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Popular crossing guard is healing after recent auto accident

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#### TOP STORY

# Kissing the babies

Presidential hopefuls raced through town

**By ALI HIBBS** 

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**ALBANY** — The 2016 presidential primary elections have, arguably, been the most polarizing in local memory. Rarely do presidential candidates make time to take to the stump in a state so reliably blue at the polls, but this year was notably differentthree republican and two democratic candidates (as well as a former president in tow) have recently staged events in the Capital District in the lead-up to the state primaries on Tuesday, April 19.

On Monday, April 11, more than 10.000 supporters showed up to see Republican frontrunner Donald Trump eject protesters from the crowded arena and slam his opponents while calling for America to "take our country back." On the same day, thousands descended on the Washington Avenue Armory—some waiting in line for more than four hours—to hear Bernie Sanders discuss income inequality and universal health care. Just days earlier, Hillary Clinton appeared at Cohoes High School to address supporters, bolster her reputation for environmental protection and defend her stance on the minimum wage. Ted Cruz and Todd Kasich have also come to visit the region: Kasich held a closed-door fundraising event at the Fort Örange Club on April 11 and Cruz was in Scotia on the morning of Thursday, April 7.

In an effort to understand what criteria influences Capital District voters, we asked some local officials and other local figures why they're supporting their chosen candidate and have compiled a list in this issue. To hear more local voices, please visit our website at spotlightnews.com.

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#### **ENTERTAINMENT**



#### We're not pretending

One Red Martian is one of 100 reported bands due to perform in Albany this weekend — Get out there!

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#### You're invited

Bethlehem hosted girls track invitational over the weekend

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## SPOTLIGHT ON FINANCE

# Financial planning should account for your lifestyle

By Ruth Mahoney, **President** Capital Region, KeyBank

hen it comes to financial planning and budgeting, both individuals and planners assume most people have the same values. needs and wants. To an extent, this is true. We all pass through similar life stages—childhood, young adult, early career, mid-

career and retirement. However, our respective paths through these life stages vary greatly.

The fact is, the lives we lead are very different, and our needs are diverse. This makes our relationship with money unique. Financial plans and budgets should account for this.



**Ruth Mahoney** 

#### **Your lifestyle** shapes your needs

A sound financial plan will account for your lifestyle as much as your life stage. Do you want to buy a house? Launch a business? Start a family? Travel the world? Retire early?

Understanding your goals and values will help you prioritize how you spend and save. It will also help you determine what matters most to you so you can set a budget that is realistic. For example, many

But what happens if you value recharging your batteries by taking a nice vacation with your family, the average cost of which is \$4,700?¹ Is it in the

#### Life stages can define vour lifestyle

One of the first "life stage" decisions a person makes is deciding what they will do af-

> ter high school. Whether graduates decide to enlist in the armed services, get a job or enroll in a two- or fouryear college, this is a major decision, and there is much to consider. For starters, according to a 2014 Pew Research Center study, today's workers with only a high school

diploma earn 62 percent of what a college graduate earns.2 For those who do go to college, the decision to attend a two- or four-year, public versus private college will deeply influence the cost of their education. Then there is financial aid, as well as grants and scholarships. The earlier parents talk with their children about the future, the better they can plan to save for it.

If you're a recent college graduate, career choice will largely shape your lifestyle. Engineering and computer science careers are higher earn-

people dream of retiring early. ing than social work. So it is important to consider how your earning power will influence your ability to repay student loan debt, save money and meet your monthly expenses. It is also important to remember that retirement planning is a marathon, not a sprint. Anyone, regardless of career path, can meet their retirement goals, provided their goals are grounded in realism, they start investing early and they commit to executing a plan.

> Another common life stage milestone is marriage. A recent study found the average wedding in 2015 cost \$31,213.3 Today, some couples are deciding they don't want to spend that amount-or even a portion of that amount. Instead, they are putting that money into savings or retirement accounts.

> Another consideration is housing. According to a May 2015 study by Trulia, homeownership is cheaper than renting in all 100 of the largest U.S. metro areas. In fact, buying is 35 percent cheaper, assuming a traditional 30-year fixed mortgage with a 20 percent down payment. Here are some things to consider if you're thinking about buying a house:

- saving for a down payment;
- closing costs and taxes;
- repairs and maintenance;
- reputation of the community and school district; and
- building equity.

have the worries of repairs and maintenance, but you're also not building equity and gaining value from your payments. You are also limited by the types of home improvements you can make.

The final major life stage to plan for is retirement. The earlier you invest, the more your money will earn. For example, assuming a five percent rate of return, \$10,000 invested by a 20-year old will grow to over \$70,000 by age 60. That same amount invested by a 40-year old will only grow to \$36,000.4

If you're closer to retirement age, it's not too late to get your

can do this by maximizing your savings opportunities (tax laws are now in your favor), avoiding new debt, creating sustainable income and considering longterm care insurance and other risk management strategies.

#### **Budget for lifestyle**

Executing your financial plan is about following a budget. But your budget needs to reflect your reality, or you won't be able to stick with it. So track all of your expenses and income for a month. More important, honestly assess your spending. Then think about your lifestyle, as well as your short- and long-term goals.

If you're renting you don't retirement plan on track. You Does your current spending support these goals? If not, it's time to reevaluate your priorities and build a better plan. And remember, it's your plan. The more it reflects who you are and what you value, the more successful it will be.

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#### 8 signs you are living beyond your means

eeping up with the Joneses? Many of us try, and some of us can. But the truth is, most of us can't because the Joneses are fictitious and, in our estimation, always live better than we do. So the real measuring stick should be ourselves, and the question we should be asking is: Can I really afford the lifestyle I'm living? Here are some signs that may suggest you can't:

- 1. Your credit score is below 600. Your score is a reflection of whether you pay your bills on time, the age of your accounts and your outstanding debt compared to total credit. This will influence your purchasing power, as well as your cost to borrow money.
- 2. You save less than 5 percent of your income. You should aim to save 10 to 15 percent of your earnings.
- You don't have an emergency fund. Unexpected and expensive are near inevitabilities in life. You can't afford to put these emergency costs on your credit card and pay interest on them. It's a hole that is difficult to dig your way out of.
- 4. Your credit card balances are rising. If you carry a month-to-month balance,

you are spending more than you can afford. You should be able to pay off your credit card balance in full every month.

- 5. Your monthly house payments account for more than 28 percent of your income. To calculate what percent you spend, divide your monthly mortgage or rent payment by your monthly income.
- 6. You can't keep up with your bills. You find yourself making late payments or taking cash advances on credit cards to pay bills you once paid with cash.
- 7. You live paycheck to paycheck. You need to start putting aside at least 5 percent into savings. If you can't, you need to take a closer look at your budget.
- 8. You have paid an overdraft fee in the past six months.

If you find yourself in any of the above situations, the healthiest thing you can do for your future is to take an honest look at your income, expenses and spending habits. Question every purchase you make, and be disciplined in those that you do. And make the necessary changes, because it's easier to live with your hard decisions now than to deal with the consequences of doing nothing later.

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#### **COPS, COURTS AND EMERGENCY CALLS**



William Beer

# Jury finds Troy man guilty of assault

ALBANY — William Beer, 42, of Troy, was found guilty after a jury trial in Guilderland Town Court of one count of assault in the third degree, announced District Attorney David Soares on Thursday, April 14.

On April 6, 2014, at approximately 2:30 a.m. while in the area of Mercer Street and Fuller Road in the Town of Guilderland, Beer intentionally and repeatedly punched another person in the face. The victim required stitches and suffered from substantial pain, bruising and swelling to the face, according to police reports. Beer was arrested following a complaint from the victim. Beer faces up to one year in Albany County Jail when he is sentenced on June 9.

# Driver operating stolen vehicle dies in crash

GUILDERLAND — On Tuesday April 12, at approximately 12:40 a.m., Guilderland Police responded to a motor vehicle crash in the area of Schoolhouse Road and Western Avenue.

The driver of the vehicle, Cory Ash, 23, of Albany, was traveling east on Western Avenue when the vehicle struck a guardrail at Schoolhouse Road, causing the vehicle to enter the parking lot of Citizens Bank, located at 1516 Western Ave. Debris from the vehicle caused damage to the bank, while the vehicle itself sustained extensive damage. Ash, the vehicle's sole occupant, was extricated from the vehicle by McKnownville Fire Department. Ash received medical treatment from Guilderland EMS and Western Turnpike Rescue Squad and was transported to Albany Medical Center, where he was later pronounced dead.

The vehicle Ash was driving was reported stolen from the City of

Albany minutes before the crash. Ash had been observed on radar speeding at 95 mph by a Guilderland Police officer on Western Avenue in the area of Crossgates Mall, and the officer did attempt to locate the vehicle. Albany Police and SUNY Albany Police were notified of the speeding vehicle. At no time was there any type of police pursuit. At this time the accident is still under investigation.

#### **State Police arrests:**

• Ruban Garcia, 37, of Albany, was arrested Monday, April 11, on Route 9W in Glenmont for possession of a weapon in the fourth degree, a misdemeanor. Troopers reportedly stopped Garcia for a traffic infraction and found him to be in possession of a wooden billy, which is considered a deadly weapon in New York state. Garcia was arrested and taken to State Police New Scotland for processing and released on an appearance ticket. He was scheduled to appear in Bethlehem Town Court on April

• Bradley C. Fountain, 27, of Guilderland, was arrested Sunday, April 10, on Western Avenue in Guilderland, and charged with DWI. Fountain was reportedly stopped for speeding and displayed signs of intoxication upon interview. Police said he failed field sobriety tests and had

a BAC of 0.11 percent. Fountain is scheduled to appear in Guilderland Town Court on April 21.

• Sophia Zak was arrested Sunday, April 10, on Western Avenue in Guilderland, and charged with five counts of illegal drug possession. Zak was stopped by police for an alleged traffic infraction and was reportedly to be in possession of zaleplon (a schedule IV controlled substance), Vyvanse (a schedule II controlled substance), both of which she did not have a prescription for, and a small amount of marijuana. She was charged with two counts of criminal possession of a controlled substance in the seventh degree, misdemeanors, two counts of controlled substance not in its original container, violations, and unlawful possession of marijuana, a violation. Zak is scheduled to appear in Guilderland Town Court on April 21.

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# NOTICE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM WATER MAIN FLUSHING PROGRAM SPRING 2016

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#### PRIMARY COVERAGE

#### **Phil Steck** (D-110, NYS Assembly) Sen. Bernie Sanders

#### When did you become political? Were there any specific events in your life that caused you to become actively involved?

"I was always interested in government and politics, beginning in Fifth Grade, when my teacher, Mabel Moore, had us do reports on countries all over the world. My grandparents, who lived in Manhattan, used to get materials on those countries at the United Nations and send them to me. I became interested in the politics of the various nations. With respect to local politics, when I was 25, I asked our Îocal Democratic District Leader Lee Aronowitz if he needed help. He replied that I should run for Colonie Town Board, which I did, so that was my first real political involvement."

#### Do your political affiliations reflect those of your immediate friends and family or not? Do you discuss those things?

"Yes. My father's family admired Franklin Roosevelt and the New Deal. Politics was always a matter of discussion in my parents' house. It was the Vietnam War era. My father, although a conservative disciplineoriented football coach, felt strongly that we should not be involved in the

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Vietnam War. He believed strongly, as I do, that It is nearly impossible to change another nation's political, social, and economic development through military intervention."

#### What are the issues in this election that are most important to you and how will they immediately affect you and your loved ones?

"Because of changes in U.S. economic policy since 1980, we have witnessed a remarkable transfer of wealth from the middle class and poor to the "billionaires," similar to what occurred in the Gilded Age. In New York, the top 1 percent had 11.9 percent of the income in 1980. Today it is 30.2 percent. The middle class is facing higher health insurance costs, higher college education costs, reduced pension benefits, and many other similar problems. People are unable to afford these things, which affects my family and all my constituents directly. In addition, the cost of foreign intervention is unaffordable. It deprives us of money that should be spent on repairing and improving our infrastructure. We have been rebuilding Iraq, but we cannot rebuild our own county. Foreign intervention is dangerous, particularly in the Middle East. It is not effective. As many sober analysts have pointed out, the "blowback" is dangerous. ISIS is blowback from the invasion of Iraq."

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#### **Michael Cuevas Schenectady County GOP chair** Sen. Ted Cruz

#### When did you become political? Were there any specific events in your life that caused you to become actively involved?

"I was 18, and 18 year olds have the right to vote. That was reason enough for me to become involved and encourage all of my friends to do the same, so I become a voter registrar at 18, and went from

#### Do your political affiliations reflect those of your immediate friends and family or not? Do you discuss those things?

"They certainly do. Most of my friends are also Republicans, so we're pretty free to have an open discussion. I can't say that all my friends share my views, but a good percentage of them do."

#### What are the issues in this election that are most important to you and how will they immediately affect you and your loved ones?

"First I've lived through September 11, so I've gotten to know and be vigilant to safeguard our country. We need a president who is aware of all threats domestic and foreign and can react in a responsible way. Ted Cruz is the only one on the Republican side that is able to articulate such a plan, but also be concerned about the Supreme Court. The next U.S. president has the opportunity to nominate at least one or several members of that court. Ted Cruz is the best candidate to entrust with that power.

Everyone is obviously affected by how we deal with the threats that face our country. We're all equally affected. In respect to the Supreme Court appointment, we know there have bee a number of important issues before court and that have been deadlocked after Justice Scalia's death - religious freedom, freedom of press, freedom of assembly, right to bear arms - these are issues affect us all and - how we live, work and do business."

#### How do you see your candidate's platform as addressing those issues?

"Cruz has addressed how he would deal with the threats against America that we face. He has stated if we were to be involved in international conflict, we would need to use overwhelming force, end the conflict quickly and get our troops home as quickly as possible. He will work to eradicate the forces that work against our country and that is s most important to us right now."

#### What was the most memorable part of the rally/rallies you attended?

"I attended and helped organize his rally here. The most memorable part of the rallies was the fact that we knew what his positions were already, so hearing and

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#### Christine Benedict (R-Colonie Town Board) Donald Trump

When did you become political? Were there any specific events in your life that caused you to become actively involved?

"Became political in 1971, volunteering for Fred Field (supervisor for the Town of Colonie) and the Field Team.

No particular event caused me to become involved, just liked Fred Field, his leadership style, what he stood for, and the way the town was being run throughout his years as supervisor."

# Do your political affiliations reflect those of your immediate friends and family or not? Do you discuss those things?

"Many, many of my friends are Republicans or Conservatives. However I do have good friends who are Democrats as well. When I was first elected into the County Legislature, an elderly Democrat took me under his wing and used to say to me "beneath it all, we are all human, we all have a heart." I always try to remember his advise when confronting political issues.

I will often discuss politics with various

# What are the issues in this election that are most important to you and how will they immediately affect you and your loved ones?

"The deficit of our country concerns me because sooner or later we will all be affected through the taxes we pay. The United States was always the leader globally; now, China owns us.

Our National defense concerns me, and I need not say without it what will happen

Border patrol is a concern, without it we will continue to support those illegal immigrants resulting in all of us paying higher taxes."

#### How do you see your candidate's platform as addressing those issues?

"Yes, he addresses them often."

#### What was the most memorable part of the rally/rallies you attended?

"I went to the Trump rally at the TU Center. Most memorable was what he had to say and hearing it from him, not from twisted stories from the news media. Meeting Mr. Trump was just as memorable."

#### Pat Fahy (D-109, NYS Assembly) Hillary Clinton

# When did you become political? Were there any specific events in your life that caused you to become actively involved?

"I grew up in Chicago in a very political town, so my parents were always political. They're immigrants, and were always newspaper readers. I was coming up in the 60s when politics were huge. It was a very volatile time and I was very young and very impressionable. I didn't become active until grad school in mid-80s. Then for many years I was in DC, where politics are obviously huge. I started in social work and realized I couldn't affect change as much as I wanted to so I got into politics."

#### Do your political affiliations reflect those of your immediate friends and family or not? Do you discuss those things?

"We talk politics all the time. In my immediate family, my kids are teenagers so my kids would probably b more reflects it ten dto be more practical than children and husband even . ive in works where govern look for ways to move agendas not just promote them in terms of my parents for must part reflect them. I tento be more progressive than my immediate family . very influenced by the fact that as I get older in life my parents came from limited means parents both depression era children."

# What are the issues in this election that are most important to you and how will they immediately affect you and your loved ones?

"Some of issue I guess are most important is what candidates can move us on income inequality. The issues that are driving me are are education and jobs and I do believed that those are the issues driving the income inequality in our economy. Resolving these issues means focusing on youth, who can rally make changes, opening up opportunities to our youth, and making sure they have as many opportunities as the last generation did. The income inequality gap is really at the undercurrent at some of the very partisanship and craziness of this election. We need someone who can unite us behind issues and turn around the economy. One because who has the experience to make change. There are certain things about a few of the candidates that I've liked, but Hillary has the experience to make those changes. Also internationally we're at a very difficult time, and I think having the experience there to make change will matter as well."

#### How do you see your candidate's platform as addressing those issues?

"Her experience. She knows the right leaders and the right people. I've had the opportunity to lobby for her. I've seen her when she was a senator and I've had the opportunity to meet her and her staff on the ground. She is the hardest person working in our business in a lot of ways. When she was working in the senate she learned ways to achieve her goals. She

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#### NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

#### **Thacher Park and** Nature Center events

VOORHEESVILLE —

Thacher Park and the Thacher Nature Center are hosting several events over the next week.

On Saturday, April 23, at 10 a.m. and Sunday, April 24, at 2 p.m., take a 1.5-mile hike through the Thacher Park wetlands. Participants will observe a vernal pool and a large swamp ecosystem. People should dress for cool, damp weather and muddy trails.

On Wednesday, April 27, at 10 a.m., the Thacher Nature Center offers "Robins Abound." Fondly thought of as the first sign of spring, the American robin is actually a year round resident. Learn their songs, look at nests and learn what makes great robin habitat. Construct a robin nesting shelf to take home. Materials fee is \$8.

On Thursday, April 28, at 10 a.m., the nature center offers "Who's Hoots for You," a program about owls. Examine the nature center's mounted specimens to learn about the amazing features of these nightflying birds of prey. Listen to some familiar owl calls, learn what types of habitats they prefer and find out where they like to hide. Examine an owl pellet to investigate their diet. This handson program is appropriate for all ages.

For more information or to register, call 872-0800.

#### **Presbyterian church** spring supper

SLINGERLANDS — The Presbyterian Church in New Scotland will hold its annual spring supper Saturday, April 23, from 4:30 to 7 p.m. in the fellowship hall at 2010 New Scotland Road.

The menu includes roast pork, mashed potatoes, gravy, sauerkraut, cooked carrots, green bean salad, rolls and butter, and homemade pies for dessert.

The cost is \$11 for adults, \$5 for children and free for children under 5 years old. Seating is first come, first served. Take outs are available.

For more information, please call the Presbyterian Church in New Scotland's office at 439-6454.





#### Two reach the century mark

Anne Fichtner, left, and Elwood Vadney turned 100 at the beginning of April. Fichtner celebrated her birthday April 4 at her home at Kenwood Manor assisted living community with a large, costumed bunny donated by Walgreens pharmacy. Vadney, a Glenmont resident, marked his birthday with a large party at the Nathaniel Blanchard American Legion Post in Delmar, April 1. Vadney, a veteran, was joined by a large gathering of familiy and friends.

Fichtner photo submitted; Vadney photo taken by Tricia Cremo/Spotlight

#### **BHA lecture focuses** on area diners

**BETHLEHEM** — Michael Engle will present an illustrated talk about diners in Bethlehem and the Capital District at the next Bethlehem Historical Association lecture Thursday, April 21, at the Cedar Hill Schoolhouse, 1003 River Road.

