



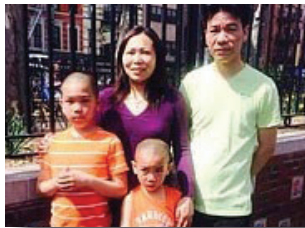
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One year later

Authorities continue to reach out to public to solve murder of slain Guilderland family.

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Drugs

Bethlehem Central student was arrested last week for alleged criminal possession of drugs.

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TOP STORY



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Capturing the story

Eagle Scout Award project finds local teen gathering the stories of war veterans

By **TRICIA CREMO**

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BETHLEHEM — To truly understand the experience of veterans: this is the goal of Nicholas Cathers' Eagle Award Project.

"People don't really know how war was and how war is. We watch the news and have our own commentary, but we don't really ever get to talk to soldiers. People don't know how things actually are on an actual human level, and I think it's something that should be available," said Cathers. Another inspiration behind the project is the fact that Cathers' own recently-passed grandfather was a veteran of the US Army, who fought in the Pacific during World War II.

For his final project as a Boy Scout, Cathers will interview about 50 veterans this month, to be entered into the Library of Congress' archive. The project is sponsored by the Nathaniel Blanchard American Legion Post in Delmar and through the Veterans of Foreign War non-profit organization.

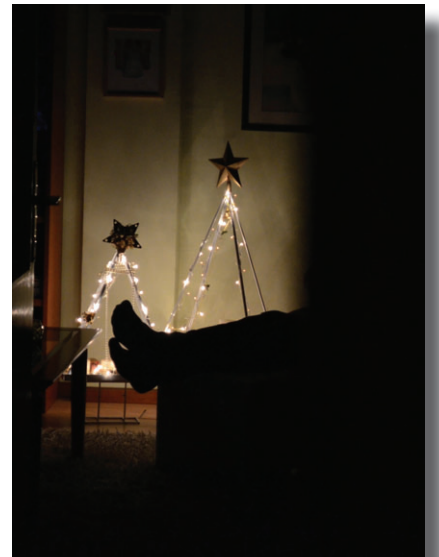


▲ Nicholas Cathers' grandfather was the inspiration behind the project he is spearheading to obtain the stories on local war veterans.

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One in four

Domestic violence is a "closed door" crime that affects more people than you think, more people than you know.

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SPORTS



Eagles take Dutchmen

Bethlehem boys soccer rolled past Guilderland for a 3-1 win last week.

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New trees planted behind Blanchard's Post in Elsmere has the American Legion up in arms. They said they never received word from Albany County they were to be planted. Perhaps more importantly, the trees now show there is a property line dispute between the veterans and the county.

Photos by Tom Heffernan Sr.

DEVELOPMENT

Not your property

American Legion seeks meeting with Albany County

By **MARCY VELTE**
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BETHLEHEM — Members of the Nathaniel Adams Blanchard American Legion Post in 1040 Delmar are upset after trees were planted on what they claim is the legion's property in Albany County's ongoing project to make upgrades to the rail trail.

The trees and several bushes were planted two weeks ago near the back of the property parallel to the rail trail. The new plantings were placed there to act as a barrier and help shield the trail. However, members claim they were planted on Legion land.

Jeremy Martelle, a former commander of Post 1040 and current board member, said he went one

Saturday morning and the trees had been planted without their knowledge.

"We're very upset this was done without us being notified," said Martelle.

The Legion has since begun researching their property lines, and Martelle does not believe the lines match where the trees were planted. The town has since helped members get in touch with the county, and a meeting is scheduled for this week.

Martelle said part of the major concern is there are a lot of kids who cut through the property as a shortcut to get to school. They want to make sure that it can still be used, but they haven't been told what the next plans are or if a fence will be installed.

The rail trail is the entire backside of the property. Members are also concerned if people will now be parking on the property to access the trail, and could there

be liability? Another perceived issue is maintenance of parking lot.

"Where the trees were placed is where we typically push the snow when we plow," said Martelle. "Will we now have to pay for snow removal? If not, the trees could potentially be ruined."

Mary Rozak, director of communications for the office of the Albany County Executive, said the trees were not placed on American Legion property, but on rail trail property. A meeting is scheduled this week with County Attorney Tom Marcel and the county's operations director.

"Having an open dialog from the beginning would have been nice," said Martelle. "They've been very responsive since we contacted them, but all of these issues could have been brought up before the trees were installed."

Solar garden delayed

River Road location no longer an option

By **MARCY VELTE**
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BETHLEHEM — Monolith Solar has withdrawn its use variance application with the town's Zoning Board of Appeals for a new solar field on River Road, following variance recommendations from Albany County.

The solar company, which will soon be building its new headquarters in the Slingerlands Vista Technology Park, had proposed building a new solar field on land purchased at 746 River Road in Glenmont. However before the application could go to the town, the Albany County Board of Appeals said the applicant had not met use variance criteria required from the town. Monolith has since pulled its application.

"Monolith will continue solar development

project activities to foster locally-based, high-tech job creation and to support New York State's commitment to renewable energy deployment goals," wrote Monolith's attorney James Villanueva to the Town Board.

The project called for a 200 KW solar panel system to be placed in an area of about one acre of the parcel's 19 acres. It would consist of 673 ground-mount solar panels in seven rows. The property is in a rural, riverfront zoning district. Although the property was labeled by the town as use for a "public utility" the company would have been private for those who purchased the panels.

The project was originally proposed on Sept. 2 by Monolith Solar's acting manager, Tim Carr. He said the property was chosen because the price was decent, and the location could be interconnected with National Grid.

Nearly a half-dozen people spoke in opposition

of the project, with the board also receiving two letters. Residents were concerned about noise, tree removal and the effect on property values. Others wanted to know if the solar field would ever be expanded or impact the view from the nearby Mo-He-Con-Nuck trail.

The company now plans to look for another area to install its proposed solar garden.

Last month, the town's Zoning Board of Appeals approved the area variance for Monolith Solar's sign at Vista.

The variance was approved 3-1. Only board member George Harder voted against the proposal, believing it would set a precedent for other businesses to want their signs located on top of their building.

Work on Monolith Solar headquarters was previously set to begin by the end of summer, but was delayed until the sign variance was approved.

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GOVERNMENT

New Scotland discusses water providers

Following complaints, town could buy water from Guilderland

By **TRICIA CREMO**
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NEW SCOTLAND — Amidst growing complaints of high water taxes, Town Supervisor Thomas Dolin announced the town is in talks to source water from Guilderland instead of Bethlehem.

Since 1965 the Town of New Scotland has been dependent on Bethlehem for parts of its water supply, and since that time the rate has been set at a maximum of twice the

rate paid by Bethlehem residents. According to Dolin, the rate has been an ear-constant source of resident complaints, and the town has attempted to get out of this contract numerous times. With no other water sources of their own, the conflict has stood at a standstill.

New Scotland has no water source of its own and is currently under water agreements with both the Town of Bethlehem and the Village of Voorheesville. An emergency water agreement is in place between Voorheesville and the Town of Guilderland. The proposed water agreement between

New Scotland and Guilderland would use this emergency connection between Guilderland and Voorheesville.

Dolin has met with Guilderland Town Supervisor Kenneth Runion and the Guilderland water supervisor three times to discuss the possible connection. He has also met with leaders from the Town of Bethlehem to discuss changing the rates, and said they "know we're unhappy" yet still refuse to change the rate.

After August's meeting on the water fees in New Salem and Heldervale Water districts became a public forum for resident

complaints on water taxes, a recent Town Board meeting ended on the same discussion.

"This is a simple dollars and cents issue. They are not a charity," said Dolin of Bethlehem to meeting attendees.

Of the eight water districts in New Scotland, four districts source water from Bethlehem, and of those four, two are sourced from Albany through Bethlehem, and thus receive City of Albany Rates. Swift and Feura Bush water districts receive these City of Albany rates through Bethlehem, which are also twice the rate of water in Albany. Font Grove and newly created Heldervale water districts are the remaining two districts sourcing their water from Bethlehem. A little less than 100 residents combined live in these two districts.

The New Salem district alone receives a lower

rate from Bethlehem, as a result of a year's worth of negotiations, resulting in a contract wherein New Scotland took responsibility for several Bethlehem dwellings on environmentally unstable land.

Resident John Hotaling of the Heldervale water district said he and many of his neighbors in the districts sourcing from Bethlehem pay a steep price of \$2,000 combined in water and sewer yearly. The average family uses about 65,000 gallons of water per year. To Hotaling, the rate and the town's inability to change the contract or find a new source has been a large source of frustration. Hotaling has emerged as the leader in the outcry against the steep rate.

"They can explore other options, that's fine," said Bethlehem Town Supervisor John Clarkson. "We don't rely on their

purchasing. It's fairly insignificant in the overall budget picture, but we're glad to help out when it works for both parties. It depends on where (they) can connect and other things involved."

While Clarkson didn't seem phased by New Scotland's threat to switch water providers, board members in New Scotland believe legal action could be necessary.

"I think there is a legal rational that one has to justify certain costs," said Councilperson William Hennessey in reference to the rate. Dolin agreed that he would not be opposed to taking legal action. No action will be taken, however, until a meeting with residents is held in early December.

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Town installs first little league field

Field part of town improvement plan

By **TRICIA CREMO**
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NEW SCOTLAND — The town's first little league field will be open as early this April at the Stephen P. Wallace Town Park, taking the place of one of the town's two softball fields.

By converting the existing softball field at the Stephen P. Wallace Town Park on Swift Road into a regulation baseball-sized field with adjustable bases and pitcher's mound for conversion to little league dimensions, the field will service the growing teen baseball interest in town. A second town softball field remains at the Feura Bush Park on Mathias Place.

Spearheaded by Councilman Bill Hennessey, in coordination with the recently created Voorheesville Baseball Club, the field conversion was approved at the most recent town board meeting Wednesday, Sept. 23. Until the Voorheesville Baseball Club was created three

years ago, no league existed in town for children older than ten years old, after they aged out of Kiwanis Youth Baseball little league play.

Costs for the conversion will be less than \$5,000, according to Hennessey. An undetermined portion of the cost will be paid for by the club, with the remaining cost sourced from the 2014 Town Improvement Plan fund through the Parks and Recreation Department. These expenditures will not have implications on the town's general fund, and thus made for a "nice private-public partnership," said Hennessey.

"It really provides for so many opportunities for kids to pursue an interest in playing baseball at higher level and staying together as a team," said General Manager of the Voorheesville Baseball Club, James Conway. Prior to the club's creation, New Scotland players were forced to separate to teams in either Guilderland or Berne-Knox-Westerlo once reaching 11 years old.

Construction began early this week, and will include grass being

planted, the pitching mound removed in favor of an adjustable pitcher's plate, and the addition of adjustable bases.

Currently, the All-American Sports Recreation Adult Softball League, run out of Albany, is the only league utilizing the softball fields. As two softball fields and no little league fields exist in town, the conversion seemed to make sense for Hennessey, amidst the Voorheesville Baseball Club's growth.

The club began with one team in 2012, grew to three teams in 2014, and will have five teams this upcoming April. Last year all of the club's games were played on the road, with teams paying around \$50 to rent fields for each of the 20 games in their spring and fall seasons. The Swift Road field will now be the home field for the team's games and practices.

"When you go to school with a kid, it's nice to play with that neighbor or buddy," said Conway. "With so many things focused on the individual these days, it's good to see kids staying together, developing a team mentality."

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■ CRIME UPDATE

Guilderland homicides one year later

Police investigators give update; seeks help from public

By **TRICIA CREMO**
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GUILDERLAND — One year after the brutal quadruple homicide of a family in a quiet Albany suburb, police are no closer to finding the culprit or culprits of the crime. Police are again asking for information from the public, and offering protection for those who come forward.

When Jin Chen, 39, his wife Hai Yan Li, 38, and their sons, Anthony 10; and Eddy, 7, were killed in their small home at 1846 Western Ave. last October, the news shocked the Capital District. Rumors that seemed the stuff of fiction, such as possible

connections to illegal Chinese gang and mafia organizations “cannot be dismissed as mere speculation,” said Albany County District Attorney David Soares.

New York State Police and Guilderland Police have investigated more than 600 leads with the help of the FBI and New York Police Department; none of which have progressed the investigation, announced officials at a press conference held Tuesday, Oct. 6 at the Guilderland Police Department.

“For a crime of this magnitude, that’s kind of a low number,” said State Police Captain Scott Coburn.

