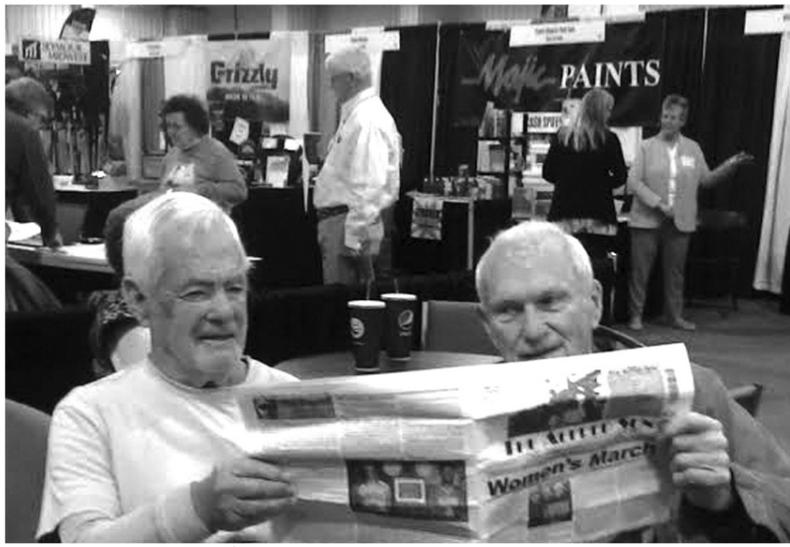


Alfred Sun at Hardware Show

Dave Hildebrand (at right), worked at Stan Lee Hardware while studying ceramic engineering at Alfred University, becoming life-long friends with the owner, Stanley Butts. After 38 years in the ceramic industry, he went to work at another hardware store, Handyman's Market in Waterloo, SC, becoming life-long friends with the owner, Robert Henderson. Here, Robert and Dave are reading the *Alfred Sun* at the Monroe Hardware Show in Concord, NC.



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Mmm Mmm Maple Festival

Andover Lions will host 44th Maple Festival April 1 & 2

ANDOVER—Pancakes with local maple syrup is the theme of season, and what better way to enjoy it than by stopping by the Andover Maple Festival, April 1 & 2 at the Andover Central School. The newly chartered Andover Lions Club began this event in 1973. Since then it has emerged as an established tradition that has outlived many of the Lions who got it started.

In addition to the locally produced maple products and delicious variety of food being offered, vendors, artists, entertainment and exhibits continue to be a large part of the festivities.

Blacksmith Bill Banker from Almond will be demonstrating his craft. It is a lot of fun to watch Bill at his anvil as he hammers hot bars of steel into useful and decorative objects.

The headline musical performance this year will be Pat Kane and West O'Clare. This Irish themed combo was a big hit at the Andover Block Party in August. The free performance at 1 p.m. Saturday is sponsored by three local businesses with Irish roots, Otis Eastern, Hart's Memorials and Walker Metalsmiths Celtic Jewelry.

Also scheduled for Saturday Pancake breakfast opens at 7 a.m. Exhibits open at 9 a.m. There will be a puppet show at 10:30 a.m. and a Kiddie Tractor Pull at 11 a.m.



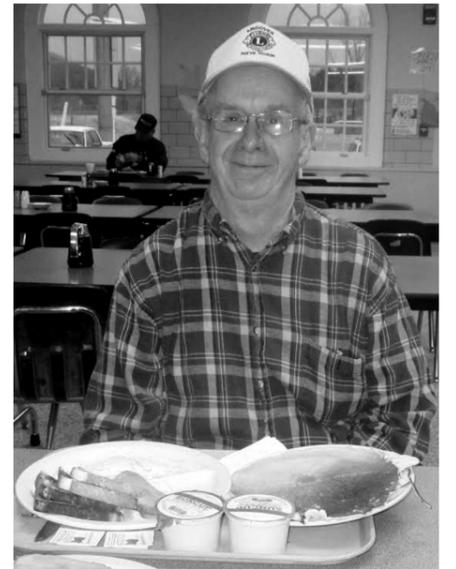
Blacksmith Bill Banker will demonstrate his craft at the 2017 Andover Maple Festival.

On Sunday the Andover Lions welcomes Bwana Jim's Wildlife Show with three performances at 10 a.m., 12:30 and 1:30 p.m. Bwana Jim's fun and educational show features live birds, reptiles and mammals.

Exhibits include local maple products,

antiques, arts and crafts, local businesses as well as local clubs and organizations. The "Sugar Shack" demonstrates the process of boiling sap to make maple sugar on the grounds of Blessed Sacrament Church, across Elm Street from the school.

Lions Clubs are known for their vision and health services. Free children's eye screening will be offered. The Lions Club will also have an information booth explaining the numerous charitable and social programs provided by the club and offering information for anyone who may be interesting in membership.



Lion Jim Richmond is ready to dig into a plate of pancakes and maple syrup at last years Andover maple Festival.

ALFRED UNIVERSITY

Women in Society class posts message of hope

ALFRED—The billboard on the outskirts of Hornell on state Route 21 bears a quote from former Brazilian President Dilma Rouseff: "I hope the fathers and mothers of little girls will look at them and say, 'Yes, women can.'"

It's a message of hope that anyone driving from Alfred into Hornell can read, thanks to the efforts of Alfred University's Women in Society class, offered through the University's Women and Gender Studies program.

Alfred University Professor Sandra Singer, who is teaching the class in the current spring semester, says the billboard design is the work of Miranda Sakala, a second-year student in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and a resident of Olean.

Sakala's design was one of 16 developed by students in the class, in a competition for best billboard design Singer organized when she first taught the class in 2014. It received the largest number of positive votes in a balloting Singer conducted once the students had finished and submitted their projects.

"The idea was to develop a sign that had a positive message about women and feminism," Singer says, noting the designs had to be finished in time for the beginning of March – Women's History Month in the U.S.

In 2014, Singer's Women in Society class designed a poster that eventually adorned a billboard on state Route 36 north of Hornell. "I hoped people going in and out of Hornell would see it," she says, "but I chose Route 21 this time, because fewer of our students got to see the sign in 2014 -- they don't go in that direction."

She adds the logistics of securing the billboard were a little easier this year. Three years ago, she had no idea how to contact a billboard company. She eventually tracked down the company that owned the billboard north of Hornell and used the same business for the current billboard site on Route 21.

