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Fowl request spurs discontent

G'land man seeks OK for chicken coop; zoning code revisions expected

By JOHN PURCELL purcellj@spotlightnews.com

Guilderland's zoning law may be silent on whether chickens are allowed in residential areas, but neighbors of one man requesting to raise the birds weren't.

The Zoning Board of Appeals on Wednesday, March 5, took up its third request since 2011 for a "keeping of chickens application," with

Region's Patriot Flight

anniversary of D-Day

By JOHN PURCELL purcellj@spotlightnews.com

anniversary.

Dale Owen seeking permission to keep chickens outdoors on his property at 140 Mohawk Drive. Board Chairman Peter Barber said the zoning code does not permit or ban the chickens in residential areas. Owen is proposing to keep up to 10 laying hens outside his home, and he said he is flexible as to where the coop would be built.

Unlike prior requests to keep chickens in town, both of which were granted, several neighbors of Owen appeared at the meeting in opposition to his plan.

Barber recused himself

A second wind

from discussions and casting a vote on the application, because he lives near Owen. Board member Thomas Remmert is acting as chairman for the application.

After the meeting, Barber discussed the previous chicken requests before the town.

'One time, half a dozen or more people showed up, and all spoke in favor. In fact, enthusiastically in favor,' Barber said. "The other one, there were petitions signed by dozens and dozens of people. A good number showed up and

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Dale Owen discusses his proposal to keep chickens on his property at the Guilderland ZBA meeting March 5.

John Purcell/Spotlight

Panel envisions aesthetic overhaul

Meeting focus on ways to beautify one of Bethlehem's major corridors

> By MARCY VELTE veltem@spotlightnews.com

Bethlehem town officials and community leaders making up the Delaware Avenue Improvement Group met last week for the first time.

The focus of the community



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to start up the program was spurred after reading about a local state Assembly member traveling to the National World War II Memorial. Peak decided he should take the trip and eventually found out about Honor Flights taking veterans to the memorial honoring their service.

"I didn't want to go alone, so I thought I'll take some veterans with me," Peak said. "I went to a seminar in Washington, and I was the only WWII veteran that started an Honor Flight hub."

Many WWII veterans passed away before the memorial opened in 2004, but Peak was determined to help as many fellow veterans get to the memorial as he could. Organizing and running the Patriot Flight program isn't an easy feat, though, and Peak, an 89-year-old, stopped running

Bill Schaaf, vice president of Patriot Flight, escorts Eddie, a Delmar resident and WW III veteran, on June 1, during a D-Day event in Washington, D.C. Eddie turned 101 in January.

Submitted photo

it around two years ago due to health problems.

Frank DeSorbo, founder and president of the D-Day Revisited Association, discovered the area Patriot Flight program wasn't active anymore and wanted to find out what happened. DeSorbo, of Delmar, ended up talking with Peak for three and a half hours one day and decided he

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meeting held Thursday, March 6, at Bethlehem

Town Hall was to give an overview of the future design goals for Delaware Avenue and to discuss what could be done now by the community and business leaders



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to help with the beautification project as the town awaits funds from a federal grant.

"We're here to work together in a partnership to see what we can do to improve the Delaware Avenue corridor," said co-chair Jennifer Kilcoyne, who is also president of the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce.

In June of 2012, town officials went

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LeVie subdivision, barn conditions approved

Property owner and town agree on timeline for barn relocation, 18 homes to be built

By JOHN PURCELL purcellj@spotlightnews.com

In about a year, the future of the historic LeVie barn should be clear, with New Scotland officials granted additional time to secure funding for relocation efforts.

The New Scotland Planning Board on Tuesday, March 4, unanimously approved the final plans for an 18lot residential subdivision on a 22.4-acre property located in an agricultural district off Maple Road. Country Club Partners and the town also agreed to conditions delaying the development of lot 18, with construction moving forward on the remaining 17 lots. The conditions allow local officials more time to secure funding to

"The town is very interested in preserving the barn, and the owners are very interested in working with the town."

- Planning Bord chairman Charles Voss

relocate the LeVie barn within the town.

"The town is very interested in preserving the barn, and the owners are very interested in working with the town," Planning Board Chairman Charles Voss said. "Leaving (lot 18) as the last parcel to be developed allows you to put in your roads and everything else.'

The developer is required to offer the barn for free to the town for preservation and relocation efforts. The town would have until Feb. 28, 2015, to notify the property owner it has received a proposal to relocate the barn to another location. Once the

owner is notified. the town would have until May 31, 2015, to deconstruct and relocate the barn.

If the town were unable to relocate the barn, then the property owner would be allowed to demolish or deconstruct the barn without any conditions.

"The May 31 date ... there is nothing magical about it. If somebody really had a deal there and they had to take it out on June 30, there is no real problem," Daniel Hershberg, the attorney representing the property owner, said. "Our goal here is to move it along so that we can get this project moving along."

The property owner

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A site plan presented during the New Scotland Planning Board meeting on Tuesday, March 4, displays the approved residential development known as the LeVie Farm subdivision.

is estimated to cost at least

resident, reached out to

someone from Columbia

County who said they

would relocate the barn

without any financial

assistance to their property.

This wouldn't allow the

that the barn exceeds

the height requirement

allowed in the town's

zoning code, so a variance

would be required before

it could be reconstructed

me put it up the way it is ...

because the barn is bigger

"The code doesn't let

at another location.

Elliott also pointed out

barn to remain local.

Cindy Elliott, a town

\$500,000.

John Purcell/Spotlight

and town officials are looking to give "first dibs" to someone within the town looking to relocate the barn. but the building could be moved further away if a local home isn't found.

"At least we got the interest level up — that there are people interested to preserve the barn," Hershberg said. "(The owners) certainly don't want someone to deconstruct it and use it for scrap material if something else is available."

Town Board member Daniel Mackay previously said state funding would likely be how the town would secure funding to





relocate the barn, which than 35 feet tall," Elliott said. "It is something to think about."

> Planning Board attorney Jeffery Baker said the height wouldn't preclude the barn from being moved.

> "It is a unique situation, which would meet one of the area variance criteria tests very easily," Voss said.



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First responders honored

Annual townwide ceremony calls out those who went above and beyond

By MARCY VELTE veltem@spotlightnews.com

Bethlehem's first responders were honored Monday, March 3, at the annual Community Awards event presented by the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Post 1040 in Bethlehem.

The awards ceremony is held each year to recognize a member from each of the town's first response companies who went "above and beyond the call of duty." Awards and proclamations were given out to a total of 11 companies and departments.

"This is the time we in the American Legion honor our emergency personnel in grateful recognition of your devotion to the duty, and in appreciation for the contributions to public safety in the Town of Bethlehem," said Post Commander Al Hofaker, who served as marshal of the event. Bethlehem Supervisor John Clarkson helped present the awards, while Albany County Executive Dan McCoy gave proclamations to each award recipient. A representative was sent on behalf of state Sen. Neil Breslin, with Albany County Sheriff Craig Apple also in attendance.

Bethlehem Police Lt. Thomas Heffernan Jr. presented the award for Police Officer of the Year on behalf of Chief Louis Corsi. This year's award was presented to all of the detectives on the Special Services Unit for their efforts in solving a number of notable investigations over the past 12 months. Those include arrests made in several bank robberies, an armed home invasion, several cases of identity theft from a local restaurant and a lottery scam against the elderly.

"The Special Services Unit was responsible for the seizure and recovery of over a half of a million dollars in stolen property, cash and assets during the investigations taking place over the past 12 months," said

Bethlehem Supervisor hn Clarkson helped esent the awards, hile Albany County cecutive Dan McCoy Heffernan. "Detectives were also responsible for investigating 838 cases, which resulted in over 150 arrests."

> The town's fire departments also presented awards to the fire fighters who helped save the life of an elderly Slingerlands woman whose home caught fire in September. Slingerlands Fire Chief Brian Sleurs said the fire officers were informed of the fire by a resident who reported a structure fire across from the Slingerlands Post Office. The base then radioed fire control.

> "This is the point in time when the mutual aid system that we all worked so hard to put together worked, as firefighters from five neighboring departments, along with EMS personnel from within the town, gathered to do as they have been trained and saved a life," said Sleurs.

> Despite their efforts, the resident eventually died from her injuries several days later after being transferred to the Westchester Burn Center. The fire departments came together to First Page 5





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Police Blotter

Knife attack leads police to 410 bags of heroin

A Colonie man was arrested for allegedly slashing the face of a Voorheesville resident, but police then discovered a stash of heroin inside his apartment.

Albany County Sheriff Craig D. Apple Sr. said deputies were



Nicholas allegedly Desanctis b e e n

assaulted and slashed in the face with a knife. Police said Nicholas J. Desanctis allegedly attacked the victim and had previously accused them of stealing drugs from him. Desanctis allegedly fled the scene after the assault.

Investigators located Desanctis, 21, in a vehicle at Colonie Center, with two other men in the vehicle. All three were detained and interviewed. The driver of the vehicle allegedly admitted to purchasing two bundles of heroin from Desanctis for \$110. with the understanding he would drive Desanctis to Voorheesville to confront the individual.

Police said Desanctis allegedly possessed a knife used in the assault and had blood stained clothes, along with a cut to his finger.

Investigators executed a search warrant at Desanctis' residence at 420 Sand Creek Road, Building 1, apartment 605, in Colonie Towers, and allegedly found 410 bags of heroin with a street

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Correction

The mugshots in the March 5 Police Blotter ran with the incorrect names attached. The first subject should be identified as Gabriel Rodriguez, and the second subject should be identified as Steven M. Dressel. *The Spotlight* regrets the error. also more than \$3,000 in allegedly involved in an cash.

Police arrested Desanctis and charged him with assault in the second degree, a felony, and criminal possession of a weapon in the fourth degree. Judge Margret Atkins arraigned him in the Village of Voorheesville and remanded him to the Albany County jail without bail.

Desanctis is also facing charges in the Town of Colonie, which include criminal sale of a controlled substance in the third degree, criminal possession of a controlled substance in the third degree and criminal possession of a controlled substance in the fourth degree, all felonies.

The victim was transported to a hospital and was treated and then released.

Woman charged with embezzling

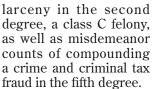
Bethlehem police arrested a Clifton Park woman on Tuesday. embezzlement scheme.

Police said Hillary A. Downey, 35, of Solomon Avenue

in Clifton Park, was arrested after Bethlehem detectives began an investigation Hillary A. into missing funds at Downey Secure

Solutions LLC, at 316 Delaware Ave. in Delmar. Business owners reported that in excess of \$70,000 was missing from accounts through fraudulent payroll records. An investigation determined that Downey, the account manager at the office, was depositing the money into her personal account between October 2013 and February 2014.

During th e investigation, it was also determined that Downey allegedly offered the business \$10,000 to withhold information from the office of the District Attorney and to not initiate a prosecution against her in this case. Downey was charged with grand



Downey was arraigned in Bethlehem Town Court and remanded to the Albany County Jail in lieu of \$15,000 bail. Downey was scheduled to return to Town Court on Monday, March 10, for a preliminary hearing.

Cops: Delmar woman forged prescriptions

Bethlehem police arrested a Delmar woman for multiple alleged counts of forgery in order to obtain



April D. Rowley 28. after

Bethlehem Police detectives began an investigation into New York state prescriptions that were being passed

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medication. Police said April D. Rowley, 44, of Delaware Avenue in Delmar, was arrested on Friday, Feb.

value of \$4,500. There was March 4, who was larceny in the second in the Capital District with forged signatures of multiple doctors.

> At the time of her arrest, police said Rowley was a registered nurse at First Care on Delaware Avenue in Delmar. It was determined that Rowley was allegedly stealing the prescriptions and forging the names of doctors at that location.

Rowley was charged with six counts of forgery in the second degree, all felonies. Rowley was arraigned in Bethlehem Town Court by Judge Andrew Kirby and released after posting \$1,000 bail. Rowley is scheduled to return to Town Court on Tuesday, March 18.

Burglary charges for G'land man

Guilderland А man was arraigned on several charges tied to several alleged burglary and larceny incidents stretching from the summer of 2012 through the following year.

Albany County District Attorney David Soares on Friday, Feb. 28, announced that Matthew Woelfersheim, 37. of Guilderland, was arraigned in county Court on the felony charges of three counts of burglary in the third degree, grand larceny in the third degree and three counts of grand larceny in the fourth degree, as well as the misdemeanor charges of five counts of petit larceny.

Woelfersheim allegedly illegally entered a business on West Street in Albany between July 25 and Sept. 1,2012, and stole more than \$1,000. He also allegedly entered a Watervliet Avenue home in Albany twice last August and stole money both times.

Police also allege he stole morphine from an ambulance company in

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wanted to help relaunch the program.

"I sit back and I think these guys are living history," DeSorbo said. "I watch the Military Channel a lot and read the articles in the newspaper, and they deserve the recognition while they are here."

DeSorbo was already planning the fourth annual D-Day Recognition & Remembrance Day to be held June 1 and said the Patriot Flight this year will have the theme "D-Day goes to D.C."

There are already at least eight veterans who stormed the beaches of Normandy, France, on June 6, 1944, who are planning to take the

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A Patriot Flight on May 10 will likely include around 50 veterans according to organizer Frank DeSorbo. Submitted photo

Patriot Flight on May 10, DeSorbo said. There are a total of 35 veterans that submitted applications for the flight and another 16 veterans the group has contacted. He said the trip would probably include around 50 veterans.

The most time-consuming aspect

of the program is fundraising, which DeSorbo said is a "24/7" effort.

Peak worked in cryptography during the war and said he felt "terribly guilty" that he never stepped foot overseas. He said his daughter reassured him he was doing what he was supposed to do and played his own role in the war.

"It was my turn to pay them back, and that was really the motivating factor in this whole thing," Peak said. "I felt obligated to help someone that couldn't get down there.'

Peak said he's losing his eyesight and is limited in his driving, but he has helped out the program recently through making calls from his home.

"I can do a lot on the telephone, but I just can't drive," Peak said.

Delmar/Bethlehem former Capt. Kevin Craft Volunteer EMS: Kelly VanDyke

Delmar Department: Drew Anderson, Andy Morris and Tim Haverly

Fire Elsmere Department: Lt. Marc Brent Dragon Futia

Selkirk Fire Sheriff's EMS: Davin Department: Assistant Krzykowski, Tim Chief Steven Hummel, Playford, Anand Balasar Barry Morehouse and and David Ainspan

Slingerlands Fire Department: Capt. Ryan Fire McConky

> Town o f Bethlehem Services: Telecommunicators Melissa Powell and

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Spirits, funds raised at BC March Madness

Editor, The Spotlight:

On behalf of the Bethlehem Central **Community Foundation** board of trustees, I thank the volunteers and supporters who helped make this year's BCCF March Madness an outstanding success! It was a great community event that showcased the spirit and talents of our Bethlehem students, teachers and staff.

Special thanks go to Eagle Elementary teachers Laurel Jones and Katie Charvat, who organized the competitive fun of the Wacky Olympics and to BCHS teacher Nick Ferguson for his leadership of activities throughout the evening. In addition, we are grateful to the student volunteers from the BCHS Key Club who helped man the concessions, face painting,

and admission tables throughout the evening. We were also fortunate to hear some incredible vocal performances from the BCMS 6th grade choir and choral groups from BCHS. Topping off the evening were the talented Hooligans pep band, who kept the capacity crowd in the spirit all evening long.

With the help of these volunteers and supporters, the BCCF raised over \$5,000 for the Classroom Innovation Grant program in our schools. Our board is grateful for the support shown by our community for this wonderful event and the work done by the BCCF. To learn more about the BCCF, we invite you to visit www. bccommunityfoundation. org.

Michael Klugman President, BCCF Board of Trustees

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present the Fire Services Lifesaving Award to all those emergency personnel who helped in that fire, for their "courage, bravery, and selfless actions.' The departments also recognized Sleurs for his own heroism for being the

Blotter (From Page 4)

Albany between Aug. 16 and Sept. 5, 2012, and stole more than \$1,000 from a newsstand in the county in March of last year. He also allegedly stole more than \$1,000 from a landscaping service in April of last vear, along with stealing money from someone in the county the same month.

Woelfersheim also allegedly defrauded the state Department of Taxation and Finance last year for more than \$3,000.