Investigations have led police outside the Capital District. In New York City’s Chinatown, pamphlets in both English and Chinese dialects were distributed asking for

public assistance. Leads have been followed locally, in the New York City area and abroad to China. A number of subpoenas are still out, and some leads are still withstanding.

Chen allegedly served as banker and manger of a network of undocumented, indentured servitude Chinese immigrants, brought to the states in exchange for work. Police investigators said they also found gambling tables – 16, in all – in the basement of the home. Family members of the victims told police they were only used for small-stakes games with friends.

Chen worked part time at King’s Wok, a Chinese takeout restaurant on Western Avenue. The restaurant was owned by his wife’s family and located less than a mile from the family home. Hai Yan Li was a homemaker, while the sons attended



District Attorney David Soares, State Police Captain Scott Coburn, Guilderland Police Deputy Chief Curtis Cox and New York State Police Senior Investigator John Camp meet on the anniversary of the murders of a Guilderland family to discuss their investigation into the killers.

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Guilderland Elementary School.

Family members dismissed reports in Chinese-language newspapers that Chen was murdered after a high-stakes gambling party and that the killer left and returned to murder the family and steal a large amount of cash. The family had offered a \$5,000 reward for information leading to an arrest, which has not proved effective thus far.

Fear of deportation and involvement in illegal crime groups are both acknowledged as possible obstacles in gaining information from the public. Officials are offering protection to such individuals with case-related information. Jail time could also be reduced for inmates with information.

Gaining phone records from Apple

telecommunications has, “set investigations back considerably,” said Soares. Soares would not comment on how dealings with the Chinese government have gone so far, but the “bureaucratic red tape” involved with an investigation of this magnitude, involving so many agencies, has “created issues.”

“You have to remember that this is not an open government,” said Soares. “The Chinese culture is inherently distrustful of law enforcement.” According to Soares it is an “absolute possibility” that the criminal or criminals involved have fled the country to China.

Police confirmed reports from those close to the family that a knife and object similar to a hammer were used in the killings. These objects have not been recovered. Without any leads in the investigation, DNA

evidence has not been useful, nor has surveillance camera footage from Wolf Road, nor the limited information police received from neighbors. As the suburban home is set on a busy street, with neighbors set a distance away, lack of information from neighbors is not unusual.

Investigators also cannot dismiss possible connections to a similar homicide last February, when an immigrant Chinese family of four were killed at gunpoint in their Houston, TX home. With no known witnesses or suspects in that case either, rumors of a targeted killing continues to fly in Houston’s Chinese community.

“I can’t imagine looking across at two children and deciding to take their lives,” said Soares. For him, the investigation has been “one of the most frustrating,” but he is sure, “someone has the answers and someone hasn’t come forward yet.”

Newly made signs featuring photos of the family are being distributed throughout Guilderland, again asking for public aid in gaining information.

Any information regarding the killings should be directed to Guilderland Police at 356-1501.



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■ COPS, COURTS AND EMERGENCY CALLS

Drug sale charges for BCHS student

A Bethlehem High School student was arrested last week for allegedly possessing a large amount of drugs on school property.

Bethlehem Police arrested Nathan Sunderhaft, 17 of Gladwish Road in Delmar, Thursday, Oct. 8.

About 25 grams of MDMA otherwise known as "molly," 225 Xanax pills, a bottle of Hydrocodone syrup, \$1,796.00 in US currency and a fraudulent New Jersey driver's license were reportedly found to be in his possession. School administrators and a school resource officer



Nathan Sunderhaft

first reported the incident to police.

Sunderhaft was charged with criminal possession of a controlled substance – hallucinogenic substance in the second degree, criminal possession of a controlled substance in the third degree with intent to sell, criminal possession of a controlled substance in the fifth degree, criminal possession of a forged instrument in the second degree, felonies, and criminal possession of a controlled substance in the seventh degree, a misdemeanor.

Sunderhaft was

arraigned in Bethlehem Town Court and remanded to Albany County Jail with no bail. He made bail at a later hearing on Friday.

"This is a very serious matter," said Interim Superintendent Jody Monroe. "Right now it is in the hands of the police department. The school district will cooperate with the Bethlehem Police Department as it moves forward with its investigation."

Sunderhaft is currently suspended, according to Monroe, as "All student matters, including the one in question, are handled according to the district's Code of Conduct."

"Bethlehem has zero

tolerance for illegal substances on school grounds. That said, this incident presents an opportunity for the community to have a frank and open discussion about the dangers of drug use and how we can work together to empower our students to make good decisions," said Monroe.

"In the coming days and weeks, the district will be engaged with students and parents K-12 in conversations on how to keep our school environment one that is conducive to learning, personal growth and wellness."

— Tricia Cremona



About 25 grams of MDMA, 225 Xanax pills, a bottle of Hydrocodone syrup, \$1,796.00 in US currency and a fraudulent New Jersey driver's license were allegedly found in Nathan Sunderhaft's car.

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Brooklyn man nabbed for identity theft

Bethlehem Police said a Brooklyn man was arrested after they received a report of a person attempting to withdraw a large sum of money from Citizen's Bank in Slingerlands on Wednesday, Oct. 7.

Shaun G. Williams, 34, of Brooklyn was charged with two counts of identity theft in the first degree, forgery in the second degree, attempted grand larceny, all felonies, and unlawful possession of personal identification in the third degree, a misdemeanor.

Employees of the bank reportedly identified William as the person attempting to make the withdrawal after police located him.

Williams allegedly used a fraudulent Ohio State driver's license to assume the identity of another, and was reportedly found to be in possession of a withdrawal slip in the amount of \$10,000 in the name of a different person.

Williams was released from prison and was on parole for similar charges. His parole has since been revoked. Williams was arraigned at Albany County Jail with no bail and is scheduled to return to court Wednesday, Sept. 13.

Officer pleads guilty to sexual offense of minor

Joshua Spratt, 26, of New Scotland Road in Slingerlands, a Watervliet Police Officer, plead guilty to one count of criminal sexual act in the third degree, a felony, Thursday, Oct. 8, announced District Attorney David Soares.

Between the approximated dates of Feb. 14 and April 10, 2015, Spratt engaged in four separate sexual acts with a 16 year old female at locations in the City of Watervliet and the Village of Menands. The acts are official misconducts for a police officer.

Spratt, a married father of three and former Watervliet school officer, faces six months in Albany County Jail, to be followed by 10 years of felony probation. He will be required to register as a sex offender, and abide by a no contact order of protection when he is sentenced Jan. 7, 2016.

Other arrests:

• State police in Bethlehem arrested Thomas M. Boan, 37, of Saugerties, Saturday, Oct. 3, around

him with DWI. Boan was stopped on I-87 for an alleged traffic violation and was allegedly found to be intoxicated. He had a BAC of 0.14 percent, according to police, and is scheduled to return to Bethlehem Town Court Tuesday, Oct. 20.

• Bethlehem Police arrested Lisa Bernard, 45, of 11 Jericho Road in Glenmont, around 8:38 p.m. Monday, Sept. 28, and charged her with aggravated DWI and failure to keep right, illegal signaling and violating open container laws, traffic infractions. Bernard allegedly crossed a double yellow line after leaving Del Lanes Bowling Alley, and was stopped at the traffic light on Elmsmere Avenue. Police said Bernard had bloodshot, watery eyes and a strong odor of alcoholic beverage emanating from her breath. She reportedly failed three field sobriety tests and submitted a positive breath presence of alcohol reading. An open container of alcoholic beverage was reportedly found in the car console. Bernard had a BAC of 0.24 percent, according to police, and is scheduled to appear in Bethlehem Town Court Tuesday, Oct. 20.

• Bethlehem Police

arrested Matthew D. Norris, 23, of 1370 Acquetuck Road in Ravena, Saturday, Sept. 26 around 6:16 p.m. and charged him with DWI. Police were reportedly dispatched to 9W and Wemple Road in Selkirk for a vehicle traveling at a high rate of speed, and reportedly observed the vehicle to have improper window tinting. Norris had glassy, bloodshot eyes and a strong odor of alcoholic beverage emanating from his breath, according to police. He reportedly admitted to drinking "one pint" of beer at Oktoberfest earlier that day. Norris failed three field sobriety tests and refused to submit to a preliminary breath-

screening test, according to police. He reportedly had a BAC of 0.15 percent, and

is scheduled to appear in Bethlehem Town Court Tuesday, Oct. 20.

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■ COMMUNITY

The spirit of New York

GPL is proud to count many accomplished authors and book illustrators among us in the Capital District, and we are celebrating one of them on Saturday, Oct. 17, at 2 p.m., at the kick-off of our new Read Local series.

Bruce Dearstyne — former program director at the New York State Archives and professor of history at University at Albany, SUNY Potsdam and Russell Sage College — will discuss his latest book, “The Spirit of New York: Defining Events in the Empire State’s History.” Bruce’s book received a starred review in Library Journal, and that’s a big deal. You’re invited to attend the reception after the talk.

Come to Teen Open Mic Night

Teens from throughout the area will be performing at GPL’s Open Mic Night on Friday, Oct. 16, at 6 p.m., and everyone’s invited to come enjoy what will surely be a delightfully

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musical evening. No registration required to attend this event.

It’s Great Ghoulish Pumpkin Fun

Get ghoulishly spooked out for the first-ever Guilderland Ghoulish Pumpkin Decorating Contest. Enter to win great prizes (for all ages) and show off your pumpkin at GPL. You must register by Saturday, Oct. 17; you can drop off your pumpkin at the library starting Monday, Oct. 19, until Saturday, Oct. 24, at 5 p.m. The Ghoulish Pumpkin-Judging and Awards Ceremony will be on Sunday, Oct. 25, at 1 p.m.

Make sure to register online or by calling 456-2400, ext. 4, and then stop by the library to pick up a copy of the rules, plus a discount coupon for your pumpkin from our friends at Gade Farm.

The contest is organized into four age groups: Pre-K to second grade; third grade to sixth grade; seventh grade to 12th grade; and adults. Please indicate your grade or age when you register. Each age group will have a winner.

It’s the season to go “batty”

Kids in Pre-K through first grade, accompanied by an adult caregiver, are invited to GPL on Saturday, Oct. 24, at 10:30 a.m., to “Go Batty” with WMHT’s Barbara Lukas.

You’ll watch a fun movie based on everybody’s favorite bat, Stellaluna. You’ll also read books about bats and other flying animals, create “bat” crafts and get a free book to take home. Please register by calling 456-2400, ext. 4, or online at www.guilpl.org.

Monday Night Baseball

Cooperstown Mayor Jeff Katz joins us on Monday, Oct. 19, at 6:30 p.m., for a discussion of his bestselling book, “Split Season: 1981: Fernandomania, the Bronx Zoo, and The Strike that Saved Baseball.”

“Split Season” is the fascinating, behind-the-scenes story of the exciting and memorable 1981 baseball season — the year of Fernando Valenzuela, Pete Rose and the last Yankees/Dodgers World Series and the mid-season, owner-provoked strike that cut the heart out of that American summer. Above all, 1981 is a year of entertaining stories and Katz will share many, as well as tell us what it’s like to be a baseball fan who’s been elected Mayor of Cooperstown.

Bring your fedora

Frank Sinatra would’ve turned 100 this December, and GPL is celebrating by showing some of his best

movies on the big screen. The first flick, on Sunday, Oct. 18, at 2 p.m., is about three sailors and their 24-hour-leave on the town in New York City. Starring Gene Kelly, Frank Sinatra, Betty Garrett, Ann Miller, Jules Munshin and Vera-Ellen. Put on your fedora and join the party. See you there.

Teen Read Week

Kick off Teen Read Week by coming to GPL on Monday, Oct. 19, at 4 p.m. and simply sitting down and relaxing with a book; drop in to read with friends, munch on snacks, and enter a raffle.

Teen Read Week — Oct. 18 to 24 — spotlights all the great resources and activities available to help teens build literacy skills while reading for the fun of it. We want to help teens escape the day-to-day grind of school, homework, family responsibilities, part-time jobs and so on by simply picking up something to read.

Rite Aid flu clinic

Rite Aid Pharmacy will hold a Flu Vaccine Clinic at GPL on Wednesday, Oct. 21, from 4 to 7 p.m. Drop in and get vaccinated. No need to sign up in advance. Please bring your health insurance card.

‘Who ya’ gonna call?’