"I'd never contacted a billboard company before," she says. "I had to figure that one out."



AU's Women in Society billboard message can be seen on Route 21 outside of Hornell.

OBITUARIES

Francis S. 'Babi' Argentieri, 88, employed 39 years by Hornell Post Office



FRANCIS S. 'BABI' ARGENTIERI

Served during Korean Conflict
HORNELL—Francis S. "Babi" Argentieri, 88, of 44 Spruce St., Hornell, died Saturday evening, March 18, 2017 at his home, surrounded by his loving family, following an illness. A native and lifelong resident of Hornell, he was born Feb. 12, 1929, and was the son of Silvino

and Dorothy (Feeney) Argentieri.

Babi was a graduate of St. Ann's School and later graduated from Hornell High School (class of 1947). While in high school, he excelled in sports and following graduation played football in a local semi-pro league (1948-1949).

He was a veteran of the US Army, serving his country during the Korean Conflict. While serving in the military, Babi was wounded twice by shrapnel and received two Purple Heart Medals. He was honorably discharged in 1952.

Francis was a member of Our Lady of the Valley Parish and had been a member of St. Ignatius Loyola Church. He was a member of St. Ann's School Board, and president of St. Ann's Alumni Association. He was also a member of the Hornell American Legion.

In his younger years, Babi enjoyed bowling and was a member of several bowling teams that competed in various tourna-

ments and several bowling leagues. He was a New York Yankees fan and also enjoyed rooting for the Irish of Notre Dame. Babi was a constant fan and supporter at all of his grandchildren's scholastic and sporting events.

As a young man, Babi worked at Argentieri's Meat Market as a delivery man and also worked behind the counter. He was employed for 39 years at the Hornell Post Office in many capacities, including mail carrier and window clerk, retiring in August of 1990 as Superintendent.

In addition to his parents, Francis was preceded in death by his brother, Robert "Bob" Argentieri.

He was married on Nov. 14, 1953 to the former Mary Ann Glynn, who survives. Also surviving are four daughters, Elizabeth "Liz" (Albert) Lucarelli of Elmira, Mary Frances Conner of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, Jeanne (Jeffrey) Black of Naples, and Ann (Joe) Brungard of Hornell;

two sons, Francis "Fran" (Colleen) Argentieri of Hornellsville and Stephen (Michele) Argentieri of Syracuse; two brothers, William "Chop" Argentieri of Hornell and James (Phyllis) Argentieri of Hornell; one sister, Mary Agnes (Donald) Crosby of Hornell; 17 grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; several brother and sister-in-laws, many nieces, nephews and cousins.

The family of Francis S. "Babi" Argentieri received friends from 4-7 p.m. Tuesday, March 21 at the Dagon Funeral Home, 38 Church St., Hornell. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at 2 p.m. Wednesday,

March 22 at St. Ann's Church with burial in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Babi's family request that in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in his name be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, Rochester Chapter, P.O. Box 368, Pittsford, N.Y., 14534. Memorial forms are available at the Dagon Funeral Home.

To leave an online condolence or to print a memorial form, visit www.dagonfuneralhome.com

In recognition to Francis' service to his country during the Korean Conflict, the American Flag at the Dagon Funeral Home will be flown at half-staff.

Bernice R. Greenthal, 84, was lifelong Hornell area resident

BERNICE R. GREENTHAL
Certified Nursing Assistant
NORTH HORNELL—Bernice R. Greenthal, 84, passed away peacefully, Thursday, March 16, 2017 at Highland Healthcare, in Wellsville.

Born in Hornell, Feb. 15, 1933, the daughter of Frederick and Louise (Slatt) Pulkowsky, she was a lifelong area resident, graduating from Hornell High School. Bernice was retired as a Certified Nursing Assistant, working for the Hornell Gardens for 24 years, and later going on to provide private Home Health Care. She was a member of the Our Lady of the Valley Parish, and a communicant of St. Ann's Church.

Bernice was a member of the Ladies Auxillary of the VFW, American Legion Auxillary in Arkport, as well as the Hornell Moose Lodge and the Ladies of the Moose. She also looked forward to the summer months, when she could tend to her yard and flower gardens.

She was predeceased by her husband, William F. Greenthal in 1968 as well as her daughter,

Debora A. Greenthal-Leleck in 2008, 2 sisters Gloria Masterson and Catherine Ingalls.

She is survived by her sons, Frederick (Susan) Greenthal of Alfred Station and Timothy (Cindy) Greenthal of Hornell; her brother Louis (Teresa) Pulkowsky of Hornell; 2 sisters, Adeline Baird of Hornell and Freida Kemp of Hornell; 5 grandchildren, William and Kirsten Greenthal, both of Alfred Station, Jessie (Jason) Lee, Tiffany Leleck, both of MS, and Seth (Amanda) Baker of CO; 2 great-grandchildren as well as several nieces, nephews and friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 22, 2017 in St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church in Hornell. Burial was in Rural Cemetery in Hornell.

To send a remembrance please visit www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com.

Julie Presutti Congelli, 100, skilled homemaker



JULIE PRESUTTI CONGELLI

County centenarian

BELMONT—Our beloved and beautiful Julie Presutti Congelli returned to her Heavenly family on Sunday, March 12, 2017 just weeks after her 100th birthday. She was intensely and lovingly tended at home for the last four years of her life by her devoted granddaughter. Dedicated wife, mother, grandmother, sister, sister-in-law, aunt, great aunt, and friend, she spent all of her days and all of her energy caring for those she loved. She retained her wit, sparkling laugh and vibrant personality until her last days.

Julie was born in Olean to Frank and Nancy (DeFiore) Presutti. She was the fourth of twelve children. She graduated from Belmont High School, and in 1940 married Henry Congelli, a talented and dignified gentleman from Wellsville, where they lived for a short time before moving briefly to Buffalo then back to Belmont and then again to Buffalo. From there it was on to Stamford, Connecticut for many years with a short interlude in Richmond, Va., then again back to Connecticut to happily reunite with daughters and grandchildren.

She enjoyed several trips abroad with her husband, especially their two visits to the Vat-

ican. She always remained close to her large family in the Southern Tier, traveling home often to see them. Upon retirement Henry and Julie returned permanently to Belmont where they were blessed to share another era of life together with their many relatives and friends in this area.