Judge Steven Herrick remanded Woelfersheim to Albany County Jail without bail. Police said Woelfersheim was previously charged with "multiple counts" of arson in the third degree, a felony, in Guilderland Town Court, with those cases remaining open.

Fire destroys S'lands home

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Detective Sergeant

structure.

An afternoon fire destroyed a Slingerlands home Sunday, March 9. An investigation is continuing into how the blaze erupted around 3:30 p.m. at 79 Maher Road in Bethlehem. The American Red Cross provided assistance to the family of six. Two residents received medical attention for smoke inhalation and slight burns. The family

will receive temporary help with food, shelter and clothing.

Other arrests

• Bethlehem police arrested Jenny McCarthy, 28, of 237 Old Quarry Rd., Feura Bush, on Thursday, Jan. 21, and charged her with DWI. Police responded to an incident and found McCarthy's car in a ditch on 470 Feura Bush Road in Glenmont. McCarthy

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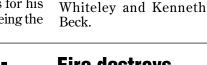
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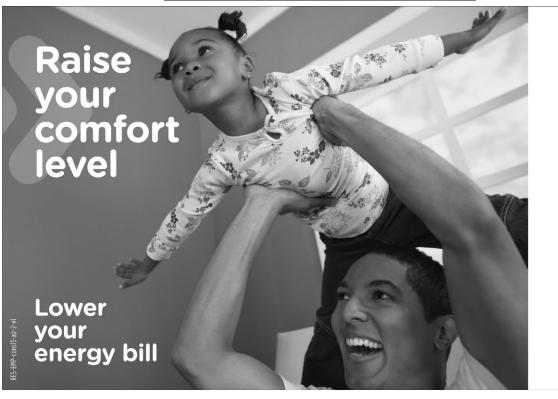
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allegedly told police a small animal ran out in front of her, and she lost control of her car. Police said McCarthy allegedly smelled of alcohol and failed several field sobriety tests. After taking a breath test, police said McCarthy was ticketed and released into the custody of her parents.









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From the Editor's Desk Time to teach interpersonal skills

Let's, for a moment, forget Common Core and look at an educational shortcoming that is causing problems right now for our graduates and their employers.

According to a recent Siena survey, area business leaders — nearly 68 percent who responded to the survey — are concerned about finding qualified workers who have good communication skills and can work as a team.

So while schools are busy trying to teach students how to write and meet new standards in that area, they aren't necessarily doing enough to teach students how to work together to solve problems.

Learning to work with others is a vital skill in any industry. Whether you work in a nanotech lab, an office, a coffee shop or an at-home business, you have to be able to interact with others to get your work done. Even one-on-one interaction can be challenging if you don't have the proper interpersonal skills.

The trouble is, many schools and universities don't make interpersonal skills part of their curriculum. The way they see it, students have to figure out how to interact with one another on their own, and the whole "plays well with others" thing should have been straightened out in the sandbox long ago.

This thinking might have been OK 15-20 years ago, but it's not effective in today's world. Young people have grown up communicating in entirely different ways than the generations before them, with texting, Facebook, Twitter and even newer platforms like Snapchat being the primary means to stay in touch.

This type of communication may seem effective to this generation, but, at the risk of sounding like a bunch of fist-shaking old-timers, it does nothing to help them with the face-to-face interaction needed to do business in the real world. It's easy to say what you want to say when you type it on a screen, but saying it when the other person is standing in front of you can lead to consequences you're not prepared for.

Also, the reliance on texting and Tweeting shorthand may explain the decline in writing skills seen by business owners. While English teachers are still doing their best to teach proper sentence structure and how to compose thoughts into a wellwritten presentation, students quickly throw those skills out the window when they are rushing to text their friends to meet them somewhere. People write the way they practice, not the way they are taught.

So, how can the tide be turned? For starters, more area schools can take a look at what Tech Valley High School is doing by teaching creative ways for students to interact with one another and business owners to solve problems. They can send students on group internships to local businesses, based on what their interests are. They can have students learn about the job application process by sending them on mock interviews. They can encourage teachers to come up with more group projects to get their students to work together. The same concepts can and should be applied at the collegiate level, too.

Business owners want to hire people who can work well together, and schools have to recognize that this is a skill today's students are not picking up on their own. So when we talk about preparing kids for the 21st century workforce, the issues go far beyond the Common Core.

Guest Commentary Plan a backyard star party

By FELICIA BORDICK, CAROL ANN MARGOLIS and LYNNE SHATSOFF

This Grandma's Got Gigs column originally appeared in the March issue of Capital District Parent Pages.

Grandparents have a reputation for breaking the rules. There is a popular T-shirt that says it all: "What happens at Grandma's, stays at Grandma's."

We had the grandchildren staying with us on a crisp March evening when the moon was barely visible and the sky crystal clear. For their bedtime story, I chose a children's book about the night sky with glow-in-the-dark constellations. Without mentioning the "glow" capability to the children, I read about Orion the Hunter and Leo the Lion in the current sky. On the last page, on cue, Grandpa comes in and turns off the lights. With the lights out, the constellations light up.

With great formality, Grandpa announces: "You will be our honored guests at a Backyard Star Bash!" "When?" they scream. "Tonight," we both respond.

Instead of getting under the covers, the children were bundled up to go outside. With gig bag in hand, we traipse out to the backyard for some uncomplicated star gazing. The experts tell us to keep it simple, let the magic of wondering be in control. The sky belongs to everybody, and viewing what is up there is as unique and individual as the imaginations of the stargazers. What we learned from the children's book gave us just enough basic information to get the children started on a lifelong appreciation of our natural world. Another secret for sharing the night sky with children, is to ask questions to get them thinking. What do you see? How many stars are in the sky? Can you count them? Do stars come in different colors?

Sometimes it's enough to have the questions even if you don't know the answers. If you Google free sky maps for cellphones, you can easily load an app to be your guide. We took our cellphone outside. By clicking on the app and holding it over our heads, we had a sky map with locations and labels. You could also take the glowin-the-dark book outside; that will work too!

There we were, outside after bedtime, standing in the backyard looking upward when one of the children spotted in the west the three brilliant stars in a row that make up Orion the Hunter's belt. After we find Orion, we spot Betelgeuse, the orange star on his shoulder, and Rigel, the blue star at his knee. When we turn in the opposite direction, we face the majestic Leo the Lion making his debut on the eastern horizon. We have a light bulb moment when we realize the source of the saying, "March comes in like a lion." Leo is shaped

like a backward question mark. Right where his heart should be we see a sparkling white diamond star aptly called Regulus.

Does Orion really look like a hunter and Leo like a lion? That's the fun of it all; the patterns imply the image and our imaginations do the rest, just like people have been doing with the stars since the beginning of time. Before retreating back to the warmth of our beds, we wished on the stars as we remembered beloved family members no longer with us on earth.

What's at the Library?

"Glow In the Dark Constellations" by C. E. Thompson

"Constellations" by Chris Sasaki

What's Online?

www.spaceplace.nasa.gov/starfinder www.skyandtelescope.com www.globeatnight.org www.skymaps.com (download free sky map)

What's Happening?

• Albany Area Amateur Astronomers host public observing sessions: www. dudleyobservatory.org/AAAA

• Dudley Observatory Rising Star

Get to know ...



Aliki Serras of Guilderland

Title: Owner of Reel Seafood in Colonie
Hometown: Niskayuna

What are you listening to these days?

I grew up listening to classic rock so Led Zeppelin, The Beatles, my mom has it all on vinyl so that was my first love that I still listen to. Nirvana is one of my favorite bands, 102.7 is one of the stations I'll throw on for the alternative. If I'm working out I listen to Latin dance music.

Reading?

Right now, I'm reading "The Last Laugh" by Arjuna Ardagh, I have about a quarter left.

Watching on TV?

I don't really watch a lot of TV. In my first apartment on Madison Avenue, I didn't have TV or Internet, so I fell into coming home, unwinding and reading. At the gym, I'll put on the Food Network. I've seen a couple episodes of "Modern Family," and that's a funny show.

What is your dream vacation?

It's two-fold. I've experienced both of my dream vacations. One was five years ago when I went camping. It epitomized that completely disconnected from reality. I love camping, hiking and being outdoors. The other was going to Greece with my whole family, cousins, aunts, uncles, my brother and that was great being surrounded by family in our ancestral homeland.

What are some of your hobbies?

Yoga. In my free time, I utilize it as an important tool in my life. I love yoga and try to practice in some capacity. Reading — even if it's just five pages before I go to sleep. I enjoy going out to out dinner with my friends, even if it's just once every few months.

What would your last meal be?

I would have to go with being in the village in Greece, and my last meal would be my aunt making her famous dish Greek pasta and sitting with 20 members of the family and eating vegetables out of the family garden.

What is your favorite local moment?

The ribbon cutting last Tuesday was pretty pivotal. My father was here and it was his first introduction to the new design, it was quite possibly one of my favorite moments professionally speaking. My mom and family were here too. This was my dad's restaurant for 30 years, so to see him walk in and be so overcome was just amazing.

Interns share wonders of sky at public parties: www.dudleyobservatory.org

• Hirsch Observatory located at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy on Saturday nights, 8-10 p.m.; www.rpi.edu/dept/phys/observatory "Get to know" is a weekly feature where community members are asked questions that aren't necessarily related to their jobs. If you know of someone you think should be highlighted, email news@spotlightnews.com.



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Dine out and support the library on March 27

If you liked the pizza you purchased at the Guilderland Library Foundation's first "Dining to Donate" campaign, then you're sure to love all the delicious delights you'll be able to get at the Recovery Sports Grill on Thursday, March 27, at our next dinner-driven fundraiser.

Every item you enjoy that evening between 5 and 9 p.m. means a donation to the Library Foundation! All you need to do is present a "Dining to Donate" coupon to your server when you order. You can pick up your coupon at the library's circulation desk.

Think of it: Not only will you enjoy a delightful evening dinner, but you'll also help underwrite many of the programs that make GPL such an important part of the community. The Foundation has upgraded the GPL's youth area, built the ever-popular community literary garden, and is bringing noted author and famed broadcast journalist Robert MacNeil to speak at the library on Friday, May 9.

So, please, stop by GPL and pick up your Recovery



Grill "Dining to Donate" coupon. Everybody wins!

Speak up and be heard

If you want a voice in how your library serves your community, here's your opportunity: Run for a seat on the Library's Board. Three seats will be up for election on GPL's eleven-member Board of Trustees during the May 20 election. Two seats are for full five-year terms, and one seat is up for a one-year term.

New candidates and incumbents may run for a Board seat. The process is simple: It all starts by obtaining an informational packet at the library. These are available at GPL's Circulation Desk. If you pick up a packet, please provide your name, address and phone number; this required information is retained by the school district.

Familiarize yourself with the packet's contents. It includes a memo from the director, the library's bylaws, and a document

titled "On Being a Board Member," which outlines the responsibilities and opportunities the position entails. There is also a two-page biographical information sheet that must be completed and returned to the library no later than Tuesday, April 22; this information is used in the library's publicity pertaining to the election.

If you want to introduce yourself to the workings of the Trustees, then come to their bi-monthly business meeting on Thursday, March 13, at 7:30 p.m., in the Tawasentha Room.

Please call Tim Wiles, the library director, at 456-2400, ext. 113, or for the Board.

Spring into spring

We think you'll agree: It's time for spring! So please come to GPL on Saturday, March 15, at 10:30 a.m. as we get ready for spring and picnic with WMHT's Daniel Striped Tiger.

You and your fellow children 3- to 5-years old will watch a DVD in which Daniel Striped Tiger and his friends turn a rained-out picnic into a fun adventure at the clock factory. You will also read books, and even make a picnic basket ... complete with ants! Be sure to bring an adult caregiver with you. And please let us know you're coming; call 456-2400, ext. 4. See you there!

Newbery and Caldecott afternoon tea party

Everyone's invited to GPL on Saturday March 15, at 2 p.m. for a delightful afternoon tea to discuss and appreciate this year's Newbery and Caldecott Medal winner and honor books. Guest speakers (local authors and experts in children's literature) will present their insights into

these stellar examples of the best in children's literature.

Teachers, librarians, authors, illustrators, parents, grandparents, caregivers, retirees and other adults interested in children's literature are encouraged to attend. Light refreshments will be served.

This event is cosponsored by the Children's Literature Connection and GPL. Please register by calling 456-2400, ext. 4.

The most comfortable Adirondack hike you'll ever take

Erik Schlimmer, a founding member of the Friends of the Trans Adirondack Route, will present "True Wilderness: The Adirondack Mountains and the Trans Adirondack Route" on Wednesday, March 19, at 7 p.m. at GPL.

Erik's presentation includes Blue Line to Blue Line, a short documentary

about the 235-mile route through the Adirondack Park; he will also show his 100 best images from more than 20 years of Adirondack Park exploration. "True Wilderness" is a fourseason showcase of the largest forest preserve in the eastern United States. Complementing the stunning imagery is Erik's narration of the park's history, ecology, and preservation. And seated as you'll be in a comfortable Library chair, it'll be the easiest Adirondack tour you'll ever take.

About the library

The Guilderland Public Library is located at 2228 Western Ave., Guilderland. Visit the library's website at www.guilpl.org. Check out the "unofficial" library updates at facebook. com/Guilderland. Library and follow the library on Twitter (@ GuilderlandLib).



St. Patrick's Day luncheon

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with lunch on Saturday, March 16, at the VFW Post #3185, 404 Delaware Ave. You will have your choice of sandwiches including corned beef on rye, the Rachel, or the Reuben. The cost for seniors is \$9. plus cost of beverage. A bake sale will follow.

The Health and Wellness Program on Friday, March 21, will feature "Arthritis Basics for Change" presented by Eileen Reardon, Regional Director, Arthritis Foundation NENY. The March 28 program will feature "Rise Up Singing" presented by William A. Vail, LCSW, Bethlehem Senior Services. The programs are free and begin at 1 p.m. at the Town Hall. Either join us for the program only (no registration required) or consider lunch with us at the Windowbox Café in Slingerlands before the program, The Bereavement Support Group for those who have lost someone close, will meet on Thursday, March 20, at Town Hall from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Join others in similar grieving situations and share concerns, emotions, etc. Call Will Vail at 439-4955, ext. 1173, to register or to get more information. Bethlehem Seniors staff members can provide advice on H.E.A.P., which helps individuals on fixed or low incomes with



energy related bills and Supplemental Nutrition Assistance, formerly known as food stamps. Call 439-4955, ext. 1174.

A.A.R.P. Tax Counseling Service will be available at Town Hall on Wednesdays from through April 9. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176, to make 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. to 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 heath insurance, housing issues, health and income related programs and heating costs support.

> Wilma DeLucco, **Bethlehem Senior** Projects, Inc. Board Member

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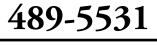
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the Guilderland Central School District clerk at 456-6200 if you have any questions about running



Learn about Medicare

Guilderland Senior Services will hold a Medicare program on Thursday, April 3, from 10:30 a.m. to noon in the Town Hall boardroom. Please call 356-1980, ext. 1094 by March 27 to register.

Will you soon be 65? Are you already enrolled in Medicare but still have questions about your coverage options? There are Medicare counselors trained to help you understand your choices and options. Attend a presentation designed to provide you with an understanding of Medicare and the choices available to you.

Thinking about changing your current Medicare coverage? This is a great time to get a better understanding of the whole picture.

Having trouble paying your Medicare premium or related medical expenses? Find out if you may qualify for Federal assistance with your medical expenses.

You're almost 65? Come learn about how Medicare works. You'll probably be surprised by the number of choices available to you and all the factors that you should consider when making your choices.

Town of Guilderland SENIOR CALENDAR

Sing! Smile! Shine!

Come to the Senior Luncheon and Karaoke on Tuesday, April 29, at noon at Settles Hill Banquet House, 1123 Settles Hill Road, Altamont.

The buffet luncheon includes: assorted sandwiches, salad bar, cream of broccoli soup, chicken marsala, brownie and cookies, and tea, coffee or soft drink.

Our entertainment: "Karaoke Masters with Steve Buess."

Cost is \$17 per person. Please make checks payable to Town of Guilderland. Drop off or mail to the Senior Office.

Transportation service is available upon request. Group table reservations always welcome.

Tickets available March 18 thru April 15.

Movie of the month

"Lee Daniels' The Butler" — March 27, at 10:30 a.m.