“He slimed me” and “Who ya’ gonna call?” spirited their way into the popular lexicon in 1984 with the release of the movie that GPL is showing on the big screen on Wednesday, Oct. 21, at 6:30 p.m.

Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd and Harold Ramis team up to play three unemployed parapsychology professors who set up shop “busting ghosts.” Seen in the “Helderberg Theater,” this 105-minute movie is pretty impressive; just wait until you see the “Stay Puft Marshmallow Man” looming towards you. This comedy is part of GPL’s “It Came From The ‘80s Film Series.” Rated PG.

— Mark Curiale

■ NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Kiwanis Club pancake breakfast

BETHLEHEM — The Kiwanis Club of Delmar will host a pancake breakfast Saturday, Oct. 17, from 8 a.m. to noon, at the Delmar Presbyterian Church, 585 Delaware Ave.

The all-you-can-eat breakfast features orange juice, pancakes, sausage, coffee, tea or milk.

The cost is \$6 for adults, \$4 for children under 12, and free for pre-school children.

Deer and tick forums continue Oct. 15

BETHLEHEM — The Bethlehem Committee on Deer and Ticks is hosting a fall forum series at Town Hall on Delaware

Avenue. Each session begins at 7 p.m.

The topics are:
• Keeping Ticks Away: Oct. 15. Discover integrated pest management techniques you can implement at home, and learn about managing ticks when you own pets.

• Living with Deer in Bethlehem: Oct. 27. Topics include gardening with deer, traffic safety and hunting options.

Huyck Preserve night hike

RENSSELAERVILLE — The Huyck Preserve, 5052 Delaware Turnpike, is hosting a night hike Friday, Oct. 23, at 7:30 p.m.

Don’t forget — trails are open

from dawn to dusk daily, and dall is a great time to be outside.

To reserve a place on the night hike or for more information, visit huyckpreserve.org.

Matthews receives AFCEA grant

GUILDERLAND — Kathryn Matthews, a mathematics teacher at Farnsworth Middle School, was named a recipient of the Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association’s Science Technology, Engineering, Math (STEM) Grant on Oct. 8.

To learn more about the AFCEA Science Teaching Tools grant, visit the AFCEA website at www.afcea.org.

Albany Law School hosts symposium

ALBANY — Albany Law School, 80 New Scotland Ave., hosts its annual Fall Symposium Thursday, Oct. 22, from 5:30 to 7 p.m.

The theme for this year’s symposium is “My Religion, My Rules.” The discussion will center around both state and federal religious freedom laws and how they impact the areas of business, health care, family, fundamental and civil rights, and more.

Wilcox speaks at Book House

GUILDERLAND — Poet Dan Wilcox will read from his new work and sign copies of his

book, “Gloucester Notes,” Friday, Oct. 30, at 7 p.m., at the Book House of Stuyvesant Plaza, 1475 Western Ave.

“Gloucester Notes” is a 24-page book of poems about Wilcox’s visits to the coastal Massachusetts town and to Cape Ann in New Jersey.

For more information, contact Dan Wilcox at 482-0262 or email dwlcox@earthlink.net.

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Johnny Mathis tribute

Do you remember listening to Johnny Mathis? The Albany Jewish Community Center will present "The Magic of Mathis," a tribute to the iconic singer, on Thursday, Oct. 22, at 1:30 p.m. The cost is \$12, which includes light refreshments following the performance. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176.

The Berne Volunteer Fire Department will serve a roast beef dinner at noon on Sunday, Oct. 18. The cost is \$12 at the door or \$13 for take-out.

Flu season will soon be upon us. The



Albany County Health Department offers shots on weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call 447-4589 to make an appointment. You can also go to your local pharmacy or physician.

Outreach workers are available to assist with counseling on health insurance, housing issues, food stamps, health and income related programs

or heating costs support. Make an appointment by calling 439-4955, ext. 1176.

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.

The 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 a.m. to 4 p.m. Bring a lunch and play pinocle, bingo or mah jongg. Or just come for a chat with friends. Call Yvonne Mendleson at 472-0202 for more information.

Bethlehem Senior Projects, Inc.'s website is bethlehemsenioproject.org.

— Wilma DeLucco

Creating a safe home

Erica Salamida, program manager at the Northeastern NY Alzheimer's Association, will return at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 14, for an informative program about dementia.

One of the many difficulties that arise with a diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia is addressing safety needs. In this workshop, you will learn about the physical and mental changes brought on by Alzheimer's disease and learn practical home enhancements that will help you maintain a safe home environment, while ensuring that independence is maintained. Local safety programs for people at risk for wandering will be discussed and demonstrated. There will be a question and answer period.

Registration is requested at www.voorheesvillelibrary.org.



voorheesvillelibrary.org.

WWI movie matinee

Join us on Sunday, Oct. 18, at 2 p.m., to view "The Water Diviner" (rated R).

Director/actor Russell Crowe plays Australian farmer Joshua Connor, who, in 1919, goes in search of his three missing sons, last known to have fought against the Turks in the bloody Battle of Gallipoli. With seemingly insurmountable obstacles, Connor must travel across the battle-scarred Turkish landscape to find the truth and his own peace.

This movie is part of "The Great War Remembrance Series" educational program.

— Lynn Kohler

Spooky Skate at the Y

Halloween is just weeks away. Soon the kids' big night of trick or treating and parties will be here and as the evening grows late, and the candy in the bowl disappears, it will be over until next year — but not at the Bethlehem YMCA.

The Y is extending Halloween 2015 for one more day, and another chance to wear your costume. On Sunday, Nov. 1, the Y will host a Spooky Skate from 5:45 to 6:45 p.m. on our ice rink. Kids can enjoy (more) candy and see the rink decorated for Halloween. It's going to be a scary, cool monster mash.

For Y members, the Spooky Skate costs just \$2 for adults, \$1 for students and children 5 and under are free. It's just a couple dollars more for non-members. Costumes are encouraged, but not mandatory.

Free family movie and pizza night

The next free family movie and pizza night will be held on Friday, Oct. 23. This very popular family event will feature the movie "Jurassic World" and starts at 7 p.m. The Y's movie and pizza nights are growing fast in popularity, so come see some friends, eat some great pizza and enjoy the movie. It's a terrific family night out.



Read Across the Globe

On Monday, Oct. 19, the Bethlehem YMCA will participate in Read Across the Globe. This initiative, led by Points of Light, engages children all over the world in a day of reading. Our Y-Time program would like to invite guests into programs to read to the students. Please contact me if you are interested in spending about 30 minutes joining us for reading fun.

Pumpkin carving for a cause

On Wednesday, Oct. 21,

the Y will host a Lights-on Afterschool event. This annual event brings awareness to the need for quality after school care. We will help keep the lights on afterschool by carving jack-o-lanterns. This BYOP (bring your own great pumpkin) event will be from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Carving tools and templates will be provided. Trust us, the YMCA's pumpkin patch is very sincere.

Youth basketball starting up

The Capital District YMCA Youth Basketball program starts up on Saturday, Nov. 7. The Bethlehem Y invites boys and girls in grades Pre K-third to participate in a high quality and structured program to develop and enhance their skills in

basketball. The program, which is grouped by grade, runs for seven weeks on Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The cost is \$55 for members, \$85 for non-members. Also, if you are interested in volunteering, please contact Rusty Decker at the Bethlehem YMCA.

The YMCA also has a travel basketball league with games at other Y's. There are three leagues — grades 3-4, 5-6, and 7-8 (co-ed) — and 10 regular season games, plus playoffs. This year, players will get full uniforms with team jerseys and shorts. The cost to participate is \$145 for members and \$220 for non-members. Team practices begin Nov. 1, and games begin on Nov. 14.

Remember, the Y stands for young.

— Mark Hansen

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Pumpkin plans at the library

We've got more treats than tricks for you this year as we gear up for some super Halloween fun at the library.

There's still time to take part in our Costume Swap this Saturday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Drop off your gently used costume(s) from now until Friday and receive a ticket to pick out one that's new to you on the day of the swap. It's a great way to recycle and repurpose those outgrown get-ups and save some money while you're at it. We are accepting costumes in all sizes — from infant to adult.

What makes a pumpkin great? Your very own artistic touch. On Wednesday, Oct. 28, at 4 p.m., kids 3 and up and their families are invited to the library to watch an animated Halloween classic and decorate a pumpkin. It's BYOP — bring your own



pumpkin — but we'll provide the decoupage supplies.

Our Halloween festivities culminate with one of our most popular events of the year — the Halloween Parade through the library for children up to age 6 and their families. The parade is so popular, in fact, that we have scheduled two of them, at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 29. Festivities will kick off with some seasonal movie shorts and a craft before trick-or-treaters make their way through the library. Costumes are optional.

Important roadwork update

The library has been informed by the town's contractors handling the roadwork along Borthwick Avenue that paving of the

road will likely take place sometime in the coming weeks. When this happens, the lack of access and parking means the library will be forced to close on that day. We do not yet know when paving will occur, but we hope to have enough warning to allow us and our patrons time to reschedule any activities or events that were to take place at the library that day. We understand the inconvenience this causes, and we appreciate your patience and understanding as we accommodate the detours, delays and closings related to this road construction project.

As always, we will do our best to keep you informed about last-minute changes that affect access to the library. Check Facebook and Twitter (which also appears on our website's home page) for the latest, or give us a call at 439-9314. We'd also like to remind you that you can always search our catalog, make requests, renew items

and access our databases 24 hours a day at www.bethlehempublib.org.

Antiques Appraisal tickets

Tickets are still available for the Friends of Bethlehem Public Library Antiques Appraisal on Saturday, Oct. 17, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. This year, appraisals will take place in the Tawasentha Room at the Normanside Country Club. Moving the venue outside of the library means that appraisers may now offer a purchase price for some items.

Timed tickets are available at the library Information Desk for \$5 per item.

Upcoming events

Friday, Oct. 16 Mommy or Daddy and Me Sewing

Kids and parents will work together to make a stuffed

toy. Basic sewing machine experience recommended for the parent. For age 3-6 with caregiver. Sign up for one session: 439-9314. Sessions at 10 or 11:30 a.m.

Personal Digital Archives

Learn how to preserve digital photos, emails, documents or videos. 1 p.m. Sign-up required: 439-9314.

Teen SEWcial: Tote Bags

Make a tri-pocket tote with room for all of your stuff. Basic sewing machine knowledge recommended. Bring 1.5 yards of fabric. Coordinating thread optional. For grades 6-12. Sign-up required: 439-9314. 3:30 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 17

Antiques Appraisal

Event will be held offsite at the Normanside this year. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Purchase tickets for \$5 an item at the library Information Desk beginning Sept. 11. Sponsored by Friends of Bethlehem Public Library.

Monday, Oct. 19 Friends of the Library meeting

New members always welcome. 6:30 p.m.

3D Printer Demonstration

If you've heard all about the library's MakerBot 3D printer and are curious to see it in action, these demos will demystify the cutting-edge technology. Learn how the printer works and what can be created with it. Sign-up required: 439-9314. 11 a.m. to noon.

Tuesday, Oct. 20

STEM Night: Engineering a Bright Future

Learn more about the jobs of the future and what Bethlehem Central School District is doing to help prepare students for these lucrative careers. 7-8 p.m.

— Kristen Roberts

Take better pictures

On Saturday, Oct. 17, at 1 p.m., professional photographer Joe Oppedisano will offer tips and tricks to get the best out of your cell phone camera. Then, take a walk around town with Joe and put your new skills to work. Registration requested.

Star Wars Saturday

Star Wars fans are invited to drop by the library

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on Saturday, Oct. 17, between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. for fun, crafts and games. Play a light saber game, make a droid craft and play Star Wars Wii games with your friends. No need to register.

Eat Around the World potluck

Salute! It's Italian night

at the library on Tuesday, Oct. 20, beginning at 6 p.m. Bring a dish with Italian flair and sample other's dishes. Cookbooks are available at the library. Registration appreciated.

Chicken BBQ fundraiser returns

Last month's Chicken BBQ fundraiser was a sell-out; don't be left out this month. On Thursday, Oct. 22, leave the cooking to us and have delicious Frese's take-out BBQ chicken to benefit the library (there is a vegetarian option, too). Pick-ups begin at 4 p.m. and continue until sold out. Dinners are \$11 if purchased in advance, \$12 the day of the barbecue. Get your tickets at the library or from any library board member.