A homemaker and cook extraordinaire, Julie lovingly crafted each residence into a beautiful home and is known for her exceptionally fine meals, especially her best-in-the-world apple pie. She was also a voracious reader and lifelong devout member of the Roman Catholic Church, spiritually reverent in the highest order. Her generosity was ever notable in her family and her Church, and extended to many missions around the world.

Though small in stature she was gigantic in character. Her strong moral compass was the backbone of her family. With her heart and soul in every endeavor, she never lost sight of the right way to do things. Her support and guidance will be deeply missed.

Julie was predeceased by her husband of 64 years, Henry Congelli; her parents; and ten of her siblings and their spouses, Joseph, Yolanda, Elvira, Louis and Lena, Amedeo (Ab) and Irma, Lenora and Samuel Vacante, Genevieve and M.J. (Bud) Creighton, E. Joseph, former Allegany County Clerk, Charles, and Leonard, former Mayor of Belmont, and his wife Waneta; also, brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Felix Congelli, Raymond and Rosie Congelli, John and Elsie Congelli, Tony and Helen Congelli, Joseph and Dena Congelli, Michael Congelli, Mary and Fran Ward. She was additionally predeceased by several nieces and nephews, among them Linda Creighton, Dana Presutti, Christopher Presutti,

Matthew Presutti, William Presutti, Louis Presutti, Jr., Raymond Congelli, Jr., Carmen Congelli, and Karen Congelli.

Surviving are daughters, Carole Martin and Pamela Congelli; grandson, Jeffrey Martin and granddaughter, Spencer Martin, M.D. Also surviving are a brother, Peter Presutti, his wife, Rosamonde; sisters-in-law, Lasca (Felix) Congelli and Linda (Charles) Presutti; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Arrangements are being made by J.W. Embser Sons Funeral Home in Wellsville. There will be no calling hours. Mass of Christian Burial at Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph Roman Catholic Church in Belmont will be announced. Great-nephew Zachariah Presutti of the Society of Jesus will assist with the services.

Memorial donations may be made to The Salesian Missions <http://www.salesianmissions.org>; EWTN Global Catholic Network, <http://www.ewtn.com>; or a favorite charity.



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Betty Burdick

ELIZABETH B. (MILLER) "BETTY" BURDICK

Long-time Alfred resident
 Word has been received of the death on Tuesday morning, March 21, 2017 of long-time Alfred area resident Betty Burdick. A complete obituary will be published once it becomes available.

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OBITUARIES

Sheila Gilmour, 91, counselor

BRUNSWICK, ME—Sheila Mary Williams was born in London, England, on Aug. 27, 1925, the daughter of Frank Garfield Williams and Sara Myfanwy Nicholson.

Her childhood was spent in the London suburbs, Llandaff in Wales, and Manchester, where her father was Dean of Manchester Cathedral. She was a student at Sherborne School for Girls, after which she was conscripted into factory work to support the war effort in World War II. After the war, she attended Manchester University where she graduated with a degree in English literature.

She was married to Frederick C. Wall in December 1948 and came to America with him in January 1949. They settled in Syracuse, N.Y., where they raised a family of four children.

As her children got older, she returned to school to study for a master's in early childhood education. While there, she was the graduate assistant of one of the early researchers of Head Start. She became a faculty member at Cazenovia College, where she directed an early childhood program and a demonstration nursery school.

When she left Cazenovia, she did field training for Head Start aides in Western New York, on an Appalachian grant linked to Corning Community College in Corning. When the grant expired, she was added to the Corning Community College human services faculty, where she taught for several years.

She moved to Alfred in 1974, where her second husband, John C. Gilmour, was a faculty member at Alfred University. While there, she took several evening courses in counseling at Alfred University, and she began a new career as a clinical counselor for Allegany County Mental Health, where she specialized in the problems of women and children.

She retired from that position in 1984. In 1991, she and her husband relocated to Hammondsport, high above Keuka Lake. After John retired from Alfred University in 2000, they moved to Newcastle, Maine, and then to Brunswick in 2011.

Sheila died peacefully in her sleep on March 5, 2017, with her husband of 41 years at her side. During the last 15 months of her life, she was given loving care in her home by her family and by Community Health and Nursing Services (CHANS).

She is survived by her husband, John; her children, William Wall, of Gainesville, Fla.; Sara Bollinger and her husband Christopher, of Fayetteville, N.Y.; Mary Wall and her husband Marc Shankman, of High Fall, N.Y.; stepson Andrew Doud and his wife Monica and their sons Jonah and Samuel Doud, of Granville, Ohio; and son-in-law Terry Harrington and his wife Jan, of Prattsburg, N.Y.; and four grandchildren, Kelley Wall, of Pompey, N.Y.; Jeremy Wall, of San Francisco, Calif.; and Alex and Matthew Harrington, of Eugene, Ore.

She was predeceased by her daughter, Barbara Harrington; her brother, Paul Hodder-Williams; and her sister, Barbara Myfanwy Hollaender.

The family offers warm thanks to all the professionals at CHANS for their kind and competent support.

An announcement of a memorial service will come at a future date. Arrangements are under the care of Funeral Alternatives, Brunswick. Condolences may be expressed to the family at: www.FuneralAlternatives.net.

SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ
Alfred Sun Columnist



Spring seems the time for cooking lamb

[Editor's Note: Like most of the recipes she shared with our readers over the past couple of decades, Ellen Shultz's Sunny Side Up columns are worth repeating.]

Spring seems to be the time for cooking lamb, if you ever cook it. Many people do not like the taste, but here is a recipe that will produce a delicious dish with very little effort. It also is not very expensive, because ground lamb is usually cheaper than the chops and a lesser among is needed to feed more people.

I don't know where I originally found this recipe, maybe in Nova Scotia. I also didn't get the proper name for the dish, so I made up my own--unimaginative but succinct.

The Lamb Thing

1 lb. ground lamb	olive oil
1/8 c. finely chopped onion	lemon juice
1 tsp. parsley	1/2 c. pine nuts

Brown the meat and onions in the olive oil and add 1 to 2 tsp. lemon juice; then add the pine nuts to warm them, just before serving.

Cook rice sufficient for two people (I use Uncle Ben's rice pilaf). Serve the rice and top with the meat mixture. Strew crumbled feta cheese on top of all. Extra lemon juice can be sprinkled on to taste.