A faculty member at Hudson Valley Community College, Engle has been researching the history of diners since 1996. He has co-authored "Diners of New York" and wrote "Diners of the Capital District." His current project focuses on the history of diners in the Great Lakes states.

Following Engle's presentation, town historian Susan Leath will be selling and signing her new book, "Tales of Bethlehem, New York." Refreshments will also be served.

#### Lyme disease presentation

BETHLEHEM — The Capital Region Chapter of the Empire State Lyme Disease

Association hosts Holly Ahern's presentation "What You Need to Know About Lyme and Tick-Borne Diseases" Wednesday, April 23, at 6:30 p.m. at the Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave.

Ahern is an assistant professor of microbiology at SUNY Adirondack. She is a nationally recognized expert on the microbiology of Lyme disease and the research—both current and historical—that informs public policy about this issue.

The presentation offers information on awareness, prevention, diagnostics, treatment options, misinformation, advocacy and resources available to the public.

The program is free. For more information, email bjmeslda@ vahoo.com.

#### **Brink 5K race Saturday at UAlbany**

ALBANY — The annual Brink 5-kilometer race takes place Saturday, April 23, at the University at Albany's uptown

The family-friendly race is held at the Science Library Lawn. Registration begins at 9 a.m., and the race starts at 10 a.m. There will also be a live DJ, a bounce house, local businesses and more.

The race is run every year in memory of fallen trooper David Brinkerhoff, who was killed in the line of duty on April 25, 2007. Proceeds benefit the David C. Brinkerhoff Scholarship Fund, which provides support to a UAlbany student who demonstrates both strong leadership and academic qualities, as well as dedication to public safety (i.e. emergecy medical technician, firefighter, police officer, etc.)

For more information, visit the race's Facebook page.

#### **Bethlehem Art Association exhibit**

**BETHLEHEM** — A new exhibit of original artwork by 10 Bethlehem Art Association members is on display through the end of May at the Bethlehem Chamber of Commerce office,

Main Square Shoppes, 318 Delaware Ave, Suite 11.

The Bethlehem Art Association has been serving the community for 50 years as a focal point for all kinds of visual arts. For more information about the organization, visit www. bethlehemartassociation.com.

#### Nickel social in **New Baltimore**

Gill Road.

NEW BALTIMORE — The Cornell Hook and Ladder Auxiliary is hosting a nickel social Friday, April 22, at the New Baltimore Firehouse on

Browsing begins at 6:30 p.m., with drawings to begin at 7:30 p.m. Anyone wishing to donate items can bring them Thursday, April 21, between 6:30 and 8 p.m. during set-up time, or you can contact Frankie Wallace at 756-3015 to make other arrangements to drop items off. Please, no shoes or clothing

There will also be a baked goods table with items donated by auxiliary members for people to win, as well as door prizes.

#### **Albany Pine Bush Sunset Symphony**

**COLONIE** — Join the Albany Pine Bush Discovery Center for an evening walk through the Kings Highway barrens Friday, April 22, from 6:30 to 8 p.m. For more information, call 456-0655.

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But before you can share it, you have to let us know your name and what kinds of set-up and sound needs you have. And you need to do it by Tuesday, April 19. So email ronaldk@guilpl. org with the particulars, but do it soon. There is limited space, and the last time we did this, we had quite a turnout.

No registration is required to attend this event. Coffee and refreshments will be provided by our local Starbucks. www.guilpl.org

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# Fabric self-portrait

Come to GPL on Friday, April 22, at 3:30 p.m. and celebrate Earth Day with local fabric artist Cheryl Gorn. Children of varied abilities accurately capture their essence in fabric. They learn about textile art as they use bits of fabric, yarn and glittery sequins to create portraits of themselves. Please call 456-2400, ext. 4 to let us know you're coming; we'll have your favorite fabrics waiting for you.

#### Sunday Crafternoons: Coloring for Adults

Coloring session! Great

for stress relief, coloring isn't just for kids anymore; it's become quite the thing for adults, too. So come to GPL for Coloring for Adults on Sunday, April 24, at 2 p.m.

We all need a creative outlet; and why should kids have all the fun? In these craft programs for adults we will explore different ways to express ourselves through the arts. We supply the coloring sheets, the colored pencils and markers, and a relaxing environment to get in touch with your "inner Crayola." You supply your own coloring inspiration. Please register by calling 456-2400, ext. 2.

— Mark Curiale

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# The march for voting rights

ast year marked 50 years since the landmark civil rights march spearheaded by Martin Luther King.

The library will host a program called "Selma, the March on Voting Rights," on Wednesday, April 20.

It will include a showing of the movie, "Selma," followed by a discussion facilitated by Dr. Paul Murray from Siena College, an expert on the civil rights movement. Susan Butler, a civil rights activist who marched during the Selma to Montgomery event, will share a firsthand account of her experience.

The movie will be shown at 5:30 p.m. The discussion will begin at 8 p.m., after a short break at



the movie's conclusion.

Join us for this special educational program. The program is suitable for high school students and up. Light refreshments will be served.

#### **Crazy Craft Day**

The youth services department has a closet full of leftover craft projects that are just looking for someone to make and take. Drop in from 10 a.m. to noon on April 27 to make crafts from a wide assortment of art activities. For ages 3 through grade 3; no registration necessary.

#### Creativity Lab: Scratch Programming

On Wednesday, April 27, tweens and teens in grades 4 and up will design their own games in Scratch, a block-based programming language. John Love will provide instruction from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Please register, as equipment is limited

Registration for all programs can be done at the library, by phone at 765-2791 or online at www.voorheesvillelibrary. org (click on the event calendar).

— Lynn Kohler

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# Get library notices via text message

atrons of Bethlehem Public Library and other UHLS member libraries can now receive text messages for hold pickups, overdue reminders and courtesy notices.

It's easy to opt in to this service through your library account. Once you update the information in your account settings and click "submit," you will receive a confirmation message. For help getting started, visit www. bethlehempubliclibrary. org or ask a library staffer.

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#### **Find your** direction with free job coaching

The library offers year-round free job coaching services for adults preparing to enter or reenter the job market. Get



expert one-on-one help with various job-hunting skills: resumés, cover letters, written and online applications, interview protocol, and LinkedIn accounts. Hour-long appointments are available; call 439-9314, ext. 3009.

#### Make some noise

We're getting spring break week off to a lively start with some energizing tunes from Jack and Steve of the Zucchini Brothers on Monday, April 25, at 2 p.m. Kids can let off some steam and celebrate their well-earned time off with a little high-spirited dancing and singing along to these seasoned children's performers. Sure beats sitting at a desk! All ages are welcome.

This is just the start of a full week of fun. Check out our Spring Break flyer online at www.bplkids. org or pick one up at the library to find out more great ways to spend your vacation days.

#### R.A.D. for Seniors

Awareness and defense strategies can keep you

safe at any age. That is why the library is once again joining forces with the Office of the Albany County District Attorney to offer a R.A.D. self defense course, this time geared specifically to seniors. The 10-session program, which takes place Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, May 2-27, from 1:30 to 3 p.m., instructs participants in physical defense techniques and defensive strategies, all with an understanding of the specific concerns that are unique to seniors. The program is free and open to men and women 55 and older. Participants are required to attend all 10 sessions. There will be no classes May 11 and 13. For more information, call 439-9314.

#### Upcoming events

All events are free and take place at Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Delmar. For more information, call 439-9314 or visit bethlehem publiclibrary.org.

#### Friday, April 22

Friday Cinema

Enjoy a matinee with PG and PG-13 titles intended for adults. 2 p.m.

#### Parent and Child Sewing: Keepsake Pillow

Kids and parents will work together to use embroidery and other sewing techniques to make a throw pillow. Basic sewing machine experience recommended for the parent. For age 3-6 with caregiver. Sign up online or call 439-9314. 10 to 11:30

#### **Monday, April 25**

**Sensory Play** 

Explore and discover at activity stations dedicated to each of the five senses, and make a sensory bottle craft with the Capital District Child Care Council. Up to age 6 with a caregiver. 10 to 11 a.m.

#### **Super Smash Evening**

Join your friends for an evening of Super Smash Bros. Brawl on the WiiU. Snacks will be served. For grades 6-12. 7 to 8 p.m.

#### Tuesday, April 26

Baseball, Bunnies and **Beautiful Blooms** 

Drop in any time to

Make just one or do them all! For kids and families. 10:15 to 11:45 a.m.

#### Wednesday, **April 27**

All Lego Build

Bring your imagination and get building as we set out all of our Legos, from WeDo to Duplos and everything in between! For kids and families. 2 to 3:45

#### Thursday, April 28 Tai Chi for Health

Practice the ancient Chinese art that promotes health and wellness while focusing on new movements in the Tai Chi for Arthritis form. All ages and abilities welcome. 11:15 a.m.

#### 3Doodler Creations

Make something out of thin air by drawing in three dimensions with one of the library's 3Doodler pens. For grades 6-12. 2 to 3:30 p.m.

- Kristen Roberts



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# Dinner and a movie

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Join us for an afternoon with "Goldie, the Mighty Wurlitzer Pipe Organ" at Proctors on Tuesday, April 26, at noon. There is no cost for the program. Have an early lunch or bring a snack. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176 to make your reservation.

The Caregiver's Support Group of those caring for a loved one who has Alzheimer's or another dementia will be held on



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April 27, from 10:30 a.m. to noon. Call 439-4955, ext. 1176.

The Senior Legal Services program, funded by Albany County Department for Aging, is available to Albany County residents who are age 60 or older. Call 439-6765 to make an appointment.

Federal funding (HEAP) is available for income eligible people who need assistance with home heating costs. Outreach workers are available to assist with counseling on HEAP, as well as health insurance, housing

issues, food stamps, and health and income related programs. 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. 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 Food Pantry offers assistance to those in need and accepts donations of nonperishable food, as well as paper and household products.

— Wilma DeLucco

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#### Script Your Own Third Act: Aging As Potential

A Day Retreat, Saturday, May 7th, on Lake George, NY

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We will view aging from a fresh, positive perspective.

Led by two seasoned psychologists who are on the same journey, the day will provide information, activities, a time for reflection and discussion.

When: Saturday, May 7, 2016 (9:30am - 4:30pm)

Where: Lakeside in Bolton Landing, NY

Cost: \$75

- Men & Women (age 55 and counting) are welcome
- Lunch and snacks will be provided

For additional information and to register contact:

Natalie Nussbaum, Ph.D. 608-6544 nn12309@aol.com or

Judith Tate, Ph.D. 489-8719

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#### COMMUNITY

# **Delmar Duathlon Saturday**

Remember, there is same-day sign up for the popular Delmar Duathlon bike and road race this Saturday, April 24, at 8 a.m. at the Elm Avenue Town Park.

This is the fifth year of the Delmar Du, which is cosponsored by the Bethlehem Department of Parks and Recreation and the Bethlehem YMCA. It's a great event with two miles of running, five miles of biking, two more miles of running and a full day of fun. The price for individual competitors is \$55, and it's \$70 for a team entry, which is a new category in this year's race.

#### **Healthy Kids Day**

Summer is the time for kids to get up, get out and grow. But for some kids, exposure to activities that stimulate the body and mind ends with the school year. In fact, research shows that over the summer, kids are prone to gain weight and fall behind in studies.



On Saturday, April 30, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., the Bethlehem Y will celebrate Healthy Kids Day, the Y's national initiative to improve the health and well being of kids. It is one of the most popular annual events at the Y, a free day of educational opportunities and creative, challenging, fit family fun.

There will be bouncy houses, crafts and coloring, police cars, fire trucks and an ambulance to tour, as well as soccer, floor hockey and basketball games. Please bring the family to the Y's Healthy Kids Day. There will be lots of fun and games for the whole family to enjoy.

#### YMCA Boot Camp

Clap your hands and stomp your feet. Everybody get off your seat. It's time to work out.

The Bethlehem Y is starting up another round

of its very popular boot camp program this week. You can sign up now for the class, which will be on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 5:45 to 6:45 a.m. under the coaching of USA Boxing Professional Akeem Mouzon.

# With apologies to Dr. Seuss

Camels and buffalo and bears, oh wow. Giraffes and monkeys and zebras and how.

Those are just some things you will eye when you go to summer camp at the Bethlehem Y. Water slides, cruises, a trip to the lake—the kids at the Y say our camp is great.

Mini-golf, parks, a big mountain hike—at YMCA summer camp, there's so much to like.

A summer with fun, a summer with friends—at Y summer camp, the fun never ends.

So go tell your mom and say to your dad, you want the best camp around to be had.

If you want the best

summer with smiles every day, please sign up for camp at the YMCA.

The exotic animals at Adirondack Animal Land are just one of the many great field trip adventures planned for kids that attend summer camp at the Bethlehem YMCA this year. We are also going to Great Escape, Prospect Mountain, Water Slide World, High Adventure at Howe Caverns, a JP Morgan Cruise, Grafton Lake State Park and more.

The field trips—combined with our terrific camp staff and daily activities of fun, games, crafts, swimming, and play—make for the best summer camp around. It is also a great value and very accommodating for working parents.

Summer vacation from school will be starting before you know it, so either go online at cdymca.org or stop by the Bethlehem YMCA to sign your kids up for a great, fun summer.

— Mark Hansen

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# 'The Lady in the Van'

Join us Friday, April 22, at 2 p.m. for "The Lady in the Van." Maggie Smith stars in a role as far from her Downton Abbey Dowager as one can imagine. Bring a friend, and we will provide the popcorn.

# After hours pizza and game night

This program is for special needs kids and families. Games are a great way to practice social skills, as well as how to follow rules, be a gracious winner and loser, and be cooperative. They help develop critical thinking, memory, coordination, visual perception and word skills. Most importantly, they're fun. Join us on

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Friday, April 22, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

# After hours 80s party

Grab your jean jacket, and don't forget your scrunchies! It's time to go back to the decade filled with rad music, tubular movies and, of course, the hair. This event takes place Friday, April 22, from 8 to 10 p.m.

Have a great idea for the party? Party planners/event helpers are welcome, call 756-2053 or email us at info@rcscommunitylibrary. org.

— Carol Melewski

#### **BIRTHS**

#### Albany Medical Center

Crowley, Khaleesi Ann, daughter of Sarah and Robert Crowley, Latham, 8 lbs. 15 oz., Dec. 5, 2015

Sams, La'Rian Lamar, son of Alanda and La'Shaun Sams, Delmar, 6 lbs. 11 oz., Dec. 10, 2015

Rivera, Francisco, son of Angelina Kennedy and Francisco Rivera, Watervliet, 8 lbs. 7 oz., Dec. 16, 2015

Rawal, Gianna Saroj, daughter of Christina and Nishit Rawal, Delmar, 8 lbs. 6.8 oz., Dec. 16, 2015

Consolver, Grayson Finley, son of Patricia O'Leary, 7 lbs., Dec. 18, 2015

McDermott, Owen Finnbar and Hannah Fay, twins of Sarah and Kevin McDermott, Ravena, 6 lbs. 1 oz. and 7 lbs., Dec. 18, 2015

Begin, Avery John, daughter of Amanda and Joshua Begin, Selkirk, 6 lbs. 8 oz., Dec. 29, 2015



#### **Get in line**

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BAND PROFILE

PICK OF THE WEEK



#### **Pink Talking Fish**

If you are not in Albany this weekend for the MOVE Music Festival, our suggestion is to head up to the Putnam Den in Saratoga Springs for this fusion of Pink Floyd, Talking Heads and Phish this Friday

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One Red Martian

chooses this

weekend's MOUE

Fest to release

its album "Late."

Photo by Rob Jonas/

TheSpot518

One Red Martian is one of 100 reported bands due to perform in Albany this weekend — Get out there!

#### **By ROB JONAS**

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ALBANY - One Red Martian is emerging on the Albany music

The indie rock quartet is releasing its new album "Late" on its own record label, Just Pretend Records, and they're starting to play out after taking two years to record, including a performance at this weekend's MOVE Music Festival in Albany.

"Everything has been leading up to us putting out an album that we can then stand on as a solid foundation," said keyboardist/vocalist Dan DeKalb. "So ever since we moved here two years ago, we became obsessed with recording. We knew that whatever we were going to do next, we were going to record ourselves. So, there was a long period of trial and error and being really obsessed with engineering our own thing. We haven't been playing out much at all.

One Red Martian's members have known each other for far longer than two years. Brothers Jimi (lead guitar/vocals), Ben (bass) and Joseph Woodul (drums) grew up in Herkimer County and went to school with DeKalb, and they've been playing together since they were

"We all started listening to our parents' music, like a lot of classic rock – the Beatles, the Rolling Stones," said Jimi Woodul. "And then when we were teenagers, the pop punk-emo thing was happening, so we had that in our wheelhouse for a while."

> "When (Green Day's) 'American Idiot' came out ... like, I think it was mandatory, everyone had to listen to that album for a six-month period," added Ben Woodul.

The band played around the Utica/Herkimer area for a while before making a bold move to Dallas after high school, where they learned the difference between a small town music scene and a big city scene.

"Where we were from, we were kind of like a big fish in a small pond type of thing," said Jimi. "And then, when

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# Chaka Khan, Smokey Robinson to headline Saratoga Jazz Fest



#### SARATOGA SPRINGS —

International music icons Chaka Khan and Smokey Robinson are the main headliners for the 39th annual Freihofer's Saratoga Jazz Festival, taking place at the Saratoga Performing Arts Center on Saturday, June 25 and Sunday, June 26. Festival performances begin at noon on both

For more than four decades, Khan has inspired multiple generations of artists and audiences alike with a voice that enables her to sing in numerous music genres, including R&B, jazz, pop, rock, gospel, country, classical and dance. She has released 22 albums and racked up ten No. 1 Billboard magazine charted songs, eight RIAA certified gold singles and 11 RIAA certified gold and platinum albums. She is the recipient of numerous awards, including a BET Honors award, induction into both the Apollo Legends and Hollywood Halls of Fame, along with a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame.

The ten-time Grammy Award winner, best known for timeless hits including "I'm Every Woman"

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and "Ain't Nobody," will return to SPAC for the first time in 20 years to perform on June 25.

Since breaking out as a member of The Miracles in 1955, Robinson has worked in every aspect of the music business, from performer and songwriter, to producer and executive. He retired as a performer in 1972 to devote more time to his role as vice president of Motown Records, but came back to record several Top 10 hits,

"Crusin'," and "Just to See Her." Robinson, who has received a number of recognitions, including induction into both the Rock 'n Roll and Songwriters' halls of fame,

is also the recipient of the Grammy Living Legend

Award, the NARAS Lifetime

Achievement Award, Kennedy

including "Tears

of a Clown,"

Center Honors and National Medal of Arts award. He will close the festival on June 26.

Khan and Robinson will be joined by a host of other artists performing in the amphitheatre or on the gazebo stage, including the Joey Alexander Trio, Shemeika Copeland, the Chick Corea Trilogy and Lizz Wright. The full line up for both days is available

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# A drive to gain an impression

Art with ties to World War II and Beatlemania

#### **By ALLISON FRY**

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#### WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass. —

A haven for impressionist art, the Clark Institute of Art is just a short drive away for us Albany-dwellers, where the curatorial team is constantly expanding and adding to their collection one which began under the careful hands of Sterling and Francine Clark when they opened the museum in 1955.

There is no shortage of fascinating tales sprouting from the couple's past and their love of art. One of the largest pieces in their collection, "Nymphs and Satyr" by William-Adolphe Bouguerau, has quite the backstory, as it was acquired while the couple was living in France during the second World War. Deciding to put the painting on display in a public space and charge viewers to come see it, the couple then donated all of their earnings to the French Resistance in their own effort to end the war.