— Carol Melewski

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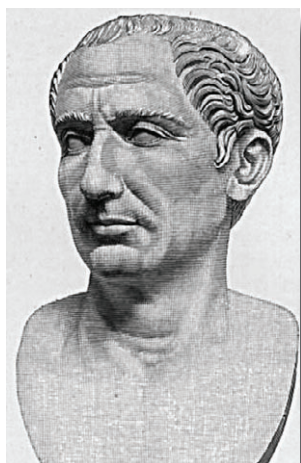
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PICK OF THE WEEK



Julius Caesar

American Shakespeare Center's production of The Bard's classic drama hits the stage Tuesday, Oct. 20, at Albany Performing Arts Center at 1400 Washington Ave.

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CULTURE

One in four

Domestic violence is a "closed door" crime that affects more people than you think, more people than you know

By **MICHAEL HALLISEY**

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It's Sunday – Football Sunday – in the month of October. Millions of fans watch as professional football players with the size and physique of Greek Gods take the field wearing pink.

Pink is the adopted color for Breast Cancer Awareness month. Players wear pink in homage to the efforts of a multi-million dollar strong non-for-profit organization that started the campaign more than 30 years ago.

But, October is not just for breast cancer.

October is for Halloween, masquerades

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Victims of domestic violence are often hidden behind closed doors, giving off the appearance of living a normal life. The tendency for some to return to their attacker lead many to judge, which local experts warn against.



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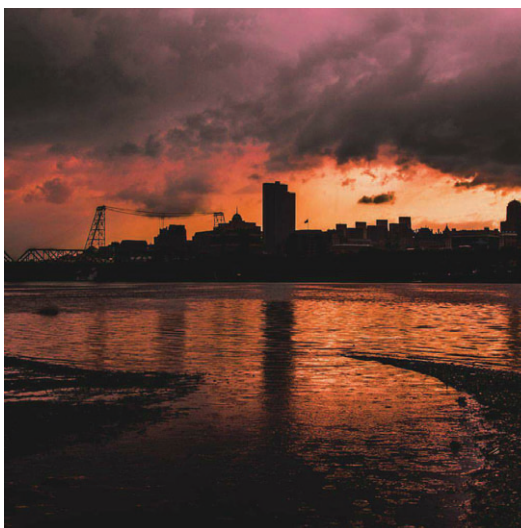


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Chasing the sun

The City of Albany can be photogenic, especially at the hands of a photographer as talented as dannymaggs on Instagram. In this series of photos, we catch the sun ducking behind the Capital City skyline at the close of the day. If it wasn't for the recent rain, that park bench would be the ideal place to steal away an hour to take in the surroundings, or perhaps read a book.

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MUSIC



LOST RADIO ROUNDERS HARD TRIALS

Selections include Rounders-style takes on Rev. Gary Davis' "Death Don't Have No Mercy," the Watervliet Shaker laboring song "Fall on the Rock" and the eternal folk hymn "I Am a Pilgrim," with Lindsay and Eck sharing lead vocal duties and, together, playing a variety of over a dozen acoustic instruments.

Submitted photo

An ode to Mom

First studio album for local favorite is a special tribute

By **MICHAEL HALLISEY**
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GUILDERLAND — Music is cathartic.

Whether you sling a guitar strap over your shoulder and strum a few chords, or lie on your bed and listen to someone else, the melodies and choruses strings you along on a journey.

It takes you away.

No one appreciates that more than Tom Lindsay, who can recall sitting down to read the liner notes inside his records to learn more about the songs and the people who wrote them. Aside from the fantasy worlds the songs would lead him to, the precious information behind the song would lead him to other artists, especially when the

performer and song writer where not one and the same.

This natural curiosity and appreciation for music is shared with his friend Michael Eck, who, together, represent the complimentary halves of the duo Lost Radio Rounders.

Through the course of nine years, Lost Radio Rounders has developed a local following for fans of classic folk music. "We don't play anything that's less than 50 years old," said Lindsay. With that said, being a nose beyond 50 years old themselves, it means they spend time playing someone else's music.

The duo has spent nearly a decade playing exclusively to live crowds. Critically acclaimed for keeping a dynamic atmosphere on stage and maintaining a humorous report, all while demonstrating a sharp sense of musicianship.

The duo has a number of discs cataloging these performances, but, until recently, never a studio album.

About two years ago, Lindsay and Eck found themselves inside a recording studio. Hardly serendipitous, it was the only way the two could find time to play music together. Life was getting in the way. In particular, doctors diagnosed Lindsay's mother, Helene, with a terminal illness.

Lindsay needed something to take him away.

"The fact that my mom went slowly was difficult for my mom and difficult for all of us to watch," said Lindsay. "But, it allowed us to have those conversations and make things as right as they can be."

Eck was no stranger to a recording studio, which Lindsay admitted, made him anxious. His mind on his mother and his family had put his mind in a different place, and he was afraid the two friends were "going to butt heads." The nervousness went away when Eck suggested Lindsay take charge. "I was the one emotionally invested in it."

The end product is "Hard Trials," a collection of songs that help reveal "What's going on in the mind of someone who is dealing with a family member who is terminally ill," said Lindsay. "The topic may seem serious, but every song and every performance is built on joy. There is an arc here, and Hard Trials is, ultimately, an uplifting album dedicated to an incredible woman with a welcoming and generous heart."

The release will be celebrated with a free concert, Friday, Oct. 16, at 7 p.m. at Hamilton Union Presbyterian Church in Guiderland. For more information, visit www.lostradiorounders.com.

"We are a live act," said Eck, "but sitting down in the studio to make this disc not only brought us back to our own roots, but made us stronger as players and performers. We're very proud of this record."



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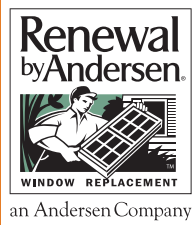
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CULINARY ARTS

Food & Vino

Roast Beef

By ANN LINDA CIOTOLI
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Fall is here, and it's time to embrace the cool weather with some cozy meals. First on the agenda is a good ol' fashioned favorite, roast beef. The following recipe provides enough to serve six adults.

Ingredients: (Serves six)

One - 3 1/2 lb. beef tenderloin
at room temperature, it cooks more evenly

- Sea Salt
- Coarse ground black pepper
- Cloves of garlic
- Olive Oil

Instructions:

Start by preheating the oven at 375 degrees. While bringing the roast to room temperature, remove the wrap and season it with sea salt, then re-wrap the roast. When ready to put the roast in the oven, pat it dry. Take the tip of a knife and proceed to make small incisions around the roast. Follow this up by placing a piece of garlic in each incision. Rub the roast with olive oil and sprinkle it with salt and pepper. Once you're finished preparing the roast, place it on a rack in a roasting pan and place the pan on the middle rack in the oven.

Cook the roast at 375 degrees for half an hour, then lower the oven temperature to 225 degrees for one-and-a-half to two-and-a-half hours. It's best to use a meat thermometer. The recommended internal temperature should be 135 degrees. At this point, the juices should start dripping and the roast should be brown outside. Once finished, take the roast out of the oven and place make a foil tent to place over it for 15 to 30 minutes. Make sure you let the roast cool down, so you don't lose the juiciness of the roast once you slice into it.

Gravy

Instructions:

Add any of your left over red wine to the drippings and deglaze the pan. Add some flour and some beef stock and whisk quickly over a flame while it thickens to avoid lumping. Add salt and pepper to taste.

Suggested sides for this mean would include your favorite potatoes and vegetables. If you are serving mashed potatoes, try adding sour cream or cream cheese as well as some butter, milk or cream.

Pairing:

Columbia Crest - Cabernet Sauvignon - Columbia Valley - Washington - Aromas of dark berry fruits, with tastes of chocolate, and vanilla

Trivento Reserve - Malbec - Argentina, South America - Aromas of red raspberry, with tastes of berry, spice, oaky vanilla sweetness, with a toffee finish.

Ann Linda Ciotoli owns a catering business called Good Enough to Eat. For questions and information, e-mail Ciotoli at sodeliciousalc@yahoo.com.

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BUSINESS BRIEF

Overit opens creative studios

ALBANY — Overit Studios recently opened the doors to its full-service recording studio, housed in an award-winning rehabbed church shared by the offices of the Albany marketing agency of the same name.

The studio provides production capabilities for all aspects of audio, video, photography and digital services. The facility houses the technology to handle requests for high-quality video or sound, whether developing an album, television commercial, movie soundtrack or audio book. Onsite, there is a cyc wall for capturing video and photography, and a 2,000 square foot live room that boosts the church's 28-foot ceilings to produce unparalleled acoustics.

"I'm thrilled to officially open Overit Studios to the music and entertainment industry," said Adam Clairmont, studio manager at Overit Studios. "The aesthetic of the space provides great inspiration, and the talented team at Overit motivate and push us to be more creative. We are in the best position to have great success and produce truly compelling work for our clients."

Overit Studios has already produced audio and video projects for Nickelodeon,

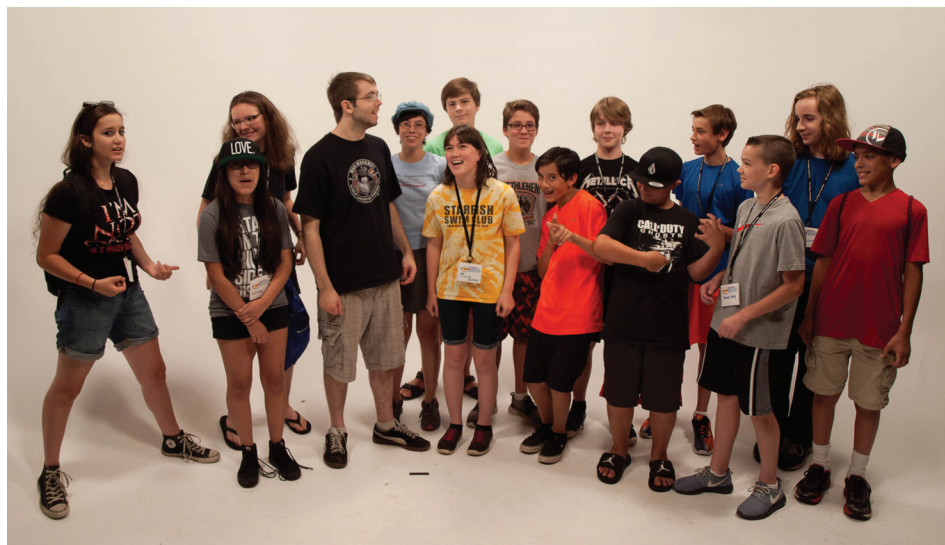
Qvidian, The Trump Organization, State University of New York (SUNY), New York Counsel on Problem Gambling, and Catseye Pest Control, among many others. In addition, the team produces audio books for Audible, and provides post-production and sound design for the movie and television industries.

"It's always been my dream to own a studio to produce music and motion," said Dan Dinsmore, CEO of Overit, owner of Overit Studios, and longtime member of bands such as Owl and The Clay People. "My wife and I have been involved in the music industry for years — me as a drummer, and she as a marketing and events manager. We created this state-of-the-art facility for artists and creators, but believe it has the potential for so much more."

To celebrate the launch of Overit Studios, Overit has partnered with the Upstate Artists Guild to host a 1st Friday event to highlight regional musicians and artists.

To learn more about what Overit Studios has to offer or to book the studio, please visit OveritStudios.com.

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A Chorus Line

Famous Broadway musical about people auditioning for eight chorus parts in a musical. Presented by Home Made Theater, Spa Little Theater, Saratoga Spa State Park, Oct. 9-25. Shows: Fridays and Saturdays 8 p.m., Sundays 2 p.m. Tickets: \$26-\$29. Information: 587-4427 or www.homemadetheater.org.

Dracula

New adaptation of famous story, presented by Schenectady Civic Players, Schenectady Civic Playhouse, 12 South Church St., Schenectady, Oct. 16-25. Shows: Wednesday and Thursday 7:30 p.m., Friday and Saturday 8 p.m., Sunday 2:30 p.m. Tickets: \$17. Information: 382-2081, 346-6204 or www.civicplayers.org.



A romantic Irish comedy

Theater Voices presents a staged reading of John Patrick Shanley’s “Outside Mullingar” Oct. 16-18 at Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Ave., Albany.

Katria Foster

Julius Caesar

American Shakespeare Center’s production of The Bard’s classic drama. Oct. 20, 7 p.m., University at Albany Performing Arts Center, 1400 Washington Ave., Albany. Advance tickets: general public \$15, students, seniors and staff \$10. Day of show tickets: general public \$20,

students, seniors and staff \$15. Information: 442-3997 or email tickets@ualbany.edu.