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ROSEBUSH PIPE ORGAN

Organ recital Sunday, March 26 will honor memory of Margaret 'Peggy' Wingate Rase

ALFRED—There will be a free organ recital on the Rosebush pipe organ in the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church on Sunday, March 26. The organ recital is in memory of Margaret "Peggy" Wingate Rase and is at her request. All are invited to attend.

The recitalist will be Dr. Judy Congdon. The program which starts at 3 p.m. will include Prelude and Fugue in C major, BWV 547 by J. S. Bach, a Chorale Partita by Johann Pachelbel, Gloria from Antiphons by Marcel Dupre, Trumpet Tune in C major by David Johnson, Three Hymn Preludes by Craig Phillips, and the Allegro from Symphony Op. 42, No. 6 by Charles Marie Widor.

Congdon is Professor of Organ at Houghton College in Houghton, a position in which she has served since the fall of 1991. She holds music de-

grees from Wheaton College, the University of Colorado, the Musikhochschule in Frankfurt, Germany where she was a Fulbright Scholar, and the Eastman School of Music where she was a student of renowned concert organist David Craighead. She has performed organ recitals in many parts of the United States as well as in Germany, Italy, and Russia, and has recorded 4 CD albums.

While the concert is free and open to all, the Rase family is encouraging donations to the Organ Restoration Fund. A basket will be available for those interested in contributing in Peggy's memory. Peggy's father, Dr. Ray Wingate, was professor of organ at Alfred University as well AU's first carillonneur, instilling in Peggy a love of music especially that of the organ and carillon.

Team Trivia!

ALFRED—Alfred University's Herrick Memorial Library will host its final Team Trivia Night of the spring semester from 8 to 10 p.m. Saturday, March 25 in the library's Bookend Lounge.

Host of Herrick Library's Team Trivia Night is Mike Allen of Elmira. His trivia questions cover a broad range of topics such as current events, sports, geography and history. His expertise is anything but trivial.

"Mike has been hosting Team Trivia twice a semester here at Herrick Library for eight years," explained Herrick Library Director Steve Crandall, "And I think he's been hosting it at a Hornell restaurant for nearly 20 years."

Groups are welcome to come compete as a team; individuals are also welcome to play either solo or to join others to compete for the prizes awarded to the top teams.

Pizza and soda, milk and cookies will be provided, free of charge, to all participants.

ALFRED

Weather for the Week

March 14-March 20

March Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow	
14	28	4	0.29"	3.0"
15	22	10	0.37"	6.1"
16	22	11	0.02"	0.9"
17	35	8	0	0
18	45	9	0	0
19	38	30	0.05"	0.2"
20	37	17	0	0

By JOHN BUCKWALTER
Alfred Area Weather Recorder



Kelly's Forecast

By KELLY SNYDER
Alfred Sun Weather Forecaster

"March, when days are getting long, Let thy growing hours be strong. To set right some wintry wrong."
—Caroline May, 1887

Thursday March 23
MOSTLY SUNNY
(HIGH 38—LOW 27)
Chance of precipitation.....10%

Friday March 24
AM RAIN
(HIGH 48—LOW 45)
Chance of precipitation.....80%

Saturday March 25
PM SHOWERS
(HIGH 48—LOW 35)
Chance of precipitation.....50%

Sunday March 26
SHOWERS
(HIGH 41 LOW 35)
Chance of precipitation.....70%

For more up to date weather information add your *Alfred Sun* Weatherman Kelly Snyder on Facebook and as always if you don't like the weather in Alfred just wait five minutes!

Scene About Alfred

A weekly photo feature
By SHERRY VOLK
Alfred Sun Columnist



If you ever wondered where they come from, look no further. On a bright day on Texas Highway 118, we spotted the answer; one apparently must go mining for cowboys.

Bentonite clay is the product of the weathering of volcanic ash, of which we have a copious amount in this area of Texas. I have personal experience with two applications of bentonite. Some manufacturers use it in their lipstick formulas, and, years ago, when I was taking, and thoroughly enjoying, ceramics from Marie Snoreck, she asked students for help in mixing glazes for our work. I spent an enjoyable afternoon with Marie, making mudpies in five-gallon buckets, the composition of which included bentonite clay. There are many other applications as well.

This isn't exactly an application, but the stuff lies all around here, waiting for the wind to pick it up so it can become a dust storm in the frequent west Texas winds. If rain happens to fall, a very rare event, every area not paved, which is most areas, turns into a seriously sticky mud hole. The clay sticks in great gluey gobs to shoes, pets' feet, and tires. One time, I saw a Pinzgauer, which is a Swiss-made all-terrain military vehicle (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pinzgauer_High-Mobility_All-Terrain_Vehicle) with its wheels spinning uselessly in wet clay on the "dirt" road because the clay clung to, and filled up the tire tread.

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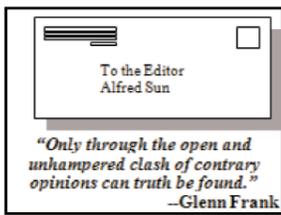
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

There are a number of reasons we travel



Open letter to Alan Littell:

Your article (Jan. 12 *Sun*) discussing your thoughts about why we travel intrigued me; thanks for sharing it with us.

I would like to contribute some thoughts of my own to the question. I would say there are a number of reasons we travel. When thinking about the beauty of the countryside, both in the States and abroad, I would posit we travel to see just a glimpse of the majesty and creativity of the One who created us.

The beauty of the peaks and lakes in Austria, along with the beautiful sunset fading away over the mountains giving way to a star struck night, it is an amazing 3 dimensional picture that is ever changing which no human could ever hope to capture because this work of art is always evolving. I believe it all tells us a bit more about where we came from; it relates to us a piece of our origin.

It is amazing to know the creator of all of this was also the one who created us and the children He has blessed us with. We stand beside the ocean and realize how small we truly are and that can bring to us a necessary humility before the One who made it all.

I would also say we travel to connect with our loved ones in new and concentrated doses. Travel allows us to excuse ourselves from the day to day and put ourselves in situations and locations that help us to see and appreciate our loved ones in ways we haven't in the past or at home. Often times the travel stretches us as we do new things in new places and we get stretched together, we accomplish something together as we plan and then take on these new adventures.

Also, I would say a good reason to travel would be to learn history, like you said, and get a closer sense of it first hand. When we travel to see things like the Holocaust I believe that reminds us of the depravity of man and the amazing depths of evil we are capable of. It reminds us to be careful of our own hearts

and the sin that lurks there as well, if we are willing to face it.

