits organizations across a 15-county area that provide breast cancer treatment, education, and screening. The event also includes a family fitness walk and “Sleep In for the Cure,” allowing participation by anyone, from anywhere, and the Kids for the Cure Dash around the Empire State Plaza.

Since 1982, Susan G. Komen has become the world’s largest grassroots network of breast cancer survivors and activists, empowering people

living with the disease, ensuring quality care and energizing research into prevention and treatment. The organization has invested more than \$2.2 billion in this fight, including \$3 million locally since 1995 for breast health programs. The NENY Race for the Cure donates 25 percent of net proceeds to the national Susan G. Komen Grants Program.

Runners raise funds through their own donations and those of friends, family and coworkers. Sponsors also support the race, including Eric Mower + Associates, United HealthCare, Skim Plus, Dunkin’ Donuts, Price Chopper, St. Peter’s Health Partners, Hannaford Supermarkets, The Record, Newschannel 13, Pop Crush 105.7 and others. Area leaders rally around the cause, including Honorary



Chairs Mayor Gerald D. Jennings and Newschannel 13 anchor Benita Zahn (also host of WMHT’s Health LINK).

Runners can register online at www.komenneny.org through Oct. 2 or at the Empire State Plaza southeast concourse on Oct. 3 and 4 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. and before the race on Race Day.

Runners who miss the Race for the Cure can still participate through the Sleep In for the Cure; register online through Oct. 2.



IF YOU GO

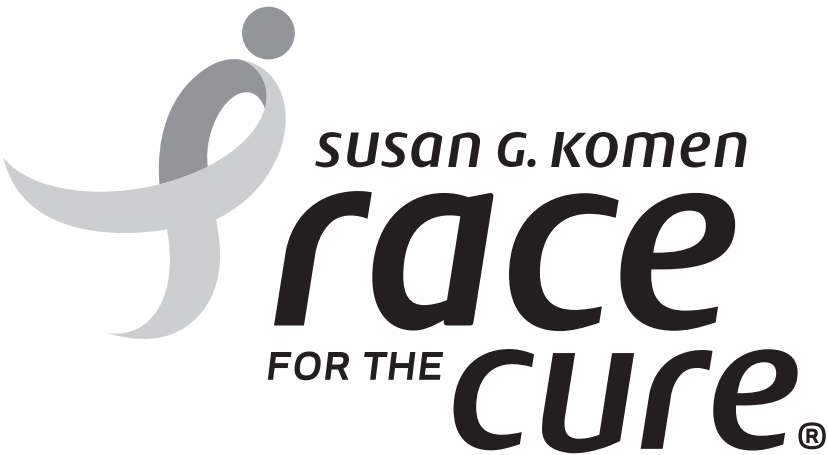
- **What:** Northeastern New York Komen Race for the Cure
- **When:** Saturday, Oct. 5, at 9 a.m.
- **Where:** Empire State Plaza, Albany
- **How much:** \$25, \$35 on race day
- **Info:** www.komenneny.org

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A panel discussion titled “What Women Need: The Experts’ Guide to Living Well,” was part of the 20th annual Women’s Night Out. From left, panelists Dr. Danielle Rooney, Dr. Andalib Nawab, Dr. Arvind Mahatme, Dr. Renata Mazzei and emcee Liz Bishop.
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More than 500 women from around the Capital Region attended the 20th anniversary Women’s Night Out event to benefit Ellis Medicine’s Bellevue Woman’s Center on Wednesday, Sept. 25, at the Albany Marriott.

In addition to shopping and dining, including an “All About Me Boutique” and Living Well Vendor Expo sponsored by MVP Health Care, attendees heard from a panel discussion led by medical professionals on healthy eating. The keynote speaker was Joy Bauer who presented information on top “super foods” and how to lead a healthy lifestyle.

The Jane Golub Leadership in Women’s Health Award to Dr. Fe Teresa McCarthy for her career and dedication to providing personal care for women.

This year’s event raised about \$80,000. Proceeds benefit the Bellevue Woman’s Center.

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Arts and Entertainment

THEATER

White Rabbit, Red Rabbit

The UAlbany Performing Arts Center, operating under the auspices of the College of Arts and Sciences, presents performances of “White Rabbit, Red Rabbit,” Oct. 2 - 5 at 7:30 p.m. 1400 Washington Ave., Albany. Advance tickets are \$15 for the general public and \$10 for students, seniors and UAlbany faculty-staff. Tickets purchased on the day of the show are \$20 for the general public and \$15 for students, seniors and UAlbany faculty-staff. www.albany.edu/pac.