The Night Alive

Conor McPherson’s drama about a debt-ridden man trying to help a young woman in worse financial shape, presented by Curtain Call Theatre, 210 Old

Loudon Road, Latham, Oct. 16 through Nov. 7. Shows: Thursdays 7:30 p.m., Fridays and Saturdays 8 p.m. and Sundays 3 p.m. Tickets: \$24. Information: 877-7529 or www.curtaincalltheatre.com.

Outside Mullingar

Staged reading of John Patrick Shanley’s comedy, presented by

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Kat Edmonson

Fast-rising contemporary singer, with opening act Milton. Oct. 15, 7:30 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Tickets: \$28. Information: 473-1845 or www.theegg.org.

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Considered to be the foremost jazz violinist of her generation. Oct. 15, 7:30 p.m., Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, 30 Second St., Troy. Tickets: \$29. Information: 273-0038 or troymusichall.org.

The Doghouse Carpenters

Americana group. Oct. 16, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio’s, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany. Information: 512-5100 or www.ebalbany.com.

Arturo O’Farrill

Pianist, composer, educator and founder of the Afro Latin

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Jazz Orchestra. Oct. 16, 7:30 p.m., Kathleen McManus Picotte Recital Hall, Massry Center for the Arts, 1002 Madison Ave., Albany. Tickets: general admission \$25, students \$15. Information: 337-4871 or www.massrycenter.org.

Loreena McKennitt

One of Canada's foremost, groundbreaking Celtic artists. Oct. 16, 8 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Tickets: \$49.50-\$59.50. Information: 473-1845 or www.theegg.org.

Alan Goldberg

Singer-songwriter. Oct. 17, 7 p.m., Emack and Bolio's, 366 Delaware Ave., Albany. Information: 512-5100 or www.ebalbany.com.

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Veteran roots rock/Americana quartet. Oct. 17, 8 p.m., Swyer Theater, The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Tickets: \$34.50. Information: 473-1845 or www.theegg.org.

Collective Soul

1990s-era rock band touring in advance of new album, "See What You Started By Continuing." Oct. 17, 8 p.m., Hart Theater, The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Tickets: \$44.50-\$59.50. Information: 473-1845 or www.theegg.org.

Jack Williams

Folk and Americana singer-songwriter touring in support of his CD, "Four Good Days." Oct. 17, 7:30 p.m., Eighth Step at Proctors Underground, 432 State St., Schenectady. Tickets: \$24-\$30. Information: 346-6204 or www.proctors.org.

An Evening with Tony Bennett

Crooner who left his heart in San Francisco and known more recently for his duet albums with some of the world's most popular recording artists. Oct. 18, 7 p.m., Palace Theatre, corner of Clinton Avenue and North Pearl Street, Albany. Tickets: \$59.50-\$128. Information: palacealbany.com.

Peter Frampton

1970s guitar rock legend performs solo, acoustic show with opening act Julian Frampton. Oct. 20, 8 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Tickets: \$69.75-\$99.75. Information: 473-1845 or www.theegg.org.

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"Theatresports," a night of improvised comedy and music, Oct. 16, 8 p.m., Underground at Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Tickets: \$6-\$14. Information: 346-6204 or www.proctors.org.

Wanda Sykes

Stand-up comedian who has appeared on TV and in movies. Oct. 17, 8 p.m., Palace Theatre, corner of Clinton Avenue and North Pearl Street, Albany. Tickets: \$20-\$75. Information: 465-3334 or palacealbany.com.

POETRY

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John Amen is the featured artist at this month's event, Oct. 15, 7:30 p.m., Social Justice Center, 33 Central Ave., Albany. Suggested donation: \$3. Information: 482-0262 or email dwlcx@earthlink.net.

EXHIBITS

Albany Center Gallery

"Telling," featuring works by Jane McCambley, Theresa McTague, Josette Pastore and Alana Sparrow, Oct. 13 through Nov. 13,

39 Columbia St., Albany. Information: 462-4775 or albanycentergallery.org.

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"Couleur," featuring paintings by Jane Schmidt.

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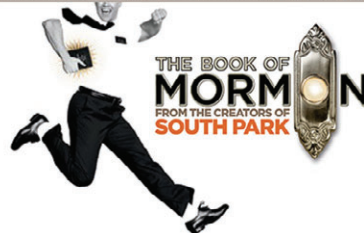
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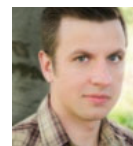
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Comic Shane Mauss at Proctors

SCHENECTADY—Shane Mauss' career is on an arc NASA would envy.

The 35-year-old stand up comic's latest album, "My Big Break" (describing a hiking accident in which he broke both feet), debuted at number one on the comedy charts earlier this year, piling up accolades for its insight as well as its humor.

And Mauss—winner of HBO Comedy Arts Festival's Best Stand up

Comic Award—has been a small screen fixture, with appearances on TBS (Conan), Comedy Central and more.

Come October 19, however, Mauss explores new territory with an exclusive performance, "This is Your Shane on Drugs," in the Underground at Proctors. The hour-long set controversially covers one of Mauss' lifelong passions—psychedelics.

A self-described insane teenager, Mauss' adolescence was filled with trips in his head and trips to the local police

station. But Mauss turned things around and, after barely getting his diploma and living one step from homelessness, he is now interviewing top scientists about the meaning of life on his hit podcast, "Here We Are."

Take a journey down the rabbit hole with Mauss for some deep, authentic laughs and a whole lot of weird.

"This is Your Shane on Drugs" performs Monday, Oct. 19, 8 p.m. at Underground at Proctors. For information, call 346-6204 or visit www.proctors.org.

WING FEST

Tavern takes home best wings, again

SCHENECTADY—Guests flocked to Schenectady last week for the sold-out 4th Annual Wing Walk, with a record 1,000 tickets sold to cast votes for their favorite wing flavor.

"It was fantastic to see so many visitors out and about today enjoying our amazing restaurants and beautiful downtown," said Jim Salengo, executive director of the Downtown Schenectady Improvement Corporation, "Special thanks to all of our 18 participating restaurants, and congratulations to 20 North Broadway Tavern on a well-deserved win. We can't wait to welcome everyone back for our 5th Wing Walk in October 2016."

20 North Broadway Tavern now holds the distinction of winning the annual award for three consecutive years.

A panel of special guest judges rated wings in several different categories:

Most Creative Wing: Aperitivo Bistro, 7 Hour Cherry Pepper Wing

Spiciest Wing: Taj Mahal Restaurant, Spicy Masala Wing

Best Sauce: Mexican Radio, Vidalia Onion Georgia Peach Wing

Best Traditional Wing: 20 North Broadway Tavern, Sweet & Spicy Buffalo Style Wing

Judges' Top Wing: Bombers Burrito Bar, Lemon Pepper Garlic Wing

"I was excited to try so many different flavors of wings this year," said Talia Cass, account executive for the Schenectady County Visitors Agency. "Our participating restaurants really stepped up their game. We all can't wait to see what kinds of creative recipes our restaurants come up with for guests in 2016."

The 4th Annual Wing Walk was presented by the Downtown Schenectady Improvement Corporation and the Schenectady County Visitors Agency. Promotional support was provided by 102.7 WEQX-FM and Yuengling, the official beer of Wing Walk.

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Tickets are on sale now at the Palace Theatre Box Office located at 19 Clinton Ave. Box office hours are Monday through Friday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tickets are also available for purchase via the Palace Theatre Charge-By-Phone at 465-4663, Ticketmaster Charge-by-Phone at 800-745-3000 and All Ticketmaster outlets or online at ticketmaster.com.

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Sleepy Hollow, Capital Repertory Theatre's whimsical new adaptation of the classic Catskills ghost story, is the latest original entry in the company's On-The-Go! School Tour program.

Two public performance recommended for age 7 and are offered: 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 24 and 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 30 (as part of the Next Act! New Play Summit) at Capital Repertory Theatre in Albany.

Tickets are \$11 adults; \$9 age 17 and under.

Based on Irving's eternally spooky story of the Headless Horseman, the play with music was written this

summer by theREP's Producing Artistic Director Maggie Mancinelli-Cahill, with an original musical score by local musician/actors Justin Friello and Lecco Morris, who also play the brothers, Wilbur and Webster (as well as, respectively, Ichabod Crane and Brom Bones).

The duo, which worked together at Schenectady High School, will perform the music and a myriad of Foley sound effects for the thoroughly modern play-within-a-play live on stage.

Capital Repertory Theatre and On-The-Go! veteran Kristin Youngblood portrays baker Jasmine Vander Hoooven, who

has a habit of bewitching villagers with her special desserts.

Sleepy Hollow is directed by Assistant to the Producing Artistic Director Margaret Hall.

On-The-Go! has become an important element of educational programming for theREP, but it also employs many young actors working towards Equity status and serves as creative engine for new works. Mancinelli-

Cahill, for example, has authored or co-written recent curriculum-driven vehicles like "They Built America: Workers of the Erie Canal;" "A Friend of A Friend: Tales of the Underground Railroad from the Capital Region;" "The Remarkable and Perplexing Case of Henry Hudson!" and "Pure Poe: Three Tales of the Macabre."

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The month of October is also set aside for Domestic Violence Awareness – a topic all too familiar with the National Football League, too. According to a database maintained by USA Today, there have been 97 domestic violence related arrests of professional football players since 2000.

Lightning struck upon the subject in the months that followed a February 2014 incident involving Ray Rice and his then-fiancée Janay Palmer at an Atlantic City casino. First reports showed security camera footage of the two walking together into an elevator, followed by another shot with Rice dragging his unconscious fiancée out. A grand jury indicted Rice on a charge of third-degree aggravated assault, and the NFL would initially suspend him for two games.

Karen Ziegler, Director

of the Albany County Crime Victims and Sexual Violence Center, calls the subject of domestic violence a “closed-door” crime, as one doesn’t often see it out in the open. According to Albany County statistics, 1909 domestic incidents were reported in 2014. That’s an emphasis on the word reported.

“We could probably more than double that number,” said Ziegler, who said many more cases go unreported. “In many cases, a family has a history of domestic violence. If the mother put up with it, the daughter is expected to put up with it, too.”

Critics of the football league’s two-game suspension thought the punishment was too lenient. That criticism only grew louder after security footage from the casino leaked to the press, revealing what happened behind the elevator’s closed doors: Rice, a 206-pound professional athlete, landing a left hook on an unsuspecting woman,

her head bouncing off the elevator car’s hand railing before she hit the floor.

“It absolutely walks across all walks of life and socio-economic classes,” said Ziegler. “No one wants to think of the judge, the fire chief, the CEO, because they are all nice guys.”

The public outcry that followed would prompt Rice’s employer, the Baltimore Ravens, of which he was a running back, to cut him. He has yet to play since. Rice and Palmer married six weeks after the February 2014 incident.

Palmer’s decision to stay with Rice sparked criticism of its own, many of whom could not understand why she’d choose to stay with an abusive partner. Though Ziegler was not commenting about the Rice incident in particular, she said people have to be careful about making such judgements.

“The women love their men,” she said. “They want the violence to stop. They may have children together. But, they want the violence to stop.” She said victims of domestic violence know the situation best and are sometimes attempting to

ward off a more violent exchange from occurring.

In other cases, it could also be a matter of faith.

Mother Anne Curtin of Healing a Woman’s Soul (HAWs) in Albany, works with Albany County’s abuse shelters to “provide a spiritual presence.”

“We do a lot for women, but we don’t do enough because we don’t have the resources,” she said.

HAWs encourages people to start the conversation about domestic violence. Those familiar with the program wear buttons that read “Who is YOUR 1 in 4?” The one in four figure is an estimated statistic that figures one in every four women are victims of domestic abuse. The abuse can range from financial, to psychological, as well as to physical and violent.

Curtin often sees women conflicted with a faith that obligates them to stay committed to marriage. Curtin, an Episcopal priest in the Albany Dioceses, reminds them, “Jesus walked away from an abusive situation. They wanted to push Him off a cliff and He walked away from it.”

HAWs started as a program six years ago to help those within the parish, but it has since grown to address the needs of the Capital District, and one that has been recognized by the American Institute for Public Service.

“This is supposed to be my retirement,” said Curtin. When offered a word of condolence, she responds: “Oh, no. Watching God’s work is a wonderful thing.”