"Lee Daniel's The

historical fiction drama loosely based on the real life of Eugene Allen. The film stars Forest Whitaker as Cecil Ganes, an African-American who eyewitnesses notable events of the 20th century during his 34-year tenure serving as White House butler. Throughout his career while serving eight different Presidents, Cecil not only experiences, but lived through the civil rights movement, Vietnam and other major events that affect this man's life, family and American society.

Butler" is a 2013 American

Also starring Oprah Winfrey and John Cusack. Rated PG-13-132 minutes-Please call 356-1980 by March 20 to sign-up.

Wednesday, March 12

Scheduled Shopping 9 a.m. Cardio Circuit 10:30 a.m. Strong Bones + No 10:30 a.m. Senior Fitness

1 p.m. Needlecraft 1:30 p.m. Strong Bones +

Thursday, March 13

Scheduled Shopping 9 a.m. Strong Bones + 12:30 p.m. Mahjongg

Jazz Vibes perform Friday

Unwind on a Friday night with one of the Capital Region's most popular jazz groups. Jazz Vibes with Michael Benedict will perform on March 14 at the First Reformed Church in Selkirk, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Jazz Vibes is noted for bossa nova and jazz standards. Benedict is one of the premier interpreters of vibraphonist/ composer Gary McFarland.

Make it a family night! Tickets are \$5. Students are free. Tickets are available at the library and at the door. Student tickets are available from RCS music teachers.

New furniture for the children's area

A new table and six sturdy red chairs are brightening up the early childhood area of the library. This purchase replaces a much loved but worn wooden table and chairs that local children have used for many decades. The plan is to repurpose the old table into a beautiful coffee table for the adult reading lounge.

RCS COMMUNITY LIBRARY

Air quality testing

Expect to see odd little objects at ten or eleven places on the library floor at the end of this week. The current plan is to test air vapor emission rates and pH during St. Patrick's Day weekend.

Computer/Tech classes

Whether you are looking to develop new skills or solve longstanding problems, look to the Library for guidance. Its weekly computer classes on a wide range of topics address many needs. 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

iPad: Fun and Games- Have fun making and sharing photos and videos. Learn how to find and download popular paid and free games. Wednesday, March 12, at 11 a.m. or Thursday, March 13, at 6:30 p.m.

Windows 8: Don't Be Nervous — Get tips and tricks to help make Windows8 easier to use. Learn to find your apps, organize the new start menu and shutdown the easy way. Wednesday, March 19, at 11 a.m. or Thursday, March 20, at 6:30 p.m.

Windows 8: A little more — Find useful apps and fun games. Practice the basics and get more tips on getting comfortable with your new computer. Wednesday, March 26, at 11 a.m. or Thursday, March 27, at 6:30 p.m.

New adult fiction

"Cell" by Robin Cook "The Counterfeit Agent" by Alex Berenson "Home to Seaview Key" by Sherryl Woods "Killer" by Jonathan

Kellerman "A Man's Heart" by

Debbie Macomber

"An Officer and a Spy" by Robert Harris

"Red Rising" by Pierce Brown

One-on-one coaching available for library's tech tools

Bethlehem Public Library is committed to helping people master the technology that has become such a large part of daily life. If you have questions about your new smart phone, tablet or eReader, our librarians can help. Our staff can also help you navigate social media and software. Make an appointment at



least one week in advance by visiting the information desk or calling 439-9314, ext. 3009.

If you're an adult new to computers, you can get one-on-one peer

Knowledge is **Power...**



tutoring in our Computer Partners program. All tutoring takes place at the library on library laptops. Our volunteer tutors are trained by library staff and matched with students according to students' interests and levels of proficiency.

Tech tools

Our new tech room contains a Makerbot Replicator 2 3D printer and a Makerbot Digitizer desktop 3D scanner. Also available for your use are a Windows 8.1 PC, a VHSto-DVD conversion deck, org, or call the information library offers free job desk at 439-9314, ext. 3009 to sign up for an orientation session. For informal demonstrations and information, drop in anytime between 3 and 5 p.m. today, Wednesday, March 12.

You may not know that one of our small meeting rooms is equipped with a smart board for use by small groups as a teaching, presentation or demonstration tool. Call the information desk for information on reserving this room.

coach services for adults preparing to enter or reenter the job market. Get expert one-on-one help with various jobhunting skills: resumés, cover letters, written and online applications, interview protocol, and LinkedIn accounts. Hour-long appointments are available; call the information desk at 439-9314, ext. 3009.

Board candidate information

A reminder that packets containing information

20, 7 p.m. Listen to the best in jazz; learn about jazz history; share observations and stories.

Origami Club

Saturday, March 22, 3:30 p.m. Learn basic techniques; get help with a special project. Grade K-7.

Teen Advisory Group: Sharpie Lab

Monday, March 24, 7 p.m. TAG meets monthly to talk about teen programs and activities at the library. Grade 6-12.

A Vision Renewed: FDR Presidential Library

Tuesday, March 25, p.m. Preservation

Specialist

Say good-bye to the ice

Spring is (almost) in the air and the Bethlehem YMCA has many new, fun programs for people to get in shape, learn new sports, spend time together as a family and have fun.

Multi-sport playing surface — The iceman cometh and the iceman in the Y's case our own rink manager Rusty Decker - taketh the ice away. By March 24, the ice on the YMCA's rink will be gone and the state-of-the art multi-sport playing surface will be placed down. Opportunities abound for local organizations to rent this surface for leagues, practices and clinics for every sport from lacrosse to soccer to tennis, volleyball and more.

The YMCA is already planning a wide range of programs on the surface, which is the only one of its kind in the Capital Region, including:

• A youth basketball clinic for kids from 10 to 17 years old who are looking to improve their skills and take their game to the next level;

• Pre-school T-Ball for children ages 3 to 5 who can discover the game of baseball and learn the basics while having fun, making new friends and starting down the path to



being the next Derek Jeter or Dustin Pedroia;

• A new tennis program for kids ages 5 to 10 years old who will use new techniques, including smaller courts, lighter and lower bouncing tennis balls, and smaller racquets, to teach youngsters how to play tennis;

• Youth floor hockey to give kids an opportunity to build their hockey skills during the spring and summer. Age appropriate groups will be formed for kids ages 5 to 8 and 9 to 15; and

 Youth roller hockey emphasizes the value of teamwork, fair-play and good sportsmanship while working on basic hockey drills in small-sided games, for ages 3 to 16.

Family Zumba — Looking for some exercise fun for the whole family? The Bethlehem Y's family zumba program combines dance and aerobic exercise for mom. dad and kids ages five and above. It's rapidly growing in popularity, so join in the fun on Friday nights at 5:30.



week. It's a great camp adventure for slightly older students (middle school age), especially if they sign up with a friend! **DELMAR DUATHLON**

- There are still spots available for the Y's annual Delmar Duathlon race at the Elm Avenue Park, on Sunday, May 4, at 8 a.m. Run two miles, bike 10 miles and run another two miles-it's a fun spring day of outdoor exercise. If you like to run, but not bike, or the other way around, you can even register as a two-person team! Register at delmardu.com.

Mark Hansen Member, Bethlehem YMCA Board of Advisors

Musical storytime March 15

A special musical storytime takes place on Saturday, March 15, at 10:15 a.m., for toddlers through kindergarteners with an adult. Featuring music and movement, stories, rhymes and fun activities it is a fast-paced program led by Mrs. Laiosa.

Civil War and barn quilt open house

Coinciding with the 150th anniversary of the Civil War's battle of Cold Harbor, the library will be hosting an exhibit, on loan from the Knox Historical Society, honoring Knox Officer Lt. Michael Henry Barckley. In conjunction with the Civil War display, the library will be hosting artists John Elberfeld and Jane McLean. John and Jane are two of the driving forces behind the Helderberg Quilt Barn Trail (HQBT) we've all been hearing so much about. John and Jane will be displaying some Civil War era patterns, as well as some of their other designs which decorate many area buildings.



They will be hosting an open house on Sunday, March 16, from 2 to 4 p.m. Please be sure to stop by, visit with your hosts and enjoy their art. Who knows? There may even be a Civil War re-enactor dropping by.

Tween creativity lab

Kids grade 3 through 6, come celebrate the release of the newest Muppet film by crafting your own lovable muppet puppet. On March 22 at 2 p.m., you can add teeth, nose, eyes, horns, hair or whatever to your moveable puppet. Unique or look-a-like, the puppet is yours to take home.

Cookbook potluck

On Sunday, March 23, at 2 p.m., you can share vour passion for cooking. The library will be hosting a Cookbook Potluck and you are invited. Do you have an old family recipe that everyone raves about? A go-to casserole

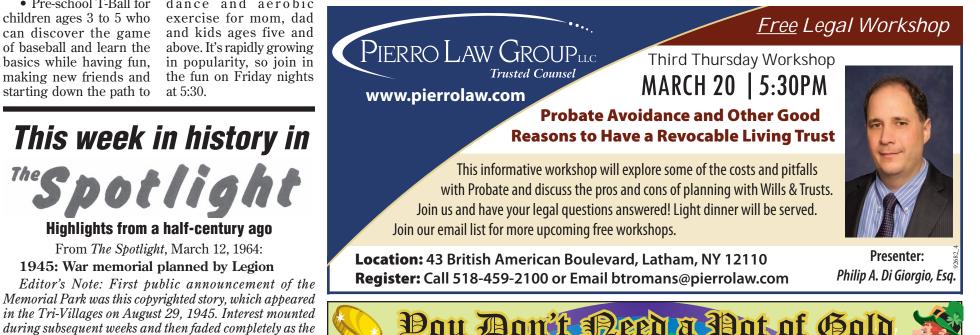
vou've come to rely on? Whatever your forte, please come and share it with us. Prepare a favorite recipe, write up a few recipe cards (or just make copies at the library) and bring it all to the potluck luncheon. Registration is requested for this delectable afternoon.

Friends of the Library spring bus trip

The FOL will be hosting a bus trip to Boston on Saturday, May 3. The cost is \$40 for friends' members and \$45 for non-members. These trips fill quickly, so stop in the library and sign up now! For more details visit www. voorheesvillelibrary.org.

Sign up for The Bookworm

Beginning in June, the bookworm will be posted at www. voorheesvillelibrarv.org. If you don't have internet access, just give us a call at 765-2791, ask for Lynn and we will put you on the mailing list.





grown-ups. The Legion has long felt that there is a real need for such a park in the Town, which combined recreational, aesthetic and commemorative functions.

project was abandoned. No reason was ever given.

The Nathanial Adams Blanchard Post No. 1040, of the American Legion, has presented to the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem a resolution advocating the construction

in the Town of Bethlehem of a park as a post-war War Memorial project. A tentative plan has been proposed outlining a park of sufficient size to include a swimming pool,

tennis courts, open air theatre, picnic grounds and areas with suitable equipment for the enjoyment of children and

The value of open spaces where people can relax, meditate and enjoy the benefits of recreation, although hard to estimate in concrete terms, has been proven over and over again. They prevent human ailments and social ills, which uncontrolled create a steadily growing need for hospitals and prisons. They make for better neighborhoods and higher standards of citizenship.

Although no definite site has been chosen for the Memorial, the letters which were sent to the various organizations in the township brought responses in which they expressed the wish that they be allowed to donate certain specific sections. Individuals who have read about it have written and offered to help with personal donations toward the landscaping.

The Memorial, a large 20-acre park site, would be one of the outstanding spots of its kind in the State because it would offer a more varied program than most.

Among the proposed features are a beautiful, rustic outdoor theatre where plays could be staged during the summer months. Another feature, which has long been under consideration in the Tri-Village area, is the swimming pool. The pool, when finished, would be complete with sea sand beach and a separate shallow section for beginners and the smaller children.

Your Community in The Spotlight

Damn Yankees at BCHS

Bethlehem Central High School's theater department presents the Broadway classic "Damn Yankees!" March 27-30 at the high school auditorium.

Middle-aged baseball fanatic Joe Boyd trades his soul to the devil for a chance to lead his favorite team to victory in the pennant race against the New York Yankees. As young baseball sensation Joe Hardy, Boyd transforms the hapless Washington Senators into a winning team, only to realize the true worth of the life he's left behind. Can Boyd outsmart the devil and finish the job he started as Hardy?

James Yeara directs the musical, which is based on the novel "The Year the Yankees Lost the Pennant" by Douglass Wallop. Jason Dashew is the musical director, and Lindsey Packard Dashew is the choreographer.

Shows take place at 7 p.m. Thursday through Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$8 for senior citizens, students and military personnel. Tickets may be purchased now through March 23 at www. stage700.org. Tickets are also available Thursday, March 20, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the district's Choral Festival, as well as Saturday, March 22, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Monday, March 24, from 5 to 7 p.m. in the high school foyer.

Day of performance ticket sales begin at 5:30 p.m. for the evening performances and 12:30 p.m. for the Sunday matinee.

Simon leads kabbalah series

Rabbi Nachman Simon begins his Kabbalah and Astrology lecture series Wednesday, March 19, at 8 p.m. at Bethlehem Chabad, 395 Kenwood Ave. in Delmar.

Simon has been giving kabbalah lectures and classes for the last 25 years. He helps students



Voorheesville teams excel at Odyssey of the Mind tournament Six teams from the Voorheesville Central School District were among 83 teams from 14 school districts that competed

Six teams from the Voorheesville Central School District were among 83 teams from 14 school districts that competed in the Odyssey of the Mind Regional Tournament Saturday, March 1, at Shenendehowa High School in Clifton Park. Two of Voorheesville's teams — one elementary school team and one middle school team — finished first, which qualified them for April's state tournament at the University of Binghamton. Submitted photo

Mullen speaks at Friendship Club meeting

The Friendship Club of the First United Methodist Church of Delmar is holding its next meeting Friday, March 21, at 6:30 p.m. at 428 Kenwood Ave.

The speaker for its March meeting will be Christina Mullen, who recently reconnected with her two sisters. She will be showing slides of the places they visited, including Paris.

The meeting begins with a potluck supper. People are asked to bring their own place settings and a dish to share if they're able. The cost is \$2 for those who bring a dish to share and \$7 for others.

For reservations, call Marilyn Peterson at 439-8012.

years. He helps students understand the concept of kabbalah, which he said Hamilton College Choir show

the pieces performed are Handl's "Pater noster," Josquin's "Ave Maria" and Rossini's "The Barber of Seville Overture."

The Hamilton College Choir is touring the Northeast this month, with other stops including Boston, Newtown, Conn. and Larchmont.

Figure skating club spring show

The Ålbany Figure Skating Club is holding its annual spring ice show at noon Saturday, March 15, at the Bethlehem Area YMCA, 900 Delaware Ave. in Delmar.

The show features young skaters from around the Capital District in solo and group performances, as well as the AFSC's synchronized skating teams.

Tickets are \$3 for people ages 5 and older, \$1 for senior citizens and free for children under 5-years old. Refreshments will be sold, and there is a 50/50 drawing. All proceeds benefit the AFSC's activities and programs. gmail.com. Information about the club's activities and programs is available at www.albanyfsc.org.

Introduction to Soul Collage

The Thacher Nature Center in Voorheesville is offering an Introduction to Soul Collage workshop from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday, March 16.

Instructor Carol Coogan will provide participants with an overview of making Soul Collage cards. Using images, scissors, glue and mat board, people will make their own Soul Collage cards by pasting one or more of the images onto a 5-by-8-inch card. People select images that strongly attract or inspire them. Each card represents a single aspect of a person's self image.

All card making

'Expiation' begins Sage film series

Opalka Gallery, on the Sage College of Albany campus, begins its 2014 film series with a screening of the Russian film, "Expiation" on Sunday, March 16, at 3 p.m.

"Explation" examines the realities of Soviet life in 1946 as a town tries to come to grips with the aftermath of war.

The afternoon starts with a 1:30 p.m. panel discussion called "Show Me the Money — Keys to International Co-Financing" with panelists Sam Coppola (Canada), film director Dmitry Pirkulov (Russia) and others. Christopher Schiller is the moderator.

Following the screening of the movie, Pirkulov will host a question and answer session. Tickets for the panel discussion are \$8 in advance and \$10 at the door. The film screening is \$6 in advance and \$8 at the door. The cost is \$4 for the discussion and \$4 for the screening for Sage College students with ID.

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understand the concept of kabbalah, which he said is "a centuries-old system of Jewish mysticism and esoteric thought and practice."