And the history of the Jews is of course a special one. We can look at the devastation they went through and then the reunification and establishment of the state of Israel and see the amazing ways the Bible speaks of this happening.

Travel also gives us an opportunity to miss home, and appreciate home and that we have our own place in the world. I say it also lends itself to us remembering we are sojourners, spiritually speaking, we aren't home yet. We have a final destination not long off.

"Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day." 2 Corinthians 4:16 "So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal." 2 Corinthians 4:18

Thanks for listening.

Your friend,
Jason Tutak
Alfred

Supports Trump

To the Editor:

I wholeheartedly support President Trump's actions!

(1) We need change in Obamacare, as it is not helping the working middle class, it is only helping the people on Medicaid, that don't want to work. Why can't the working people get the same benefits as the people that do not want to work? So let's try Trump's and the Republican ideas. We had Obama's health care whether we wanted it or not. His ideas only worked for the people who do not want to work.

(2) Trump is trying to keep this country safe, that's why he was elected. Are we supposed to allow the refugees that come from countries that hate America, to come and go as they please? Why aren't the men from these countries staying and fighting along side our military and helping free their country instead of escaping to America?

(3) To all the people who want the refugees here, I hope you have lots of room in your houses and money to take care of them because the rest of us cannot afford to support them. When they come here they will automatically be put on social services. They will get the best medical,

food stamps and a house to live in—things that the working people take years to obtain.

(4) I have never seen so many spoiled little children as the Democrats are. Just because so many voted for Trump and his ideas, they're stomping their feet like little kids. Grow up Democrats and unite the country.

(5) Democrats: get over obsessing about Russia. I would rather be friends with a powerful country like Russia than opening the doors to a deceitful country like Obama did with Cuba. Kennedy knew what Cuba was like; that's why he closed the doors.

Dianne Lockwood
Jean Wilkins

Enjoyed St. Pat's Day

To the Editor:

Please tell Jude Frechette that we always enjoy her columns, reminding us of those great days in Alfred.

I especially enjoyed the last one about St. Pats Day. I remember well marching in the parade. Our Ceramic Engineering faculty group wore green hard hats and played kazoos. I can still see distinguished Professor Frechette marching along with his green hard hat and kazoo.

Dick Borst

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"AT FIRST I THOUGHT IT WAS CBS, BUT IT'S ON EVERY CHANNEL."

Sun Spots



Pick Your Poison
Or,

Careful What You're Digging for Yourself in That Six-Foot Drift

While shoveling the latest weather March was dishing out With temps down in the teens and with the wind whipping about, Recalling when, in younger days, it seemed like snow weighed less, And noting, too, my heart rate near two hundred (I would guess), But observing this as well, that when I stopped to catch my breath Wind blasted through my parka and about froze me to death, I contemplated whether (as toward west I turned my back) Death by frostbite would be better, or a massive heart attack.

Well, luckily I hit upon a compromise solution That saved me from the prospect of post-mortem retribution— Cuz I knew that if I died out there before I finished shoveling It would much displease the missus, and then no amount of groveling Nor excuses like "I froze to death" would spare me from her wrath...

Most definitely not...

So I smartened up and thought I'd stop shoveling myself a six-foot hole, and make a path.

—A. slow-And-steady Mouse



FROM THE DESK OF DAVID PULLEN

By DAVID PULLEN
Allegany County Legislator

SERVING THE PUBLIC GOOD

The March 13th session of the Allegany County Legislature had some unusual elements. It began, as usual, with the Pledge of Allegiance. Former Air Force Airman First Class Bobbi Foster led us in reciting the Pledge. She enlisted in the Air Force on December 14, 1984, and served until June 29, 1987. Her primary assignment was as an Administration Specialist. She has worked, until recently, for the Veterans Administration. She lives in Andover, with her husband.

Privilege of the Floor was granted to John Padlo and interns from the BOCES Government Internship program. They are receiving "hands-on" experience in how local government works. Director Kathryn Boyle-Kirsch of the Allegany County Association for the Blind gave a presentation on the services provided by that organization. Representatives from several County agencies and departments were available to answer questions, and new reports were received from additional county agencies.

Eight separate resolutions were considered and approved by the Legislature. Resolution #32-17 was taken "off the table" for consideration. It approved an appropriation of \$8,000 for the Allegany County Association For the Blind and Visually Handicapped, Inc. This resolution had been previously tabled to gather additional information about its programs. That information was delivered during "Privilege of the Floor." This resolution was approved by a vote of 12 ayes, and 2 noes, with 2 legislators absent. Resolution #45-17 approved the creation of one full-time position of Account Clerk Typist in the Office For the Aging ("OFA"). Resolution #46-17 created 3 part-time positions of typist in OFA. These positions will actually allow the County to reduce staffing expense in OFA. Resolution #47-17 re-appropriated \$4,497 for the County Comprehensive Planning School Grant. Resolution #48-17 accepted and appropriated a \$434 insurance payment from NYMIR for damage to a DPW vehicle. Resolution #49-17 approved an agreement with the Allegany County Agricultural Society ("County Fair Board") for \$8,000. Resolution #50-17 approved a lease with Sanzo GT, LLC, for office space for the Cancer Services Pro-

gram at 20-24 Water Street, in Cuba, at a monthly rental rate of \$541.50.

Resolution #51-17 sought approval for an electric purchase agreement through MEGA (Municipal Electric and Gas Alliance) between the County and Constellation Energy Services of NY, Inc. This agreement will run from now until December 31, 2018. It is projected that this will generate considerable savings for the County over the next 21 months. The exact amount cannot be ascertained until the period has expired, and we can compare the rates we paid with the rates available through our regular utility provider. I think this shows prudent analysis, and creative planning that should save the county significant sums.

After acting on all of the resolutions the Board conducted its audit of the approved bills and expenses, and then approved payment of those amounts. This was approved by unanimous vote of the Legislators present. At that point Chairman Crandall informed the Legislature that I had requested and been granted Privilege of the Floor. I delivered some comments that reviewed my time of service as a Legislator. I then announced that I needed to "resign" from the Board. My service had started on January 1, 2006, and ended on March 13th, 2017. Recent changes in my law practice have made it necessary for me to spend more time on the legal work that "actually pays the bills." While challenging and rewarding, my service as a Legislator has been rendered at the expense of time spent on my full-time job and with my family. Much remains to be done, but there are many qualified individuals who can serve and work to achieve further progress.