Bill Bryson

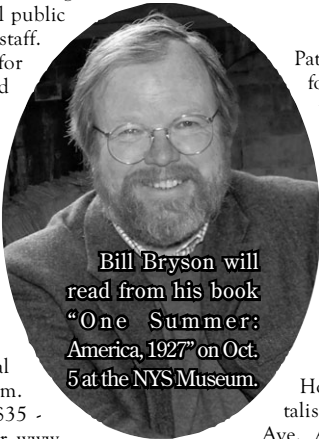
Bill Bryson, bestselling nonfiction author, will read from his new book, “One Summer: America, 1927,” on Oct. 5. at 7:30 p.m. at Clark Auditorium, NYS Museum, Cultural Education Center, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Part of the New York State Writers Institute Visiting Writers Series. Free.

The Midtown Men

This production reunites four stars from the Original Cast of Broadway’s “Jersey Boys.” Oct. 3, 7:30 p.m. Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave, Albany. Tickets \$35 - \$68, with package discounts available. 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.com.

Fabrizio the Musical!

The College of Saint Rose and PBD Associates Inc. present the American premiere of Fabrizio the Musical! based on the Fabrizio™ children’s book series by Patricia Brady-Danzig.Oct. 12 at 3 p.m. on the D’Arcy/Brady Stage in the Kathleen McManus Picotte Recital Hall, Massry Center for the Arts, 1002 Madison Ave., Albany. A reception will follow. Admission free with ticket, visit fabrizio.eventbrite.com to secure a ticket.



MUSIC

Sweet Honey in the Rock

Co-presented with the YWCA of Schenectady. Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, Oct. 11 at 8 p.m. 30 Second Street, Troy. \$25 - \$42. 273-0038 or www.troymusichall.org.

Patrick Molard

Patrick Molard from Maël-Carhaix, Brittany will be performing Scottish and Breton music on the Highland Bagpipes and the binïou. Oct. 10, 7:30 p.m. Celtic Hall, 430 New Karner Road, Albany. \$10.

Maggie

The award-winning husband-and-wife musical duo of Terry Leonino & Greg Artzner, welcomes fiddler Jane Rothfield and other guests to a concert and CD release celebrating their 40 years as a performing duo, at 7:30 p.m., Sept. 28, 8th Step at Proctors (GE Theatre), 432 State Street, Schenectady.

Syd Straw

Hosted by songwriter, roots scholar and multi-instrumentalist Michael Eck. Oct. 5, 8 p.m. The Linda, 339 Central Ave. Albany. \$18. www.wamcarts.org.

Chicago

Four members of the original seven band members will be stopping in Schenectady for a one-night show. Nov. 6, at 7:30 p.m. on the Mainstage at Proctors, 432 State Street, Schenectady. Tickets \$20 - \$90, 346-6204 or online at www.proctors.org.

Dark Star Orchestra

Continuing the Grateful Dead experience. Nov. 16, 7:30 p.m. All tickets are \$33.50. Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave, Albany. 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.com.

Brian Patneaude Duo

Athos, 1814 Western Avenue, Albany. Oct. 4, 7 p.m. No cover. www.brianpatneaude.com.

Jeremy Denk

Opening performance in the Union College Concert Series. Pianist. Union College Memorial Chapel, 807 Union St., Schenectady. \$25. www.unioncollegeconcerts.org.

Archie Fisher

Presented by Old Songs. Scottish troubadour Archie Fisher will perform Oct. 5 at 8 p.m. at 37 South Main St., Voorheesville. \$20. 765-2815 or www.oldsongs.org.

EVENTS

15 Minutes Max

15 Minutes Max: The Saint Rose Video Festival, will be held Oct. 4 from 5 - 6:30 p.m. in the Carl E. Touhey Forum, Thelma P. Lally School of Education, 1009 Madison Ave., Albany. Admission is free and open to the public.

Proctors Ghost Tour

Proctors opened its doors in 1926 and has hosted countless thousands of patrons over the past 87 years. Some, it seems, have never left. Oct. 4, on the hour from 8 - 11 p.m. \$15. The unguided Proctors Lights Out Paranormal Investigation—recommended for ages 18 and over—begins at Midnight and runs approximately two hours. Admission is \$30 and includes an earlier tour. Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. www.proctors.org.

Piccadilly Circus

The circus is returning with an all-new show entitled “Piccadilly Circus BLAMMO!” Performances are at 1 p.m., 3:30 p.m., and 6 p.m. on Oct. 6. Tickets start at \$9.75 for advance general admission tickets. VIP tickets are also available. Washington Avenue Armory, 195 Washington Ave., Albany. AlbanyArmory.com.

Mahler on the Couch

A fictional imagining of the real-life marriage of Gustav Mahler and his tempestuous wife Alma Schindler Mahler in turn-of-the-century Vienna, and a discussion led by music professor and B’nai Sholom congregant Dr. Nancy Newman. Oct. 19, 7:30 p.m., B’nai Sholom, 420 Whitehall Road, Albany. Suggested contribution, \$3. www.bnaisholomalbany.org.