The lecture series is free and open to the public. For reservations, call 439-8280 or email Delmarchabadsimon@ gmail.com. The Hamilton College Choir will perform a free show Saturday, March 15, at 7:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, 428 Kenwood Ave., Delmar.

The program for the show is a varied one that includes sacred and secular music. Among

For more information, call Karla Schallehn at (413) 388-4773 or email AlbanyFSCBasicSkills@ materials will be supplied. Participants can bring specific images with them that they'd like to use or to share with the class.

The class is appropriate for people ages 14 and older. There is a \$25 fee to attend. For information or to register, call the Thacher Nature Center at 872-1237.

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The indoor program is intended for all ages, and pre-registration is required.

For more information or to make a reservation, call the center at 456-0655.



How women can use networking and educational events to learn, grow

By LISA M. CLIFFORD Senior Vice President, Key Private Bank

everal years ago, my friend and colleague conference I am helping to

at Key-Bank, Ruth Mahoney, was presented with the Trailblazer Award from the Women's Fund. The award recognized Ruth for making a difference in the lives of women across the Capital Region, and as I listened to her acceptance remarks, two things stood out

ciation for all the women who supported her throughout her career and the importance of making connections.

As women in business, most of us have had the good fortune of working with a strong mentor. Many of us have also served as mentors ourselves, sharing what others have shared with us and what we have learned with others. In the process, we all become better-better professionals and better people.

Networking and educational events that are developed to address the unique needs of women serve a similar function. In fact, in today's wired world, events like Key's upcoming "Healthy, Wealthy and Wise" conference are becoming more important than ever. They offer new ways for us to make connections, build skills and learn at a time when one-on-one opportunities to exchange ideas and experiences are harder to come by. You just need to make sure you're spending your time at the right events and optimizing your time.

Choose the right events

There is no shortage of events vying for your attention. Unfortunately, time is a premium. You can't do everything, and if you spend too much time doing the wrong thing it will have a negative impact on both your personal and professional life.

Asking yourself the followyou prioritize how and where you should spend your time:



tending.

Lisa Clifford

vices company that the focus will to me: her genuine appre- be strictly financial. So before investing your time and money into an event, learn everything you can about it and analyze how well it aligns with your goals.

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3. What is the event about?

The Healthy, Wealthy and Wise

Also keep in mind your personal style and comfort level. Do you prefer smaller, more intimate gatherings or do you thrive in the energy of a large crowd. There are plenty of events that can offer you everything you need, provided you do your homework and have a plan for making the event an effective use of your time.

Plan for success

It's a mistake to think that registering and showing up is enough. Remember, you should only be attending events that align with your overall goals. So prepare to make them as successful as possible. Here are some things to consider:

You are there to learn. While this may be obvious for seminars and conferences, it is equally as true for networking events. Why? Because networking is about making connections—about discovering what other people need and can offer so that you build a mutually beneficial long-term relationship. The golden rule: listen more than you talk. Asking openended questions about a person's business is a great way to convey interest.

You are there to make an impression. Dress appropriately and professionally. Jean Sharkey, owner of Whitney Cooing three questions can help per, a fashion accessories and clothing company in Saratoga Springs, believes that when you look your best you exude selfconfidence—something that can translate into boosting your visibility and creating more opportunities. Also be prepared to describe your business or what you do in 10-15 words, and make sure that you have business cards and other materials you would like to share. You are there to meet new people. Move around. Mingle. It's okay to spend time with people you already know during walkaround networking time (there's always room to strengthen relationships), but sit with people you don't know for table discussions, breakout groups and dinners. Also, don't spend too much time with any one person, and if possible, help other people make new connections by introducing them to your existing contacts. It will be appreciated.

was well organized, delivered • You are there to grow. from your conversation. Just as done it on your own. You've Whether you're trying to win new business or develop new skills, events merely serve as an introduction. The meaningful work happens when you get back home or to the office. To apply what you learn, develop an action plan. Are there books you need to read, tactics to implement in the office or a schedule you need to create to help keep you healthier and more productive? To benefit from the connections you've made, send follow up notes within a few days of the event closing and make sure you personalize it with details

important as your initial follow up is staying in touch. Set a calendar reminder to check in with all of your contacts every couple of months to share news and see how they are doing.

Margaret Thatcher once said: "Look at a day when you are supremely satisfied at the end. It's not a day when you lounge around doing nothing; it's when you've had everything to do, and you've done it."

Chances are, if you really look around at the days when you've accomplished the most, you'll find you probably haven't done it with a little help from your friends—the personal and professional network of people you've surrounded yourself with who help you be a better you. The goal of attending events is to expand that network and find opportunities where you can do for others what they do for you—create opportunities for growth. That's how we all become better.

About the author: Lisa M. Clifford is a senior vice president with Key Private Bank. She may be reached at 518-257-8748 or Lisa M Clifford@KeyBank.com.

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manager, Key Private Bank, and "Investing in Personal Safety: Self Protection," a presentation by officer David Ming and Greg Jensen, Colonie Police Department. Special guest Elaine Houston, anchor, NewsChannel 13.

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1. Why am I attending? Do you want to learn new skills? Meet new people? Promote vour service or product? Whether you're spending 30 minutes at a coffee meet-andgreet or a day at a conference, you need to have a clear expectation of what a positive outcome will be. Is it a qualified lead? Finding a resource? Making a contribution?

2. Who will be there? Effective events are targeted to meet the needs of a very specific audience. Review the event agenda and talk to event promoters to see who they are marketing the event to and what the audience demographics will be. Events with a proven track record are generally a safer investment of your time. Talk to other people who have attended the event to see if it

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Jolena Holtz as Oscar winning actress Jennifer Lawrence poses near the entrance to the museum.

Students bring history to life

More than 90 students and staff portrayed historical figures from the world of politics, science and entertainment at the Slingerlands Elementary School Wax Museum on Thursday, March 6. With each donation, the "wax" students came alive with a one-minute speech about their significance in history. The event was a fundraiser for the Marillac Family Shelter, a homeless shelter in Albany. More than \$400 was raised for the shelter.

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Logan Smith-Hourigan brings puppeteer Jim Henson and his most famous creation, Kermit the Frog, to life.



Figure skater Elizabeth Manley portrayed by Ava Kotary and anthropologist Jane Goodall (Jane Reagan) are pictured at the Wax Museum.

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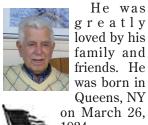
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Milestones

Bub, William F.

DELMAR — William F. Bub, 89, of Delmar, passed away peacefully on Saturday, February 8, 2014.



family and friends. He was born in Queens, NY on March 26, 1924.

During WW II, he served

in the army and just before shipping out to the Pacific, he married the love of his life, the late, Lois S. LeGallez of Slingerlands. He took over the family electrical business, LeGallez Electric, where he worked for over 50 years. The family electrical business was started in 1914, so he lived long enough to see its 100th anniversary, something he was greatly anticipating. He was the second generation owner and the business is now run by the third generation, his son Stephen Bub. He loved to play the drums when he was young, and once he had a family he got his five sons to join the Village Volunteers Fife and Drum Corps of Delmar, so he could join with them. He drummed in countless parades and musters.

He was also one of those Revolutionary War "reenactors." He helped form the Continental Marines, a charter group within the Brigade of the American Revolution. He donned his Continental Marine uniform and carried his musket for his final reenactment last year at the age of 88. The family would

like to thank the staff at the Albany Stratton VA Medical Center for the tremendous care they provided him over many years. He will be incredibly missed by his family of five boys, their wives and his 13 grandchildren. He leaves behind William C. and Nancy Bub (Jennifer), Dennis and Tami Bub (Heather and Theresa), John and Nanette Bub (Kevin and Nathan), Stephen and Maureen Bub (Julianne, Christopher, Michelle, Matthew, and Stephanie), and David and Dawn Bub (Ashley, Andrew, and Corey).

The family requests that he be remembered with donations to the charitable organization, "Honor Flight" which provided him his last big trip as they honored him and other WWII vets with a trip to the WWII memorial in Washington DC at www. leatherstocking honorflight.org/donate. html.



Dean's list announcements

• Lauren Ganley, of Delmar, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at the University of Rhode Island.

 Marissa Caluori, of Glenmont, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at the University of Rhode Island.

• Katie Nickles, of Slingerlands, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at the University of Rhode Island.

• Emily Welter, of Slingerlands, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at the University of Rhode Island.

 Lydia Brockley, of Voorheesville, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at the University of Rhode Island.

 Francis Anetzberger of Selkirk, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Springfield College.

 Erin Seery, of Altamont, has been named to the Marist College dean's list for the fall 2013 semester.

• Tara D'Andrea, of Slingerlands, has been named to the Marist College dean's list for the fall 2013 semester.

• Emily Norris, of Voorheesville, has been named to the Marist College dean's list for the fall 2013 semester.

 Kristen Parsons, of Delmar, has been named to the Marist College dean's list for the fall 2013 semester.

• Jessie Tobin, of Delmar. has been named to the Marist College dean's list for the fall 2013 semester.

 Nikki Moore of Guilderland, earned Dean's Commendation for the fall 2013 semester at the University at Albany.

 Jane Anyango Gregory of Guilderland,

earned Dean's Commendation for the fall 2013 semester at the University at Albany.

• Daniel McKenna of Guilderland, earned Dean's Commendation for the fall 2013 semester at the University at Albany.

• Jeff Plotzker of Glenmont, earned Dean's Commendation for the fall 2013 semester at the University at Albany.

• Regina Herrington of Selkirk, earned Dean's Commendation for the fall 2013 semester at the University at Albany.

• Gavin George of Slingerlands, earned Dean's Commendation for the fall 2013 semester at the University at Albany.

• Maria Belyea of Voorheesville, earned Dean's Commendation for the fall 2013 semester at the University at Albany.

• Kathleen Theresa O'Mara, of Altamont, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at SUNY Fredonia.

 Morgan Rose Lautenschlager, of Delmar, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at SUNY Fredonia.

• Alisa Lynette Fox, of Glenmont, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at SUNY Fredonia.

• Elizabeth Laurel Cowan, of Selkirik, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at SUNY Fredonia.

• K e 1 l y Marie Wentworth, of Selkirk, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall 2013 semester at SUNY Fredonia.

• Joshua Cummings, of Voorheesville, has been named to the honor's list at the State University of New York College of Technology at Delhi.



• Stephen Russo, of Delmar, was named to the Dean's List for the Fall 2013 semester at Wheaton College.

• Belen Betancourt, of Altamont, has earned second academic honors from Clark University for the fall 2013 semester.

Christopher Erickson, of Selkirk, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's lists at SUNY Buffalo State.

 Adam Zeh, of Selkirk, has been named to the vice president's list at Mohawk Valley Community College.

• Jennifer Belgiovine, of Voorheesville, has been named to the University of Delaware's Dean's List for the 2013 fall semester.

• Brian Crupi, of Slingerlands, has been named to the University of Delaware's Dean's List for the 2013 fall semester.

• Josh Dubey, of Delmar, has been named to the University of Delaware's Dean's List for the 2013 fall semester.

• Maya Kassoff, of Delmar, has been named to the University of Delaware's Dean's List for the 2013 fall semester.

 Salvatore Loccisano, of Voorheesville, has been named to the University of Delaware's Dean's List for the 2013 fall semester.

• Nora Reynolds, of Selkirk, has been named to the University of Delaware's Dean's List for the 2013 fall semester.

 Emily Slingerland, of Glenmont, has been named to the University of Delaware's Dean's List for the 2013 fall semester.

• Mary M. Doane, of Selkirk, has been named to the fall 2013 Dean's List



• Jill Malfetano, of at Saint Michael's College.

• Theo J. Ferguson, of Delmar, has been named to the fall 2013 Dean's List at Saint Michael's College.

• Julia F. Korkosz, of Delmar, has been named to the fall 2013 Dean's List at Saint Michael's College.

• Emma M. Python, of Glenmont, has been named to the fall 2013 Dean's List at Saint Michael's College.

• Daniel M. Ushkow, of Delmar, has been named to the fall 2013 Dean's List at Saint Michael's College.

• Tess Dube, of Altamont, has been named to the 2013 dean's list at Le Moyne College.

• Brendan Kavanaugh, of Glenmont, has been named to the 2013 dean's list at Le Moyne College.

• Jessica Marini, of Slingerlands, has been named to the 2013 dean's list at Le Moyne College.

 Maressa Patti, of Delmar. has been named to the 2013 dean's list at Le Moyne College.

 Christopher O'Keefe, of Delmar, has been named to the 2013 dean's list at Le Moyne College.

• Gabrielle Liguori, of Voorheesville, has been named to the 2013 dean's list at Le Moyne College.

• Emily Nalbone, of Slingerlands, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at William Smith College.

• Margaret Carswell, of Delmar, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame.

• Megan Carswell, of Delmar, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame.

• Kathleen Quick, of Delmar, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame.

• Kyle S. Wehner, of Slingerlands, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Colby College.

• Haley Gergich, of Slingerlands, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Simmons College in Boston.

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• Jessica Brown, of Voorheesville, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Simmons College in Boston.

• John Quinn, of Slingerlands, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Babson College.

• Carla Planz, of Voorheesville, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Babson College.

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Milestones

Dean's list announcements

The following students at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute were named to the Dean's List for the Fall 2013 semester:

- Frank Appio, of Altamont
- Zachary Appio, of Altamont

• Nathaniel Keaton, of Altamont

• Morgan Ten Eyck, of Altamont

• Qi Wang, of Altamont

• Theodore Abriel, of Slingerlands

• Connor Armbruster, of Selkirk

Victoria Buehler, of Delmar

• Halley Coplin, of Delmar

• Andrew Cunningham, of

Voorheesville

• Jennifer Ding, of Slingerlands

• Liam Doyle, of Slingerlands

• Thomas Duguid, of Glenmont

Geoffrey Fox, of Slingerlands
Nicholas Kaloyeros, of Slingerlands

• Nathan Kane, of Glenmont

• Alex Kessler, of Delmar

• Tyler Kessler, of Delmar

• Amanda Lewis, of Delmar

• Chloe Mahoney, of Slingerlands

• Kallanna Manjunath, of Glenmont

• Rachael Melita, of Slingerlands

• Andrea Mesiti, of Slingerlands

• Nicola Mesiti, of Slingerlands

Nancy Min, of Slingerland

Jeffrey Morton, of Delmar
Mary Powathil, of

Slingerlands

• Kevin Sheridan, of Delmar

• Rebecca Smith, of Delmar

• Thomas Wainwright, of Delmar

• Alexander Benninger, of Altamont, was named to the 2013 dean's list at Arizona State University.

• Daniel Randall, of Glenmont, has been named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Plymouth State University.

• Grace E. Alessi, of Slingerlands, was named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Boston University.

• Laura C. Alessi, of Slingerlands, was named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Boston University.

• Jenna K. Lewanda, of Slingerlands, was named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Boston University.

• Steven A. Ratner, of Slingerlands, was named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Boston University.

• Adam T. Eisenstein, of Delmar, was named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Boston University.

• Kaitlin Kramer, of Slingerlands, was named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Loyola University Maryland.

• Robert Trosset, of Delmar, was named to the fall 2013 dean's list at Loyola University Maryland.

BC budget talks continue

Presentations focus on special ed, tech needs

By MARCY VELTE veltem@spotlightnews.com

As Bethlehem Central continues budget discussions for the 2014-15 school year, recent presentations highlighted possible staff reductions in the special education department and needed technology upgrades.

The second round of budget presentations were held on Wednesday, March 5, at the Bethlehem Central High School. The district is facing a preliminary budget gap of \$4.8 million, while residents could face a 3.12 percent tax levy increase that would not challenge the state's tax cap.

Kathy Johnston, director of Special Education and Student Services, said after reviewing possible costsaving measures for her department, the district could save about \$62,000 by getting rid of a social worker. The district currently has eight social workers and seven psychologists.

"Although social workers work with both special needs students and the general population, they are not mandated by the state," said Johnston.

Another \$100,000 would be saved through staff retirements, but service costs to BOCES have increased to be nearly just as much. If a social worker was let go, the potential cost savings for the department would be \$67,000.

Johnston said about 712 students within the district receive SESS help. Students are reevaluated on a yearly basis to see if changes need to be made to their special education programs, or if they are no longer needed.

"One year, we might have a lot of students move out. This year, we had a lot of students move in," said Johnston. "There's not an exact science to it."