The Albany County Crime Victims and Sexual Violence Center operates a 24-hour assault hotline for crisis counseling and advocacy at local hospitals and police stations for victims of sexual assault. Free, confidential therapy for victims is available Monday through Friday by appointment. Friends and family members of crime victims can also schedule therapy.

In addition to self-referral, clients are referred through court advocates, Albany County courts, the District Attorney, County departments, medical and mental health providers, social workers, child abuse workers, schools, colleges and universities,

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Healing a Woman’s Soul hosts its 7th annual Journey of Hope fund raising event on Saturday, Oct. 17, from 6 to 8:30 p.m., at the St. Paul’s Episcopal Church at 21 Hackett Boulevard in Albany. A silent auction will be on hand, as well as a hot and cold buffet and beverages. For more information, call 439-8574.

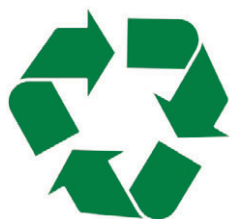
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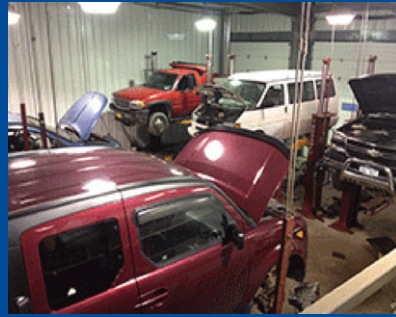
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■ PLAYER OF THE WEEK



CAMERON LONG

Guilderland's Cameron Long is the MarGas Spotlight Player of the Week for the period ending Sunday, Oct. 11. Long caught touchdown passes of 62 and 64 yards to help the Guilderland football team defeat Ballston Spa 48-7 Friday, Oct. 9, in an Empire Division game.

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■ INSIDE



Manhattan run

The Bethlehem and Guilderland cross country teams participated in the annual Manhattan Invitational Oct. 10.

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■ SOCCER



▲ Guilderland's Adam Couture (13) heads the ball away from Bethlehem's Noah Weinstock during the second half of a Suburban Council game Thursday, Oct. 8.

Bethlehem's Luke Dole, center, fends off two Guilderland players while controlling the ball.

Rob Jonas/Spotlight



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Bethlehem scores three goals
in second half to pull out road win

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

GUILDERLAND — Once the Bethlehem boys soccer team got its offense in gear, Guilderland could do nothing to stop it.

The Eagles (10-3-0 league, 10-4-0 overall) scored three times in a 13-minute span of the second half to defeat the Dutchmen 3-1 in a Suburban Council game Thursday, Oct. 8.

Bethlehem was desperate for a goal after being shut out by undefeated Ballston Spa two days earlier, and it took the Eagles more than 57 minutes to end its scoreless drought.

"We were playing pretty poorly for probably the last three halves of soccer," said

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Bethlehem coach Phil Ridgway. "So, it was nice to see them finally come around in the second half."

Luke Dole got things going for Bethlehem with his 18th goal of the season to tie the score at 1-1. Three minutes later, Simrit Dhinsa sent a through ball to Pat Hynes in front of the Guilderland goal, and Hynes put it home to give the Eagles a 2-1 lead.

The prettiest goal of the afternoon came off the foot of Noah Weinstock. After receiving a pass from Dole, Weinstock cut towards the Guilderland goal while being closely guarded by a Dutchmen defender. The senior kicked the ball as he slid to the turf, and it tucked inside the far post to increase the Eagles' advantage to 3-1.

"It was beautiful. We had possession, we connected on 10-15 passes and we played it in, got behind the defenders and we got it in," said Ridgway. "We needed that."

Eddie Yu gave Guilderland (7-3-3, 8-3-3) a 1-0 lead in the first half when he scored off a corner kick,

but the Dutchmen couldn't muster much of an attack in the second half as Bethlehem controlled possession.

"Against the best teams, we've had great first halves," said Guilderland coach Mike Kinnally. "Then in the second half, we're just not there. I know everyone is a lot bigger than us and wears us down a bit, but we have not played well in the second half."

Bethlehem and Guilderland trade opponents in the final week of the regular season. After Bethlehem visited Colonie Tuesday, Oct. 13, the Eagles conclude the league campaign against Columbia Thursday, Oct. 15. Guilderland hosts Colonie Saturday, Oct. 17, after traveling to East Greenbush to play Columbia Oct. 13.

In girls soccer, Bethlehem shut out Guilderland 1-0 Thursday, Oct. 8, in Bethlehem. Olivia Miranda scored the lone goal off an assist from Sophia Calabrese, and goaltender Miranda Manzano made six saves for the Lady Eagles (6-4-2, 8-5-2).

■ CROSS COUNTRY

G'land girls take Manhattan

Bini leads Lady Dutch to division win

By ROB JONAS

jonasr@spotlightnews.com

■ ALBANY COUNTY

— Bethlehem and Guilderland traveled to the Manhattan Invitational cross country meet Saturday, Oct. 10, at Van Cortlandt Park in the Bronx.

The Guilderland girls team had the top performance of the day, as it won the Varsity E division team title with 59 points. Warwick Valley was second with 74 points, and Red Bank Regional placed third with 150 points.

Emily Bini led

Guilderland with a second-place finish. The eighth grader completed the 2.5-mile course with a time of 15:01.8, 11 seconds behind individual champion Lauren Sapone of Red Bank Regional.

Four more Guilderland runners placed in the top 20 of the 183-runner field. Olivia Fanshawe was 10th with a time of 15:40.2, while Christine Fish placed 12th with a time of 15:54.3. Erin Miceli (15th place, 15:58.6) and Allyssa Jourdin (20th, 16:13.0) rounded out the Lady Dutch's top five runners.

Bethlehem was sixth

in the Varsity C girls race with 179 points. Walter Johnson High School led the way with 96 points, while Pearl River placed second with 119 points.

Holly Machabee paced the Lady Eagles with a 13th-place finish in a time of 15:49.8. Ruby Pan was 25th with a time of 16:16.3, and Rachel Hodge finished 30th with a time of 16:21.0.

On the boys' side, Bethlehem placed third in the Varsity E division with 127 points. Bishop Hendrickson was first with 39 points, and Xavier was second with 42 points.

Bethlehem's Dawson Homer finished fourth with a time of 12:59.8, less

than seven seconds behind individual champion Christian Raslowsky of Xavier. Chris Davitt was the next Eagle across the finish line, as he placed 26th with a time of 13:48.3. Derek Baranski finished 29th with a time of 13:50.2.

Guilderland's boys team ran in the Eastern State Championship, where the Dutchmen placed 16th with 450 points. Downingtown West High School claimed the team title with 177 points.

Noah Carey was the lone Guilderland runner to crack the top 50. Carey finished fourth with a time of 12:23.2.

■ FOOTBALL

Guilderland surges to victory

■ GUILDERLAND —

The Guilderland football team has a chance to earn a home playoff game.

With their 48-7 Empire Division victory over Ballston Spa Friday, Oct. 9, the Dutchmen (3-1 league, 5-1 overall) can finish second in the division with a win against

Shenendehowa (3-1, 3-3) Oct. 16 at home.

Guilderland used a three-touchdown second quarter to pull away from Ballston Spa (2-2, 3-3). Quarterback

George Marinopoulos threw scoring strikes of 64 and 62 yards to Cameron Long to give the Dutchmen a 21-0 lead.

— Rob Jonas

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Candidate Forum

Thursday, Oct. 29 - 7 p.m.

at Guilderland High School

Candidates for Town Supervisor and Board will be answering YOUR questions. This forum is sponsored by The League of Women Voters, The Guilderland Chamber, Capital Area Council of Churches, The Altamont Enterprise and The Spotlight. Candidates for those positions who will be on the ballot Nov. 3 have been invited.

Town Board Candidate session will begin at 7 and Town Supervisor session at 8.

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Bethlehem VOTERS

An Informed Electorate Creates Better Government!

Attend, Ask and Learn at our

Candidate Forum

Thursday Oct. 22 - 6:30 p.m.

at Bethlehem Town Hall
Delaware Ave, Delmar

Candidates for Town Supervisor and Board will be answering YOUR questions, while candidates for Highway Superintendent and Clerk will be presenting statements. This forum is sponsored by The League of Women Voters, The Bethlehem Chamber, Capital Area Council of Churches and The Spotlight. Candidates for those positions who will be on the ballot Nov. 3 have been invited.

Highway Superintendent and Clerk statements will begin at 6:30 p.m. The Town Board Candidate session will begin at 7 and Town Supervisor session at 8.

>>>> REMEMBER TO VOTE ON NOV. 3 <<<<

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of Appeals of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday, October 21, 2015 at 7:10 PM, at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York, to take action on an application by Ravena School District, A.W. Becker School, for variances needed at 1146 Route 9W, Selkirk. Applicant has an existing electronic reader board that does not meet code requirements under Article VI, Section 128-59L.(1) (2)(7)(8)(9), Prohibitions. Daniel W. Coffey Chairman Board of Appeals Ad#97098

LEGAL NOTICE

159 DELAWARE LLC Art. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 08/28/15. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 305 ASTOR CT, DELMAR, NY 12054. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Ad#93986

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 1894 STERLING PLACE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/17/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#94181

LEGAL NOTICE**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Notice is hereby given that the Selkirk Fire District hereby invites sealed bids for the furnishing of one 2015 4-wheel drive crew cab truck with utility body. Bids will be received up to 2:00 p.m. on the 21st day of October 2015 at which time such bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the Selkirk Fire District - Station #1, 126 Maple Avenue, Selkirk, New York. Bids shall be addressed to the Board of Commissioners, P.O. Box 5, Selkirk, New York 12158. Bids shall be in a sealed envelope which shall bear on the face thereof, the name and address of the bidder and the subject of the bid. ORIGINAL and ONE COPY of each bid shall be submitted. Bid documents may be obtained on the Selkirk Fire District website or by contacting the district secretary at secretary@selkirckfd.org. The Selkirk Fire District reserves the right to waive any informalities in or to reject any or all

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bids. BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SELKIRK FIRE COMMISSIONERS Ad#97584

LEGAL NOTICE

203 N WALNUT LLC. Arts. Of Org. Filed w/SSNY on 8/27/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful. Ad#95982

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 2051 33RD ST. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 7/29/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#94198

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 207 SAINT JAMES PLACE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/17/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#94186

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 284 STERLING PLACE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/17/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#94183

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 2Helix LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 8/06/2015. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 90 State Street Suite 700 Box, Albany, NY 12207. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Ad#96389

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 31-16 71ST ST. LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/13/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Al-

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bany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#94195

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of 313 ATLANTIC AVENUE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/17/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#94191

LEGAL NOTICE

3405 CHURCH AVENUE REALTY LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 10/6/2015. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 338 Orange St., Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Ad#97793

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) The name of the LLC is 35 Empire State Properties LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on August 25, 2015. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the LLC is to be located in Albany County. The Secretary of State is designated as the agent of the LLC upon whom process against the LLC may be served. The address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 302 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12203. Ad#94929

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is 471 Ontario Street, LLC

2. The Articles of organization of the Limited Liability Company were filed on June 23, 2015 with the New York Secretary of State.

3. The office of the Limited Liability Company is located 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 7 Fairfield Drive, Voorheesville, NY 12186.

6. the latest date to dissolve is indefinite.