Also at the institute, you will find several paintings of horses, a favorite of Sterling's. His adoration for the equine caused him to enter a racehorse, named Never Say Die, in the Epsom Derby, a

famous race held in Surrey, England. Despite most not taking an American submission seriously, the entry caught the eye of an older woman from Liverpool, who then sold her jewelry and bet the profits on Never Say Die with the hopes of winning and opening a coffee shop. As fate would have it, Never Say Die ended up in first place, and being that she was the mother of Pete Best, original drummer of The Beatles, it was at that very coffee shop that the sensational group held their first performance.

Sterling and Francine have since passed, but their presence is still felt in the museum, which now encompasses the original building as well as a modern renovation that debuted in 2014. The sleek, new addition features floor to ceiling windows that look out onto a reflecting pool, and beyond that, an ascent of greenery. It's in the new wing that the rotating exhibitions are held; however, in the original building is where the magic continues to happen.

As you entire the original building, which also served as a home to Sterling and Francine when they first opened the institute, you are met with a large gallery including the works of Winslow Homer and George Innes, two of Sterling's favorite American landscape artists.

You are then given an array of options, as the building exists as a maze of galleries,

one engaging space leading you into the next. Among these galleries you will find some smaller rooms that challenge the viewer to focus on an individual piece of art or artist. In one, you will find a rare pastel by Degas, which has been specially maintained and showcased. Public relations manager Sally Morse-Majewski expressed her passion for this room, due to not only her love for pastels, but also their ability to display such a piece. "The room has limited light to showcase and preserve it, otherwise it would be in a drawer somewhere."

As you roam from gallery to gallery, you ultimately find your way to a large, sunlit, lavender room. This center gallery is home to several pieces from the institute's most famous collection. A perfect encapsulation for the works of Monet, as you wander around the open, airy space, you feel as though you might round a corner to see the actual tulip fields of Sassenheim, or that you might stumble upon the cliffs of Etretat.

From the largest Piero

If these walls could talk they would tell stories beyond that of the art that hangs upon them Submitted photo

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#### **Night: Yves Lambert Trio**

**VOORHEESVILLE** 

Old Songs welcomes the Yves Lambert Trio for a performance on Saturday, April 23 at 7:30 p.m.

Yves Lambert figures among the most influential players in the roots Québécois revival. He is known for his unique ability to translate anecdotal, poetic, or political texts into songs. His work as a songwriter and his capacity to create unique musical moods make him a key figure in folk music production. After founding and performing with La Bottine Souriant for 26 years, he went searching for new musical adventures.

Always on the lookout for innovative trends and attentive to the new guard of Québécois musicians, he ended up surrounding himself with young talent and created the Bébert Orchestra in 2004, and the Yves Lambert Trio in 2010. The trio showcases the unique connection between maturity and youth by creating a new world of poetry and celebration. Lambert's charisma and talent, coupled with Tommy Gauthier's and Olivier Rondeau's virtuosity and passion, the nuances of their arrangements, and their



distinct harmony, make this trio a one-of-a-kind musical experience.

Tickets are \$23 for adults and \$5 for children ages 12 and younger.

For more information or to reserve tickets, call (518) 765-2815. Tickets are also available for purchase online at https:// www.eventbrite.com/e/ yves-lambert-trio-tickets-19692254062?aff=oldsongs.

Old Songs is located at 37 South Main Street in Voorheesville.



**DELMAR** — Stretch your legs and get some fresh air at the Five Rivers Environmental Education Center on Thursday, April 21, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., for its free, family-friendly Outdoors after School program!

The theme of this week's workshop is "Become an Outdoor Explorer. What do you take with you when you go for a nature walk? What tools help us to be better outdoor explorers? After a brief meeting inside, you'll head outside to explore a bit. You'll also start a nature journal to take with you on your walks!

Make sure you dress for outdoor activities. The program is best suited for children in Kindergarten through fifth grade and their caregivers. Please note that the workshop may be cancelled due to inclement weather; please call the center to confirm.

Five Rivers' Outdoors after School program runs



weekly through Thursday, June 16. Come to as many sessions as you'd like, as the theme changes every week.

For more information about this and other upcoming events at the center, call 475-0291 or

visit www.dec.ny.gov/ education/1835.html.

Five Rivers Environmental Education Center is located at 56 Game Farm Road in Delmar.



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#### **INTERVIEW**

# WMHT-FM's Rob Brown

A playful look into our Classical Companion

#### By MICHAEL HALLISEY

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**TROY** — Do something long enough, and you become good at it.

For more than 40 years, Troy's WMHT-TV has supplied the Capital District with a steady broadcast of classical music. No. The programming does not consist of tired old recordings of Bach and Beethoven you could find on vinyl at your local library. Last week, for example, the station featured the recording of David Bowie narrating "Peter and the Wolf." The Beatles song catalog has been played on classic guitar. And, on many occasion, Star Wars fans can catch John Williams' score played on its radio waves. Those are just a few examples of how the Capital District's "Classical Companion" has maintained relevance to a contemporary crowd of music lovers.

As the radio station went through a recent fundraiser, we approached Rob Brown, WMHT's Radio Music Director, to ask him a few off-the-cuff questions.

It goes without question that musical tastes vary within a person; maybe winter doldrums bring out Brahms, where the whimsies of summer usher in show tunes from Gershwin. With such a vast catalogue at your disposal, what do you find yourself going to from time to time?

What a great question. We need to get you in to program the music. I find myself going back to a couple of pieces no matter what the season is-Mozart's "Requiem," Bach's cello suites, Beethoven's symphonies.

But then, I do tend to really like some of the more melody-centered stuff come spring — like Dvorak's "Serenade" or Holst's "St. Paul's Suite" — and the darker, more brooding renaissance/baroque sound in winter.

Albany Symphony Orchestra's music director David Alan Miller, who can often times be heard on the station, has received many accolades in his now 25 years in Albany. He travels the world. He's "Super Conductor" to the kids, locally. Nevertheless, who envies whom in this situation; Does the maestro envy you, or do you envy the maestro?

We envy him, absolutely. He is such an asset to this community. And the orchestra is such a treasure. Plus, he gets to stand up in front of that orchestra and coax all the power and beauty out of it. We crank up the speakers in the studio, but it's nowhere near the same thing.

Fans of any given genre of music can be very particular in categorizing artists. Adele is adult contemporary, Kanye is hip-hop and Bach is baroque. Say anything that may conflict with these fanatics, and you may find yourself in trouble. With that said, how many phone calls come in asking to identify the station as "Your **Baroque Music Station**"?

It does not sound as good as "Classical Companion," no. And we really don't play primarily baroque music. We have the all-Baroque Bach's Lunch weekdays from noon to one. But other than that, I'd say most of the music we play actually does come from the classical or

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#### **CLUBS**

#### 9 Maple Avenue

9 Maple Ave., Saratoga Springs. www.9mapleave.com

Fri: **Sketches of Influence** | 9 p.m. Sat: Nelson Esposito Quintana

#### Arthur's Market

35 N. Ferry St., Schenectady. 382-1938 Every Thur: Edith's Amazing Jam | 6 p.m. Fri: Mike Kailas & John Serrao

Sat: **Happenstance** | 7 p.m. Tue: **The Dynamic Duo** | 7 p.m.

1814 Western Ave., Albany. 608-6400 Fri: Al Santoro and Friends | 7 p.m.

#### Blue 82

80 N. Pearl St., Albany. 445-8082 Fri: **MOVE Music Festival** | 7 p.m. Sat: **MOVE Music Festival** | 7 p.m.

#### Castle Street Café

10 Castle St., Great Barrington, Mass. 413-528-5244

Fri: Gina Coleman and Misty Blue

Sat: Scott Sasanecki, Warren Byrd and George Kaye | 8 p.m.

#### Cafe NOLA

617 Union St., Schenectady, 357-8628 Fri: **Frank Jaklitsch** | 6:30 p.m. Sat: Alyssa Yeager | 6:30 p.m. Mon: North Meets South Local

Mash-Up | 6:30 p.m. | \$50 with special menu

#### Caffe Lena

47 Phila St., Saratoga Springs. 225-0882 Every Thur: **Open Mic** 7 p.m. Fri: Carlo Aonzo with Rene Izquierdo

Sat: Willy Porter & Carmen Nickerson

Sun: **Loudon Wainwright III** | 7 p.m.

#### Carney's Tavern

17 Main Street, Ballston Lake. 280-7959 Every Thur: **Matty Finn** | 6 p.m. Fri: **Steve Candlen** | 7:30 p.m. Sat: Dave Porter | 8 p.m.

# ARTS CALENDAR



The Theatre Institute at Sage presents its production of William Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" through April 24 at

#### **City Beer Hall**

42 Howard St., Albany. 449-2337 Fri: **MOVE Music Festival** | 8 p.m. Sat: MOVE Music Festival | 8 p.m.

**Club Helsinki** 

405 Columbia St., Hudson. 828-4800 or helsinkihudson.com

Fri: Rayland Baxter | 9 p.m. | \$15 Sun: Sean Rowe | 8 p.m. |

\$20 advance, \$25 at door

#### Emack & Bolio's

366 Delaware Ave. 512-5100 Fri: **Hoot Moon Owl** | 7 p.m. Sat: **Forever Young** 7 p.m. Every Tue: **Open Mic** | 7 p.m.

#### **Fuze Box**

the Schacht Fine Arts Center at Russell Sage College in Troy.

12 Central Ave., Albany. 703-8937 Fri: MOVE Music Festival | 7 n m Sat: MOVE Music Festival | 8 p.m.

#### Ginger Man 234 Western Ave., Albany. 427-5963

Fri: **Steve Gray** | 8 p.m.

#### Grappa '72

818 Central Ave., Albany. 482-7200 Wed & Thur: Hamilton Street Jazz **Company** | 6:30 p.m.

Fri: Jeanne O'Conner with Peg and

Bill Delaney 6:30 p.m.

#### The Hollow Bar + Kitchen 79 N. Pearl St., Albany. 426-8550

Fri: **MOVE Music Festival** | 7 p.m. Sat: **MOVE Music Festival** 5:30 p.m. Sun: MOVE Music Festival | 7 p.m.

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#### **Hudson River Music Hall** 10 Maple St., Hudson Falls. 832-3484

Wed: **Open Mic** | 7:30 p.m. | \$3

Sat: Paranoid Social Club, Let's Be Leonard, Frank Palangi 7:30 p.m. | \$15

#### **The Low Beat**

335 Central Ave., 432-6572 Wed: **Hamell on Trial** | 6 p.m. | \$10 Every Wed: **The Deadbeats** | 10 p.m.

Thur: Brian Jay, King Jules, **Devy Day** | 7:30 p.m. Fri: Free Air, Let Go Daylight, Purifier, Embrace the Curse, Green Room | 8 p.m. Sat: 2016 Albany Band Olympics

| 8 p.m. Sun: The Loom, Neighborhood of Make Believe | 7 p.m.

Mon: Throat Culture, New Gods, Scum Couch | 8 p.m.

#### **Madison Theater**

1036 Madison Ave., Albany. 438-2094 Sun: MOVE Music Festival (music video awards) 6 p.m.

#### McGeary's

4 Clinton Square, Albany. 463-1455 Wed: Best Damn Open Mic Ever with MotherJudge | 7:30 p.m. Sat: MOVE Music Festival | 5 p.m.

#### **Moon & River Café**

115 S. Ferry St., Schenectady. 377-5100 Thur: **Running the River** 7 p.m. Fri: **Ron Sorenson** | 7 p.m. Sat: Lisa Lambert 7 p.m. Every Sun: **Open Mic** | 7:30 p.m. Mon: Nancy's Hootenanny | 7 p.m. Tue: Dave Kitchen Jazz Trio | 7 p.m.

#### **Mouzon House**

1 York St., Saratoga Springs, 226-0014 Wed: Joe Gitto & Dan Wancyk 6:30 p.m. Thur: **Hot Club of Saratoga Trio** 

#### Oh Bar

304 Lark St., Albany. 463-9004 Thur: **Karaoke** | 10 p.m.

#### **One Caroline Street**

1 Caroline St., Saratoga Springs. 587-2026

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- 4. Explode
- 9. Love handles, essentially
- \_ moment" 14. Be bombastic
- 15. Garlicky mayonnaise
- 16. Device to thaw frozen goods 18. A fold or ridge
- 19. Accused's need 20. Dangerous fibrous minerals
- 22. Mythical beast 23. Grassland
- 24. "The Three Faces of
- 25. Baseball's Master Melvin
- the fields we go" 28. Like some cows
- 31. Not us
- 33. Simply
- 36. A new sibling my marriage
- 40. Through the postal service 41. Home, informally
- 44. Appearance
- 47. "Chicago" lyricist 50. Absorbed, as a cost
- \_\_\_\_-eyed 52. Consumes
- 55. Novice
- 57. Technologically advanced 60. As a whole
- 61. "Enigma Variations" composer 62. Magnetic mineral
- 65. Stinky
- 66. Arab leader
- 67. Nancy, in Nancy 68. Icelandic epic
- 69. Top competitors, often
- 70. African antelope

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#### DOWN

- 1. Atlantic catch
- 2. Discover
- 3. Tom Brady
- 4. An injury; informally
- 5. Bearish
- 6. Backstabber
- 7. Appropriate
- 8. Brusque
- 9. Unit of Middle East currency
- 10. Hang around
- 11. Bay
- 12. Not fair
- 15. "Tarzan" extra 17. Fix, in a way

- 21. It holds water 22. "i" lid 27. Casting need
- "Is that \_
- 30. Blue hue
- 32. Charades, essentially
- \_ we having fun yet?"
- 35. Fries, maybe
- 37. Amniotic 38. Church donation
- 39. One who is not strong
- 42. Rich waxy cheese
- 43. Golf ball support
- 44. Cleave
- 45. Dirty
- 46. Classified
- 48. Pickled
- 49. Errors
- 53. High points 54. "Naughty you!"
- 56. \_\_\_ grass 58. Maori war chant
- 59. "Don't give up!" 63. "Fancy that!"
- 64. Australian runner

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#### ARTS CALENDAR

Wed: The Masters of Nostalgia 8:30 p.m.

#### **Parish Public House**

388 Broadway, Albany. 365-0444 Fri: **MOVE Music Festival** | 6 p.m. Sat: **MOVE Music Festival** | 6 p.m.

#### Pauly's Hotel

337 Central Ave., Albany. paulyshotel.com Wed: **The Wheel** 9 p.m. Fri: **Down on The Corner** | 7 p.m. Sat: The Kindness, Factory Radio, Phil Firetrog Trio | 8 p.m. Mon: Blues Jam | 8 p.m. Tue: **Open Mic** | 7 p.m.

#### **Platinum Pub**

795 3rd Ave., Watervliet. 270-9907 Every Tue: Open Mic

#### Provence

Stuyvesant Plaza, 1475 Western Ave.,

Albany. 689-7777 Fri: George Kracket | 7 p.m. Sat: Misty Jazz Trio | 7 p.m.

**Prime at Saratoga National** 

458 Union Ave., Saratoga Springs. 583-4653

Sun: Joe Sorrentino Trio (**Jazz brunch**) | 10:30 a.m.

#### **Putnam Den**

63a Putnam St., Saratoga Springs. 584-8066

Wed: 420 Open Mic with HalfStep

Thur: Free Air, LovePort | 9:30 p.m. Fri: Pink Talking Fish, Aqueous

Sat: Mister F, Broccoli Samurai, The Jauntee | 9 p.m.

**Rustic Barn Pub** 

150 Speigletown Rd., Troy. 235-5858 Every Thur: **Open Mic** | 8 p.m. Fri: **River Junction** | 8 p.m. Sat: The Lustre Kings | 8 p.m.

#### Sake Japanese Steakhouse 611 Troy-Schenectady Rd., Latham.

785-7215

Sat: **The New Edge** | 7:30 p.m.

#### Speakeasy 518

42 Howard St., Albany. 449-2332 Wed: Shaun McCarthy | 8 p.m. Thur: Brian Patneaude and Mike Lawrence | 9 p.m.

Fri: Jeanine Ouderkirk Trio | 9 p.m. Sat: Phil Allen Trio | 9 p.m. Mon: **Joe Finn** 9 p.m. Tue: Jam Session | 8 p.m.

#### Stockade Inn

1 North Church St., Schenectady.

Thur: **Erin Harkes** | 7 p.m. Fri: Completely Different | 7 p.m. **Stout** 

904 Broadway, Albany. 427-8688 Fri: **MOVE Music Festival** | 6 p.m. Sat: MOVE Music Festival | 6 p.m.

#### **Tierra Coffee Roasters**

1038 Madison Ave., Albany. 621-7299 Fri: Paul Reepmeyer | 7 p.m.

#### **Twisted Vine**

384 Kenwood Ave., Delmar. 439-3241 Thur: Angela Ford and the Lost Keys | 7 p.m.

#### **Upstate Concert Hall**

1208 New York 146, Clifton Park. 371-0012 or upstateconcerthall.com Wed: **Keys N Krates** | 7 p.m. | \$28 Tue: **Basement** | 7 p.m. | \$20

#### The Van Dyck

237 Union St., Schenectady. 348-7999 Thur: Colleen Pratt and Friends

#### **Victory Sports Café**

10 Sheridan Ave., Albany. 463-9113 Fri: **MOVE Music Festival** | 6 p.m. Sat: MOVE Music Festival | 6 p.m.

#### **Waterworks Pub**

76 Central Ave., Albany. 465-9079

Thur: **DJ Shawn Gillie** | 11 p.m. Fri: **Karaoke** 10 p.m. Sat: **DJ David Barna** | 10 p.m. Mon: Karaoke | 10 p.m.

#### MUSIC

#### Lisa De La Salle

**Troy Chromatics Concerts presents** award-winning classical pianist. April 20, 7:30 p.m., Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, 30 Second St., Troy. Tickets: \$25 and \$35. Information: 273-0038 or troymusichall.org.

#### **Recycled Percussion**

World-renowned "junk rock" band. April 20, 7:30 p.m., Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Tickets: \$20-\$45. Information: 346-6204 or www.proctors.org.

#### A Concert to Benefit **Circles of Mercy**

Featuring Matt Maguire. April 21, 7 p.m., Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, 30 Second St., Troy. Tickets: \$25. Information: 273-0038, 462-0899 or troymusichall.org.

#### **Gospel Jubilee**

Lisa Page Brooks headlines the annual concert. April 22, 7 p.m., Proctors, 432

State St., Schenectady. Tickets: \$20. Information: 346-6204 or www.proctors.org.

#### **Cabin Fever concert series**

Dyer Switch headlines a night of bluegrass and folk music, with opening act Patrick Sharrow. April 22, 7 p.m., Franchere Center, Mabee Farm Historic Site, Route 5S, Rotterdam Junction. Tickets: \$5. Information: 887-5073 or www.schenectadyhistorical.org.

#### **Next Women of Country**

Jennifer Nettles headlines tour featuring Brandy Clark, Lindsay Ell and Tara Thompson. April 22, 8 p.m., Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$34.75-\$79.75. Information: palacealbany.com.

#### Winterpills

Indie chamber-pop band, with special quest Belle Skinner. April 22, 8 p.m., The Linda: WAMC's Performing Arts Studio, 339 Central Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$15. Information: 465-5233 or thelinda.org.

#### **John Mellencamp**

Roots rock singer-songwriter showcases his latest album, "Plain Spoken," along with his long list of hits. April 23, 7:30 p.m., Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$39.50-\$115.