Johnston said because of these year-to-year changes in need, it can be hard to make reduction recommendations. She thanked her team for carefully putting the needs of students first.

The special education director also said previous cuts had resulted in challenges scheduling aids for middle school students, teachers losing valuable time with students because of the need to travel between schools and little time for professional development.

Despite these challenges, the graduation rate for special needs students remains at 82 percent, with many students also involved in extracurricular actives like the school play. Sal DeAngelo, the district's chief technology officer, proposed restructuring the technology department, but also requested additional money for equipment.

DeAngelo said although the recent bond provided funds to upgrade tech support, it did not provide money for equipment. He asked for \$200,000 to upgrade the online testing capabilities of the district's buildings.

"The state is requiring us to be able to do more assessments online," said DeAngelo. "The hope would be this could be used more in the classroom, as well."

Also budgeted was \$3,000 to hire additional help over the summer.

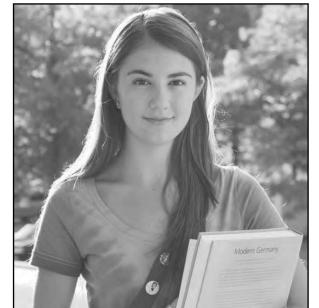
Proposed restructuring of the department would call for one of the district's help desk technicians be turned into an IT Services Specialist, with a slight raise. DeAngelo also asked for the elimination of a BOCES technician, with the work done in house. The total cost would be an additional \$30,000.

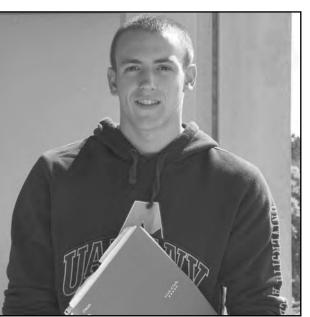
"We have current employees with the skill set and education," said DeAngelo.

The next round of budget presentations will be held on Wednesday, March 19, and will discuss athletics, along with operations and maintenance.

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March **Madness**

On Feb. 28, the March Madness Wacky Olympics and Faculty Basketball Game took over the Bethlehem High School with teams of teachers from the five elementary schools, the middle school and the high school competing in wild and fun team events and a very spirited basketball game. The event was a fundraiser for the Classroom Innovation Grant program.

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The Spotlight

Neighbors wary of new placement of townhomes

Two buildings in **Delmar Pointe moved**, but residents say they are too close

By MARCY VELTE vetlem@spotlightnews.com

The repositioning of two housing units within the proposed Delmar Pointe development to placate several neighbors was met with opposition from another set of neighbors.

A public hearing to grant subdivision approval for the Delmar Pointe project was held at the Bethlehem Planning Board meeting on Tuesday, March 4. A plan had been proposed to move two of the housing units so they would not be visible to several residents who live along Hedgerose Lane in Delmar. The plan also called for a berm to be built and several trees to be planted.

However at the meeting, a resident said moving the two units toward the front of the development would cause similar problems for those living along Ridgefield Drive.

'They're relocating it into an area that is specifically right outside my kitchen and right into my backyard," said Tom Mocerine of 21 Ridgefield Drive. "My comment today is, is there any opportunity to push those units somewhere else because we already have two units right next to my residence.'

Mocerine said he respected the residents of Hedgerose Lane and their efforts to get the units moved, but because of drainage issues, a berm would not be able to be built for the Ridgefield Drive residents as a barrier.

Delmar Pointe would include 46 townhomes on about 21 acres of land. The property is behind the medical building are being mitigated with that contains the Rustic Gourmet Restaurant, west of the Bethlehem High School. The project received Planned **Development District** approval in June 2013. Viscusi Builders originally proposed the project about seven years ago, and condominiums were planned at the time. In 2011, the project changed to townhomes because of a change in the market.

an archeological dig, an environmental review and further research into storm water management.

There would be a mix of two- and three-bedroom designs and one- and twofloor setups, all with frontfacing garages. Customers will be able to choose one of four possible layouts. The entire property will have a buffer around it from other nearby properties and will be maintained by a homeowners association.

New sidewalks will also be built along the developments access road. The building of the road would eliminate a curb cut for the medical building from Delaware Avenue, and provide a safer entrance and exit to the building's parking lot. The project would be similar to the Walden Fields development off Elsmere Avenue.

Charles Dumas of Lemery Greisler LLC said although a berm would not be possible with the new configuration, trees were planned to work as a buffer for the residents of Ridgefield Drive.

"We've had a fair amount of public scrutiny of the project," Dumas acknowledged at the meeting. "First there was the public hearing for the PDD, and then the two subsequent appearances before the Planning Board and colloquy with the public through the public forum."

Mocerine said he will already be dealing with street light, aesthetic issues and loss of privacy from the proximity of units one and two. Adding the additional two units will make it worse.

Leslie said planning staff agreed to add the berm, not for screening of buildings, but to block the light from disturbing residents of the adjacent property.

District would bond nearly \$1M for vehicles

By JOHN PURCELL purcellj@spotlightnews.com

Guilderland school district voters will likely vote on a separate proposition alongside next year's proposed budget this May, which includes purchasing eight buses and a maintenance truck for nearly \$1 million.

Danielle Poirier, transportation supervisor for the Guilderland Central School District, presented the proposed purchase of six 66-passenger buses for \$694,000, a 66-passenger bus with chains for wheelchair bus for \$145,000 and a \$36,000 maintenance truck to the Board of Education on Tuesday, March 4. State aid would cover about 50 percent of the \$995,000 purchase, according to district officials.

The bond proposal would be placed on the 2014-15 school budget ballot as a separate proposition, and board members are scheduled to vote on purchases at its Tuesday, March 18, meeting.

Board Vice President Allan Simpson questioned if the bus purchases were the most economical choice given the fiscal stress facing the district. Simpson also asked if there was another, less expensive option.

Assistant Superintendent for **Business Neil Sanders** said the purchase is a "needs-based approach" for the aging district fleet. The district also attempts to follow its vehicle and equipment replacement schedule.

"We buy a few buses each year and those age out, so now we are at the 11-, 12-, 13-year mark of those buses within the fleet where reliability becomes a question," Sanders said. What we are talking about is phasing out buses that are at the end of their life and replacing them with new buses ... so we always have an infusion of new equipment and updated

safety requirements."

G'land asks for new buses

Fleet Supervisor Mitch Carkner said the district has already fallen behind on replacing buses, and delaying the proposed purchase would be detrimental.

"We still have three buses that should have been surplused already, so I kept buses on the property for parts because, as the time went on, as we've been purchasing vehicles, we haven't maintained the numbers of big vehicles," Carkner said. "With this replacement tonight, we will still be short of the goal of our replacement cycle that was started years ago."

Simpson also asked if there would be less demand for buses next \$120,000, a full-size year since the district is proposing to contract out five more bus runs. This year, the district saved money contracting out two bus routes for special needs students.

Poirier said eventually there would be less of a need, but she cautioned against not replacing buses this year since the district is still testing contracting out transportation services. She said the arrangement has worked well so far.

"I am not sure we are ready to reduce our fleet just yet until we determine that outsourcing is something that is going to go well," she said. "We just want to make sure that this is the plan we want to continue on with in the future."

If the district stopped contracting out routes, she said, then it would need the buses to accommodate children.

Sanders pointed out the district would only purchase full-size buses under the proposal and not any smaller buses.

The district owns a 2004 full-size wheelchair bus with 151,000 miles, which is nearing the end of its life cycle, and Poirier said she'd like to have two in the fleet. One would be used on a day-to-day basis for a route.

There is one child the district contracted out to transport because a wheelchair prevents that child from using the district's wheelchair bus, Poirier said. The current bus only has one configuration with 24 seats and fits up to three wheelchairs.

The new wheelchair bus would have five different configurations and allow for the child

to be transported. It is more expensive than a standard setup because there is a wheelchair lift, air conditioning and other requirements for special needs students.

Building and Grounds Supervisor Clifford Nooney said the district also must replace its existing salt truck, which is 21 years old. For the first 14 years, the district had used it as a maintenance truck before transitioning it to salt duties.

"I can honestly say we've squeezed every single penny out of this vehicle," Nooney said. "It no longer makes sense to make any repairs on it, and it is going to become dangerous to operate.'

The new truck would take the place of the district's 12-year-old utility truck, which would transition into "semiretirement" and become the new salt truck. Purchasing the truck through state contract also reduces the costs around \$10,000 to \$15,000.

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The developers stalled the project for some time because of the economy. The town's Planning Board previously asked for several studies to be done on the site, including

"The visual impacts evergreen trees, and over time, they will provide with even more screening," said Leslie. "The initial take is screening along the backs of properties is sufficient, combined with the 50 foot buffer that is required for the PDD."

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TAKE NOTICE, that the Town of Colonie Zoning Board of Appeals wil hold a public hearing at the Public Operations Center, 347 Old Niskayuna Road, Latham, in the Town of Colonie, on the 20th day of March, 2014, at 7:00 p.m., to hear the appeal of Meyer Christopher (agent for Vincent Sfara) from the decision of the Department Building Manager for the Town of Colonie, denying him a Building Permit for the premises located at 12 Court Street, the construction of a new 2,100 sq. ft. Single Family dwelling on a 6,350 sq. ft. building lot, with a 63.50' front lot line and 63.50' front setback lot line in the Single Family Residential District zone does not comply with the minimum 12,000 sq. ft. lot size and the minimum 80' front lot line and front setback lot line width, as stated in the Town of Colonie Land Use Law, Article VI, 190-24,190-26(A), Dimen sional Table for Established Lots- Footnote #6; upon the request for a variance from the provisions of the Code of the Town of Colonie, Chapter 190 to permit such construction and use, and a SEQR Determination for such appeal. ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS CAMPBELL, JAMES

CHAIRMAN DATED March 6, 2014 Ad#40758

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LI-COMPANY ABILITY (LLC).Name: STATE STREET MANAG-ING MEMBER LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary State, March 4, 2014. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 302 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12203. Ad#40994

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LI ABILITY COMPANY (LLC).Name: 144 STATE STREET MASTER TENANT LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, March 4, 2014. Pur pose: to engage in any lawful act or activity Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 302 Washington Ávenue Ext., Albany, NY 12203. Ad# 40992

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LEGALS for which a limited liability company may be organized under applicable Ad#40500

LEGAL NOTICE TAKE NOTICE, that the Town of Colonie Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at the Public Operations Center, 347 Old Niskayuna Road, Latham, in the Town of Colonie, on the 20th day of March, 2014, at 7:00 p.m., to hear the appeal of Scott John from the decision of the Building Depart-ment Manager for the Town of Colonie, denying him a Building Per-mit for the premises located at 17 Dorlyn Road, the proposed construction of a new 2,500 +/sq. ft. single family dwelling on an 11,473 +/- sq. ft. building lot with a lot width of 63' at the front building set-back line, in the Single Family Residential (SFR) district zone, does not comply with the minimum required 12,000 sq. ft. lot size and 75' width at the front building setback line, as statin the Town of ed Colonie Land Use Law, Article VI, 190-24,190-26 (A), 190 Attachment 3, Dimensional Table for Prior Established Lots; upon the request for a variance from the provisions of the Code of the Town of Colonie, Chapter 190 to permit such construction and use, and a SEQR Determination for such appeal. ZONING BOARD OF AP-PEALS JAMES CAMPBELL, CHAIRMAN DATED March 6, 2014 Ad#40760 LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation 2051 86 St. Realty LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 3/4/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Accumera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#40737

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation 2053 86 St. Realty LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 3/4/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cntv. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Accumera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#40736

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation 2057 86 St. Realty LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 3/4/2014 Off.

LEGALS shall mail process to the LLC, 228 Seventh Ave., New York, NY 10011. Purpose: General. Ad# 39749

LEGAL NOTICE

228 Seventh LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 02/13/14. Off. loc. Albany Co. SSNY desig nated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY mail process to the shall LLC. 228 Seventh Ave. New York, NY 10011. Purpose: General. Ad# 39752

LEGAL NOTICE 38381

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) Name: TROY-SCHENEC TADY ROAD, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on October 24, 2005. Office Location: County of Albany. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of pro-cess to: 356 Troy-Schenectady Road, Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: For any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

ARTICLES OF ORGANI-ZATION OF 405 SIXTH AVENUE MECHAN-ICVILLE LLC Under Section 203 of the New York State Limited Liability Company Law FIRST: The name of the limited liability company is: 405 SIXTH AVENUE MECHANICVILLE LLC. SECOND: The county, within this state, in which the office of the limited liability company is to be located is: Albany

THIŔD: The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the limited lia-

bility company upon whom process against it may be served. The ad-dress within or without this state to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the limited liability company served upon him or her is:405 SIXTH AVENUE ME-CHANICVILLE LLC210 Morris RoadSuite ASch-New enectady, York

12303 FOURTH: The limited liability company is to be managed by: One or More Managers. I certify that I have read the above statements. I am authorized to sign this Articles of Organization, that the above statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and that my signature typed below constitutes my signature.Dated: February 7, 2014 Al-bany, New York

Alexander Powhida, Organizer Law Office of Ålexander Powhida 90 State Street, Suite

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A LIMITED PART-NERSHIP (L.P.)The name of the LP is 892 New Loudon of Albany, L.P. The Certificate of Limited Partnership was filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on February 3, 2014. The purpose of the LP is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LP is to be located in Albany County. SSNY is desig-nated as agent of the LP upon whom process against the LP may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process served to the LP at: The Partnership, 596 New Loudon Road, Latham, New York 12110.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of @FATMAC LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/31/13. Office loca-Albany County. tion: SSNY SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 31-78 34th St. #1B, Astoria, NY 11106.Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Ainsworth Institute of Pain Management, PLLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 1/27/2014. 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.

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Notice of Formation Aisling P. O'Connor, D.D.S. PLLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY 2/18/2014. Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom procēss may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o the LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad# 39730

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Notice of Formation-AKCHA REALTY LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 2/6/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Acc-umera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities Ad# 38713

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of ALL BRAND CLEANERS AND SEWING CENTER a limited liability LLC. company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on January 7

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of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the MO address of LLC: E. Meadowmere Ad#40130 Springfield, MO

65804. Arts. of Org. filed with MO Secy. of State, 600 West Main St., Jef-LEGAL NOTICE ferson City, MO 65101.

Purpose: any lawful act or activity Ad# 39758

LEGAL NOTICE

APPLE TREE FORT, LLC-Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Articles of Organization of Apple Tree Fort, LLC (the "LLC") were with the Departfiled ment of State of New ("SSNY") York on November 12, 2013. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is design Albany nated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process c/o the LLC, 219 Forts Ferry Road, Latham, NY 12110. The LLC does not have a specific date of dissolution. Purpose: All legal purposes. Filer: Lavelle & Finn,LLP, 29 British American Blvd., Latham, NY 12110 Ad#40490

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Notice of Formation of Band of Real Estate Investors, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/5/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Incorp Services, Inc., One Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. 805-A, Albany, NY 12210. Purpose: real estate investments and any lawful purpose Ad#38839

LEGAL NOTICE

PUBLICATION NOTICE ORGANIZATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FIRST: The name of the Professional Limited Liability Company is BAR-BARA F. PATS, PHD, PSYCHOLOGIST, PLLC. (hereinafter referred to as the "Company"). SECOND: The Articles Organization of the

Company were filed with the New York Secretary of State on February 3, 2014. THIRD The County within New York State in which the office of the Company is to be locat-

ed is ALBANY FOURTH: The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company may be

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Org. filed w/ Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/23/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 909 3rd Ave. #6203. NY. NY 10150. Purpose: Any lawful ac-

Notice of Formation of Brookens **Properties** LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/18/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Incorp Services, Inc., One Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Ste. Albanv. NY 805-A. the registered 12210, agent upon whom process may be served. Purpose: any lawful pur-

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of BUDDY REAL ESTATE INVESTORS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/18/13. Office loca-tion: Albany County. tion: SSNY designated agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 503 Harold St., Staten Is-land, NY 10314. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY Notice of For-

mation of Limited Liability Company (LLC) Name: Cancer Preven-(LLC) tion Lifestyle, LLC Articles of Organization filed by the Department of State of New York on: 01/31/2014 Office location: County of Saratoga 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 Principal Business location: 486 Stage Road Ballston Lake NY 12019 Ad# 40199

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PUBLIC HEARING NO-TICE, TOWN OF BETH-LEHEM, ALBANY COUN-TY, NY. Notice is hereby given that the Planning Board, will conduct a Public Hearing as part of its regularly sched-uled Board Meeting on Tuesday, 03/18/2014 at 6:00 PM, at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Ave, Delmar, NY regarding a Special Use Permit / Site Plan Amendment

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Albany, NY 12206. Pur-

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OF LIMITED LIABILITY

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Notice of Formation of COWBOY ASTRONAUT LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/4/14. 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.