COMEDY

Mop and Bucket Company

Weekly improv skit show, Oct. 5, 8 p.m., Comedy Works, 500 Northern Blvd., Albany, advance tickets \$15, day of show \$20, dinner packages \$39.95 in advance, \$44.95 day of show. Information, 275-6897.

Comedy Works

Gilbert Gottfried with guest. Performing Oct. 4 and 5 at 7:30 and 9:30 p.m. 500 Northern Blvd., Albany. Advance tickets \$30, day of show \$35, dinner packages \$54.95 in advance, \$59.95 day of show. Information, 275-6897. www.thecomedyworks.com.

Jerry Seinfeld

Oct. 4, 7 p.m. \$78, \$63 and \$48. Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave, Albany. Tickets \$35 - \$68, with package discounts available. 465-4663 or www.palacealbany.com.

Paula Poundstone

Oct. 5, 8 p.m. Tickets: \$34, \$29, \$26, student discount \$3 off. Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, 30 Second Street, Troy. 273-0038 or www.troymusichall.org.

DANCE

First Friday Swing Dance

Albany First Friday Capital Swing Dance on Oct. 4, from 8:30 - 11:30 p.m., at the Albany Elks Lodge, 25 South Allen St., Albany. Music by Peter Davis & Friends. Admission, including 7:30 beginner lesson: General \$15; DFO Members \$12; Seniors / Students \$10. Further information at www.danceflurry.org/swing.

EXHIBITS

Recent Works

Morningside Gallery presents Amy Roth Hoffman - “Recent Works”. Interpretive Landscapes and Florals in oil celebrating the beauty and vibrancy of Nature. Artist’s Reception Oct. 5, 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. On exhibit through Oct. 31. Gallery Hours - Weekdays 10 a.m. - 6 p.m., Saturdays 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. 588 Loudon Road (Newton Plaza), Latham. 783-8763.

Tribute to Nature

The Laffer Gallery presents a new group exhibition for Fall 2013 entitled “Tribute to Nature,” running from Sept. 28 through Oct. 17. Opening reception Sept. 28, 5 - 8 p.m. 96 Broad St., Schuylerville. www.thelaffergallery.com.

At the Tree Line

By artists Ingrid Ludt and Iain Machell from Sept. 12 to Oct. 12. Through drawings, sculpture and video, At the Tree Line examines the artists’ ongoing, combined inquiries into the process of making art and their relationships to nature, land and the landscape. HVCC Teaching Gallery, www.hvcc.edu/teachinggallery for hours and directions.

Treasure Boxes

Treasure Boxes, a new exhibit by Meredith Butler of Albany, will be on display in the Finkle Display Case at the JCC of Schenectady from Sept. 4 to Oct. 31. The JCC of Schenectady on the Golub Family Campus is located at 2565 Balltown Road, Niskayuna.

For the Public Good

Health & Medicine in Rensselaer County, 1860-1960. Runs Sept. 9 through Dec. 21. sponsored by the Lucille A. Herold Trust and E. Stewart Jones Law Firm, PLLC. Rensselaer County Historical Society, located at 57 Second Street in downtown Troy.

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

Weekly Crossword

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ACROSS

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- 4 Chinese canine, briefly
- 8 Jim Henson cutup
- 14 Blow it
- 15 ___ See Clearly Now: '72 tune
- 16 Encroachment
- 17 Sgt. Bilko, e.g.
- 18 Hearty hurrah
- 20 Accepts a challenge
- 22 Charwoman
- 23 Like a couch potato
- 24 NYPD alert
- 26 Argentine flatland
- 30 Slowly, in music
- 31 Show Boat composer
- 33 Implement
- 34 Sniveled
- 36 Assenting vote
- 37 Hydroxyl compound
- 38 ___ Beta Kappa
- 40 This puzzle’s theme
- 43 Skittish
- 44 Optician’s creation
- 46 Thai language
- 47 Unseat
- 49 Compulsion

- 50 Extreme’s More ___ Words
- 52 Coral masses
- 55 Flat-topped hills
- 57 Suffix for senor
- 58 Wed
- 59 President from Cincinnati
- 61 Best Picture, 1988
- 63 Close but not romantic
- 67 Fitting
- 68 Brightly flowering bush
- 69 ___ one’s time
- 70 Mineral spring
- 71 Napa business
- 72 Stereo knob
- 73 Whammy

DOWN

- 1 High-protein bean
- 2 Esoteric
- 3 No. 1 song for Mister Mister, 1985
- 4 Indy respites
- 5 Resound
- 6 Egyptian ruins site
- 7 Compass pt.
- 8 Shiny mineral
- 9 Nerdy