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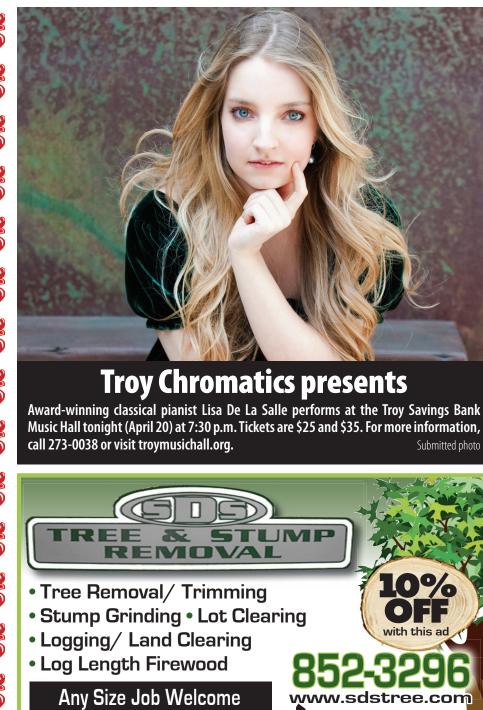
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#### ARTS CALENDAR

Information: palacealbany.com.

#### **Yves Lambert Trio**

Influential Quebecois roots musician. April 23, 7:30 p.m., Old Songs Community Arts Center, 37 South Main St., Voorheesville. Tickets: adults \$23, children 12 and under \$5. Information: 765-2815 or oldsongs.org.

#### **The Dueling Brothers**

Albany Pro Musica artistic director Jose Daniel and his brother, Marcos Daniel, vie for the title of "The King of Instruments," with help from APM's choir. April 24, 3 p.m., Troy Savings Bank Music Hall, 30 Second St., Troy. Tickets: \$35. Information: 273-0038 or troymusichall.org.

#### **Schenectady Symphony Orchestra**

Perdorming works by Jean Sibelius, Maurice Ravel and a concerto featuring soloist James Benoit. April 24, 3 p.m., Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Tickets: \$12-\$20. Information: 346-6204 or www.proctors.org.

#### Fidelis Care Organ **Concert Series**

Helen Maksymicz and Ben Reavis perform on "Goldie," the theater's famed Wurlitzer organ. April 26, noon, Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Free. Information: 346-6204 or www.proctors.org.

#### **WGNA Secret Star Acoustic Jam**

Four of today's country music superstars perform their hits acoustically, but they won't be revealed until they take the stage. April 27, 7 p.m., Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Tickets: \$19-\$34. Information: 346-6204 or

www.proctors.org

#### **Margaret Chalker**

Soprano performs Aaron Copland's "Twelve Poems of Emily Dickinson" and the premiere of a new composition by Albin Zak, with pianist Victoria von Arx. April 27, 7 p.m., University at Albany Performing Arts Center, 1400 Washington Ave., Albany. Tickets: general public \$8. students/seniors/UAlbany staff \$4. Information: 442-3997 or www.albany.edu/pac.

#### **Robin Trower**

British blues-rock guitar legend. April 27, 8 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Tickets: \$34.50-\$49.50. Information: 473-1845 or www.theegg.org.

#### Foreigner

Founder Mick Jones brings the latest incarnation of the classic rock group to town. April 28, 8 p.m., Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Tickets: \$20-\$200. Information: 346-6204 or www.proctors.org

#### **THEATRE**

#### Living on Love

Joe DiPietro's play about a demanding diva who hires a young man to write her autobiography after she discovers her husband is cheating on her with a female author he hired to write his autobiography. Presented by Curtain Call Theatre, 210 Old Loudon Road, Latham, through April 30. 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.

#### Calendar Girls

Comedy about a group of women who

create a calendar that attracts a lot of attention for its content. Presented by Home Made Theater, Spa Little Theater, Saratoga Spa State Park, Saratoga Springs, through May 1. Shows: Fridays and Saturdays 8 p.m., Sundays 2 p.m. Tickets: \$24 and \$27. Information: 587-4427 or

www.homemadetheater.org.

#### Romeo and Juliet

Shakespeare's classic tragedy about two star-crossed lovers. Presented by The Theatre Institute at Sage, Schacht Fine Arts Center Theater, Russell Sage College, Troy, through April 24. Information: 244-2248.

#### The Shape of Things

A staged reading of Neil Labute's play. Presented by Theater Voices, Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Ave., Albany. Shows: 8 p.m. April 22, 3 and 8 p.m. April 23, 3 p.m. April 24. Free. Information: www.theatervoices.org.

#### COMEDY

#### MopCo

Presenting "Real Life: The Improv," where celebrities are interviewed about their lives, and improvisors react to their stories in spontaneous and unpredictable ways. Fridays through April 29, 8 p.m., Proctors Underground, 432 State St., Schenectady. Tickets: adults \$14, children and seniors \$6. Information: 346-6204 or www.proctors.org.

#### The Funny Bone

James Johann headlines, April 21-24. Shows: 7:30 p.m. Thursday and Friday, 7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, with 10 p.m. shows Friday and Saturday. Crossgates Mall, Western Avenue, Guilderland. Information: 313-7484 or

Albany.funnybone.com.

#### The Comedy Works — Albany

Kelly MacFarland headlines, April 22 and 23, 7:30 and 9:30 p.m. 500 Northern Blvd., Albany. Tickets and information: 512-4075 or thecomedyworks.com.

#### The Comedy Works — Saratoga

Joe Bronzi headlines, April 21-23. Shows: 7:30 p.m. Thursday through Saturday, 9:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. 388 Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information: 275-6897 or thecomedyworks.com.

#### **Pretty Much** the Best Comedy Show

Chris Lamberth headlines, with featured performer Rae Sanni. April 23, 8 p.m., Proctors, 432 State St., Schenectady. Tickets: \$20. Information: 346-6204 or www.proctors.org.

#### **Colin Mochrie and Brad Sherwood: Two Man Group**

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#### **Corey Holcomb and Friends**

Also featuring Chico Beans from "Wild n Out," Rob Stapleton from the New York Kings of Comedy, Jimmy Martinez and Aia Bennett, April 30, 8 p.m., Trov Savings Bank Music Hall, 30 Second St., Troy. Tickets: \$20-\$50. Information: 273-0038 or troymusichall.org.

#### **Amy Schumer**

One of the most popular female

comedians today. May 5, 8 p.m., Times Union Center, 51 South Pearl St., Albany. Tickets: \$39-\$125. Information: timesunioncenter-albany.com.

#### DANCE

#### **Single Squares of Albany**

Modern western square dancing with caller Cliff Brodeur and cuer Maureen Wall. April 20, 7:30 p.m., Colonie Elks Club, Watervliet-Shaker Road, Latham. Tickets: \$7. Information: 674-2076.

#### **Albany DanceSport Club**

Monthly ballroom dance, featuring a 45-minute group dance lesson and a mid-event showcase featuring Albany DanceSport Club members Everett Coons, Barbara Robinson, Liz Paone and Joy Leslie. April 24, 6:15 p.m., Danceland, 638 Columbia St. Ext., Latham. Admission: adults \$10, students \$5. Information: 423-6039.

#### **Ellen Sinopoli Dance Company**

Albany-based modern dance troupe performs as part of the "Dance New York" series. April 29, 8 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Tickets: \$25. Information: 473-1845 or www.theegg.org.

#### **FAMILY/YOUTH**

#### Art for All

A family program presented by the Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave., on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. April's program: landscape collage. Information: www. albanyinstitute.org.

#### The Very Hungry Caterpillar and Other Eric Carle Favorites Mermaid Theatre of Nova Scotia com-

bined puppetry, black light, original music and storytelling to bring three Carle classics to the stage. April 24, 1 and 3 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Tickets: \$18. Information: 473-1845 or www.theegg.org.

#### Catskill Puppets — The Lion's Whiskers

Musical adaptation of a traditional Ethiopian folktale kicks off the "April Vacation Daze" series. April 25, 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$15. Information: 438-5503 or www.steamer10theatre.org.

#### Pine Bush Explorers: **Hunger Kill Barrens**

A 1-mile hike for children in the Albany Pine Bush preserve. April 25, 1 p.m., Trailhead No. 10. Call the Albany Pine Bush Discovery Center at 456-0655 for more information and directions to the

#### **Silly Billy Magic**

Zany acts of magic, part of the "April Vacation Daze" series. April 26, 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$15. Information: 438-5503 or www.steamer10theatre.org.

#### **Climbing Your Family Tree**

Jumpstart your young genealogists with this workshop, where they will learn the basics of exploring and preserving their family history. April 26, 10 a.m., Schenectady County Historical Society, 32 Washington Ave., Schenectady. The cost is \$7 per student. Information: Michael Maloney, 374-0263, ext. 3 or email librarian@ schenectadyhistorical.org.

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#### **ARTS CALENDAR**

#### Pine Bush Explorers: Kings Highway Barrens

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#### **Bert the Nerd**

Juggler extraordinaire performs as part of the "April Vacation Daze" series. April 27, 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$15. Information: 438-5503 or www.steamer10theatre.org.

#### Pine Bush Explorers: Karner Barrens East, Yellow Trail

A 2.6-mile hike for children in the Albany Pine Bush preserve. April 27, 1 p.m., Albany Pine Bush Discovery Center, 195 New Karner Road, Colonie. Information: 456-0655.

#### **Curator for a Day**

Children will learn what museum curators do. April 28, 10 a.m., Mabee Farm Historic Site, Route 55, Rotterdam Junction. The cost is \$8 per student. Information: Jenna Peterson, 887-5073 or email educator@ schenectadyhistorical.org.

#### **Steve Charney and Harry**

Ventriloquist performs as part of the "April Vacation Daze" series. April 28, 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$15. Information: 438-5503 or www.steamer10theatre.org.

#### Pine Bush Explorers: DiCaprio Park

A 2-mile hike for children in the Albany

Pine Bush preserve. April 28, 10 a.m., Trailhead No. 11. Call the Albany Pine Bush Discovery Center at 456-0655 for more information and directions to the trailhead.

#### Day on the Farm

Children will experience what life was like on a farm in the 1800s. April 29, 10 a.m., Mabee Farm Historic Site, Route 55, Rotterdam Junction. The cost is \$8 per student. Information: Jenna Peterson, 887–5073 or email educator@schenectadyhistorical.org.

#### **Carnival Del Mundo**

Dan Butterworth Marionettes performs as part of the "April Vacation Daze" series. April 29, 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., Steamer No. 10 Theatre, 500 Western Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$15. Information: 438-5503 or www.steamer10theatre.org.

#### Pine Bush Explorers: Blueberry Hill West

A 1.4-mile hike for children in the Albany Pine Bush preserve. April 29, 10 a.m., Trailhead No. 5. Call the Albany Pine Bush Discovery Center at 456-0655 for more information and directions to the trailhead.

#### Sesame Street Live: 'Let's Dance'

Live, interactive show featuring many of your child's favorite characters. April 29 through May 1, Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$21-\$63. Information: palacealbany.com.

#### Pine Bush Explorers: Great Dune

A 2-mile hike for children in the Albany Pine Bush preserve. April 30, 10 a.m., Trailhead No. 8. Call the Albany Pine Bush Discovery Center at 456-0655 for more information and directions to the trailband

#### **FILM**

#### Food for Thought — Paper Tigers

A screening of a documentary detailing the lives of selected students at Lincoln High School in Washington, an alternative school that specializes in educating traumatized youth. April 21, 7 p.m., The Linda: WAMC's Performing Arts Studio, 339 Central Ave., Albany. Tickets: \$8. Information: 465-5233 or thelinda.org.

#### Talking Heads — Stop Making Sense

Concert film featuring the legendary new wave band at the height of its 1980s popularity. April 25, 7 p.m., Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave., Albany. Tickets: adults \$5, children \$3. Information: palacealbany.com.

#### **Minions**

Animated film about little, yellow creatures who live to serve their masters. Part of the Kinderhook Bank Movie Series' Family Fun Day. April 27, 3 p.m., Palace Theatre, 19 Clinton Ave., Albany. Tickets: adults \$5, children \$3. Information: palacealbany.com.

#### **LITERARY**

#### Ari Berman

Senior writer for "The Nation" will address the Voting Rights Act, recent Supreme Court decisions and their impact on the 2016 elections. April 20,

7 p.m., Saint Joseph Hall Auditorium, The College of Saint Rose, 985 Madison Ave., Albany. Free. Information: 458-5326 or email ledforda@strose.edu.

#### **Third Thursday Poetry Night**

Poet Tina Barry will read from her work. April 21, 7:30 p.m., Social Justice Center, 33 Central Ave., Albany. An open mic follows the reading. Suggested donation: \$3. Information: Dan Wilcox, 482-0262 or dwlcx@earthlink.net.

#### Laura van den Berg

Author of two short story collections will read from her debut novel, "Find Me," April 21, 8 p.m., Huxley Theatre, New York State Museum, Cultural Education Center, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Free. Information: 442-5620 or www.albany.edu/writers-inst.

#### Nancy Castaldo and Anita Sanchez

Two area authors sign copies of their new books. April 23, 1 p.m., Open Door Bookstore & Gift Gallery, 128 Jay St., Schenectady. Information: 346-2719.

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Lincoln on the Civil War: Selected Speeches

Author Giacomo Calabria leads a reading and discussion of President Abraham Lincoln's speeches spanning his political career. Thursdays through April 21, 6 to 8 p.m., Huxley Theater, New York State Museum, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Free. Information: 474-0575 or email Nicole.lafountain@nysed.gov.

#### Gender at Play in 'The Political Gymnasium'

Andrea Foroughi, director of the Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies program at Union College, discusses how 19th century political cartoons depicted women as they battled for their rights. April 23, 2 p.m., Schenectady County Historical Society, 32 Washington Ave., Schenectady. Admission: \$5; historical society members free. Information: 374-0263 or email librarian@schenectadyhistorical.org.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

#### Hudson Valley Community College Guitar Festival

Featuring hands-on workshops with area guitarists, performances by GX3 and KoriSoron, a blues jam with Super 400 and an open mic hosted by Caroline MotherJudge. April 22 and 23, 10 a.m., Bulmer Telecommunications Center, HVCC campus, Route 4, Troy. Tickets:

\$20, good for both days. Information: 629-8071 or www.hycc.edu/culture/events.

#### **Curvention 2016**

A combination of fashion, music, poetry and empowerment. April 23, 7 p.m., The Egg, Empire State Plaza, Albany. Tickets: \$35. Information: 473-1845 or www.theegg.org.

#### Empire State Lyme Disease Association

Holding an open forum support group meeting April 27, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Bethlehem Public Library, 451 Delaware Ave., Bethlehem.

#### **EXHIBITS**

#### **Albany Center Gallery**

"High School Regional Juried Art Exhibition," featuring more than 100 students from 20 high schools from across the Capital District, through April 23. 39 Columbia St., Albany. Information: www.albany.centergallery.org.

#### Albany Heritage Area Visitors Center

"Nature at Your Doorstop," a photo exhibit featuring many of the natural wonders of the Capital District, through April 30. 25 Quackenbush square, Albany. Information: 434-0405.

#### Albany Institute of History and Art

"The Capital Region in 50 Objects," through April 2016; "Masterworks: 225 Years of Collecting," through Sept. 4; plus "A Gather of Glass: Selections from the Museum's Collection," "Ancient Egypt" and more. 125 Washington Ave., Albany. Information: 463-4478 or www.albanyinstitute.org.

#### Arts Center of the Capital Region

"Every Which Way," featuring works by Abraham Ferraro, through April 24; "Hudson Valley Seed Packs: The Art of the Heirloom," through April 24; "Human Trafficking in our Neighborhoods: A Community Responds," featuring works by Joanne Van Genderen, through April 24. 265 River St., Troy. Information: 273-0552 or artscenteronline.org.

#### The Laffer Gallery

"Two Winters," featuring works by Harry Orlyk, through May 29. 96 Broad St., Schuylerville. Information: www.thelaffergallery.com.

#### miSci

"Earth Exposed: Discover Our Planet's Hidden Secrets." Nott Terrace Heights, Schenectady. Info: 382-7890 or www.miSci.org.

#### **National Museum of Dance**

"The Dancing Athlete," an exhibit that explores the connection between dance and sports, opens April 23; plus "A Tribute to Dancers in Film," "Making Art Dance" and "2015 Hall of Fame Inductees Mark Morris and Rudolf Nureyev." 99 South Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information: 584-2225 or www.dancemuseum.org.

#### **New York State Museum**

"REPRESENT: Contemporary Native American Art," through July 3; "Imaging the American West: Selections from the Metropolitan Museum of Art," through July 17; "St. Paul's Chapel: A Place of Refuge," through Aug. 21. Empire State Plaza, 222 Madison Ave., Albany. Information: 474-5877 or www.nysm.nysed.gov.

#### **Nisk-Art Gallery**

"Spotlight on STEAM: Exploring Science, Technology, Engineering and Math through Art," through May 6. Niskayuna High School, Balltown Road, Niskayuna.

#### Saratoga Arts

"Showcasing Saratoga Arts'Teaching Artists," featuring works by 23 faculty members, through April 30, 320 Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information: www.saratoga-arts.org.

#### Saratoga Clay Arts Center

"Clay to Bronze," featuring works by Ed Smith. April 23 through June 5. 167 Hayes Road, Schuylerville. Information: saratogaclayarts.org.

#### **Sorelle Gallery**

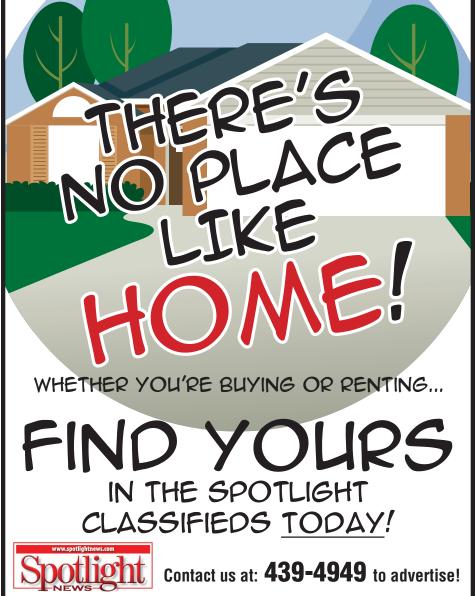
"Contrast," featuring works by Lori Eubanks and the late Kathi Blinn, through May 6, Stuyvesant Plaza, 1475 Western Ave., Albany. Information: 482-2000 or www.sorellegallery.com.

#### Tang Teaching Museum

"Alma Thomas," a collection of artwork spanning her career, through June 5; "Borrowed Light: Selections from the Jack Shear Gift," through Aug. 14; "Elevator Music 30: Critter & Guitari," where visitors are invited to play unique musical instruments designed by Critter and Guitari in the museum's elevator, through June 5; and "Liz Collins — Energy Field," through May 31. Skidmore College, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs. Information: tang.skidmore.edu.

#### Union College

"Slippery Slope by Georgie Friedman," Peter Irving Wold Center, College Atrium, second floor, through Nov. 30. Information: 388-6318 or www.union. edu/gallery.





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#### CULINARY ARTS

# Food & Vino

#### By ANN LINDA CIOTOLI

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ere are a couple spring recipes that I thought everyone might enjoy. I thought I would give everyone a recipe for an appetizer, and one for a dessert. The following serves six to eight people.

#### Spring Pea Crostini

#### Ingredients

10 oz. package of frozen peas 1/3 cup extra virgin olive oil

1 garlic clove ( if you are not a fan of garlic in your recipe, you can rub a piece of garlic on each slice of the bread once it's toasted)

1/2 cup grated parmesan cheese

1 tsp. kosher or sea salt

1/4 tsp. fresh ground black pepper a squeeze of fresh lemon (optional)

#### **Preparation**

Pulse peas, garlic, Parmesan, salt, and pepper in a food processor, or mash if you like it chunky. Slowly add olive oil until well combined. Season with additional salt and pepper, if needed. Transfer to a bowl.