Ad# 39176 LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LI-ABILITY COMPANY (LLC).Name: CROSS PROPERTY ÌNGŚ DE VELOPMENT LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, December 13, Purpose: to en-2013. gage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Al-bany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 302 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12203. Ad# 39216

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CHICEST FOODS LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/24/14. Notice of Formation Office location: Albany Cyan Too LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 2/20/2014 Off. Loc.: Al-bany Cnty. SSNY desiged as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY nated as agent of LLC shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Accumera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same ad-12206. Purpose: all lawdress. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad# 39727

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of DAST JRKMP3 LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/26/13. Office loca-Albany County. tion: SSNY SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service process. SSNY shall mail process to: 228 E. 45 St. #1801, NY, NY 10017.Purpose: Any

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the LLC is any purpose	may be served. SSNY	lawful activity38407	LLC. App. for Auth. filed	SOLUTIONS LLC. Art. of	Ad#40988	pose: Any lawful activity.	of LLC: 1675 South

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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.

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Notice of Formation EFLUENT LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 2/27/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Acc-umera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#40330

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of EL LUREY NEW YORK LLC. Art. ofOrg. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/3/14. Office location:Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process.SSNY shall mail process to: 1111 Sheepshead Bay Rd #2F Bklyn, NY 11229.Purpose: Any lawful activity. 38395

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

1.The name of the Limited Liability Company is AVE.-SHANKS ELM PLACE, LLC 2 The Articles of organi zation of the Limited Lia-Company were bility filed on January 23, 2014 with the New York Secretary of State. 3 The office of the Limited Liability Company is lo-cated in Albany County. 4.The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the Limited Liability Company upon whom process against it may be served. 5.The Secretary of State

shall mail a copy of process served to the Limited Liability Company to 60 Axbridge Lane, Delmar, NY 12054. 6. The latest date to dis-solve is indefinite. The purpose of the Limited Liability Company is to conduct all lawful activity

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of EMBEDDED CRE-ATIONS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/11/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 504 E. 63 St. #4T, NY, NY 10065. Purpose: Any lawful activity. Ad#40603

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of EVENTUM ENTER-TAINMENT LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/27/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for of SSNY S process.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION of FIFTH AVENUE VEN-TURES LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/20/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to:151 Lexington Ave. #8A, NY, NY 10016. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation-Floating Point, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 2/26/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY des-ignated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Accumera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#40329

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of FormationRF FRO YO, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 1/31/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Acc-umera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. 38013

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of GENIUS ORGANIZING NEW YORK LLC. Arts. of

Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/24/14. Office was filed with location: Albany County. designated as SSNY agent of LLC whom pro-cess against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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FRO YO, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 1/31/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY desig-nated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Accumera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawful activities. 38016 LEGAL NOTICE



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Ave., #101, Albany, NY

NOTICE OF FORMATION

of HICKS DESIGN, LLC.

Art. of Org. filed w/ Se

location: Albany County.

mail process to: 202 W.

HUDSON CALVERTON SOLAR 1, LLC Foreign LLC Notice of NY Publi-

cation Pursuant to Sec-

tion 802 of the Limited

Liability Company Law

Hudson Calverton Solar

1, LLC App. For Auth. filed NY Dept of State on 11/05/13. Juris and date

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ecutive Woods, 5 Pal-isades Dr., Ste. 300, Al-bany, NY 12205. Sec. of

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Ste. 300, Albany, NY 12205. Addr. of Foreign LLC in DE is 615 South

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filed: Jeffrey W. Bullock,

Sec. of State of the State

of DE, Division of Corpo-

rations, P.O. Box 898.

Dover. DE 19903. Pur-

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State on 10/31/2013. LLC whom process may 'SSNY shall The purpose of the LLC mail process to: c/o Acc-umera LLC, 911 Central is to own, operate and manage a business venture, and also to engage 12206. Purpose: all lawin 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 adcy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/4/14. Office dress to which the Secretary of State shall mail designated as a copy of any process against the LLC is PO agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall Box 121, Feura Bush, NY 12067 40 St. #402, NY, NY

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JAMAICA INN, LLC Notice of Formation of Lim-Articles of Organization of Jamaica Inn, LLC (the "LLC") were filed with the Department of State of New York ("SSNY") on November 12, 2013. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process c/o the LLC, 219 Forts Ferry Road, Latham, NY 12110. The LLC does not have a specific date of dissolution. Purpose: All legal purposes. Filer: Lavelle & Finn, LLP, 29 British American Blvd., Latham. NY 12110 Ad#40494

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mail a copy of process to the LLC, Executive Woods, 5 Palisades Dr., Notice of Formation of JDL ICON ASSOCIATES, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/5/14. 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 ad-dress. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad# 39177

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PUBLICATION NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF 1, LLC Foreign LLC No-tice of NY Publication LIMITED LIABILITY Pursuant to Section 802 COMPANY FIRST: of the Limited Liability name of the Limited Lia-Company Law Hudson Generation 1, LLC App. For Auth. filed NY Dept bility Company is JGC TWO ASSOCIATES, LLC of State on 11/05/13 (hereinafter referred to Juris and date of org: DE as the "Company"). SECOND: The Articles 11/01/13. County of loc: Albany Cty. Princ. bus. loc. Executive Woods, 5 of Organization of the Company were filed with the New York Secretary Palisades Dr., Ste. 300, Albany, NY 12205. Sec. of State on January 24, 2014.THIRD: The Counof State designated as agent of foreign LLC tv within New York State upon whom process against it may be served. in which the office of the Company is to be locat-The Sec. of State shall ed is ALBANY.FOURTH: The Secretary of State has been designated as mail a copy of process to the LLC, Executive Woods, 5 Palisades Dr. agent upon whom pro-Ste. 300, Albany, NY cess against the Compa-12205. Addr. of Foreign LLC in DE is 615 South ny may be served. The post office address to DuPont Hwy, Dover, DE which the Secretary of 19901. Auth. Officer in State shall mail process is 8 Airline Drive, Suite DE where Cert of Form. 104 Albany, New York 12205 FIFTH: The pur-poses of the business of filed: Jeffrey W. Bullock.

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OF ALBANY. LLC (the

"LLC"); The Articles of

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The office of the LLC is

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Secretary of State shall

mail a copy of any pro-

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the LLC is perpetual; The

character and purpose of the business of the

LLC shall be to engage

in any lawful act or ac-

tivity for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of the State of New

York, including the own-

ership of real property.

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filed w/ Secy. of State of

Office location: Albany County. SSNY designat-

ed as agent of LLC for

service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 166 W. 18 St. #8C,

NY, NY 10011. Purpose

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KLRealtime LLC, Art. of

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whom process against it

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Ct., Albany, NY 12203.

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Any lawful activity. Ad#40138

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NOTICE OF FORMATION LAMSIA MANAGE-MENT LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/31/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 79 Heisser Ct., Farmingdale, NY 11735.Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LIMITED LIA-COMPANYThe BILITY Articles of Organization of Law Office of Sandra Rivera, PLLC was filed with the Secretary of State of New York (?SSNY?) on December 10, 2013. Office loca-12 Fairview Road, tion: Loudonville, New York, 12211, County of Albany. SSNY is designated as agent of Law Office of Sandra Rivera, PLLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to Law Office of Sandra PLLC, Rivera, Road, Fairview Road Loudonville, New York Law Office of 12211. Sandra Rivera, PLLC does not have a specific date of dissolution. Purpose: The practice of law and all other legal purposes.

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Notice of Formation of LEIGH LEIGH LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/11/14. 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. Ad# 39336

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Radio LLC Arts. of Org.

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umera LLC, 911 Central

Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all law-

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NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) Name: Krolak Technology Management Group, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York of New (SSNY) on November 25, 2013. Office loca-Albany County. tion: SSNY SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to c/o The LLC, 10 Airline Drive, Albany, New York 12205. Pur-pose: Any lawful business purpose.

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NOTICE OF FORMA-TIONOF LIMITED LIA-BILITY COMPANY (LLC) Name: Krolak Technolo gy Management of Syracuse. LLC. Articles of

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of M. SINGER CON-SULTING LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/23/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service process. SSNY shall mail process to: 410 E. 57 St. #3B, NY, NY 10022.Purpose: Any

MANIS 13, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 1/29/14. Officelocation. Albany County. SSNY designatas agent of LLC ed whom process against may be served SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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nization filed with the Secretary of State of NY ?SSNY?) (the on 1/28/14. Office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been desig-nated 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, 435 Montecito Avenue, San California Francisco, 94112. Purposes: any lawful activity.

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of MARYANN'S CLEAN UP LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/31/13. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designat-ed as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 2815 Grand Concourse #B24, Bronx, NY 10468. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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Inc. at the same ad-dress. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad# 39954 LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION of NGM REALTY MAN-AGEMENT LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/17/13. Office loca-tion:Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 514

Ad# 39173 LEGAL NOTICE Maple Payments, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 01/30/14. Off. Loc.: Albany Co. SSNY desig. whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: The LLC, 132 W 36th St., 3rd Fl., NY, NY 10018. General Purposes. Ad#38958 LEGAL NOTICE MARTINEZ MANAGE-MENT, LLCNotice of formation of Martinez Management, LLC, a limited liability company (the ? LLC?). Articles of Orga-

against may be served. SSNY shall mail process NOTICE OF FORMATION to: c/o The LLC, 46 State St., Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services

LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of MBRR EQUITY, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/26/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC

Ave. M, Bklyn, 11230. Purpose: Bklyn, NY Any lawful activity.

COMPANY LLC.Appl. for Auth. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/20/13.Office location: formed in Delaware (DE) on 10/18/13. SSNY designated as agent of LLC

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. Ad#40478

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tary of State of New York (SSNY) on January 13, 2014. Office loca-

tion: Albany County. SSNY designated

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Albany, NY 12206. Pur-

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of MYGUEST, LLC. Art. of Org. filedw/ Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on

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designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 16 E. 18 St. 9 Fl., NY, NY 10003. Purpose: Any lawful activity. Ad#40606 LEGAL NOTICE FAB Property Develop- ment, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State	NOTICE OF FORMATION of HAMPTON DRY GOODS, LLC. Art. ofOrg. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/15/14. Office location:Albany County. SSNY designat- ed as agent of LLC for service of process.SSNY shall mail process to: 107 Potunk Ln., West- hampton Beach, NY	Sec. of State of the State of DE, Division of Corpo- rations, P.O. Box 898, Dover, DE 19903. Pur- pose: All legal purposes. Filer: Lavelle & Finn, LLP, 29 British American Blvd., Latham, NY 12110 Ad#40497 LEGAL NOTICE	12205 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 compa- nies may be organized under the New York Limited Liability Law. 38149	gy Management of Syra- cuse, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on November 25, 2013. Of- fice location: Albany County. SSNY designat- ed as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of pro-	for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 68 S. Service Rd. #100, Melville, NY 11747. DEaddress of LLC: 108 W. 13 St., Wilmington, DE 19801. Art. of Org. filed with DE Secy. of State, 401 Fed- eral St. Ste. 4, Dover, DE 19904.	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 ad- dress. Purpose: all law- ful activities. Ad# 40474	Invitation and renova- tion to 2303 Westerr
of NY (SŠNY) on 01/30/14. Off. loc.: Al- bany Co. SSNY desig- nated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 11 Danton Lane,	11978.Purpose: Any lawful activity 38410 LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation Hannah Rand LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY	NOTICE OF FORMATION of I-PLUS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/ Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 1/31/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation- Jonathan Landscape & Design LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 3/3/2014 Off. Loc.: Al- bany Cnty. SSNY desig-	cess to c/o The LLC, 10 Airline Drive, Albany, New York 12205. Pur- pose: Any lawful busi- ness purpose. LEGAL NOTICE	LEGAL NOTICE Luxury Homes Florida Realty LLC Articles of Organization of this Lim- ited Liability Company (LLC) were filed with the Secretary of State of	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of MCFNY2 LLC. Arts of Org. filed with New York Secy of State (SSNY) on 1/22/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is	Ave., Guilderland, NY and is seeking separate sealed bids for Genera Construction, Mechani- cal, Electrical, Plumbing and Sprinkler Construc- tion. This is a public work project and coordi-
Lattingtown, NY 11560. Purpose: General. Ad# 39097 LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Compa- ny Articles of Organiza-	on 1/24/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY des- ignated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Acc- umera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY	LLC for service of pro- cess. SSNY shall mail process to: 153 E. 110 St. PO Box 726, NY, NY 10029. Purpose: Any lawful activity. Ad# 40136 LEGAL NOTICE	nated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Acc- umera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all law- ful activities.	Notice of Formation of LAHIJANI REAL ESTATE GROUP, LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/3/14.Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom pro-	New York (SSNY) on February 19, 2014. The LLC maintains its office in Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom pro- cess against it may be served. SSNY shall mail	designated as agent of LLC upon whom pro- cess against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: 111 John St, Ste 2510, New York, NY 10038. Purpose: any lawful activity.	nation of the schedule will be the responsibility of the General Contrac- tor (GC).Sealed bids wil be accepted until 4:00 p.m. local time on March 27, 2014 at 2303 West- ern Ave., Guilderland
tion of Farmland Renew- al, LLC (the "LLC") were filed with the Depart- ment of State of New York ("SSNY") on Octo- ber 31, 2013. Office lo- cation: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it	12206. Purpose: all law- ful activities. LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation Herion Productions, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 3/3/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of	NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMIT- EDLIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)The name of the LLC is J.A.M Business Group, LLC. The Arti- cles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of	Ad#40749 LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF KAYLA'S ENTERPRISE OF ALBANY, LLC The name of the limited lia- bility company is OF KAYLA'S ENTERPRISE	cess 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. Ad# 39175	a copy of any process served to the LLC at 952 Troy-Schenectady Road, Suite 112, Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: for any lawful activity for which limited liability compa- nies may be formed un- der the law. Ad# 39800	LEGAL NOTICE Notice of Formation of MEATOS NY ONE LLC. Arts. of Org. was filed with SSNY on 2/28/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designat- ed as agent of LLC whom process against	NY. The public bid open- ing will commence im- mediately following the above specified time a the location indicat ed.Each sealed enclo- sure containing a bid is to be endorsed on the outside with the name address and telephone

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number of the bidder and is to state that it contains a bid for the Addition/Renovation Guilderland Fire District including the specific contract being bid.Bid security in the form of a 5% bid bond issued by an acceptable surety or bank or certified check payable to the Guilderland Fire District is required.Bids must be in accordance with the terms, conditions, specifications and other bid documents for the project and must remain valid for forty-five (45) days.Bidding Docu-ments may be obtained as follows: Bidders can order documents on an electronic CD for \$50 (non-refundable) from Northco Products. Bidders may also order complete sets of documents at cost (non-re-fundable) by phone, fax or mail from: Northco Products, 12 Walker Way, Albany, NY 12205, 518-869-6056 Phone: Fax: 888-281-0642. The successful bidder will be required to provide both a performance bond and a labor/material payment bond issued by acceptable sureties and to enter into a written con-tract with the Guilderland Fire District A copy of the form of contract is included with the bid documents.The Guilderland Fire District reserves the right to reject any and all bids, re-advertise for new bids, and waive minor irregularities in bidding and to accept the bid that is best suited for the Guilder-Fire District.Qualiland fied Bidders shall be individuals/business entities who have the folexperience. lowing There is no exception to these requirements. Non-Qualified Bidders should not apply: successfully Have completed three projects

York State: 2. Are domestic, New York State businesses The construction budget for the project is \$3 -\$3.2 million. Please be advised that a pre-bid meeting will be held at the project site on March 11, 2014 at 2:00 PM. All bidders are encouraged to attend.S-tatement of non-collusion in bids & proposals: "By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of knowledge and belief:

The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion. consultation, communication. or agreement, for the purpose of restricting com-

LEGALS closed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any com-petitor.III. No attempt has been made or will be made to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition."By order of the Board Of Fire Commissioners, Guilderland Fire District-Brian K Forte Sectreatary DATED: February 26, 2014 Ad#40328

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Oaxaca Fourth, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 1/30/2014 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. The reg. agent is: Accumera LLC at same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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Notice of Formation Oaxaca Greenwich, LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 1/30/2014 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., Albany, #101 NY 12206. The reg. agent is: Accumera LLC at same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. 37866

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Notice of Formation OBV Ventures LLC Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 1/24/2014 Off. Loc.: Albany Cnty. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o Acc-umera LLC, 911 Central Ave., #101, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: all lawof similar size in New

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OET BUILDERS LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) (SSNY) 1/30/2014. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be SSNY shall mail served. copy of process to 1 lpswich Ave., Ste. 101, Great Neck, NY 11021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 37865

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NOTICE OF FORMATION of OFAS LLC. Art. of Org. filed w/Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 2/28/14. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 885 Preston Rd., E. Meadow, NY 11554. Purpose: Any lawful ac-

SSNY designated as agent for service of process. SSNY shall mail process to: 366 6th St. #2, Bklyn, NY 11215. Purpose: Any lawful ac-Ad#40602 LEGAL NotICE NOTICE OF FORMATION

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of OLIVERO LITERARY & MEDIA ENTERPRISE, LLC. Art.of Org. filed w/ of State of NY Secy (SSNY) on 1/29/14. Office location: Albany-County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC for service of process

SSNY shall mail process

to: PO Box 654, Bronx,

NY 10454. Purpose: Any lawful activity. Ad# 40135

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on a walk with members of the Garden Club, Chamber of Commerce, Rotary, and Kiwanis to see what kind of improvements could be made to make the corridor look more appealing. Kilcoyne said the group was now gathered to make those plans come to fruition.