- 10 Come before
- 11 Annabel Lee penner
- 12 Q-tip target
- 13 NY Jets’ scores
- 19 Rudimentary stage
- 21 Art Deco designer
- 25 Seafarer’s jacket
- 27 Pop tune heard around Halloween
- 28 Milne’s bear
- 29 Compatriot
- 32 Captain of the Nautilus
- 35 Pinball no-no
- 38 Purple hue
- 39 This spot
- 41 South Seas island
- 42 Hazards a guess
- 45 Space Needle site
- 48 Astin, of Encino Man
- 51 C.S. Lewis fantasy-land
- 53 Slushy fruit drink
- 54 Sentence pattern
- 56 60 Minutes newsman
- 60 Melee
- 62 Tacks on
- 63 Mandible
- 64 Israeli shooter
- 65 ___ Clemente
- 66 Flow’s partner

Guilderland strives for the ‘best day ever’

Guilderland Community Fest offers family fun, proceeds help local nonprofit

By JOHN PURCELL
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Local families have chance for a great time with their neighbors while at the same time helping children who suffer from serious medical conditions have their “best day ever.”

The second annual Guilderland Community Fest will be held at Tawasentha Park on Saturday, Oct. 5, from noon to 3 p.m., and all proceeds will go to Maddie’s Mark. The community event, presented by Christ’s Church Guilderland, features food, music, a rock-climbing wall, pony rides, a martial arts exhibit, bounce house and other family-friendly activities.

Dawn Jacobson, event coordinator and congregant, said Christ’s Church previously held an annual picnic for its members. Congregants decided they wanted to do something more geared toward the community.

“We started last year and wanted to reach out to the community and share with them what we do and invite people to have a good time and raise money for a good cause,” Jacobson said.

Last year, more than 1,000



The second annual Guilderland Community Fest at Tawasentha Park on Saturday, Oct. 5, will be benefitting the Maddie’s Mark Foundation. The non-profit was founded after 5-year-old Madeline Musto died from an inoperable brain tumor.

Submitted photos

people were estimated to have attended the event, and around \$4,000 was raised to benefit the Rodino family, who has been battling Huntington’s disease. Each year, the church plans to select a different organization or family for proceeds to benefit.

Last year, the weather wasn’t ideal, but the turnout was still strong, Jacobson said.

“Being our second year it is really tough to guess what it will be this year and we can only hope that more people do show up and we have great weather,” Jacobson said.

Maddie’s Mark was established to honor the memory of Madeline Musto, a 5-year-old girl who succumbed to an inoperable brain tumor.

The nonprofit strives to continue Maddie’s legacy of love and kindness through helping to support children with serious illnesses and their families.

Maddie’s Mark Foundation Board of Directors President Erin Musto, mother of Madeline, Amelia and Lucy, said she was “really excited” to find out the organization was selected for the event.

“I know last year for the Rodinos it was very helpful for their family, so I thought it was a very kind and generous thing to have the community help us, too,” Musto said. “A big chunk of this is getting to share Madeline’s story and telling what we do.”

Madeline was diagnosed

with diffuse intrinsic pontine glioma (DIPG), a rare brain stem tumor that there isn’t a known cure for. Since the tumor is located along a delicate area of the brain stem it cannot be safely removed. Chemotherapy often is ineffective and drugs can’t reach the tumor. Radiation does offer temporary benefits.

“When everything happened with Madeline it was very, very fast,” Erin Musto said. “She had some symptoms, but we weren’t worried.”

Maddie’s Mark administers grants to fund child enrichment projects. But it was the “best day ever” program that really appealed to congregants and led them to choose the Guilderland family’s nonprofit. The program offers a family

facing serious medical issues an opportunity to go to some place, visit someone or travel somewhere that wouldn’t be possible without help from the organization. Musto said the goal is to give each family a unique experience that’s individually tailored.

“We have several members that are very close and some that do help out with planning the ‘best day ever,’ which is kind of a local Make a Wish,” Jacobson said. “Trying to give those families that extra special time when needed is something that drew us in.”

Any New York resident 18 years old or younger can qualify for the “best day ever” program.

The most rewarding thing for Musto is seeing Madeline continue to touch people’s lives and helping families enjoy their time with their children.

“The day that people don’t remember Madeline will be very difficult for me,” she said.

There is no admission to enter Guilderland Community Fest, but donations are asked for at certain areas, such as for food or attractions. Jacobson said only collecting donations opens the event up to all.

Those who want to help out with Guilderland Community Fest, or businesses or organizations interested in being a part of the event, can contact Dawn Jacobson by emailing jacobsm@nycap.rr.com.

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