My comments emphasized several points. Although there are differences of opinion and disagreements about specifics, I am confident that every legislator serves out of a sincere desire to improve conditions in our County. We just differ on how to accomplish that objective. I believe that each individual can make a difference, and urge others to give serious consideration to serving at the village, town, school district, or county level. It has been a privilege to serve as your Legislator for the past 11 years.

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Dogfest IV lineup set

SAB alumni treat current students to 500 free tickets

ALFRED—Alfred University's Student Activities Board has announced the lineup for this year's big concert to be held on Saturday, April 8, 2017. The headliner is rock band Never Shout Never with support acts Murs, SHAED, and The Wrecks.

An open contest for a local opener will be held two weeks prior to the concert on March 24.

The event, titled DOG-fest IV, will begin at 6 p.m. and run until midnight possibly outdoors but more likely in the McLane Center's Galanis Family Arena. Tickets are available through the Center for Student Involvement by contacting csi@alfred.edu.

Over 500 tickets have been made available for current students through the generosity of alumni and former AU concert producers Lee Breck, Jason Gray, Matt Gardner, and Colby Cotton. More donations are rolling in from SAB alumni with the hopes of offering the free concert experience to over one thousand current students.

The Student Activities Board has been producing large concerts for nearly half a decade with alumni often reminiscing about the incredible live shows in small intimate venues. Highlights have included Maroon 5, Black Eyed Peas, Alanis Morsette, Gym Class Heroes, American Authors, Iron and

Wine and comedians Adam Sandler and Zach Galifianakis. Due to a limited budget, the bands are rarely superstars at the time of visiting Alfred but rather on their way up.

"The Student Activities Board is often given the impossible task of bringing an artist to please every student," shares AU senior Zack Shaw, the 2017 concert chair. "Our D.O.G.-fest concert stands for Diversity of Genres, as we try to bring smaller, rising artists from different music scenes. This year features various styles of rock and hip hop."

"I love that alums - past concert producers - are giving back to what was often a thankless and back-breaking job for many of them," adds Dan Napolitano, SAB advisor for the past twenty years. "It isn't until years later that their peers appreciated Maroon 5 or Black Eyed Peas coming to Alfred - once they've made it big. I keep telling students that they'll regret not seeing these upcoming bands now while they're visiting Alfred."

The upcoming concert is open to the public with general admission tickets available for \$10 by contacting csi@alfred.edu for an on-line link for purchase. Questions can be directed to the same e-mail address.



ALFRED MONTESSORI SCHOOL

Art Auction will support Montessori School

ALFRED—Get dressed up and come out for a classy evening at the Alfred Montessori School's triennial Art Auction on Saturday, April 1 in the Alfred Village Hall from 6-10 p.m.

Artists represented include well-known Alfredians such as Linda Sikora, Angie To, Angus Powers, Amy Powers, Matt Metz, John Gill, and many others. There will be simultaneous live and silent auctions, with fine art and ceramic art pieces for all budgets.

Acclaimed artist and Alfred local John Gill will reprise his famed role as auctioneer.

The Alfred Montessori School is a non-profit school that provides Montessori Method education for children as young as 6 weeks old through preschool, as well as an after-school program for school-age children. The school provides a unique opportunity for children to receive the benefits of careful instruction from a young age, encouraging them to develop their social, emotional, and academic skills in a nurturing and carefully created environment.

The Montessori Art Auction is a major fundraiser to support the school, and is held only every three years. Funds from previous two Art Auctions made possible the establishment of an Infant Room at the school, and a major safety and cosmetic overhaul of the Mike Kenyon Play-

an evening of music, wine, and art appreciation

ALFRED MONTESSORI SCHOOL triennial ART AUCTION

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ground, a fixture enjoyed by the entire village.

Moneys raised at the 2017 auction will support the positive financial wellness of the school, Montessori teacher training and development, as well as numerous projects for the school. Your contributions will be most beneficial to this small, yet hugely significant part of the Alfred community! For more information about the Alfred Montessori School, check out our website: alfredmontessori.com.

Tickets to the Art Auction are \$15 each or 2 for \$25, and can be purchased from Montessori families, the school itself, or will be available at the event, Saturday, April 1 at the Alfred Village Hall when the doors open at 6 p.m. Tickets include light food and live music (during the preview hour before the live auction begins at 7 p.m.), and access to the auction items.

There will be a wine and beer cash bar open throughout the night. Auction purchases can be made with cash, check, or charge. Childcare will be available at the school for a small fee. Please arrange childcare reservations prior to March 31 by contacting AMS Director Judy Rose at 607-587-9334 or e-mail her at: AMSdirector@yahoo.com. Come support the arts and the youngest members of the Alfred community at the AMS Art Auction Saturday, April 1!

Cultural Arts Calendar



Music
BANDS/DJs/RECITALS

Hornell Area Wind Ensemble Rehearsals Tuesday evenings at Hornell Intermediate School. New members are always welcome. For further information, call Nancy Luger at 587-9449 or call 545-8603.

AU Choral Spring Concert. 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 30, Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church Choral Spring Concert (Free Event) The AU Chorus will present a program of varied works. Free admission.

AU Instrumental Recital. 3 p.m. Sunday, April 9 at Howell Hall, AU campus. Featuring AU student instrumentalists. Free admission.

AU Jazz Band Concert 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 21, Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. (Free Event) Hot tunes! Free admission! What could be better!

AU Symphonic Band Concert 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 28, Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. (Free Event) Great music!

AU Symphony Orchestra Gems of the Baroque - (Free Event) 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 14, Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. A showcase of AU student soloists performing music of Bach and Vivaldi with the AU Orchestra. Free admission.

AU Vocal Student Recital. 3:00 pm Saturday, April 29, Howell Hall, AU campus. Student Recital for Vocalists! (Free Event) Lovely voices performing many different genres!

Genesee Valley Chorus, directed

by Norma Bartlett, celebrating 40 years, will hold concerts at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, March 26 at Andover First Presbyterian Church; at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 2 at the Scio Methodist Church, 4005 Main Street, Scio; and at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 9 at Brookside Wesleyan Church, Andover Road, Wellsville.