Preheat oven to 400° for the crostini. Brush slices of bread on both sides with olive oil. Place on a cookie sheet, and toast both sides until golden brown.

Place bread on a clean surface, let cool, and top with 1-2 Tbs. with spring pea mixture and serve.

#### Limoncello Mousse

#### **Ingredients**

2 oz. limoncello liquor

1/3 cup sugar

1/3 cup water

8 oz. white chocolate

2 Tbs. unsalted butter

1 cup mascarpone cheese

6 egg yolks

zest of 1 lemon

1 cup whipped cream (homemade)

#### **Preparation**

Add water and sugar to a pan and boil for three minutes.

Beat egg yolks in a large bowl until they are well combined and lighten in color. Slowly add sugar and water mixture, and beat one minute until smooth. Melt white chocolate and butter until smooth (double boiler). Cool chocolate mixture



slightly, and add to egg mixture. Add 2 oz. of limoncello, stir until well mixed. Fold mascarpone into chocolate mixture.

When making whipped cream, (Beat until fluffy and forms stiff peaks) Fold whipped cream, and lemon zest into chocolate, mascarpone mixture until well blended. Pour into glasses of your choice, and refrigerate overnight.

Garnish with candied lemon, or lemon slices...or garnish with fresh berries.

# Limoncello White Wine Spritzer

#### **Ingredients**

Limoncello, chilled
Dry white wine, chilled (Yellow Tail
Sauvignon Blanc)

Seltzer

#### **Preparation**

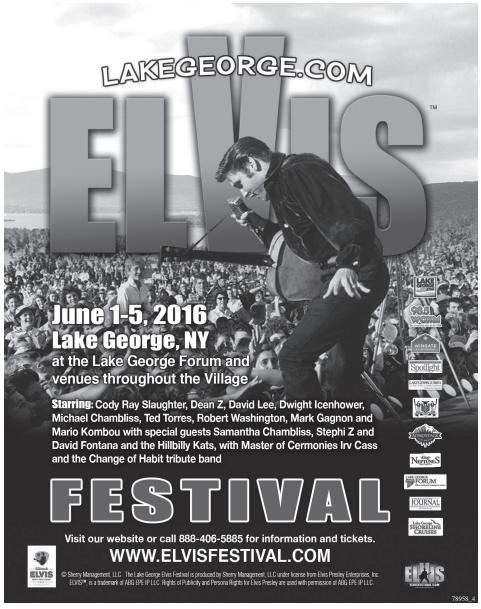
Fill glasses with ice, and halfway with wine. Pour a few splashes with limoncello, and top with seltzer. Garnish with a slice of lemon.

#### **Pairings**

Yellow Tail Sauvignon Blanc - New South Wales, Australia - Pale straw yellow in color with vibrant citrus, and green apple flavors. This wine has a crisp finish.

This wine can be used in the Limoncello Spritzer, and can be served alone with the Spring Pea Crostini.

Ann Linda Ciotoli owns a catering business called Good Enough to Eat. She is also a frequent contributor to TheSpot518 where she is one of our culinary arts columnists. For information, e-mail sodeliciousalc@yahoo.com





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**Scott Bradlee** 

#### LIVE MUSIC

# Something old, something new

Scott Bradlee's Postmodern Jukebox coming in September

**ALBANY** — Created by Scott Bradlee, the rotating collective of Postmodern Jukebox has spent the past few years amassing more than 450 million YouTube views and 1.9 million subscribers, performed on "Good Morning America," topped iTunes and Billboard Submitted photo charts and played hundreds of

shows to packed-house crowds around the world.

Postmodern Jukebox is to perform at the Albany Palace Theatre on Friday, Sept. 30 at 8 p.m.. Tickets go on sale this Friday.

Postmodern Jukebox takes current Top 40 hits and reimagines each song to fit a sounds from older generations. For example, Bradlee and Postmodern Jukebox turned Miley Cyrus'"We Can't Stop" into a doo-wop ditty that's garnered over 15.4 million

views.

Last year, it envisioned Radiohead's alt-rock hit "Creep" as a torch-like ballad that's racked up over 16.9 million views and was named one of the "9 Best Viral Cover Videos of 2015" by People magazine.

Bradlee, the mastermind behind the group, has turned Postmodern Jukebox into a juggernaut by building an incredible grassroots movement around the act. He continues to pick the songs, create the arrangements and shows, and

puts together the performers which includes some notable names alongside phenomenal "undiscovered" talent.

Tickets go on sale Friday, April 22 at 10 a.m. at the Palace Theatre Box Office (located at 19 Clinton Ave. Tickets are also available for purchase via Ticketmaster Charge-by-Phone at 800-745-3000 or online at ticketmaster.com. For more information visit palacealbany. com or call 518-465-4663.

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#### HEALTH & FITNESS

# Muscle cramps demystified

#### By DR. KARYN DORNEMANN

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muscle cramp can bring a jogger to his knees or elicit the fear of drowning in a swimmer; however, athletes are not the only individuals to experience a muscle cramp or spasm.

According to one estimate, approximately 95 percent of people will at some time in life experience the sudden, sharp pain associated with a muscle cramp.

A muscle spasm is an involuntary contraction of a muscle, part of a muscle or several muscles that usually act together. If the spasm is forceful and sustained, it becomes a cramp. Most people describe a muscle cramp as a feeling of tightness in the muscle; it's not unusual to feel a lump of hard muscle tissue underneath the skin in the vicinity of the cramp. During a spasm or cramp, it may be painful, or even difficult, to use the affected muscle or muscle group.

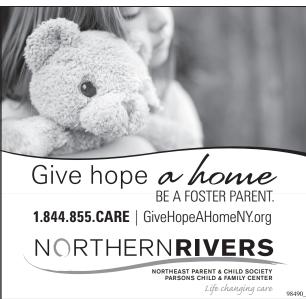
Cramps and spasms can affect any muscle, even those affiliated with the body's various organs; however, they are most common in the calves, hamstrings and quadriceps. Cramps in the feet, hands, arms, and lower back occur frequently, as well.

#### **Many possible causes**

Common as they are and painful as they can be, a shroud of mystery surrounds the cause of muscle spasms and cramps. Some researchers believe that inadequate stretching and muscle fatigue lead to cramps. According to the University of Michigan, other possible factors include a low level of fitness, overexertion (especially in intense heat), stress and depletion of electrolytes through excess sweating or dehydration. Certain diuretic medications can also cause cramping due to a loss of sodium, potassium and magnesium.

#### **Treatment of muscle spasms**

Typically, muscle cramps require no treatment other





than patience and stretching; medicines are not generally needed to treat an ordinary muscle cramp. Gentle and gradual stretching, along with massage, may ease the pain and hasten recovery.

When a muscle spasm or cramp is the result of an injury, applying ice packs for the first two to three days may help alleviate the pain. Spasms that last a long time may be treated with moist heat for 20 minutes several times a day.

If you tend to get muscle cramps during exercise, make sure you drink enough fluids, and after your workout, consider a warm Epsom salt bath followed by stretching of the affected muscles. Generally speaking, water is sufficient for rehydration; however, some may find coconut water or juice beneficial as a means to restore their body's electrolyte balance.

If your muscle cramps are associated with a specific medical condition, keep in mind that you need to address the underlying health problem for the cramps to subside.

#### **Tips for prevention**

As with any health condition, it is always best to prevent muscle cramps or spasms—especially if you tend to develop them. Consider altering your diet and lifestyle by incorporating the following suggestions:

Take steps to improve your diet. Eliminate sugar and caffeine from the diet, and increase consumption of fiber

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#### We're not pretending

you really get out there in the world, we saw a lot of really good bands."

"There were specific bands that we ran into that were our age essentially, but much tighter than we were," said Joseph Woodul. "And that really lit a fire under our ass in certain ways in terms of curbing our progressive (rock) interests and becoming more pop oriented again."

One Red Martian recorded and released an album while they were in Dallas, but things began to fall apart for them around 2012.

There were things that had happened that made the band kind of reassess the importance of what we were doing," said DeKalb. "We were kind of in a crisis for a while, for personal reasons."

"Dallas was a great learning experience, but I think in a lot of ways, it wasn't nurturing of what we were trying to do," said Ben. "There is a music scene in Dallas, but it's much more on the metal side. And everything was so spread out. It was almost too big. It's hard to get that sense of community going, too, where in Albany it might be a smaller scene, but you end up running into the same people and you get to know who that scene is actually made up of."

Eventually, the band moved back north to Albany, where they began writing and recording "Late." Rather than pay someone else to engineer the album, they decided to record it themselves. At first, they attempted to track each part individually, but they soon realized that they needed to play as four people in one room.

"We listened back to some of our older recordings that ... something about them we really liked," said Ben. "Ultimately, what we liked about them was they had a certain je ne sais quoi from being live that we just weren't getting (from tracking individually)."

Jimi Woodul wrote the lyrics for all but two of the 12 songs on "Late." As the band's primary songwriter, he said



he wanted to make certain the lyrics could stand on their own. One Red Martian "I've always been really obsessed

with the lyrics of things," said Jimi. "If the song can be great with just one instrument and someone singing over it, then that's what I consider to be classic songwriting. If it doesn't have great lyrics, I won't follow through."

Once the lyrics were complete, Jimi brought the songs to the band with some general ideas of what the melody and the chords should be, and together they created a sonic landscape that ranges from quiet introspection to vibrant pop.

While they were recording, One Red Martian holed itself up in the studio. The band members supported themselves by taking day jobs, but they didn't start playing out until "Late" was complete. Their first gig in the Albany area came in February when they opened for the Chronicles at the Madison Theater. A hometown show in Utica and a March showcase at McGeary's followed.

"It feels really, really good to be playing in front of people again because ... we've been kind of in a cave for the last two years with this stuff and working really hard to make that moment special when people see it especially people that are still connected with us from way earlier on," said DeKalb.

One Red Martian's next show is an hour-long set Friday at the Fuze Box, 12 Central Ave., as part of the MOVE Music Festival.

"We're excited as people can be about playing the MOVE Music Festival. We're just ready to play," said

After that, the band members said they plan on getting their songs to radio stations, making music videos and playing as often as they can.

"We're trying to get momentum going, and we're trying to figure out ways that we can keep content coming, whether it's new recordings or it's new music videos," said Ben. "If you're interested in tuning in, there's going to be something new coming your way to check out.'

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Flakjacket, 8 p.m.

Dead Stars, 9 p.m.

Furies, 10 p.m.

Macero, 11 p.m.

Chaser Eight, midnight

#### April 23

Uslights, 6 p.m. Gordon St., 7 p.m. Humble Braggers, 8 p.m.

Restless Streets, 9 p.m.

Silverbird, 10 p.m. Rechorduroys, 11 p.m.

Trapped in Static, midnight

#### **Blue 82**

#### April 22

Another Michael, 7 p.m. Vada March, 8 p.m. Ryan Leddick, 9 p.m. Benjamin John, 10 p.m.

#### April 23

Belle-Skinner, 7 p.m. Ryan Lovelock, 8 p.m. Siobahn, 9 p.m. Kyle Albano, 10 p.m.

#### **Graney's Stout**

#### **April 23**

Tent stage
The Racer, 6 p.m.

Food Will Win the War, 7 p.m.

Black Mountain Symphony, 8 p.m.

The Flux Machine, 9 p.m.

The Late Shift, 10 p.m.

Jane Lee Hooker, 11 p.m.

Eastbound Jesus, midnight

Bar stage

Builder of the House, 6 p.m.

Basic Cable Preachers, 7 p.m.

Vera Bloom, 8 p.m.

Fort Rooster, 9 p.m.

Good Fiction, 10 p.m.

The Boobies, 11 p.m.

Hard Soul, midnight

#### **Parish Public House**

#### **April 22**

Nobody for President, 6 p.m.

Tambourelli & Her Super Trips, 7 p.m.

Revibe, 8 p.m.

The Falling Birds, 9 p.m.

Space Carnival, 10 p.m.

The Big Takeover, 11 p.m.

Roots of Creation, midnight

#### April 23

Echo Bloom, 6 p.m.

The Glazzies, 7 p.m.

Jae, 8 p.m.

Sly Fox and the Hustlers, 9 p.m.

The Walking Tree, 10 p.m.

Treehouse! 11 p.m.

Giant Panda Guerilla Dub Squad, midnight

#### McGeary's

#### April 23

Tommy, Tommy, Tommy, 5 p.m. Blue Streak Blvd., 6 p.m. Wyland, 7 p.m.

North & South Dakotas, 8 p.m.

Barroom Philosophers, 9 p.m.

Super 400, 10 p.m.

#### The Hollow Bar + Kitchen

#### **April 22**

New Madrid, 7 p.m.

Arkells, 8:30 p.m.

The Shelters, 10 p.m.

The Wild Feathers, 11:30 p.m.

#### April 23

School of Rock House Band, 5:30 p.m.

Mayve, 7 p.m.

Hoonch, 8 p.m. The Parlor, 9 p.m.

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Titanics, 10 p.m. New Beat Fund, 11 p.m.

Skaters, midnight

DJ Kulture, 1 a.m.

#### April 24

Let's Be Leonard, 7 p.m.

Sirsy, 8 p.m.

MIRK, 9 p.m.

#### Fuze Box

#### April 22

Girl Blue, 7 p.m.

Civic Savages, 8 p.m.

One Red Martian, 9 p.m.

Rescott Renegades, 10 p.m.

Nine Votes Short, 11 p.m.

Shift the Paradigm, midnight

New Red Scare, 1 a.m.

DJ Ryuin, 2 a.m.

#### April 23

Sheen, 8 p.m.

Band of Ghosts, 9 p.m.

Ampevene, 10 p.m.

Turbo Goth, 11 p.m.

Lord Electro, midnight

DJ Scooter, 1 a.m.

DJ Wolverine, 2 a.m.

#### DJ Wolverine, 2 City Beer Hall

#### April 22

#### April 22 Danielle and Jennifer, 8 p.m.

What is Broken, 9 p.m.

The Wonderbeards, 10 p.m.

Carl Daniels, 11 p.m.

#### April 23

Jason Irwin, 8 p.m.

Last Daze, 9 p.m.

The Ricecookers, 10 p.m.

Matt Butler, 11 p.m.

Seth Adam, midnight

#### **Panel discussions**

#### Getting Booked and Staying on the Grid — April 23, 2:30 p.m.,

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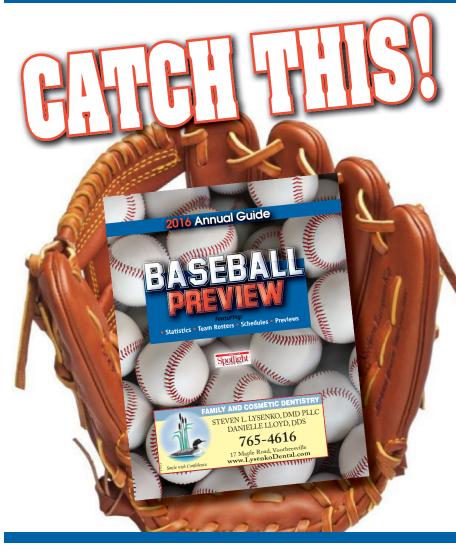
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#### PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED

# 'Plain Spoken' Tour headed to Albany

John Mellencamp to perform at Palace Saturday night

ALBANY — The Palace Theatre will present John Mellencamp with his 2016 Plain Spoken Tour with special guest Carlene Carter on Saturday, April 23, at 7:30 p.m.

Mellencamp will perform songs from last year's highly praised "Plain Spoken," his 22nd full-length studio album, along with selections from his catalog of fan favorites. Carter, daughter of June Carter Cash, will open the concert.

During Mellencamp's 40 year career in music, he has transitioned from pop star to one of the most highly regarded songwriters of a generation. "The Voice of the Heartland" continues to evolve artistically with "Plain Spoken," the artist's first new music since his 2010 criticallyacclaimed album "No Better Than This." Praised as "stark, soul-baring (Billboard)" and drawing comparison to Bob Dylan's Grammy-winning album 'Blood on the Tracks,'Plain Spoken draws on timely themes including political and social injustice, further cementing Mellencamp's status as "arguably the most important

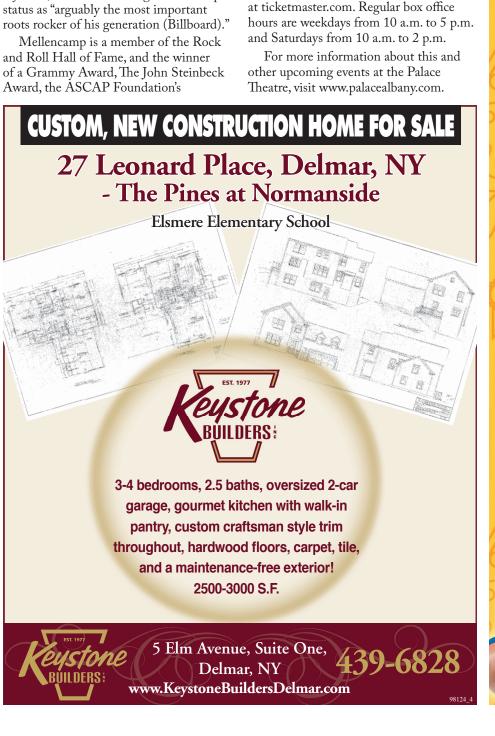
Mellencamp is a member of the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, and the winner of a Grammy Award, The John Steinbeck Award, the ASCAP Foundation's

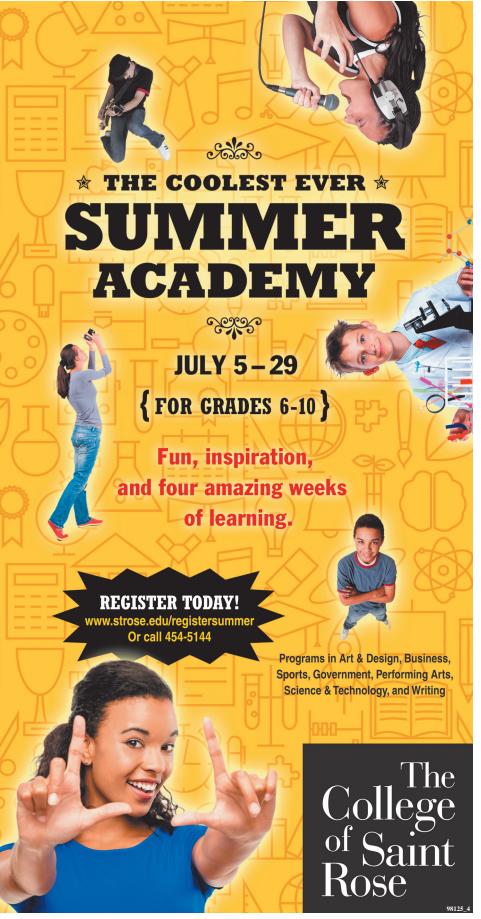
Champion Award, The Woody Guthrie Award, and the Americana Music Association's Lifetime Achievement

He is also one of the most successful live concert performers in the world. The social activism reflected in his songs helped catalyze Farm Aid, the concert series and organization that has addressed the struggle of American family farmers for more than 25 years. The unique instrumentation of his band and his poignant songs about everyday life in the American heartland, are widely credited with being the forbearer of the Americana/No Depression genre of ruralinflected music.