7. The purpose of the Limited Liability Company is to conduct all lawful activity. Ad#97378

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49TH ST. RE LLC. Arts. Of Org. Filed w/SSNY on 9/14/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful. Ad#95983

LEGAL NOTICE

546 LAFAYETTE AVENUE MANAGEMENT, LLC. Arts. Of Org. Filed w/SSNY on 9/9/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful. Ad#95972

LEGAL NOTICE

61-59 70TH STREET LLC. Arts. Of Org. Filed w/SSNY on 9/8/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful. Ad#95975

LEGAL NOTICE

ACCELER8 AUTOS, LLC. Arts. Of Org. Filed w/SSNY on 9/2/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful. Ad#95980

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: ANANDA SHANTI APPAREL LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, September 18, 2015. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 8 Yardley Court, Loudonville, New York 12211. Ad#95924

LEGAL NOTICE

ANNUAL MEETING-BETHEHEM CEMETERY ASSOC., INC., 7:30PM MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2015 AT THE DELMAR REFORMED CHURCH 386 DELAWARE AVE., DELMAR, NY. THOSE WISHING TO VOTE MUST CONTACT VIA PHONE (439-2394) FOR OWNERSHIP VERIFICATION NO LATER THAN 10/21/2015 Ad#93981

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ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF ATEN LLC First: The name of the limited liability company is ATEN LLC Second: The county, within this state, in which the office of the limited liability company is to be located is Albany

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Third: The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the limited liability company upon whom process against it may be served. The address 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 hme or her is: ATEN LLC 305 Old Loudon Road, Latham, NY 12110. Purpose any lawful activity. Ad# 94684

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of a Limited Liability Company (LLC): Name: Attic Eye Home Inspections LLC, Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/21/2015. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: C/O Attic Eye Home Inspections LLC, 40 Exchange St, Albany, 12205. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose. Latest date upon which LLC is to dissolve: No specific date. Ad#94686

LEGAL NOTICE

Blue Flower Thai Restaurant LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 09/21/15. Off. Loc.: Albany County, SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: The LLC, 144 Washington Ave, Albany, NY 12210. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act. Ad#97570

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of BREAKTHROUGH PICTURES, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/24/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#94178

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE BUDGET NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Proposed Budget of the Slingerlands Fire District located in the Towns of Bethlehem and New Scotland, Albany County, State of New York, will be presented to the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Slingerlands Fire District, for its consideration. A PUBLIC HEARING will be held at 7:00 p.m. at the Slingerlands Fire District firehouse located at 1520 New Scotland Road, Slingerlands, New York 12159, for the Towns of Bethlehem and New Scotland, Albany County, State of New

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York on the 20th day of October 2015. Pursuant to Town Law Section 105, the Board of Fire Commissioners must hold a public hearing on the budget, make a proposed budget available to the public prior to the public hearing, allow the public to comment on the budget at the public hearing. This public hearing must be held to allow maximum public participation in the hearing. The purpose of the public hearing is to allow any person to be heard in favor of or against the proposed budget as it is submitted, or for or against any item or items contained in the proposed budget, and hearing all persons interested in the subject concerning same. That a copy of the proposed budget is available at the Office of the Town Clerk's Office for the Town of Bethlehem at 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York and the Town of New Scotland at 2029 New Scotland Road, Slingerlands, New York. Ad#96428

LEGAL NOTICE

Call Sheilah! Your Personal Concierge, LLC Articles of Organization of this Limited Liability Company (LLC) were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on September 17, 2015. The LLC maintains its office in Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any process served to the LLC, to 61 Kenosha St. Albany, New York 12209. Purpose: for any lawful activity for which Limited Liability Companies may be formed under the law. Ad#96521

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CONFIDEO, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 11/3/14. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#94177

LEGAL NOTICE

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE, TOWN OF BETHLEHEM, ALBANY COUNTY, NY. Notice is hereby given that the Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing as part of its regularly scheduled Board Meeting on Tuesday, 10/20/2015 at 6:00 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, NY regarding a Subdivision Application, submitted by Anthony Cardona, Jr., as shown on drawing entitled "Minor Subdivision Plat, Anthony Cardona, Jr., Murray Ave/Haawk Court Subdivision, Town of Bethlehem, County of Albany, State of New York", dated 04/20/2015 and revised through 09/24/2015, prepared by Ingalls & Associates, 2603 Guilderland Ave, Schenectady, NY. Documentation related to the application can be viewed in the Planning Dept. at Town Hall, M-F, 8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. Notice of Public Hearing will be mailed to property owners within 200' of the subject property. Said notice will also be published in the 10/14/2015 issue of the

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Spotlight Newspaper. All interested persons are invited to attend and be heard. Ad#97778

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF CEAS PROPERTY MANAGEMENT, LLC a domestic Limited Liability Company organized under the laws of New York whose Articles of Organization were filed on September 30, 2015 with the New York Secretary of State. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served and shall mail a copy of any process served on him or her to 11 Marshall Street, Albany, NY 12209. New York Office Location: Albany County. Purpose: All lawful activities. Ad#97291

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: CHONTONG THAI RESTAURANT, LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 8/31/2015. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, 311 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 12206. Purpose: For operating a restaurant. Ad#94690

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of CONFIDEO, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 11/3/14. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities. Ad#94177

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: DEDHAM POST EQUITY LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, September 9, 2015. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 101 Dedham Post Road, Schenectady, New York 12303. Ad#95662

LEGAL NOTICE

PUBLICATION NOTICE OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY 1. The name of the limited liability company is E&S Sofia LLC (the "Company"). 2. The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed on September 9, 2015. 3. The County within New York State in which the office of the Compa-

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ny is to be located is Albany. 4. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company is E&S Sofia LLC, P.O. Box 11327, Albany, NY 12211. 5. The purpose of the business of the Company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York. Ad#97283

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PUBLICATION NOTICE OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

1. The name of the limited liability company is Enzo Construction LLC (the "Company"). 2. The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed on June 30, 2014. 3. The County within New York State in which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany. 4. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company is Nia C. Cholakis, Esq., 1202 Troy-Schenectady Road, Bldg. #3, Latham, New York 12110. 5. The purpose of the business of the Company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the Limited Liability Company Law of the State of New York. Ad#97279

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF BOND RESOLUTION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the resolution published herewith has been adopted for the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, on the 9th day of September, 2015. Such resolution was adopted subject to permissive referendum and the period of time has elapsed for the submission and filing of a petition for such referendum without a valid petition having been submitted and filed, and the validity of the obligations authorized by such resolution may be hereafter contested only if: (1) (a) such obligations were authorized for an object or purpose for which the Town of Bethlehem is not authorized to expend money or (b) if the provisions of law which should have been complied with as of the date of publication of this notice were not substantially complied with and an action, suit or proceeding contesting

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such validity is commenced within twenty days after the date of publication of this notice; or (2) such obligations were authorized in violation of the provisions of the Constitution of New York.

SUMMARY OF RESOLUTION

The following is a summary of a resolution adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem on September 9, 2015. Said resolution authorizes the issuance and sale of a serial bond or bonds and a bond anticipation note or notes in anticipation of the issuance and sale of said serial bonds, in an amount not to exceed \$3,000,000. The proceeds from the sale of the obligations authorized in said resolution shall be used for the specific purpose of financing the undertaking of the Delaware Avenue Hamlet Multi-modal and Streetscape Enhancements Project, as described in an Application dated August 2013 prepared by the Bethlehem Department of Economic Development and Planning, consisting of, but not limited to, the reconstruction and improvement to streets, sidewalks, curbing, gutters, drainage, lighting and landscaping along Delaware Avenue in the Town of Bethlehem, and all of the foregoing to include all necessary site work, equipment, apparatus and other improvements and costs incidental thereto, at an aggregate estimated maximum cost not to exceed \$3,100,000 and having a period of probable usefulness of at least fifteen (15) years. The balance of the cost of the project will be financed by

(A) the receipt of various federal and state grants and other funding sources, and

(B) the application of certain grant moneys held by the Town in the amount not to exceed \$100,000.

A copy of the resolution summarized herein is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk, located in the Town Hall, Town of Bethlehem, New York.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of EVENTS AT SAINT JOHN THE DIVINE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 6/29/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

Ad#94214

LEGAL NOTICE

FAB Property Remodeling, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/17/15. Off. loc.: Al-

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bany Co. SSNY des. as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 11 Danton Lane, Locust Valley, NY 11560. The registered agent of the LLC is Frank Berritto of the same address. Purpose: General.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of FACIALS BY BONNIE, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/13/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: FINEGAN'S ALE HOUSE, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, October 5, 2015. 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 Kevin Efaw, 1 Gregg Road, Altamont, NY 12009.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the fiscal affairs of Bethlehem Central School District for the period beginning on July 1, 2014 and ending on June 30, 2015, have been examined by an Independent Public Accountant, and that the report of examination has been filed in my office where it is available as a public record for inspection by all interested persons. Pursuant to §35 of the General Municipal Law, the governing board of Bethlehem Central School District may prepare a written response to the report of external audit and file any such response in my office as a public record for inspection by all interested persons not later than January 30, 2016.

Dated: October 8, 2015
Brittany Barrett, District Clerk

Bethlehem Central School District
700 Delaware Avenue
Delmar, NY 12054
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION IN NEW YORK BY A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
Name: Food Bank Ventures, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY(SOS) on 9/30/15. Office location: Albany County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of process. SOS shall mail copy of process to Regional Foodbank of Northeastern New York,

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Inc., 965 Albany-Shaker Rd, Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: Any lawful act or activity.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Glenside Property Management, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy of State of New York (SSNY) on 05/26/2015. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to 9 Woodlawn Ave. Albany, NY 12208. Purpose: Any lawful activity.

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LEGAL NOTICE

GPT 81 MERCER, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 9/14/15. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to c/o Pep Real Estate, 25 Howard St., 2nd Fl, NY, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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LEGAL NOTICE

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE, TOWN OF BETHLEHEM, ALBANY COUNTY, NY.

Notice is hereby given that the Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing as part of its regularly scheduled Board Meeting on Tuesday, 10/20/2015 at 6:00 p.m., at the Town Offices, 445 Delaware Ave., Delmar, NY regarding a Subdivision Application, submitted by James Grady as shown on drawing entitled "Preliminary Plat, Lands N/F of Grady, Hartman Road, Town of Bethlehem, Albany County, New York", last revised 09/03/2015, prepared by Ingalls & Associates, 2603 Guilderland Avenue, Schenectady, NY. Documentation related to the application can be viewed in the Planning Dept. at Town Hall, M-F, 8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m. Notice of Public Hearing will be mailed to property owners within 200' of the subject property. Said notice will also be published in the 10/14/2015 issue of the Spotlight Newspaper. All interested persons are invited to attend and be heard.

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LEGAL NOTICE

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company Name: L-VISION LLC. Articles of organization were filed with the Secretary of New York (SSNY) on 9/9/2015. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of the process the LLC to: 90 State Street, STE 700 Office 40 Albany, New York 12207. Purpose: For any lawful purpose.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of HEXAGON DEVELOPMENT, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/18/15. Office location:

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Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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LEGAL NOTICE

INKERI LLC. Arts. Of Org. Filed w/SSNY on 8/31/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful.

Ad#95985

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF IVY LEAGUE FASHION LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 08/26/2015. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: Reginald S. Scantlebury, 23 School Master Court, Unit #1307, Athens, NY 12015. Purpose: any lawful activity.

Ad#93991

LEGAL NOTICE

JP 81 MERCER, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 9/14/15. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to c/o Pep Real Estate, 25 Howard St., 2nd Fl, NY, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of an LLC: Lever2, LLC. Art. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 7/3/2015. Office: Albany County. SSNY has been design-

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nated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of processes to: C/O Lever1, LLC 510 W 5th Street Kansas City, MO 64105. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Levine Gipp Realty Associates, LLC Notice of formation of Levine Gipp Realty Associates, LLC, a limited liability company (the "LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY (the "SSNY") on 8/11/15. Office location: Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be served. The SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to the LLC, 298 Albany Shaker Road, Albany, New York 12211. Purposes: any lawful activity.

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LEGAL NOTICE

LH NUTRITION, LLC. Arts. Of Org. Filed w/SSNY on 9/2/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of LLC: Lily's Place, LLC has filed an Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State of New York on 7/1/2015. Its office is located in Albany County. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process may be served. A copy of any process shall be mailed to 376 Northern Blvd, Albany, NY 12204. Its business is to engage in any lawful activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under Section 203 of the New York Limited Liability Company Act.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Lola 504 Realty, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 09/28/15. Off. loc.: Albany Co. SSNY des. as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 115 Cove Neck Road, Cove Neck, NY 11771. Purpose: General.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of Luminous Networks, LLC. Articles of organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on September 2, 2015. Office located within the county of Albany. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to

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Paul Centanni, 25 Patroon Place, Albany, NY 12211. Purpose: Any lawful act.

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LUXURY TRADE BROKERS OF NEW YORK LLC. Arts. Of Org. Filed w/SSNY on 8/28/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful.

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LEGAL NOTICE

MATTERHORN RE LLC. Arts. Of Org. Filed w/SSNY on 8/28/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of a Limited Liability Company (LLC): Name: McGuinness Home Solutions LLC, Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 08/21/2015. Office location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: C/O McGuinness Home Solutions LLC, 19 Marlborough Court, Albany, 12209. Purpose: Any Lawful Purpose. Latest date upon which LLC is to dissolve: No specific date.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of MHO HOLDINGS, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/17/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of MILE HIGH ENTERTAINMENT LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 4/7/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of MRD VENTURES LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 7/29/15. Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC whom process against may be

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served. SSNY shall mail process to: c/o The LLC, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).