The town was awarded a \$1.2 million grant in January as part of the state's Bicycle, Pedestrian and Multi-use Enhancement Projects initiative. The grant is through the federal Department of Transportation's Transportation Enhancement Program, and the funds are expected to be used to turn the town's Delaware Avenue Hamlet Enhancement Study into reality.

An overview of the project was presented by Rob Leslie, the town's planning director, who also encouraged the town to apply for the grant in August.

The entire project is estimated to cost around \$3.1

million. The TEP grant is for \$1.2 million so the town will need to make up the remainder of the cost unless additional funding can be found through grants or fundraising. Construction is not expected to begin until 2015.

Suggestions made in the original plan include upgrades to sidewalks and the addition of bicycle lanes, as well as decorative lighting and better landscaping along the road.

In 2003, the intersection of Delaware and Kenwood saw improvements with new lighting, plant hangers and improved sidewalks. Town Supervisor John Clarkson said he had wanted to see this course of action continued and was prepared to put forth a scaled-back version of the plan until this grant became available.

It was previously suggested that the town would use some of the aesthetic suggestions in the study as guidelines for private property owners. Officials would work with business owners to start slowly implementing the plan through code changes.

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> - Bethlehem Supervisor John Clarkson

Some suggestions included requiring business signs to be more relative to their trade or instituting "hamlet" signs that overhang buildings. Officials would also like to see parking in the rear of buildings, entrances placed towards the front of buildings so they are more visible from the street and wider setbacks from the street to allow for outdoor cafes or courtyards.

Those ideas were once again showed to community members who attended the meeting. Clarkson asked how they felt about the changes and what could be done to entice business owners to participate in sprucing up their property. Garden Club and Delmar **Progress Club representatives** said it might be nice to have its members visit businesses and provide suggestion to owners about landscaping and natural beatification techniques.

The study also calls for the beautification of the railroad overpass to act as a gateway to the town. A partnership with the school district was suggested to have a mural painted by art students on one side of the Delaware Avenue Bridge overpass, with trees and a garden placed on the other.

Construction for the third phase of the Helderberg Hudson Rail Trail is expected to be completed this fall after federal funds are provided through the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) Program totaling \$3.637 million. The third phase encompasses the Delaware Avenue Bridge, with the possibility of some funds provided to help with aesthetics. Also targeted for

upgrades would be several access points to the rail trail. which are within Bethlehem.

John Phillips, of Phillips Hardware, asked if there was a list of businesses available that members of the group could begin targeting.

Clarkson said no, but one could be put together, He also cautioned this was a project for willing participants and no business owner should feel like they have to donate or make costly improvements to their business.

"It will all work as long as we keep it voluntary and cooperative," said Clarkson. "We don't want to be in the business of telling people what they must do. We want to encourage them to visualize the things that they might do."

The meeting left off with committee members asking to look for designs from other communities they might want to incorporate into the improvements project. The next meeting will be held on April 3 at 5 p.m. and is open to the public.

Fowl (From Page 1) one person opposed it, but I think they lived a street

or two away." Owen, who has four children, said his family grows "a substantial amount" of their vegetables and most of his family is vegetarian, so they go through "a ton" of eggs. He said keeping chickens is also an opportunity to teach his children responsibility.

"It is consistent with the residential character of the neighborhood," Owen said. "There would be minimal disturbance to the adjacent properties ... and any remedies for disturbances would be no different than a nuisance dog or a cat that is getting into your garden.'

The chickens would only be in the coop and a run located at the back of his property, which he didn't believe would be readily visible from the road.

Owen said the noise level of chickens falls around 65 to 70 decibels. but at 20 feet away the noise drops to 50 decibels, which is similar to an air conditioning unit or normal office environment. A typical dog bark at the source is 60 to 90 decibels, he said. John Marotta, who lives directly across the street from the Owens, said dogs don't bark consistently and claimed chickens make noise all day. "I, for one, am strongly against it," Marotta said. "The neighbors ... have been astir over this. ... More people are against this than are for it in the immediate area.' Marotta said he likes the Owens, but felt if they wanted to keep chickens, they should have lived

somewhere more rural. Marotta also said he is planning to sell his home in three months and is worried the chickens could affect the sale.

"If anybody on the panel could sit there and say that if you were selling your home you wouldn't be concerned with having 10 chickens in the house 50 feet from you for market value and maybe incoming perspective values,' Marotta said. "I interpret that as a negative quality to any potential sale.'

He later added that if Owen were allowed to keep chickens, it could create tensions in the neighborhood.

"Dale has to live with the community he chose to purchase a house in, and the community is not happy," Marotta said. "He is going to jeopardize relationships in the community."

Owen said he had reached out and met with surrounding neighbors about his proposal before coming before the board. He was unable to meet one neighbor face-to-face because that person was maintenance" animal is planning to submit and must be constantly cleaned up after.

"Be aware that the smell from a chicken coop is very offensive and that neighbors on either side, on a summer day with a breeze, will be exposed to the odors from the chicken coop," Kane said in the email.

Teri Conroy, an Altamont resident keeping chickens in an agricultural zone, contended cleaning a chicken coop is a simple process and doesn't require much effort or time.

Marotta said the odor of chickens would attract more predators to the neighborhood, which could potentially make it more dangerous for people.

Owen said he talked to the town animal control office about what predatory animals are in the town, knowing neighbors were concerned chickens could attract predators, and found out the most prevalent are foxes. He has already seen foxes on his property, too.

proposed changes in around a month or two. The Town Board

would have to approve any changes to the zoning code, with the committee providing recommendations.

"(The committee) has been active for a couple of years, and during that process, there have been a couple of local laws ... the zoning review committee has presented to the Town Board," Barber said. "We pulled some things and advanced them more quickly.

One local law pushed through already was simplifying the home occupation permit process and allowing business conducted within a residence.

Currently, Barber said, there are "at least some people" keeping chickens without the town's permission, and there is little the town can do to impose regulations and conduct inspections.

"They are doing it under conditions that may or may not be good, so we felt it would be better to

empower the town to go in and inspect," Barber said. "Right now, someone could have chickens in their backyard and we don't know what's going on, and the town has no legal right to enter the property."

Fowl feelings

The committee unanimously supported including chickens into the zoning code, but Barber said there are still people opposing the inclusion, including former Town Clerk Rosemary Centi.

Centi, who opposed previous chicken requests, questioned why the board was hearing Owen's request in an email sent to Barber on Feb. 26.

"I had been assured by Ken [Runion] that this was a nonissue. When it came before the Zoning Code Review Committee, I left them with quite a number of emails opposed to any consideration of chickens in residential zones," Centi said in in draft mode regarding the new zone code. Please inform the Zoning Board of my personal opposition and other residents' vehement opposition to this proposal."

In a letter the town received Feb. 27 from Centi, she cited similar concerns as those attending the recent zoning board meeting and said enforcing regulations would be "very difficult."

Barber, in a Feb. 28 email reply to a resident, said previous applications for chickens received 'positive comments" from the state and county health departments, "as long as well-recognized standards" for keeping chickens are followed.

"More than three dozen NYS municipalities, including NYC, permit the keeping of chickens, but only under enforceable conditions," Barber said in the email. "And while there has been some opposition to Guilderland taking the same course, far more residents have appeared at public

out of town.

Opponents at the meeting also worried about what, if any, odor would come from chicken excrement, with 10 hens producing around twothirds of a pound daily, according to Owen.

"Frankly, I don't want to live on a smelly property," Owen said. "I'd be the first one to say, 'This stinks, I'm going to clean it.' ... I've got my compost pile, and we've got friends who would drive to my house to clean the poop for me to take it back to their own compost pile."

Joseph Kane, of 128 Mohawk Drive, in a March 2 email to town officials, said he grew up on a 25acre farm and claimed chickens are a "highpredator-proof coop Those regulations also interpreting? We are still support." and use extremely rigid carpenter's mesh covering all of the opening and any potential entry point,' Owen said.

Codifying chicken coops

The town's zoning code is in the process of being rewritten through the Zoning Review Committee and a provision slated to be included would allow chickens in residential zoning. There would be standard conditions imposed on residents keeping chickens under the rewritten code, according to Barber. He said the committee

"I plan to have a have regulations in place. the email. "What needs hearings to voice their





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during the spurt.

Guilderland slowly clawed its way back into the game. A Vincent Simeone three-pointer and layups by Andrew Platek and Billy Floyd trimmed the deficit to 34-32 late in the second

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three-pointer of the game early in the fourth quarter.

Ramion Burt evened the from the field, including a score at 52-52 with a power 4-for-6 performance from move near the basket. beyond the three-point arc, Then, Hood Jr. drilled a against a Guilderland team

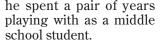
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quarter. The Dutchmen three-pointer from the top he spent a pair of years stayed within five points of of the key with 4:08 left Green Tech through the in regulation to give the third quarter and grabbed a Eagles the lead – one they 52-50 lead on Platek's second didn't relinquish the rest of the night.

Hood Jr. scored 27 Green Tech center points on 10-for-20 shooting

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"Those are my best friends for a time," said Hood Jr., who was named the Class AA tournament's most valuable player. "It's a great feeling knowing I have bragging rights."

"They took care of my boy in seventh and eighth grade," said Hood Sr. "They opened their doors and treated us like family."

Dobhere contributed 12 points off the bench, and Burt added 10 points and nine rebounds for Green Tech, which won its first Sectional title in any sport. The Eagles lost to Troy in last year's Class AA final.

"It's exciting. It feels really good," said Hood Sr. "All the credit goes to the young guys behind me, but a lot of credit goes to the Guilderland program. They played a great game."

Platek had 17 points to pace Guilderland. Floyd contributed 12 points, and Marc DuMoulin added 10 points before fouling out late in the fourth quarter.

getting into foul trouble hurt us," said Osinski.

finals means that Colonie's school classification kids a long way."

"I think DuMoulin 2000 Section II Class A championship. title still marks the last time a Suburban Council get where we are," said Guilderland's loss in the team won the largest Osinski. "We've taken our

"We worked hard to



Guilderland's Matt Cerutti drives past a Green Tech defender during the Section II Class AA finals Monday, March 3, at the Times Union Center.

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other two schools and what classes they would normally play in," said VanDerzee. "Then, you take 30 to 40 percent of their BEDS (enrollment) numbers and add that in, and that's how you determine what classification that team plays in."

To accommodate the addition of the two new threeway merged teams, Class C has been divided into three divisions. The North Division consists of Lake George/ Hadley-Luzerne, Corinth, Granville, Greenwich and Hoosick Falls. The Central Division has CC/BG/SC, Mechanicville, Stillwater, Tamarac, Voorheesville and Watervliet, and the South Division includes Cairo-Durham, Chatham, Coxsackie-Athens, Fonda, Schoburg and Taconic Hills.

VanDerzee said all the changes with teams moving around made developing the 2014 schedule difficult.

"It's a tough process every year," said VanDerzee. "We start it in December, and we put it together based on what we think the divisions will look like. Then we wait for the BEDS numbers, which come out in February, and then vou have to wait for any mergers. Once all of that happens, then you work out the schedules.'

The opening week of the 2014 football season includes a rematch of last year's Class AA final when Shaker visits Christian Brothers Academy.

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"Any opener is a tough game with anticipation on how the kids will play and how the younger kids will mesh with the older kids," said CBA coach Joe Burke, whose Brothers defeated Shaker 14-8 in last year's final. "And Shaker has been on top of the past three years. They've been very successful at the younger levels, so I think it should be a very good game."

VanDerzee said the CBA-Shaker rematch wasn't deliberately planned.

"That's just the way it worked out. The double A's have the opportunity to play inter-divisional games the first two weeks, and you try to get the best match-ups possible," said VanDerzee.

Bethlehem has nondivisional games against Albany and Ballston Spa before playing its first Liberty Division contest in Week 3 against LaSalle at home. The only question remains, where will Bethlehem's home field be? The main football field will be under reconstruction as a new drainage system is installed, which means the Eagles will be looking for other fields to play on. That could lead to some possible Saturday afternoon games, depending on where and when they can get field time, and they might end up playing all of their games on the road.

"That's up to them when they play their home games," said VanDerzee. 'That doesn't affect the (overall) schedule."

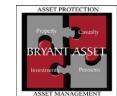
The first week of football season is Sept. 5 and 6.





Holy Names athletes commit to college

Academy of the Holy Names seniors Catherine Vivian, left, of Slingerlands and Leah Triller, right, of Glenmont signed their National Letters of Intent at a March 5 ceremony at the Albany private school. Vivian will play lacrosse at St. Joseph's University, while Triller will run track and field for Cornell University. Vivian is a Lacrosse Academic All-American and a four-year starter for Holy Names, and she was named a first-team Class C all-star last season. Triller has won the state indoor track and field title in the 1,000-meter race, has won the last two 800-meter titles at the Eddy Meet and finished first in the 1,000-meter race at the Dartmouth Relays in 2013 and 2014. Pictured with Vivian and Triller is Holy Names athletic director and track coach Carlo Cherubino. Submitted photo



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Holy Names seniors sign

Two Academy of the Holy Names senior student-athletes from the Town of Bethlehem signed their National Letters of Intent last Wednesday at the Albany private school. Catherine Vivian of Slingerlands signed to play lacrosse at Saint Joseph's University, while Glenmont's Leah Triller will run track at Cornell.

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Weekly poll

Is the Glens Falls Civic Center still the best site for the New York **State Public High School** Athletic Association boys

Smith claims state title in high jump

Bethlehem athlete wins public school division championship

By SPORTS STAFF news@spotlightnews.com

Bethlehem's Grace Smith won the public school division title in the girls high jump at the New York State High School Indoor Track and Field Championships March 1 at Cornell University.

Smith cleared the bar at 5 feet, 7 inches to earn the state title in the public school division. Medgar Evers' Shayla Broughton claimed the Federation championship by clearing 5 feet, 8 inches.

Bethlehem's boys 800-meter relay team finished third in the public school division and fourth in the Federation with a time of 1:35.52. Najee Barnette, Ethan Strauss, Ben Young and Connor Kimmey ran for Bethlehem.

Brian Greenberg placed fifth in the public school division and sixth overall in the triple jump for Bethlehem. The senior's best

distance was 45 feet, 11 inches.

Noah Bell added a top-20 performance in the 3,200-meter run for the Eagles. Bell finished 13th in the state and 17th overall with a time of 9:39.24.

Steve Booker ran the first leg on Section II's intersectional relay team. The Bethlehem senior posted an opening time of 2:34.65 to help Section II finish second with a time of 8:58.34. Bethlehem's Abbi Wright was part of Section II's girls intersectional team, which placed seventh in the public school division and eighth overall with a time of 10:39.52.