Tickets for Mellencamp's concert at The Palace cost between \$39.50 and \$115 and are now available for purchase at the Palace Theatre Box Office, via Ticketmaster Charge by Phone at (800)-745-3000, all Ticketmaster outlets, local Wal-Mart Ticketmaster Centers, or online at ticketmaster.com. Regular box office and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.







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#### WMHT-FM

romantic periods.

Your radio personalities often share stories about each composure between tracks. Some of those who we hold in such high regard today were not appreciated by their contemporaries, as if fans of the station are truly fans of the underground scene generations ago.

It amazes me that Bach's music went out of favor

for a very long time. He, in particular, always seems so timeless to me. His music can be played on any and every combination of instruments. Yet for ages, he was considered inferior to his great friend, Telemann.

"Mozart in the Jungle" is a television hit. Aside from entertaining, the show seems to lift the notion that those involved with classical music have too much starch in their collar. What are your thoughts about the show, or that aforementioned reputation classical music seems to have?

I'm much too stuffy and dignified to watch television. Although I do love when Elmo sings Bizet with Denyce

Graves. And, I'm pretty sure I could take Ax in most video games. If not Dance Dance Revolution, then certainly MarioKart Racing.

#### What else can you say about WMHT-FM?

We really do thank all of the people who have given over the past 43-plus years. It is a tremendous history and a tremendous community of supporters. We've had a great fundraising drive so far this spring, hearing from more listeners in fewer hours and with more music during each hour. It seems to be working, so we will keep going with that. You can always add your support on our website, wmht.org, or by calling 1-800-285-9648.

occurrence. Although scientific studies documenting this effect are lacking, anecdotal reports are common and fairly enthusiastic. Since vitamin E is thought to have other beneficial health effects and is not toxic in usual doses, taking 400 units of vitamin E daily could be considered.

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#### **Impression**

painting to ever leave Italy to the original portrait of George Washington that was used to create his commemorative stamp, Sterling Clark has created a metropolis of art. As Morse-Majewski said, "He had an excellent eye for quality, but he also liked the old masters."

While sharing tales of the Clark's influence both inside the world of art and out, she also shared her favorite works and her own connection to the museum. Having been a part of the Clark for 11 years now, Morse-Majewski professes her love for what

she introduced by stating, "And this is the pretty girl gallery."The former tea room has since been turned into an impressive gallery displaying the work of Alfred Stevens. "When I was a kid and used to come here, I used to love this room," said Morse-Majewski. "I was a starryeyed little girl admiring the dresses."

Whether coming to learn about its historical significance, to expand your knowledge of classical art or to admire the beauty present across the entire campus, the Clark is worth

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#### Cramps

and protein. In addition, remember to eat plenty of calcium- and magnesium-rich foods such as green leafy vegetables, yogurt, legumes, whole grains, tofu and Brazil nuts. High-potassium foods, including bananas, avocados, Lima beans and fish may also be helpful.

Before and after you exercise, stretch muscle groups that tend to cramp.

Incorporate strengthening exercises into your fitness

Avoid dehydration. To prevent dehydration, consume plenty of fluids and foods high in water, such as fruits

Avoid excess sodium and soda (high in phosphoric acid), as they can leach calcium.

Avoid chocolate, caffeine and alcohol, which can interfere with magnesium absorption.

Improve your posture. For example, you may have mid-back spasms after sitting at a computer desk for too long in an awkward position.

Vitamin E has been said to help minimize cramp







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# ■ PLAYER OF THE WEEK



#### JAKE SZELEST

Bethlehem's Jake Szelest is The Spotlight Player of the Week for the period ending Sunday, April 17. Szelest scored seven goals and added an assist during the boys lacrosse team's last three games, including a four-goal effort in a 12-8 victory over Saratoga Springs Saturday, April 16.

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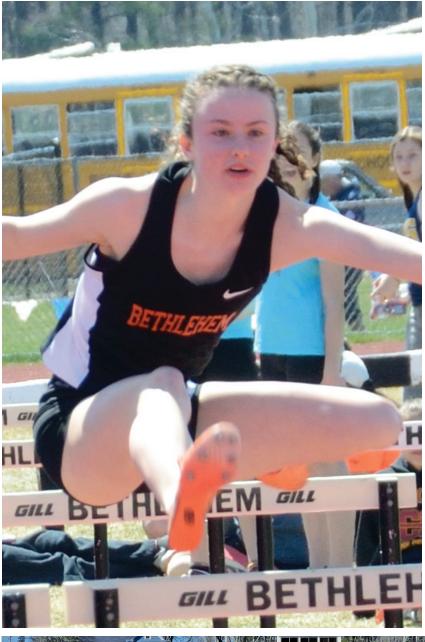


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#### BETHLEHEM



# A good day on the track

Julia Nugent, Tedi DeMaria lead BC at Lady Eagles Invitational

#### **By ROB JONAS**

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**BETHLEHEM** — Eighteen girls track and field teams from across the eastern half of New York participated in this year's Fleet Feet Lady Eagles Invitational Saturday, April 16, at Bethlehem.

Shenendehowa won the large school division title with 153 points, while Academy of the Holy Names took top honors among small schools with 54.5 points. Bethlehem was second in the large school division with 119.5 points.

Julia Nugent led Bethlehem by sweeping the hurdles titles. She won the 100-meter high hurdles with a time of 16.35 seconds, and she finished first in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles with a time of 45.52 seconds.

Tedi DeMaria breezed to the pole vault

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- Bethlehem's Julia Nugent soars over the hurdles at the Lady Eagles Invitational Saturday, April 16. Nugent won both the 100- and 300-meter hurdles titles.
- Eighteen teams participated in the only all-girl high school track meet in New York.

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#### VOORHEESVILLE

#### **Blackbirds fall short** against Maple Hill

Voorheesville's late rally wasn't enough, as Maple Hill held on for an 8-7 win over the Blackbirds in a Colonial Council boys lacrosse game Wednesday, April 13. The Wildcats built a 6-2 halftime lead, but the Blackbirds trimmed the deficit with a four-goal fourth quarter.

Voorheesville's Jake Palmer tries to run past a Maple Hill midfielder during the first quarter of the game.

▼Voorheesville's Spencer LedDuke tries to stop Maple Hill's Liam Danaher.

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#### A good day on the track

title. The defending state champion cleared the bar at 11 feet, 6 inches to set a new meet record. DeMaria was also second in the long jump and the triple jump for the Lady Eagles.

In boys track, Bethlehem placed second to Carthage at the Warrior Classic at Niskayuna High School. Carthage won with 66 points, while Bethlehem finished with 64 points.

Jacob Davis led the Eagles with a victory in the discus, as he threw the disc 128 feet for the title. Davis was also fourth in the shot put with a toss of 44 feet, 4.5 inches.

#### **Boys lacrosse**

Bethlehem scored seven times in the second quarter on its way to a 12-8 victory over Saratoga Springs in a Suburban Council boys lacrosse game Saturday, April 16.

Jake Szelest tallied four times, and Ryan Starr contributed a hat trick and an assist for the Eagles. Goaltender Tyler Hull stopped 12 shots.

Dylan Honis and David Lee each scored twice

for the Blue Streaks, who closed a 10-2 halftime deficit by outscoring Bethlehem 6-2 in the second half.

The Eagles were coming off an 18-3 loss to defending state champion Niskayuna Thursday, April 14. Lucas Quinn scored six goals, and Michael Doxie contributed three goals and two assists for the Silver Warriors.

Szelest, Devon Holiday and Bryce Haller tallied for Bethlehem, and Hull made 16 saves.

#### **Girls lacrosse**

The Bethlehem girls lacrosse team fell to 1-2 on the season with a 15-7 Suburban Council loss to Niskayuna Thursday, April

The Lady Eagles led 5-4 at halftime, but the Silver Warriors struck for 11 goals in the second half to pull away.

Alissa Franze tallied five times, and Marisa DiVietro chipped in with four goals and three assists for Niskayuna. Sophie Power had a hat trick for Bethlehem.

#### GUILDERLAND

# Long Meadow edges G'land

**GUILDERLAND** 

- Long Meadow pulled out an 8-6 victory over Guilderland in a nonleague girls lacrosse game Saturday, April 16.

Kerry Gerety recorded

a hat trick, and goaltender Kelsey Cox made 12 saves for the Lady Dutch (3-2). Alexis Nieman, Amanda Nieman and Shea Thompson also tallied.

-Rob Jonas

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# **From page 6 ...** Sanders

# How do you see your candidate's platform as

addressing those issues?

Senator Bernie
Sanders is the only
candidate addressing these
issues. His opponent
is compromised by
her relationship with
Wall Street and her
interventionist views.
Among other things,
Senator Sanders supports

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was a champion for the

young adults right as the

Senator Sanders has said,

can get it done I think...

Donald Trump has some

simplistic ideas, without

demonstrating the ability

to carry them out. To me,

nothing about Hillary is

simplistic. I think she's

more battle tested than

she keeps coming back,

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Clinton

reinstating the Glass-Steagall Act, breaking up the banks that are "too big to fail," and single payer health insurance. These are measures that I have supported in the New York State Assembly. In addition, Senator Sanders would purse a non-interventionist foreign policy, more like the "Good Neighbor" policy of Franklin Roosevelt.

# What was the most memorable part of the rally/rallies you attended?

and I think that serves her very well. She knows how to muscle through and keep coming back. She has shown extraordinary experience. Things for instance Bernie has said, she has the experience to get it done.

# What was the most memorable part of the rally/rallies you attended?

Having my teenaged daughter with me. I think it makes a big difference between what you see on TV om those 30 second sound bites and actually being able to see Hillary Clinton in person and hearing a full speech,

remarks at the Sanders rally at the Albany Armory in front of well over 4,000 people. It was inspiring. I was not nervous, but the adrenaline certainly did get flowing since it was the first time I had addressed such a large assembly. My favorite moment was when I mentioned I was from the Town of Colonie, and there was a huge cheer. Apparently quite a number of my constituents are "Feelin' the Bern."

I gave introductory

seeing her through the eyes of a teenager, and seeing how impressed she was. She walked away so impressed and it left a lasting impression.

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#### Cruz

seeing someone in person, you tend to notice how genuine their feelings are, and you get to see that they are a really kind and caring person. That's what I saw. He spent a significant amount of time with all the people there, and that shows something.

#### **Editor's Note**

Ohio Governor John Kasich was also in the Capital District Monday, April 11, raising funds as he continues his run to for the Republican nomination for President. His day started by meeting with the Republican Assembly Conference in a private function at the Fort Orange Club. From there, he attended functions at LaSalle Institute in Troy and at the Saratoga Springs City Center.

# **Beacon of Hope Ball Friday**

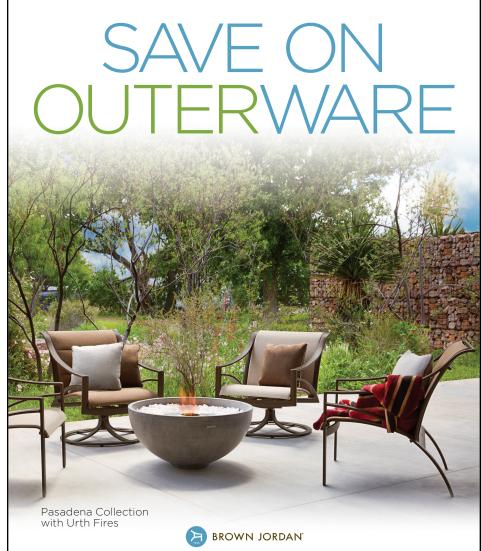
VOORHEESVILLE — The Diocese of Albany Catholic Schools, Catholic School Office is pleased to announce its signature fundraising event, The 2016 Beacon of Hope Ball, Friday, April 22nd, Albany Country Club, Voorheesville at 6:30 p.m. All proceeds will directly sponsor students' education in the form of tuition assistance.

Established in 2006 by the Diocese of Albany Catholic Schools, the Beacon of Hope Scholarship Fund has been essential in making Catholic elementary, middle, and secondary school education available to as many families as possible. Serving as Honorary Chair of the Beacon of Hope Ball is Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger,

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#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT

# Internet access denied

Town officials, residents frustrated with provider's refusals to repeated inquiries about lack of residential service

#### **By TRICIA CREMO**

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#### NEW SCOTLAND

— Officials are moving to take legal action against Time Warner Cable, as a staggering number of residents are without Internet service.

It is not known just how many of the roughly 1,100 subscribed homes in town are without Internet service. In order to discover just how many homes are without, the town is planning to file a lawsuit against the Public Service Commission, which has previously denied requests for this information.

Though not the primary purpose, this action will likely serve as a leveraging tool as the town begins renegotiating its franchising agreement contract with Time Warner, which ends in 2018. While the contract, is renegotiated every 10 years, requires that 20

houses on each linear cable mile have Internet access, some residents say their roads have more homes and still lack access.

While Peter Henner, a lawyer in Clarksville, filed a freedom of information (FOIL) request for an exact number of homes without Internet access, back in February, Time Warner refused the request, citing the information as a "trade secret," one of few FOIL exemptions, made to protect businesses from competitors.

"Basically, this is nonsense. No one else is competing against Time Warner, so how is this possibly something that a competitor can use to its benefit?" Henner asked. "Whether its 500 or 300 or 100, I think the Public Service Commission ought to say it's not a trade secret and make [information on the number of unserved houses] public."

In his research, Henner

has not found any past cases that address this issue specifically. However, to him, "it seems basic common sense that information on how many homes do not receive Internet be made public because this information would not cause injury to Time Warner."

According to Town Supervisor Doug LaGrange, large chunks of Route 32 are unserved, including the State Troopers barracks in Clarksville, as well as on County Route 112, where Mr. Henner lives. Rural roads connecting to Route 85A are also largely unserved, despite their proximity to the major roadway, which is served.

"There no rhyme or reason to it. It's kind of odd when you take a look at it," said LaGrange, referring to a map of served and unserved areas, which the town has created without help from Time Warner.

Those who lack access have the choice to either pay tens of thousands of dollars to connect their homes, or use Internet from other sources, such as cell phone data. The supervisor himself lives in an unserved area, and uses DirecTV for cable, which he said had a sporatic signal, and uses a Wi-Fi card from Verizon so that he can receive Internet service.

Tyler Salonich, of Voorheesville, was quoted over \$16,000 to connect his home off of Route 443. "They've got us by the throat. There are 10 more houses that could be connected before it ever reached my home," which lies at the end of the road, said Salonich. Salonich is on a waiting list to be connected to the internet through Verizon FIOS. He has also reached out to Connect America, a nonprofit company that aims to provide Internet access to all of the country. In the meantime, his only source of Internet is at work.

"It can be quite expensive," said Supervisor LaGrange. "When my grandson comes over and wants to watch something on my iPad, he has fun for hour and we end up paying \$60... The key here that we want to make clear to the state and Time Warner is that there is a larger and larger population that looks to work from home. New Scotland, whether we like it or not, is more of a rural community. People are living rurally to help escape from [the] rat race, and without having to tackle the traffic. And schools requiring more and more [students] to do homework through the Internet. That's where we are today. The Internet is crucial for families.

When Samuel Breslin moved to New Scotland, he had no idea that his home did not have Internet service. "When I bought my house in 2013, on the listing it said high-speed Internet, so it never even crossed my mind. Then after we moved in, Time Warner quoted us over \$40,000 for cable and Internet." Breslin was



Attorney Peter Henner, who resides in the Town of New Scotland, speaks about the lack of residential high-speed Internet service during the Town Board meeting held on Thursday, April 14.

Tricia Cremo/Spotlight

appalled. Houses at both ends of his street were receiving fine quality Internet, but his home, built in 1848, and other homes in the middle of the street, were not.

Breslin once attempted to download Microsoft Office, a program that should have taken mere minutes under normal Internet speeds, but found the task to be virtually impossible. Streaming an episode of a television show means waiting for minutes to watch just a few seconds of a program. Attempts to contact the Public Service Commission with his complaints have yielded exceedingly few results, said Breslin, as have attempts to contact the state's broadband office.

In last year's state budget, \$50 million was dedicated to Gov. Andrew Cuomo's Broadband for All initiative, which aims to have Internet available at high speeds for all New Yorkers by 2018. Henner filed a FOIL request to view replies made in response to the initiative's call for public comments, after he discovered that the office refused to disclose how it was going to use the funds. While his request

was initially denied, he was able to obtain them once he filed a lawsuit.

Deadlines for application to the program just passed on April 16. While Breslin did apply, he said he only received an automated response denying his application.

State Senator George Amedore expressed interest in the issue last fall, with a survey inquiring about service in rural areas. The town as well, has been very helpful, and Breslin is hopeful that progress can be made with renegotiations.

Breslin now uses
Internet from his phone,
which he said was
prohibitively expensive.
He also fears that as
his daughter and other
members of the younger
generation who live in
town will be at a great
disadvantage without
access to Internet.

This fact is even more true than it was ten years ago, when the town last negotiated its contract with Time Warner said LaGrange.

"I think we have a very good chance of bettering service in town through this next agreement," said the supervisor.

The town is already in the process of fashioning a proposal for auditing firms, and plans to hire an attorney to intervene with Time Warner. Henner has applied for the post.

"Obviously, what the town needs to do is we need to be there at table with the Public Service Commission. We want to do this sooner rather than later and we want them to take care of our town in particular, and do the right thing by all rural residents who don't have Internet."

In the meantime, countless homes will still be without Internet, until the contract is finalized in 2018.



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Property Tax Report Card 011003 - VOORHEESVILLE CSD

**Shaded Fields Will Calculate** Budgeted Proposed Percent Budget 2016-17 Change 2015-16 (A) (C) Total Budgeted Amount, not including Separate Propositions 23,149,718 23,796,334 2.79% A. Proposed Tax Levy to Support the Total Budgeted Amount, 16,740,414 16,893,493 Net of Reserve1 B. Tax Levy to Support Library Debt, if Applicable C. Tax Levy for Non-Excludable Propositions, if Applicable2 D. Total Tax Cap Reserve Amount Used to Reduce Current Year Levy, if Applicable
E. Total Proposed School Year Tax Levy (A+B+C-D)
F. Permissible Exclusions to the School Tax Levy Limit 16.740.414 16.893.493 296,112 275,585 School Tax Levy Limit, Excluding Levy for Permissable Exclusions<sub>3</sub> 16,446,345 16,619,908 H. Total Proposed Tax Levy for School Purposes ExcludingPermissible Exclusions and Levy for Library Debt, 16,444,302 Plus Prior Year Tax Cap Reserve(E-B-F+D) 16,617,908 I. Difference: (G-H);(negative value requires 60.0% voter approval)2
Public School Enrollment 2.043 2.000 1.166 .60% 1.173 Consumer Price Index

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- Exclude any prior year reserve for excess tax levy, including interest.
- Tax levy associated with educational or transportation services propositions are not eligible for exclusion un
- der the School Tax Levy Limit and may affect voter approval requirements.

  For 2016-17, includes any carryover from 2015-16 and excludes any tax levy for library debt or prior year reserve for excess tax levy, including interest.

|  | Actual<br>2015-16<br>(D)        | Estimated<br>2016-17<br>(E)     |
|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Adjusted Restricted Fund Balance Assigned Appropriated Fund Balance Adjusted Unrestricted Fund Balance Adjusted Unrestricted Fund Balance as a | 1,470,858<br>493,723<br>913,689 | 1,522,752<br>325,000<br>948,775 |
| Percent of the Total Budget  | 3.95%                           | 3.99%                           |

Ad#115557 June 20, 2016

LEGAL NOTICE

## VOORHEESVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING, BUDGET VOTE, AND ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a public hearing of the qualified voters of Voorheesville Central School District, County of Albany, State of New York will be held on May 9, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. in the Large Group Instruction Room of the Voorheesville Middle School/Clayton A. Bouton High School in said district for the presentation of a budget for the school year 2016 2017.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the Annual District Meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 17, 2016 in the Voorheesville Middle School Foyer. The polls will open at 2:00 p.m. Eastern Daylight Saving Time and voting will proceed until 9:00 p.m. on the following:

- 1. To elect two members of the Board of Education for a 4-year term terminating June 30, 2020, to fill the vacancy created by the expiration of the terms of Diana Straut, and Timothy E. Blow.
- To vote on the Annual School Budget and the appropriation of the necessary funds to meet the estimate of expenditures, and to authorize the levy of taxes for this purpose.

**AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN** that at said Annual District Election and Budget Vote to be held on May 17, 2016, the following propositions will be submitted:

PROPOSITION #1: PURCHASE OF BUSES:
RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the
Voorheesville Central School District is hereby authorized to pay the cost of the purchase of school buses, including incidental expenses, at a maximum estimated cost of \$110,000, and that said amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be raised by the levy of a tax upon the taxable property of said School District and collected in annual installments as provided by Section 416 of the Education Law; and, in anticipation of such tax, obligations of said School District shall be issued.

PROPOSITION #2: CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS-POOL: RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Voorheesville Central School District, is hereby authorized to undertake certain capital improvements consisting of reconstruction and replacement of the pool filtration system and related components of the swimming pool at the Voorheesville Middle School/High School building, along with the acquisition of certain original furnishings, equipment, and apparatus and other incidental improvements required in connection therewith for such construction and school use, all at an estimated maximum aggregate cost of \$90,000, and appropriate, encumber, and expend existing and unexpended funds and/or funds from the Capital Reserve Fund therefor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the text of the foresaid proposition may appear on the ballot labels in the following abbreviated form:

#### **PROPOSITION**

Shall the proposition set forth in the legal notice of this special district meeting, authorizing a capital construction project consisting of capital improvements consisting of reconstruction and replacement of the pool filtration system and related components of the swimming pool at the Voorheesville Middle School/High School building at an estimated cost of \$90,000 to be appropriated, encumbered, and expended from unexpended funds and/or the Capital Reserve fund, all as more fully described in said notice, be approved?

The School District, acting as lead agency to the extent necessary for this purpose under SEQRA, has completed its environmental review and, on March 7, 2016, has duly determined and found the purpose to be a Type II action which will not have a significant impact on the environment and is not subject to any further environmental review under SEQRA

PROPOSITION #3: CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT-BRIDGE: RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Voorheesville Central School District, is hereby authorized to undertake certain capital improvements consisting of miscellaneous reconstruction and window replacement at the Voorheesville Elementary School/Bus Garage building, and the repair and/or replacement of an existing foot bridge and abutments over the VIy Creek that connects a staff parking lot to the Voorheesville Elementary School, along with the acquisition of certain original furnishings, equipment, and apparatus and other incidental improvements required in connection therewith for such construction and school use, all at an amended estimated maximum aggregate cost of \$275,000, and appropriate encumber, and expend existing and unexpended funds, and funds from the Capital Reserve Fund,

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the text of the foresaid proposition may appear on the ballot labels in the following abbreviated form:

PROPOSITION
Shall the proposition set forth in the legal notice of this special voter meeting, authorizing a capital construction project consisting of miscellaneous reconstruction and window replacement at the Voorheesville elementary School/Bus Garage building, the renair/replacement of an existing and abutments over the VIV Creek at an amended estimated cost of \$275,000 to be appropriated, encumbered, and expended from unexpended funds and/or the Capital Reserve fund, therefor all as more fully described in said notice, be approved?

SEQRA STATUS OF PROJECT: The School District, acting as lead agency to the extent necessary for this purpose under SEQRA, has completed its environmental review and, on March 7, 2016, has duly determined and found the purpose to be a Type II action which will not have a significant impact on the enviLEGALS **LEGALS** 

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required for the ensuing year for school purposes, exclusive of public money, may be obtained by any taxpayer in the district during the fourteen days immediately preceding the Annual Meeting, except Saturday, Sunday or holiday, at the following schoolhouses in which

tal review under SEQRÁ.

school is maintained during the hours designated: Voorheesville Elementary School 8:30a.m.to 3:00 p.m. Voorheesville Middle School 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Clayton A. Bouton High School 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN** that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education must be filed with the Clerk of the district not later than the close of business on April 18, 2016. Each petition must be directed to the Clerk of the district, must be signed by at least twenty-five (25) qualified voters of the district, must state the name and residence of the candidate and must describe the specific vacancy for which the candidate is nominated including at least the length of the term of office and the name of the last incumbent.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that a public hearing of the qualified voters of Voorheesville Central School District, County of Albany, State of New York will be held on Monday, May 16, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in the Voorheesville Public Library for the presentation of the Public Library budget for the year 2016 2017.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that, as part of and contemporaneous with the Annual District Meeting, a vote will be held for the Voorheesville Public Library on the following:

- 1. To elect one member of the of the Library Board of Trustees for a term of five years ending on June 30, 2021 to fill the vacancy created by the expiration of the term of Bryan Richmond.
- 2. To vote on the annual Public Library budget and the appropriation of the necessary funds to meet the estimate of expenditures, and to authorize the levy of taxes for this purpose.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that letters requesting application for absentee ballots may be received by the District Clerk not earlier than the thirtieth (30th) day nor later than the seventh (7th) day before the election. Requests should be addressed to

> Clerk, Board of Education Voorheesville Central School District P.O. Box 498 Voorheesville, NY 12186

Dated: March 30, 2016

Jessica Tabakian District Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE

**Edwin Joel Markowitz** Petitiner,

And

Charles B. Putnam Respondent,

NOTICE OF ACTION FOR

ADOPTION OF ADULT BY STEPPARENT **TO:** Chares B. Putnam, PO Box 1326, Troy, N.Y. 12181. **YOU ARE NOTIFIED** that an action for Adoption has been filed against you and that you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to (Petitioner) Edwin Joel Markowitz whose address is 1204 Loch Rannoch Ct., Leesburg, FL 34788 on or before May 20, 2016, and file the original with the clerk of this Court at 550 W. Main Street, Tavares, FL 32778 before service on Petitioner or immediately thereafter. If you fail to do so, a default may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

Ad#114786

LEGAL NOTICE PUBLICATION NOTICE

OF ORGANIZATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FIRST: THE NAME OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY IS 354 WASHINGTON STREET, LLC. (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS THE "COMPANY"

The Articles SECOND: of Organization of the Company were filed with the New York Secretary of State on March 23, 2016

The County THIRD:

within New York State in which the office of the Company is to be located is ALBANY.

FOURTH: The Secretary of State has been designated as agent upon whom process against the Company may be served. The post office address to which the Secretary of State shall mail process is

45 Carolanne Drive Delmar, New York 12054 FIFTH: The purposes of

the business of the Company is The Company's purpose is to engage in any law**LEGALS** 

ronment and is not subject to any further environmenor activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the New York Limited Liability

Law. Ad#113710

LEGAL NOTICE RESOLUTION AND PUB-

LIC NOTICE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethle-hem in the County of Albany, State of New York has on the 13th day of April 2016, duly adopt-ed, subject to a permissive referendum, a resolution as follows:

WHEREAS, the Town's current Truck Lift at the Highway Garage is obsolete and poses a safety hazard, and

WHEREAS, the Truck Lift is used to maintain vehicles in the Town Fleet, and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem has determined to continue having the Highway Department maintain Town vehicles at the Highway Garage, and

WHEREAS, it is estimated that the costs of said work will not exceed \$55,000; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of these needs, funds for such purpose are in the General Fund Capital Reserve Fund;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that it is in the public interest to complete the purchase of the Truck Lift as described above; and BE IT FURTHER RE-

SOLVED, that the Town Board authorizes the expenditure of the reserve moneys to fund this project up to a maximum amount of

\$55,000 and,
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town
Comptroller is authorized to expend from the General Fund Capital Reserve Fund the funds necessary up to \$55,000 in said reserve fund; and This resolution shall be subject to a permissive referendum, as permitted by law.

The foregoing resolution was presented for adoption by Councilwoman Sasso seconded by Councilman VanLuven and approved with the following vote:

Supervisor Clark-Aves -Councilwoman son. Becker, Councilwoman Councilwoman Davis, Councilman Van-Sasso. Luven

Nays - none Absent - none Ad#115548

LEGAL NOTICE

100 NORTH 5TH STREET LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 3/11/2016. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 1726 Starr Ridgewood, 11285, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Ad#112239

LEGAL NOTICE

13 Edison Avenue LLC Notice of formation of the above Limited Liabil**LEGALS** 

ity Company ("LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY ("SSNY") on 12/17/2015. Office location: Albany. has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any such process served to: 13 Edison Avenue LLC, c/o Kevin Renaghan, 13 Edison Avenue, Albany, NY 12208. Purpose: any lawful business purpose. Ad#113737

LEGAL NOTICE

1368 LEXINGTON LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 1/11/16. 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#111425

LEGAL NOTICE

15 Edison Avenue LLC Notice of formation of the above Limited Liability Company ("LLC").

Articles of Organization
filed with the Secretary
of State of NY ("SSNY") on 12/17/2015. Office location: Albany. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any such process served to: 15 Edison Avenue LLC, c/o Kevin Renaghan, 13 Edison Avenue, Albany, NY 12208. Purpose: any lawful business purpose. Ad#113734

LEGAL NOTICE

177 ATLANTIC AVE. LLC. Filed 3/4/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for pro-cess & shall mail to: 54 State St #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113952

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: 1791 DEVELOPMENT GROUP LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 03/24/2016. 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, 26 2nd Street, Waterford, New York terford, New York 12188. Purpose: For buying, selling and holding real estate. Ad#114843

LEGAL NOTICE

20 TIBBITS, LLC. Filed 2/18/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process shall mail to: 54 State St #103 Albany 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113934

LEGAL NOTICE

2082 WEST 8TH STREET LLC. Filed 3/7/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process shall mail to: 54 State St **LEGALS** 

Albany. #103 NY Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113948

LEGAL NOTICE

RESOLUTION AND PUB-LIC NOTICE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that the Town Board

of the Town of Bethlehem in the County of Albany, State of New York has on the 13th day of April 2016, duly adopted subject to a permissive referendum, a resolution as follows:

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehem has determined that it is necessary to fund construction related to the Vly Creek Reservoir Dam and Dike Low Level Out-Improvements Project; and,

WHEREAS, it is estimated that the cost of said work will not exceed \$365,000; and,

WHEREAS, in recognition of these needs, funds for such purpose are in the Water Fund Capital Reserve Fund

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that it is in the public interest to complete the construction related to the Vly Creek Reservoir Dam and Dike Low Level Out-Improvements Project. as described above; and,

BE IT FURTHER RE-SOLVED, that the Town Board authorizes the expenditure of the reserve moneys to fund this project up to a maximum amount \$365,000; and,

BE IT FURTHER RE-SOLVED, that the Town Comptroller is authorized to expend from the Water Fund Capital Reserve Fund the funds necessary \$365,000 in said reserve

fund; and This resolution shall be subject to permissive referendum, as permitted by law.

The motion to adopt the resolution was made by Councilwoman Becker. was seconded by Councilman VanLuven and duly adopted by the fol-

lowing vote: AYES: Supervisor Clark-Councilwoman Becker. Councilwoman Councilwoman Davis. Councilman Van-Sasso. Luven

NOES: none ABSENT: none DATED: April 13, 2016 Ad#115551

#### LEGAL NOTICE

41 OSTEND ROAD LLC. Filed w/SSNY Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services @ same address. Purpose: all lawful.

#### Ad#111426 LEGAL NOTICE

419 EAST PINE STREET LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 1/28/16. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY

#### **LEGALS**

12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. same address. pose: all lawful. Ad#111427

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION DOMESTIC LIMITED LI-ABILITY COMPANY (LLC)

The name of the LLC is 431 Broadway I LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on March 30, 2016. The purpose of the LLC is to engage in any lawful act or activity. The office of the tivity. 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 c/o 302 Washington Avenue Extension, Albany, New York 12203. Ad#114842

#### LEGAL NOTICE

454 Ontario Street LLC Notice of formation of the above Limited Liability Company ("LLC"). Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY ("SSNY") on 12/17/2015. Office location: Albany. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of any such process served to 454 Ontario Street LLC c/o Kevin Renaghan, 13 Edison Avenue, Albany, NY 12208. Purpose: any lawful business purpose. Ad#113732

#### LEGAL NOTICE

47-07 47TH AVENUE LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 2/1/16. 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#111428

#### LEGAL NOTICE

68-16 ELIOT AVE. LLC. Filed 3/4/16 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#113951

#### LEGAL NOTICE

7611 5TH AVENUE, LLC. Filed 2/4/16 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

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION LIMITED LIABILITY

COMPANY Articles of Organization of 828 Washington, LLC ("LLC") filed with the Secretary of State of New York ("SSNY") on March 18, 2016, effective on the date of filing.

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Office Location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY may mail a copy of any pro-cess to the LLC at 828 Washington Avenue, Albany, New York 12203, which shall be the principal business location. The purpose for which the LLC is formed is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the NYS Limited Liability Company Law. Ad#113011

#### LEGAL NOTICE

AB & SONS GROUP, Filed w/SSNY on 12/22/15. 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#111416

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF A DOMESTIC LIMIT-ED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC) The name of the LLC is ABDS GJONI LLC. The Articles of Organization of the LLC were filed with the NY Secretary of State on March 2016. 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 address to which the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the LLC is 158 Winthrop Avenue, bany, New York 12203. Ad#114360

#### LEGAL NOTICE

ASKIISOFT LLC, a domestic LLC, filed with SSNY on 03/04/2016. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, c/o Justin Stander, 71 Montrose Drive, Delmar, New York Ad#114846

#### LEGAL NOTICE

ASM APPAREL, LLC. Filed 2/1/16 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#113939

#### LEGAL NOTICE

At Home Properties LLC, a domestic LLC, filed with the SSNY on with the SSNY on 2/17/16. Office location: Albany County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to The LLC, Michael Frey 2005 Indi-an Fields Rd, Feura Bush, NY 12067. Ad#114415

#### LEGAL NOTICE

BID MANAGEMENT LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 12/28/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State

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St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful. Äd#111418

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FILING OF ARTICLES OF ORGANI-ZATION IN NEW YORK BY A LIMITED LIABILI-TY COMPANY Name: Blessed 614 LLC. Articles of Organization filed with sec. of state of NY(SOS) on 3/25/16. Office location: Albany County. SOS is designated as agent of LLC for service of pro-SOS shall mail cess copy of process to c/o United States Corporation Agents, Inc., 634 Western Avenue, Albany, NY 12203. Purpose:

#### Ad#113659

LEGAL NOTICE BOGOTA ESCALADA,

LLC. Filed 2/22/16 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 law-

Any lawful act or activi-

#### Ad#113932

LEGAL NOTICE

**BURGERS BAR BRANDS** INTL. LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 3/22/2016. in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to PO Box 20043, NY, NY 10021. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Ad#113031

#### NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is CAMBRIDGE ROAD PROPERTIES.

LLC The Articles of organization of the Limited Liability Company were filed on March 2, 2016 with the New York Secretary of State.

3. The office of the Limited Liability Company is located in Albany Coun-

The Secretary of State is designated as agent of the Limited Lia-Company upon bility whom process against it may be served.

Secretary of The State shall mail a copy of process served to the Limited Liability Company to 22 Fairway Court, Voorheesville, 12186.

6. The latest date to dissolve is indefinite. The purpose of the Limited Liability Compa-

ny is to conduct all law-Ad#111409

#### LEGAL NOTICE

CAMP GOWANUS LLC. Art. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 03/24/2016. Office: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 440

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Swaggertown Rd. Glenville, NY 12302. Purpose: Any lawful pur-Ad#114347

#### LEGAL NOTICE

CDP TRANSPORTATION LLC. Art. of Org. filed with the SSNY on with 11/25/15. Office: Albany County. SSNY designat ed as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. nogu SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 19 Sand Creek Road, Al-NY 12205. Purbany, pose: Any lawful purpose. Ad#111258

#### LEGAL NOTICE

CHILDREN KREATIVE DAY CARE LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 2/4/14. fice: 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#111414 LEGAL NOTICE

CITY KID PRODUC-TIONS LLC. Filed 2/17/16 Office: Albany Filed Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St #103. Albany, 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113935

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethlehereby hem invites sealed bids for the furnishing of Copper Sul-fate Pentahydrate Crystals for the Bethlehem Department of Public Works and other Town departments, as and when needed. The Town of Bethlehem reserves the right to allow all municipal and not for profit organizations authorized under the General Municipal Laws of the State of New York, to purchase any goods and/ or services awarded as a result of this bid in accordance with the latest amendments to NYS GML 100 through 104. However, it is understood that the extension of such contracts are at the discretion of the vendor and the vendor is only bound to any contract between the Town of Bethlehem and the vendor. Additionally, the Town of Bethlehem reserves the right to purchase any goods or services included as a part of this bid from any means legally available to it at any time. Bids will be received up

to 11:00 a.m. on the 5th day of May, 2016 at which time such bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York. Bids shall be addressed to Nanci Moquin, Town Clerk, Town of Bethlehem, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, New York 12054.

Bids shall be in sealed

To place your Legal Notice: Call 439-4949

#### **LEGALS**

envelopes which shall bear, on the face therethe NAME AND AD-DRESS OF THE RIDDER AND SUBJECT OF THE ORIGINAL AND ONE COPY of each bid shall be submitted.

Bid documents may be obtained at the Bethlehem Town Clerk's Office, 445 Delaware Av-Delmar, enue, 12054 Bid documents may also be available for download from the Capital Region Purchasing Group through the Town of Bethlehem Website at www.townofbethlehem.org Purchasing Di-

vision.
The Town Board reserves the right to waive informalities and/or to reject any or all bids.

BY ORDER OF TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF BETH-NANCI MOQUIN TOWN CLERK Dated: April 20, 2016 Ad#115424

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of D & E Walker Enterprises, LLC. Art. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 2/1/16. Office location: Albany County SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon which process against may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 11 Frost Albany, 12205 any Purpose: lawful activities. Ad#111381

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: DB Corner Mart LLC. Arti-Organization were filed with the Secretary of the State of York (SSNY) on 02/29/16. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent to the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of the process to the LLC, 91 Southern Blvd, Albany, NY 12209. For any lawful purpose. Ad#111413

#### LEGAL NOTICE

DORALU LLC. Art. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 04/05/2016. Office: Albany County. designated as agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to the LLC, 440 Swaggertown Rd., Glenville, NY 12302. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Ad#114351

#### LEGAL NOTICE

ELETRUNKS, LLC. Art. of Or. filed with NYSS on 3/16/16: Office in Albany County. Registered Agents Inc. is designatthe registered agent of the LLC upon may be served. NYSS shall mail copy of pro-cess to the LLC, 90 State Street, Suite 700, Office 40, Albany, NY 12207 Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Ad#112662

#### LEGAL NOTICE

ELITE TEST PREP LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 12/22/15. Office: Albany

#### **LEGALS**

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#111420

#### LEGAL NOTICE

**EQUINOX ENTERPRISES** LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 1/7/16. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & sňall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: all lawful. . Ad#111423

#### LEGAL NOTICE

EXCELL CONSTRUC-TION LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 3/08/2016. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom promay be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 497 E. 138th St., Ste. 5E, Bronx, NY 10454, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. Ad#111608

#### LEGAL NOTICE

FAMILY BEACH HOUSE LLC. Filed 2/11/16 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 law-

#### Ad#113937

LEGAL NOTICE FLYFORWARD TECH-NOLOGIES, LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of

State (SSNY) 3/25/2016. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 1843 Central Ave., Ste. 110, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: Any lawful purpose.