Name: NAT REAL PROPERTY GROUP, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, October 1, 2015. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to Nicholas Thomas, 261 Troy Schenectady Road, Latham, NY 12110.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NEW YORK BUSINESS GROUP LLC. Auth. Filed w/SSNY on 9/3/15. Fictitious name: NEW YORK BUSINESS GROUP INTERNATIONAL LLC. Office: Albany Co. Formed in DE on 10/2/14. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. DE address: c/o The Corp. Trust Co., Corp. Trust Ctr., Wilmington, DE 19801. Filed with DE Sec. of State: 401 Federal St. #4, Dover, DE 19901. Purpose: all lawful.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of PLATIGE FILMS LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/3/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Post Street Remodeling, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 10/06/15. Off. loc.: Albany Co. SSNY des. as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 11 Danton Lane, Lattingtown, NY 11560. Purpose: General.

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Notice of Formation of PROVA COUTURE LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 7/22/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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Name: PSP MEMBER LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, June 18, 2015. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to MRP Associates LLC, 255 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12205.

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NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC).

Name: PSP MRP LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, June 18, 2015. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to MRP Associates LLC, 255 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12205.

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LEGAL NOTICE

RP 81 MERCER, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 9/14/15. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to c/o Pep Real Estate, 25 Howard St., 2nd Fl, NY, NY 10013. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of S.P. ASSOCIATES BLDG. CONSULTING LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 8/17/15. 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, 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. The registered agent is: USA Corporate Services Inc. at the same address. Purpose: all lawful activities.

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PUBLICATION NOTICE OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

1. The name of the limited liability company is Shaker Ridge LLC (the "Company").
2. The Articles of Organization of the Company were filed on September 4, 2015.
3. The County within New York State in which the office of the Company is to be located is Albany.
4. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the Company is E&S Sofia LLC, P.O. Box 11327, Albany, NY 12211.
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■ FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

A gateway to violence

The picture of today's drug problem with high school kids is shifting. Perhaps many of us still carried with us the image of Jeff Spicoli emerging from a cloud of marijuana smoke as he fell out of his van in the 1980s film "Fast Times at Ridgemont High." It made us laugh. Maybe some could relate.

Smoking a little "smoke" is a culture even popular in the traditionally conservative country music industry, nowadays. States across the Union are legalizing the use of marijuana. So, where's the harm, right?

Last week police arrested a teenager at a local high school in an affluent suburb of Albany County. This wasn't your father's drug bust — a fraudulent driver's license, 225 Xanax pills, a bottle of Hydrocodone syrup, 25 grams of MDMA (or Molly) and nearly \$2,000 worth of US currency.

At 17 years old, the young man is contemplating a future much different than that of his peers at school. In a time when his peers are planning college visits and plotting out a future beyond

high school, he's forced to have a candid conversation with his family and his lawyer about an uncertain, immediate future.

The problem with our perception to drugs in high school is that it's not marijuana kids are smoking today. Look at the laundry list above. Mind altering drugs as easy to obtain as raiding your own medicine cabinet. And, if that's not scary enough, there is the ever-present issue with heroin use. Heroin addiction is so prevalent in our area, Albany County Jail has launched a treatment unit to address inmates who have the problem. In neighboring Vermont, addiction is at such an epidemic height, users looking to rehabilitate sit on waiting lists to detox.

Not New York City.

Not Chicago.

Vermont.

Though a weapon was not found, the amount of money allegedly found is alarming. It speaks of an operation that could easily lead to a dangerous situation.

And, as much as we feel sheltered in our bedroom communities with garden clubs and nationally ranked high schools, the potential drug element that revealed itself last week will ultimately lead to unthinkable violence.

Parents of elementary and middle school students need to have these conversations now: Be aware of the company you keep, and stay away from drugs. Thinking your child isn't going to be approached to use drugs plays into an environment that makes him or her easy prey. School is stressful and the allure of finding an escape can be strong. It's your job to help him or her find that escape through family time, and not in the back of a van.

Or, in a cell.

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■ GET TO KNOW ...



Kelly Gallagher
Freelance writer, full-time mom

Town: Scotia, NY

Hometown: Wynantskill, NY

What are you listening to these days (music, podcast or audio book)?

When I take my son for walks, I usually will listen to a few podcasts. My latest favorites are "This American Life" and "The Moth." When I drive, I've been listening to "The Death and Life of Great American Cities" by Jane Jacobs.

Reading?

Recently, when I do get a few minutes to read, I have been choosing pieces on the history of the 46ers, which is a group individuals dedicated to ascending all of the Adirondack High Peaks. I also love memoirs.

Watching on TV?

I've been catching up on old SNL episodes, and I am a little ashamed to admit

that I have a crush on Chris Cuomo from 20/20.

What was the last movie you saw and why?

I honestly don't remember. It's been a while.

One person living or dead you would like to meet and why?

I'd like to talk to one of my great-grandparents. I never had the chance to meet any of them.

Describe your dream vacation.

Either a trip to Iceland or a road trip through the American West.

What is your favorite hobby?

Photography! I'm also a freelance writer. I currently write "New Mom Notes" for *Capital District Parent Pages*.

Describe what your last meal would be?

Seafood and pasta.

Favorite local memory?

The very first time I saw Omi, an outdoor sculpture park in Ghent.

What three things would you bring with you to a desert island?

Survival equipment, and a boat so I could leave! I'm extroverted, I'd be sick of myself within hours.

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Harrington: Proud of police service

Editor, *The Spotlight*,
I was disappointed to see that in last week's *Spotlight* Jeff Kuhn attempted to distract the voters from the important issues by resorting to petty personal attacks and bullying. I would not typically dignify such statements with a response, however, I felt it important to set the record straight on a few of Mr. Kuhn's assertions.

First, let me state that I am proud of the 28

years I spent serving this community as a Bethlehem Police Officer. Mr. Kuhn, however, attempts to transform my years of service to our residents into a slur by stating that I have "direct ties to the police unions," insinuating that my many years of service to our community will bias my approach to town government. That is simply not true. Before I was a police officer I was a Town of Bethlehem taxpayer, and I remain

one now. The residents of Bethlehem are the only people to whom I am beholden. Although Mr. Kuhn views my years of experience as a negative, it is actually an asset because my firsthand experience leaves me better prepared to address the challenges of keeping police costs manageable and structuring the agency to best serve the residents.

Mr. Kuhn next attempts to further malign my campaign by stating that

"Mr. Harrington's main campaign issue appears to be his claim that the town has 'refused' his attempted donation of a surplus dog from his business." As an attorney, I would have expected Mr. Kuhn to have done his research and checked his facts, because this assertion is again simply not accurate. Mr. Kuhn need only refer to my palm card -- which I have distributed to thousands of homes -- for my main campaign

platforms. None of those platforms mention a K9 unit for Bethlehem.

Although I still feel strongly that the Town should have a K9 unit to protect our community and assist in locating children and vulnerable adults who wander off during cold winter months when minutes can literally mean the difference between life and death, this is not the only issue that is important to me. However, rather than engage in constructive

discussion of my many other platforms and ideas, Mr. Kuhn chooses to attack me on this narrow issue of public safety.

Mr. Kuhn along with Supervisor Clarkson and his fellow Town Board members must truly be desperate if this is how they hope to save the election after their administration has been plagued by repeated instances of mismanagement

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From page 1 ... Capturing the story

As many veterans find it difficult to open up about their experiences, and only find the courage to do so after years of silence, the interviews Cathers holds have an open-ended format, allowing veterans to tell their war stories in their time, in their own voice.

Questions include when and where the veteran served, what they did, what kind of the people they met, what kind of

operations they were apart of and how they ended up getting home.

The interviews Cathers holds will be available at the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C., at the Nathaniel Blanchard American Legion Post and at the Bethlehem Public Library.

Interviews are held in private rooms at the Nathaniel Blanchard American Legion Post in front of an American

flag background. Cathers' troop-mates help him record the interviews, while another writes down their responses for the Library of Congress' archive. Boy Scouts of all ages have been helping, as well as other Eagle Scouts, who each have their own Eagle Award Project to work on.

Through either personal connections or through the Nathaniel Blanchard American Legion Post in Delmar, Cathers plans to get in contact with veterans in the coming month to hold video-recorded interviews with these veterans.

One such interview has already been held with Wayne P. Jackson, the Sergeant at Arms for the New York State Assembly. Jackson is a close friend of the Cathers family, and was thus an easy first choice for the Boy Scout.

Jackson is a US Army veteran, who fought during the War in Vietnam. After being injured in combat by a land mine, Jackson returned home to an entirely different culture than the one he left. "He had some unfortunate stories about how

veterans were perceived after coming back from Vietnam," said Cathers. "They were called baby killers, all sort of really awful things. What the American public did to those veterans is really awful."

Though Jackson's family was supportive of him upon his return, the majority of Americans at that time were not. As such, he had a difficult time reintegrating into life outside of the army. On top of the pain he was still feeling from his

war injuries, according to Cathers, Jackson was under a lot of torment from a society that did not support him.

Cather's interview with Jackson is the first of many he hopes to have this month. Cathers is still looking for interviewees. Interested veterans should contact him through the American Legion Post.

Veterans interested in being interviewed should contact the Nathaniel Blanchard American Legion Post at 439-9819.

Morin, Harder get my votes

Editor, *The Spotlight*:

I support Dan Morin for Bethlehem superintendent of highways. I have known Dan since Boy Scouts. Dan's kindness, work ethic and insight into identifying waste at the highway department impresses me. His advocacy of simple solutions to the highway department's problems of excess supervisor overtime, lack of employee cross-training and poor paving project management that resulted in the late or nonexistent leaf pickup are noteworthy. Savings created by better department management could be used to reduce highway taxes or build more linear feet of sidewalk.

It helps in the effective management of the highway department if the highway superintendent has performed all of the department's laboring jobs, as Dan has. Regrettably, it appears that the party ringleaders in town hall would rather have a \$97,999-per-year minder than a talented construction project manager as their Democratic nominee for superintendent of highways.

What bothers me the most about the department's poor management is its lack

of leadership. Good leaders find a way to use effectively the talents of their subordinates for the benefit of those they serve. When challenged in a primary election, poor leaders slam doors, refuse to communicate with their subordinates and spitefully forbid them from eating lunch with a fellow town employee.

We don't need an engineer for highway superintendent in a department that subcontracts what little engineering services it uses; we need someone who can manage construction projects and will respond to citizens' communications. Who today agrees with the 20/20 Advisory Group survey of Bethlehem citizens in 2009 that found leaf pickup and snow removal to be the two town services most exceeding citizen expectations (p. 18, 20/20 Advisory Committee Report)? I am proud of Dan's courageous candidacy in standing up for department employees and Bethlehem citizens.

I also support the write-in candidacy of George Harder for receiver of taxes. George is a retired taxpayer services specialist from the NYS Department of Taxation and Finance. George's meticulous attention to detail, his understanding of the

importance of accurately reporting tax payments to the town supervisor and Albany County finance director and his charming personality are desirable characteristics in a receiver of taxes. We should have an individual of the highest integrity in this office because that person is responsible for the transfer of millions of dollars of tax payments.

Supervisor Clarkson has claimed at town council meetings that Key Bank's lockbox collection of taxes is "free" to the town. However, there is no free lunch in this world. Obviously, the bank is subsidizing this service with the profit associated with other services provided to the town. Receiver of Taxes Harder will compare other bank offerings to see which option is best for town taxpayers.

We need an honest candidate for receiver of taxes that understands state tax law and procedure. We need a candidate who is independent of the influence of those that control the town Democratic Party and their often-regressive policies. On Election Day, cast a write-in vote for George Harder to be receiver of taxes.

Jared King
Delmar

From page 15 ...

Harrington: Proud of service

including last fall's leaf collection debacle, the town's involvement in the disastrous Normans Kill landslide, and the recent sexual harassment claim filed against the town by a

former female employee.

Finally, Mr. Kuhn states that management of the town requires "serious professionalism, expertise and integrity" in our

elected officials, and I share that view. That is why Bethlehem cannot afford another 2 years under John Clarkson's administration. If I am elected to the Town Board, I will help restore those missing virtues to Town Hall.

Dave Harrington
Delmar

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