MostArts Festival: Plan to enjoy Summer Music & Art, Sunday, July 9-Saturday, July 15, 2017 at Alfred University featuring the Young Pianist Competition. visit: www.MostArts.alfred.edu for more information.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers live music some evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 22-Woodshed Prophets; Friday, Nov. 4-Tony Trishka. Saturday, Dec. 17-The Howlin' Brothers. For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

CHORAL GROUPS
Andover Catholic Choir. Rehearsals 7 pm Mondays at Blessed Sacrament Church, Andover. New members welcome. Contact Director Marcy Bledsoe at 478-5238.

Genesee Valley Chorus. Weekly rehearsals 7 pm Tuesdays at Congregational Church, 289 N. Main St., Wellsville. New members welcome. For further information, call 585-593-3173.

Maple City (Barbershoppers) Chorus Meetings 7:00 p.m. Mondays at United Methodist Church of Hornell, 7528 North Main St Ext., near Webbs Crossing Road, Hornell. New members welcome. Call 607-698-4690 for info.

Sanctuary Choir. Rehearsals 1st & 3rd Sabbath of Month - 12:30pm; Instrumentalists 4th Sabbath of Month - 9:00am. The Seventh Day Baptist Church - Alfred Station. New musicians welcome. Call 607-587-9176.

COFFEEHOUSES
Coffeehouse live entertainment periodically at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, 34 N. Main St., Alfred. Watch for schedule of coffee-

house performers.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers Coffee Houses TBA. Open Mic Night every Wednesday 7 to 10 p.m. For more info, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

CONCERTS/RECITALS
Davis Memorial Carillon Recitals. AU campus. Due to the retirement of the carillonneur, there is currently no weekly recital.

Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series at Davis Memorial Carillon, AU campus. Free concerts on Tuesdays during the month of July. The Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series honors Dr. Ray Winthrop Wingate, a professor of music at Alfred University for 56 years.



Theater & Dance

DANCE
International Folk Dancing Tuesday evenings from 8:30-10:30 p.m. We learn and do a variety of International Dances, many from the Balkans, Israel, Armenia, etc. Everyone is welcome, no partner or experience necessary! Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus.

Let's Dance Club offers occasional dances. For more information, contact president Carole Onoda at (607) 276-5475, vice-presidents John and Dee Cwynar at (607) 324-0373, secretaries Duffy and Barb Eisenheimer at (607) 295-7194, treasurers Charlie and Kathy Bill at (607) 295-7130, or band coordinators Doug and Melody Carrier at (607) 324-5821.

Community Ballroom at the Alfred Almond Bible Church, 4th Friday of every month. 7-7:30

p.m. Free instruction 7:30-9 p.m. open ballroom dancing. Ages 18 and up. For more information, call 276-6700 or visit: www.aabile.org

DRAMA GROUPS
Wee Playhouse meets monthly. Call Vice-President Martha Lash at 587-8675 for more info.

Alfred Community Theatre (ACT). Organized to revive summer theater in Alfred and help restore the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater. For more info, call Dave Snyder at 587-8110.

PERFORMANCES
As You Like It! romantic comedy by the Bard, new hope, new life and much love are found in the Forest of Arden. 7:30 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, April 6-7-8, Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. Tickets required. Visit the Box Office or email performs@alfred.edu



Art/Galleries

INSTRUCTION/GROUPS
Allegany Artisans. The Allegany Artisans, local artists and craftspeople working together to host an annual studio tour, held annually in October, invite artists to apply. Work is juried. Studio must be in Allegany County. 585-593-6345 or visit the website: www.alleganyartisans.com.

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Angelica Sweet Shop 44 W. Main in Angelica's Park Circle National Historic District. Open daily 8 am-5 pm For more info: 585-466-7070 or www.angelicasweetshop.com.

Cohen Center for the Arts. 55 N. Main Street, Alfred. Gallery open 11-5 Thurs.-Fridays.

Wellsville Art Association

meets 7 pm on the last Friday of each month at Wellsville Community Center. For information on meetings or classes, call 585-593-3579.

Steuben Trust Gallery. Steuben Square, Hornell. On-going exhibits of Artist of the Month. M-F 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Sponsored by the Hornell Area Arts Council.

Southern Tier Fiberarts Guild, founded in 1983, meets at Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 N. Main St., Wellsville, on the first Saturday of the month from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. except months of July and Sept. The group welcomes spinners (and wannabes), quilters, knitters, crocheters, embroiderers, weavers, dyers, basket makers, hookers (rug hookers, that is) and everyone with a creative mind and an interest in fibers. For more information, call Debbie MacCrea at 607-587-9270, Carol Wood at 607-587-9519 or T.C. Gary at 585-593-4799.

MUSEUMS/EXHIBITS
The Andover House, exhibiting the best of Alfred connected Ceramic Art and 2 dimensional art. Historical and contemporary. Open 11am to 4pm on Saturdays. At 21 North Main Street, Andover New York. For visits by appointment call 585 593 3947 or 607 478 5014 : E-mail: Johnfdolan@yahoo.com.

Fountain Arts Center, 42 Schuyler Street, Belmont. For info or group arrangements, call 585-268-5951 or visit our website at: www.thefountainartscenter.org

The Corning Museum of Glass presents the most comprehensive glass collection in the world in "35 Centuries of Glassmaking." For info, call 607-937-5371.

Fosdick-Nelson Gallery at Alfred University. Fosdick-Nelson Gallery is located in Harder Hall, AU campus. Open 11-4 Mondays-Fridays. Info 871-2412.

Glenn H. Curtiss Museum 8419 Route 54, Hammondsport. Special exhibits, special events. Open daily 10-4. Admission. (607) 569-2160.

Hagadorn House Museum Operated by Almond Historical Society. Genealogical research available Friday afternoons.

Hinkle Memorial Library Gallery, Alfred State College Campus. Open during library hours, 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Fridays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturdays and 3-9 p.m. Sundays. For more information, call the library at 607-587-4313.

Hornell Erie Depot Museum, 111 Loder St., Hornell is open Wed., Thurs., & Fri. from 6-8 pm, and Sat from 12:30-3pm.

Inamori Kyocera Museum of Fine Ceramics. The newly constructed museum focuses on fine ceramics used in technical and bio-medical applications. Located on the top floor of Binns-Merrill Hall, AU campus, Alfred. Open 10-4 Wed.-Fri. Free admission.