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Ad#113664

Notice of formation of Fun Zone Entertainment LLC, Art. Of Org. Filed sec'y of state (SSNY) 12/17/2015. Office loca tion: Albany County SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY mail copy of process to 218 Morris st. Albany, NY, 12208. Purlawful acpose: any tivites

#### Ad#111482 LEGAL NOTICE

GERRY TROUP LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 1/7/16. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Inc. same address. Purpose: lawful. Ad#111432

LEGAL NOTICE

GOOD APPLE ACHIEVE-MENT SHEEPSHEAD BAY LLC. Filed 2/26/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg.

#### **LEGALS**

Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all law-

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LEGAL NOTICE

GOOD APPLE ACHIEVE-MENT REGO PARK LLC. Filed 2/26/16 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. Purnose: all lawful Ad#113918

#### LEGAL NOTICE

GOOD APPLE ACHIEVE-MENT FLUSHING LLC Filed 2/26/16 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#113919

#### LEGAL NOTICE

GOOD APPLE ACHIEVE-MENT DOWNTOWN BROOKLYN LLC. Filed 2/26/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St Albany, #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113920

#### LEGAL NOTICE

**GRUDA CONSTRUCTION** LLC. Filed 3/7/16 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#113945

#### LEGAL NOTICE

HANNA K LLC. Filed 2/3/16 Office: Albany Co. designated ayent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St #103 #103. Albany. 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113944

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of Limited Liability Company. Name: HASWELL FARMS LLC. Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on February 23, 2016. Office Location: Albany County. SSNY has been designated as an agent of the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. Address to which SSNY shall mail a copy of any process to: 117 Old Quarry Road, Feura Bush, NY Purpose: Any lawful activity

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Ad#112242

HENRY COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT LLC. Filed 2/5/16 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#113947

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LEGAL NOTICE

Highland Property Development, LLC. Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 03/23/16. Off. loc.: Albany Co. SSNY des. as agent of LLC upon whom process may be SSNY shall mail process to the LLC, 11 Danton Lane, Latting-town, NY 11560. Purpose: General. Ad#113726

#### LEGAL NOTICE

IBRIDGE LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 1/25/16. 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 Purpose: address. Ad#111430

#### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE OF Application** for Authority of a For-eign Professional Limit-Liability Company (PLLC). Name: Intelligent Design and Con-Solutions, struction L.L.C. d/b/a in NYS as Intelligent Design Engineers. Application Authority filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 3/24/2016. Office location: ALBANY County. LLC formed in Illinois on 4/5/1999. SSNY been designated as an agent upon whom process against it may be served. The Post Office address to which the SSNY shall mail a copy of any process against the PLLC served upon him/her is: Registered Agents, Inc. 90 State Ste 700, Office Street. 400, Albany, NY 12207. The principal business address of the PLLC is: Intelligent Design and Construction Solutions, L.L.C., 200 W Adams St., Ste 1825, Chicago, IL 60606. Certificate of LLC filed with Secretary of State of Illinois located at: 213 State Capitol, Springfield, Illinois 62756. Purpose: any

#### Ad#113613 LEGAL NOTICE

lawful act or activity.

ITAPETY LLC. Filed 2/24/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St #103, Albany, NY 12207 Reg. Agent: USA Corpo-Services Inc same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113905

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of JoAnn Stevelos Consulting, LLC. of Org. filed Sec'y of State (SSNY) 3/21/16. Office location: County. designated as agent of LLC upon whom proserved. SSNY shall mail Ad#115225

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copy of process to 350Hudson Ave, Albany, to NY 12210. Purpose: any Ad#112974

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Kaplowitz Real Estate Investments, LLC Notice of formation of the above Limited Liability Company ("LLC") Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of NY ("SSNY") 12/17/2015. 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 any such proserved Kaplowitz Real Estate Investments, LLC, c/o Rohan & Associates, P.C. 5 Computer Drive West, Purpose: any 12205. lawful business purpose. Ad#113736

#### LEGAL NOTICE

KMA EVENTS LLC. Filed 2/3/16 Office: Albany Co. designated agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St Albany, 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113943

#### LEGAL NOTICE

KMH Insurance Services. LLC Notice of Qualification -LLC was filed with the SSNY on 03/08/2016. Albany County. designated as Office: agent of LLC whom process against may be served. The P.O. address which SSNY shall mail any process against the LLC served upon him: Kathryn Hoff, KMH Insurance Services, LLC, 139 Stinger Road, Tavernier, FL 33070. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

#### Ad#112241 LEGAL NOTICE

KVDN PROPERTIES, LLC. Filed 2/25/16 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 law-

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LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF FORMATION

DOMESTIC LIMITED LI-**ABILITY** COMPANY Namé: LD EXEC III LLC. Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State, April 11, 2016.

Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity. Office: in Albany County. Secretary of State is agent for process against LLC and shall mail copy to 302 Washington Avenue Ext., Albany, NY 12203.

#### **LEGALS**

Li's Home Contractor LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with SSNY on 03/18/16. 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, 6B Derry Lane, Latham, NY 12110. Purpose: to en-

gage in any lawful act.

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#### Ad#113738 LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC). Name: Mackay Family LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on 04/08/2016. Office loca-Albany designated as of LLC upon SSNY agent whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: 3764 Palazzo Colorado Springs, Colorado 80920. Purpose: to engage in any lawful act or activity for which a limited liability company may be formed under section 201 of the Limited Liability Company Law. Ad#115185

#### LEGAL NOTICE

MARIANNA STRONGIN PSY.D., PLLC. Filed w/SSNY on 12/17/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St., #103, Albany, NY Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same address. Purpose: Psychology. Ad#111415

#### LEGAL NOTICE

MBS REAL ESTATE GROUP, LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 12/16/15. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 120 El Camino Sr. #100 , Beverly Hills, CA 90212. CA address: 120 El Camino Dr. #100 Beverly Hills, CA 90212 Filed w/SSCA: 1500 11th St. 3 Fl., Sacramento, CA 95814. Purpose: all law-

#### Ad#111436

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of an LLC: Meadow Wood Farm, LLC

Articles of Organization were filed with the Sec-retary of State of New (SSNY) on March 2016. Office loca-14. 2016. tion is in Albany County. The SSNY has been designated as agent of the LLC, upon whom process against it may be served, SSNY shall mail a copy of Process to the LLC, at 2035 West Old Road, Altamont, NY 12009. Purpose: for any lawful purpose.

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LEGAL NOTICE

MERIDIAN ARTS-ACUPUNCTURE, PLLC. Filed 2/19/16 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: Acupuncture

#### LEGAL NOTICE

META FLORA LLC. Filed 2/19/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St Albany, 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113933

#### LEGAL NOTICE

MHPG SHORE ROAD LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 1/11/16. 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#111424

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation MPW RENTALS, LLC Art. of org. filed Secy. of State NY (SSNY) 3/23/16. Off. loc. in Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to: The LLC, PO Box 8781, Albany, NY Purpose: lawful purpose Ad#113234

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF OSBORNE, LLC. Articles of Organization filed with Secretary of State of NY (SSNY) on 4/11/2016. Office location: SSNY Albany County. designated as of LLC upon agent whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of process to: The LLC. 22 Gadsen Court, Albany, NY 12205. Purpose: any lawful activity. Ad#115419

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TOWN OF BETHLEHEM, ALBANY COUNTY NOTICE IS HEREBY GIV-EN that the Town Board of the Town of Bethle-Albany County, York will hold a County, hem, New public hearing Wednesday, April 27, 2016 at 6:00pm, at Town Hall, 445 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY to solicit comment on the Local Law to amend the Code of the Town of Bethlehem, Chapter 128-13, Zoning Map, rezoning parcel 96.00-01-31

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Development District zoning district and incorporate it into the Van Dyke Spinney Planned Development District . All parties in interest and citizens will have an opportunity to be heard at the said hearing. BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD TOWN OF BETHLEHEM Nanci Moquin TOWN CLĖRK Date: 04/13/2016 Ad#115553

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Pine Hill Wind Farm, LLC App. For Auth. filed NY Dept of State on 4/4/16. Juris and date of org: DE 3/30/16. County of loc: Albany County Cty. Princ. bus. loc. Ex ecutive Woods, 5 Pal-isades Dr., Ste. 300, Albany, NY 12205. Sec. of designated agent of foreign LLC nogu whom process against it may be served. The Sec. of State shall mail a copy of process to the LLC, Executive Woods, 5 Palisades Dr., Ste. 300, Albany, NY 12205. Addr. of Foreign LLC in DE is 850 New Burton Road, Suite 201, Dover DF 19904 Auth Officer in DE where Cert of Form. filed: Jeffrey W Bullock, Sec. of State of the State of DE, Division of Corporations, P.O 898, Dover, 19903. Purpose: All lepurposes. Filer: Lavelle & Finn, LLP, 29 British American Latham, NY 12110 Ы., Ad#114828

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Formation of a Limited Liability Compa-(LLC): Postpartisan Public Policy (P3) Consulting, LLC, Articles of Organization filed with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on March 9, 2016. Óffice 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: Franklin Esson Jr., 422 Sand Creek Road, Apt. 428, Albany, NY 12205. urpose: Ány Lawful Ad#111631

#### LEGAL NOTICE

PRO DESIGN NYC LLC. Filed 2/8/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St #103, Albany, 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113938

#### LEGAL NOTICE

QCHINGO LLC. Filed 2/25/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process all mail to: 54 State St

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12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113925

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Residence Home Inspections of New York,LLC Filed with SSNY on 2/25/16 Office location: Albany County. SSNY designated as agent for process and shall mail to: 99 Washington Ave ste 1008 Albany NY 12260. Purpose any Ad#112354

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF RMN PROPERTIES, LLC The name of the LLC is RMN Properties, LLC. The filing date of the Ar-Organization is March 7, 2016. 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 the designated 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 is 54 Mountain Road Ext. Ravena, New Ad#113740

#### LEGAL NOTICE

S.A. JOHNSON FUNER-AL HOME LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 1/5/16. 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#111421

#### LEGAL NOTICE

SCB411, LLC. Filed Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St Albany, 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113921

#### LEGAL NOTICE

SCHURZ 3 LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 12/28/15 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: lawful Ad#111417

#### LEGAL NOTICE

SCHURZ 9 LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 12/28/15 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State

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Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. @ same Purpose: address. Ad#111419

#### LEGAL NOTICE

SHLOMUSIC LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 11/17/15. 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 Ad#111422

#### LEGAL NOTICE

SIDECAR MANAGE-Filed MFNT LLC. 2/29/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St Albany, 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113953

#### LEGAL NOTICE

SINGULARITY PART-NERS, LLC. 3/10/16 Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as agent for process & shall mail to: 54 State St Albany, #103, 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful Ad#113949

#### LEGAL NOTICE

SWEETBEAN LLC Articles of Org. filed NY Sec State (SSNY) 3/15/2016. Office in Albany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be SSNY shall mail copy of process to 195 Bedford Ave., Apt. 5, Brooklyn, NY 11211, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful pur-

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TENURE AVE LLC. Filed w/SSNY on 1/7/16. 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#111434

#### LEGAL NOTICE

THE TRIBECA TRADE GROUP LLC. Filed 2/2/16 Office: Albany Co. designated for process shall mail to: 54 State St #103. Albany. 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc @ same address. Purpose: all lawful . Ad#113941

#### LEGAL NOTICE

TOBAGO BORN LLC. w/SSNY 1/28/16. Office: Albany Co. SSNY designated as ing district to Planned #103, Albany, NY bany, NY 12207. Reg. shall mail to: 54 State Ad#113950

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St., #103, Albany, NY 12207. Reg. Agent: USA Corporate Services Inc. same address. Purpose: all lawful. Ad#111429

#### LEGAL NOTICE

TUESDAY AVENUE LLC. Filed 2/16/16 Office: Al-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#113927

#### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY. NAME: Universal Market Predictor. LLC. Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of the State of New York (SSNY) on 4/5/16. Office Location Albany County. SSNY has been designated as agent to the LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail a copy of the process to the LLC, 1843 Central Ave, Suite 222, Albany, NY 12205. For any lawful purpose Ad#114420

#### LEGAL NOTICE

Wang Technology, LLC, a New Jersey limited liability company (WTLLC) filed its Application of Authority with the Secretary of State of New York (SSNY) on Feb. 15, 2007. WTLLC's office location is 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: Wang Technology LLC, Washington Rd Princeton Junction, NJ 08550. The general purpose is a engineeringconstruction firm Ad#112261

#### LEGAL NOTICE

WELLMART PHARMACY LLC. Filed 3/25/16 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 law-

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#### LEGAL NOTICE

ZACHARY ZIRLIN STU-DIOS LLC. Filed 3/18/16 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 law-

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#### FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

# Without faith, there is nothing

his social experiment that is American Democracy is more than 200 years old. As a community, we were once citizens of the British Empire. Over time, the discontent towards that government festered and grew until the voices of a few melded together into a single declaration of our freedom. We revolted, fought and earned an opportunity to sever ourselves from an establishment we understood never benefitted our community. We formed a government unlike that of what we left behind in England. We created the U.S. Constitution upon which our laws are based. A living document we can choose to amend, because in these more than 200 years, we still don't have it right.

We, as people, are fallible. We make mistakes. We make rash decisions and lose focus on that which is most important. Determining what is most important, unfortunately, is limited by our own individual perspective. And, each of our perspectives differ so greatly. How does it impact my wallet? How does it impact my life now? What is it going to do for

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Faith is a universal attribute within us all, without which we cease to function. It's not a matter of religion, it's a matter of possessing confidence in a process. Believing that a good deed is returned in kind. Knowing that those who choose to step upon the pulpit are pure at heart. Understanding elected officials serve the people. As you read this paper, the votes for the New York state primaries have been tallied, and we likely know who the Empire State wants to represent each of the two major parties this November. But, the faith in the process has received a terrible blow.

We live in a post-Watergate world, where men conspire to win elections and the phrase "follow the money" continues to hold relevance. We're the survivors

of Nicole Brown Simpson, who can no longer trust the police. Even after Y2K, we can't even trust our technology to count votes correctly. Our country stands as a beacon to foreign countries that aspire to be democratic, but our own people lack confidence in the system it is built upon. In these few months, we've had Senator Bernie Sanders accusing the Democratic party of conspiring against his campaign. Republican frontrunner Donald Trump is claiming the same, despite his popularity. And, delegates promising to back one candidate, when it goes against the votes of the general public.

We, as people, are fallible in nature. Our Constitution is open for amending because this is true. It enables us to have faith in the system, above the flaws of the men and women who created it. But, that system needs fixing. Of course, we have a choice—We could work to restore our confidence in our primaries, so we can believe in it again. Or, the alternative involves audaciously stepping up and declaring it a failure, and presenting a solution. Both requires faith. Without faith, there is nothing.

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#### GET TO KNOW ...



#### Frannie Andriano Bethlehem Police Records Clerk

Residence: Bethlehem Hometown: Bethlehem

#### What have you been listening to lately?

I have the new Amazon music service and I have a ton of music on my iPhone that I play – just all different kinds, a mix of genres.

#### What have you been reading?

I'm not much of a reader.

#### What is your favorite show on TV?

"The Golbergs." It's hysterical. It's based in the 1980s, which is when I grew up, so I relate to the hairstyles and outfits and everything.

#### What was the last movie you saw?

"The Boss" with Melissa McCarthy. It

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was okay. Not one of my favorite movies of her's.

#### Could you describe what your dream vacation would be?

Somewhere tropical with clear blue water, sandy beaches and lots of hot sun.

#### What are some of your hobbies?

I like walking and listening to music, and painting.

#### What would your last meal be?

My last meal would be pizza. Just basic, easy pizza. My dad was the original founder and owner of Andriano's pizza in Delmar from 1962 to 1972.

# What is something you think most people would be surprised to learn about you?

I sing a little bit, and I love to sing. But, never in front of anybody.

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#### COMMUNITY

# Stopping to support crossing guard

Former, current Elsmere Elementary School students rally behind Isabel Glasseter

#### **By TRICIA CREMO**

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#### BETHLEHEM —

Bad things can happen to good people. Isabel Glasseter learned this lesson after being involved in a car crash that took the life of a woman on an snowy, spring morning.

On Monday, April 4, at about 10:30 a.m., Ashley C. Taheri, 55, of Voorheesville, was driving on Route 155 in Guilderland when she lost control of her vehicle and flew into the opposite lane of traffic, according to Guilderland Police. Glassetter was driving her son to work when Taheri's car swerved into her lane. The resulting crash took the life of Taheri, a social worker who had worked as a mental health clinician with the New York City Fire Department after 9/11. Glasseter was left with two broken ankles, bruises and a heart heavy with unfounded guilt.

Glassestter has spent most of her life – over 25 years - protecting children from cars as the longtime crossing guard at Elsmere Elementary School. She has sustained a few minor on injuries on the job, when distracted drivers failed to notice her bright orange vest and handheld stop sign as she halts traffic on busy Delaware Avenue. But, never had Glasseter been in a crash as serious as the one she was in that day.

"I feel incredibly bad for the other family involved. I'm devastated that it even happened," said Glasseter



Isabel Glasseter in her room at Good Samaritan Rehabilitation Center in Delmar.

Tricia Cremo/Spotlight

when asked about the crash. "I've been trying to find the words to write the family a note, but I just haven't found the words yet." The memory of the crash is one she will hold with her forever, she said.

Glasseter will spend several weeks recovering at Good Samaritan Rehabilitation Center in Delmar. She will then spend the next several months in a wheelchair and attend physical therapy classes regularly. In order for her to get in and out of her home, a ramp will need to be built. In order to help the family with these costs, an online account has been made to benefit Glasseter.

"She has yet to stop crying. She wants to be home, and now it could be months," said Jennifer Hammond, Glassetter's daughter. Just like her mother, Hammond also works as a crossing guard locally at Eagle Elementary. For both, the job has served them well over the years, and allowed them enough time to raise their children. Glasseter and her husband, Donald, have six children

and 14 grandchildren.

In her room at Good Samaritan, Glasseter is surrounded by flowers and dozens of letters from children, who colorfully wish her a speedy recovery. As the crossing guard for so many years, Glasseter has become a face that generations of parents and children have grown to trust. She now helps the children whose parents she once helped many years ago.

"They're all really good kids," she said warmly. Glasseter has countless stories from her many years on the job, like the time she used her stop sign to help a boy dig out a boot that had gotten lodged in the snow on his way to school.

As the news broke of Glasseter's hospital stay, a past student, Carrie Holligan Smith, took to Facebook to share one such story.

"My childhood wouldn't have been the same without Ms. Glasseter," Smith wrote. "As my elementary school crossing guard, she began and ended each day with her sweet smiling face guiding me to safety." And, Smith said, Glasseter was the only person to stop on a snowy night to rescue Smith's sister, who had veered off 9W into a ditch. Glasseter pulled her from the vehicle and returned her home in an act of

Along with her job as a crossing guard, Glasseter has also volunteered as an EMS responder for three decades. It not only is a

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way for her to give back to her community but also an opportunity to spend more time with her husband, who volunteers with Elsmere Fire Department. At first Glasseter tried to volunteer for the fire company itself, but, "it was 30 years ago, they weren't ready for a husband/wife team," she explained.

So, Glasseter joined Bethlehem EMS, and not only became the very first social member of the Elsmere Fire Department, but also the first female Life Member of Bethlehem EMS, the department's highest honor. She later volunteered for Delmar EMS as well and spent numerous hours with both

departments, before they merged in 2013.

She continues to serve as a member of the Ladies Auxiliary for the Elsmere Fire Department. She plans to return to work by next year.

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