Guilderland sent three individuals to the state meet. Harrison Bickmore led the Dutchmen contingent by tying for 12th among public school competitors and 16th overall in the high jump by clearing the bar at 6 feet. Jon Feil was 13th in the state and 15th overall in the boys 600-meter dash with a time of 1:25.16, and Abby Marco finished 19th among public school runners and 23rd overall in the girls 55-meter high hurdles with a time of 9.09 seconds.



Guilderland's Andrew Platek shoots over Green Tech's Jizziah Carr.

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Hood Jr. hits fadeaway three-pointer in final minute to lift Green Tech

> By ROB JONAS jonasr@spotlightnews.com

It's a shot Jamil Hood Jr. practices all the time, and it's highly effective.

The Long Island Universitybound senior guard hit a fadeaway three pointer with 38 seconds left in the fourth quarter to help Green Tech pull away from Guilderland for a 65-56 victory in last Monday's Section II Class

Bethlehem switches

divisions following

Niskayuna's voluntary drop

By ROB JONAS

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have been changed for the 2014

down from Class AA to become

an independent Class A team

this fall, which led to Bethlehem

switching from the Empire to the

season.

Section II football divisions

Niskavuna voluntarily dropped

AA boys basketball championship game at the Times Union Center.

"He works on that shot right there repeatedly," said his father

and Green Tech coach Jamil Hood Sr. "I'm telling you, he puts in the • Green Tech work.'

Eagles, 65 With Green • Guilderland Tech (15-5) Dutchmen, 56 clinging to a 58Diane Deyoe/Special to the Spotlight

crowd. I just focused on the shot."

Hood Jr.'s three-pointer began a game-closing 7-0 run for the Eagles that ended Guilderland's bid to become the first Suburban Council school to win the Class AA title.

"We didn't back down. We challenged them the whole game," said Guilderland coach Ron Osinski.

Green Tech threatened to run away and hide when it opened the second quarter on a 13-4 run. Hood Jr. led the charge with a pair of baskets, and Isiah Dobhere went 4-for-4 from the foul line

Devils oust 'Birds

LaRose drops 30 points on Voorheesville to lead Ogdensburg

By SPORTS STAFF news@spotlightnews.com

Voorheesville's season ended with last Tuesday's 80-49 loss to Section X champion Ogdensburg Free Academy in the Class B boys basketball regionals at Saratoga Springs High School.

The Blackbirds (21-2) had no answer for OFA's Kinnon LaRose, who scored a game-high 30 points. LaRose was one of two Blue Devils - along with Matt Piercey (18 points) who made three shots from beyond the three-point arc.

Voorheesville stayed close to OFA through the first quarter, but the Blue Devils surged into a doubledigit lead by outscoring the Blackbirds 17-9 in the second quarter. A 21-9 run in the final period sealed OFA's victory. Logan Hotaling led Voorheesville with 19 points, while Noah Crawford added eight points.

basketball tournament?

Yes

• No

Undecided

Go to spotlightnews.com and click on "Sports" to cast your vote.

Previous poll results:

With this year's Class AA boys basketball playoff results, has the Suburban Council become the new Section II power?

• Yes 67%

• No 22%

Wait and see 11%

56 lead, Hood Jr. waited for the right moment to take his shot.

"I had to stay calm," said Hood Jr. "I didn't even pay attention to the

Dutch Page 22

Realignment hits Section II football again

Liberty Division.

FINAL

SCORE

"They (Niskayuna) requested to play down without the chance to play in Sectionals this year," said Section II football chairman and Ravena-Coeymans-Selkirk coach Gary VanDerzee.

Class A grew by a total of four teams in the new alignment, which is based on student population numbers reported to the New York State Public High School Athletic Association. Besides Niskayuna, Class A adds Green Tech, Lansingburgh

and Scotia-Glenville from the Class B ranks. Those moves also resulted in a change for Schalmont, which switched from the West Division to the Reinfurt Division.

"Schalmont moved over because geographically speaking, they were the closest to us," said VanDerzee, whose RCS Indians play in the Reinfurt Division.

Class C is home to both of Section II's three-way merger teams. Catholic Central threw

its football chips in with Bishop Gibbons and Saratoga Central Catholic, which fielded a merged squad last season. Meanwhile, Berne-Knox-Westerlo is sending players into the merged Schoharie-Duanesburg team.

VanDerzee said both threeway merged teams qualified for Class C status based on NYSPHSAA's formula.

"You take the school with the highest enrollment ... and then you take into consideration the **Football** *Page 23*

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Pianist Andrew

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distinctive and intriguing

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Rose presents Andrew

Tyson in a solo piano



Pick ofthe week



A good laugh

Comedian Joey Kola will be performing at The Comedy Works in Albany in a benefit program for the Capital **Region Jewish Community** Centers. This Comedy for a Cause event will take place Thursday, March 13, at 6:30 p.m. Food and beverages will be available for purchase.

Kola, who has been performing for audiences for more than 30 years, has appeared on numerous talk shows and on stages across the country.

Tickets for the performance cost \$25 in advance and \$30 at the door. Special VIP tables are also available The Comedy Works is located at 500 Northern Blvd., Albany. For more information, or to purchase tickets, visit www. thecomedyworks.com or call -877-JOKE-TIX.



A musical journey

Danú tells the stories of Ireland through traditional and contemporary song

By DANIA BIANCHI bianchid@spotlightnews.com

Though many folks may choose to celebrate their Irish roots with beer and corned beef at a local pub on St. Patrick's Day, authentic Irishness can be found in a different place this year. Seven well-known native Irish musicians will take the stage in Troy to bring the audience on a journey to the land of Ireland with music and story.

Hailing straight from historic County Waterford in the Emerald Isle, Danú, a high-energy traditional Irish band complete with flute, tin

whistle, fiddle, button accordion and bouzouki, will perform at the Troy Music Hall on Sunday, March 16.

Benny McCarthy, a founding member of the award-winning band, plays button accordion in the band. He said the audience will get a true sense of what life was like in Ireland many years ago through the music.

"Our performance does take a journey to Ireland in the sense that we are from the four corners of Ireland," McCarthy said. "We like to tell the audience the stories. Everybody in the group talks.'

□ Irish Page B2

IF YOU GO

• What: Danú • When: Sunday, March 16, at 4 p.m. • Where: Troy Savings Bank Music Hall • How much: \$22-\$37 Info: www. troymusichall.org or

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Since winning the Young Concert Artists **International Auditions** in 2011, Tyson has received a 2013 Avery Fisher Career Grant sixth prize at the 2013 Queen Elisabeth **International Piano** Competition of Belgium and fifth prize and the Terence Judd-Hallé Orchestra Prize at the 2012 Leeds International Piano Competition. The prize brought



Coming attractions

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

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□ **Pianist** *Page B8*



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(From Page B1)

McCarthy said the lyrics and titles of the band's music all reference some sort of story from their native country.

"It might be a story of a song local to a place in Waterford, to a story like 'County Down' based in County Down. Basically everything has a story, and we like to tell it," he said. "All the music is links to what has happened in Ireland over the years."

Danú's well-known song, "County Down" is one example.

"Everyone loves 'County Down.' It's a beautiful song - a newly written song, and a story about immigration" he said.

Though Danú prides itself on its ancient tunes, the band plays both traditional and new music.

"Not all of our material is ancient music. We have newly written pieces written in the traditional vein. They sound as if they were old," he said.

Named for a goddess in Celtic mythology, Danú has performed in venues around the world since coming together as a band

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"Most everyone plays music in Ireland — traditional Irish music. ... Since 6 or 7 years of age, it was our social life, our hobby, our passion. We were all playing music maybe 13 to 14 years before we made a career out of it."

- Benny McCarthy, a founding member of Danú

in 1995 after an informal appearance at a music festival in Dungarvan, Ireland.

"We were playing for a festival and all kind of jamming together when we got an opportunity to go to a big Celtic festival in France. We decided we would go, and that's where it all started. Before we knew it, we were a band. We didn't set out to be a band from the start. All of a sudden, we found ourselves a name and doing a big concert, and we are still doing it," McCarthy said.

That casual jam session was the start of big things for Danú. The group has since recorded seven albums and has toured North America, Europe and the Middle East.

McCarthy said the band, which consists of seven almost 40-year-olds, all came from some sort

of musical background, which he says is pretty typical in Ireland.

"Most everyone plays music in Ireland traditional Irish music. It's a great tradition," he said. "Since 6 or 7 years of age, it was our social life, our hobby, our passion. We were all playing music maybe 13 to 14 years before we made a career out of it."

McCarthy explains how traditional Irish music can be described in a variety of ways.

"For instance, you have people playing music with kind of a Celtic rock, but ours is very acoustic with instruments. The music is anything from — let's say foot-tapping — jigs with good foot-tapping tempo, to very emotional songs in both Irish and English," he said.

Danú's music is known to be both energetic and



The musicians in Danú came together following a casual jam session and have since recorded seven albums and embarked on multiple tours.

"There are seven Irish

people on stage talking. A

lot feel transported in some

sense. We try to make it as

intimate as we can. After

many years of playing, we

can make a few thousand

seats intimate. We can talk

to the audience and tell a

story as if we are sitting in

a pub in Ireland," he said.

weeks into their U.S. tour.

Tucson, Ariz.; two days

ago in Illinois; then we

go back to Kansas. It's an

amazing country. You can

just drive two hours and

see a different climate,"

McCarthy said the band

"The audience is great

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McCarthy said.

The band is about two

"Right now we are in

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"The music we are

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audience feel transported

McCarthy adds that he

that sense."

Photo by John D. Kelly

to your music. When we come to America, people appreciate us coming all the way from Ireland.' McCarthy also finds

that a lot of people in the American audiences have a link with Ireland that goes back to great, great grandparents.

"They feel a connection," he said. "They are very touched by the night. Fun, emotion and passion — all of these things, which are very strong in our music and performance, and we try to portray that."

Danú will take the audience on a musical journey to Ireland at Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, 30 Second Street, Troy, on Sunday, March 16, at 4 p.m. Tickets are \$22-\$37 and are available by calling, 273-0038, in person, or online at www. troymusichall.org. For more information, visit www.troymusichall.org.



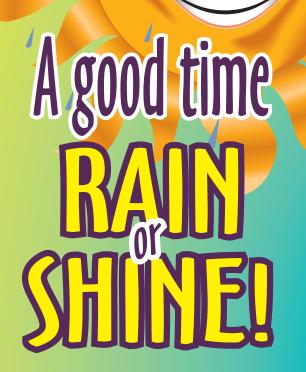
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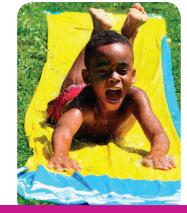
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Gypsy: A Musical Fable

Classic Broadway musical about an aspiring actress and her pushy stage mom. March 18 through April 13, Capital Repertory Theatre, 111 North Pearl St., Albany. Shows: 7:30 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 3 p.m. Saturday, 2 p.m. Sunday. Tickets: \$20-\$65. Tickets and information: 445-7469 or www. capitalrep.org.

The Understudy

Theresa Rebeck's clever indictment of contemporary theater. March 21-23 and 26-30, Schenectady Civic Playhouse, 12 South Church St, Schenectady. Shows: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 2:30 p.m. Sunday. Tickets: \$17. Tickets and information: 346-6204 or www.civicplayers.org.

MUSIC

Windscape

Classical wind quintet performs works from a diverse group including Stravinsky, Gershwin and Louis Armstrong. March 14, 7 p.m., Kiggins Hall, Emma Willard School, 285 Pawling Ave., Troy. Tickets: general admission \$25, students \$15. Tickets and information: 273-4843. Part of the Friends of Chamber Music concert series.

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of C.P.E. Bach on the occasion of his 300th birthday. March 15, 7:30 p.m., Kathleen Mc-Manus Picotte Recital Hall, Massry Center for the Arts, The College of Saint Rose, 1002 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. Information: 454-5194 or email hansbroy@strose.edu.

Burnt Hills Oratorio Society

Presenting the New York state premiere of "The Revelations of Divine Love (Metaphors from Sea and Sky)' by Carson Cooman. March 16, 3 p.m., Zankel Music Center, Skidmore College, North Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Tickets: \$20 adults, \$10 students with ID, \$3 discount with 2013 Saratoga ArtsFest pass. Information: 416-4060 or www.bhos.us.

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DANCE

NYS Capital District Chapter of USA Dance

Join us for an evening of ballroom at our regular monthly dance. March 16, Polish Community Center, 225 Washington Ave. Extension, Albany. Lessons with Johnny Martinez at 6:15 p.m., followed by the dance from 7 to 10 p.m. Tickets: general admission \$13, USA Dance members \$10, students \$5, children 18 and under free. Information: capitalusadance.com.

<u>COMMUNITY</u>

MiSci 'Pi Day'

Have fun with the mathematical equation on the 14th day of the third month (3.14). March 14, 3 to 5 p.m., 15 Nott Terrace Heights, Schenectady, free with paid admission. Information: 382-7890.

The Open Door Book Store and Gift Gallery

Author Robert Connor will sign copies of his book, "General Gordon Granger: The Savior of Chickamauga and the Man Behind 'June-teenth.'" March 15, 1 to 2:30 p.m., 128 Jay St., Schenectady. Information: 346-2719.

<u>LECTURE</u>

Robert Storr

Artist, critic and dean of the Yale University School of Art. March 27, 7 p.m., Saint Joseph Hall Auditorium, The College of Saint Rose, 985 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. Information: www.saintrose.edu.



Mop and Bucket Company

"Theatresports," a weekly show of improv comedy and music, March 14, 8 p.m., Underground at Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Tickets: adults \$14, students and seniors \$6. Information, 346-6204 or www.proctors.org

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EXHIBITS

featured in this exhibit. March 9 through the middle of April. 405 Washington Ave., Albany. Exhibit hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to noon Sunday. Free admission. Information: 463-7135 or www.albanyuu.org. Artist reception: Sunday, March 16,

Brookside Museum

"The Creative Mind," featuring the work of Karin Vollkommer, March 7 through April 25. 6 Charlton St., Ballston Spa. Information: 885-4000. Opening reception: March 7, 5 p.m.

University Art Museum

"Blue Plastic Bubbles: Paintings by Lamar Peterson" and "American Playlist: Selections from the University at Albany Art Collections," through April 5. UAlbany uptown campus, 1400 Washington Ave. Information: 442-4038.

Arts Center of the Capital Region

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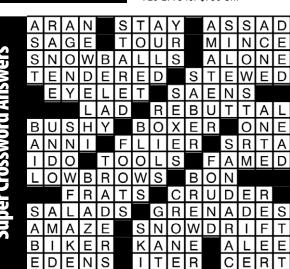
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Paganini Variations in Gateshead, Manchester and Blackburn and Beethoven's Concerto No. 4 in Leeds.

Tyson made his orchestral debut at the age of 15 as winner of the Eastern Music Festival's competition to appear with the Guilford Symphony. His early studies were with Dr. Thomas Otten of the University of North Carolina. He graduated from the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia, where he worked with Claude Frank, earned his master's degree at The Juilliard School working with Robert McDonald,



• What: Pianist Andrew Tyson

- When: Friday, March 14, at 7:30 p.m.
- Where: College of Saint Rose Massry Center for the Arts
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and is currently in the Artist Diploma program at The Juilliard School, where he won the Gina Bachauer Piano Competition



A musical month

G'land Players to present 'All Shook Up;' **Altamont students** bring 'Seussical Jr.' to the stage

This coming weekend, the Guilderland Players of Guilderland High School will present their spring musical, "All Shook Up," which is inspired by and featuring the songs of Elvis Presley.

When a hip-swiveling roustabout named Chad comes to a conservative town in the 1950s, he brings music, romance, and fun to the townspeople. Owing a little to Shakespearean comedies like "Twelfth Night," this show puts the music of Elvis Presley into an original story that's all about music, love, and following that dream ... wherever that dream may lead.

Performances will be

in the GHS auditorium on March 13, 14 and 15 at 7 p.m., and March 16 at 2 p.m.

Ticket prices are \$5-\$10. Tickets may be obtained by calling the Guilderland High School Box Office at 861-8591, ext. 6202. In your message, speak slowly and include your name, the show date, ticket choice and number of tickets with your request. Be sure to leave a phone number or email address with your ticket order. The Box Office will be open from 2-5 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons for payment and pick-up and will also be open 30 minutes before each performance.

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