Alfred Ceramic Art Museum. Located on Northeast corner of Main and Pine Streets, AU campus, Alfred. Hours: Tues. thru Friday 10-5. Thurs. 10-7, Sat. and Sun. 10-4. \$7 Adults, \$5 Seniors, \$3 Local Residents. Free for Museum members, 17 and under, AU and A State faculty staff and students. For information call 607-871-2421; or visit the museum website: ceramicmuseum.alfred.edu

National Warplane Museum. nationalwarplanemuseum.org, 3489 Big Tree Ln, Genesee, NY 14454, (585) 243-2100.

Rockwell Museum, 111 Cedar St., Corning. Largest American Western Art collection on view in the eastern United States, with paintings, sculpture, Native American artifacts, and firearms. Info 607-937-5386.

Terra Cotta Museum, Main St., Alfred. Open on special occasions or by appointment. Contact Wayne Higby for further information.

NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS



By MELANIE MILLER
Alfred Box of Books Director
Technology at the Library
Last week, with a grant from the Young Adult Library Services Association (YALSA) a division of the American Library Association, the Alfred Box of Books was able to participate in Teen Tech Week.

One of the exciting things we were able to do with those grant funds is to purchase a set of six Ozobots and an additional 3Doodler pen. Ozobots are tiny robots that children (of all ages!) can program. Drawing commands, the user can tell the robot how to move, where to move and how fast to move. A 3Doo-

lder is a pen that heats and extrudes plastics allowing the user to create 3 dimensional objects. Both Ozobots and the 3Doodler are great for science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) learning.

But did you know that the library offers many other technology services? Last year we assisted over 100 patrons in one-on-one technology help. If you are having trouble with your laptop, e-reader, iPad, smartphone or other gadget, the library is here to help. Whether it is downloading and using library apps like Overdrive or Zinio, using software such as Microsoft Office, or troubleshooting, the li-

brary can help. Rima O'Connor is available for one-on-one appointments, so you can get customized, personal service for your device.

The library also has devices you can borrow. Just like books or DVDs, you can check out e-readers or other handheld devices. These are popular when you're going on vacation and don't want to carry books with you. We can help you download Overdrive so you can read or listen to a book right on the device. Or if you're looking to buy a device, you can come test out ours to see what features you like best. We have a variety of styles and brands so you can find what meets your needs before you commit to the purchase.

The library also has the Adobe Creative Suite which includes Photoshop, so you can design flyers, edit photos, or create art. Additionally, we have a high quality scanner that can be used to archive photos, slides, or scan and send documents.

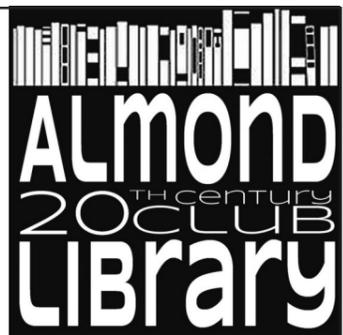
If you have questions about any of our technology services, please contact Rima O'Connor at the library at 607-587-9290 Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 12pm-6pm or Friday 10am-5pm.

Chance to see Mercury at dusk Wed., March 29

If you have never seen Mercury, now is your chance! At dusk on Wednesday, March 29, look west. There in the afterglow you will easily find the new crescent moon. To the lower right, shimmering in the fading light you will find Mercury.

This elusive planet is never seen in the dark of night - only just after sunset or just before dawn. Then it vanishes into the light of day or follows the sun into the darkness of night.

What's Happening at Almond Library
By ELIZABETH CALL
Almond Library Director



Want to learn how to do needle felting? I will be teaching a class at the library from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 29. We will be making felted Easter eggs. \$5.00 covers the cost of materials, and you will get to keep three felting needles so that you can do more felting at home. Register now on our website at: www.almondlibrary.org, and go to the Events Page. If you don't have access to a computer at home, call us or stop in at the library, and we'll complete the registration for you!

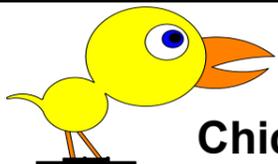
Art and Coffee for Seniors: our project is String Art this week. As always, all art materials are provided, and the coffee and company are free! What qualifies you for a senior? If AARP has been sending you letters, you can join us.

On Saturday, April 1, we will be hosting "Refining your Dining." This month, we will all make and then eat our creations together. In April, we will explore the wonderful world of cheese fondue. Register for one or both on our website, www.almondlibrary.org, and go to the Events page!

Feel free to contact the library with any questions you might have about our upcoming programs or anything else, and don't forget to check our website and our facebook page for the most up-to-date information: www.almondlibrary.org.

- Coming up at the Almond 20th Century Club Library:**
- Yoga with Kristin Buchholz -- Thursdays @ 5:45 pm
 - Book Club-- March 28 @ 5 pm -- this month's book: *The Broken Tea Glass*
 - Lego Club -- Thursdays @ 5:30
 - Library Tech Help -- 3rd Thursday of the month @ 6:00 pm
 - Teen Club -- Tuesday and Wednesday @ 3:30-6, some Saturdays
 - Art and Coffee for Seniors -- Fridays from 12:30- 2
 - Refining Your Dining: Fondue on April 1st @ 12:00 pm
- Contact: (607) 276-6311 | almondlibrary@gmail.com | P.O. Box D, Almond, NY 14804
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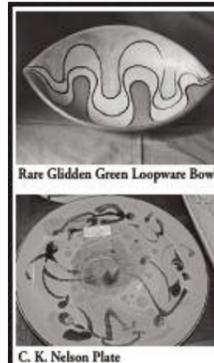
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Lectures/Readings

AU Women's Studies Roundtable. Held on the first Friday monthly during academic year from 12:20-1:10 p.m. at Women's Leadership Center, Commons, Ford Street, AU campus.

AU Environmental Studies Speakers Series. Talks are 12:20 to 1:10 Fridays in Science Center Room 247. All are welcome; refreshments will be served.

Allegany County Bird Club. Meetings held at the First Congregational Church, 289 N. Main Street, Wellsville, unless otherwise stated, at 7 p.m. on the first Friday of each month; speakers begin at 7:15 p.m. The club will NOT meet during the months of January and February 2017.

Baker's Bridge Historical Association. Meets 7:30 pm, third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. All programs free and open to the public. Jan. 16-Jim Ninos, "History of Cheese in the Alfred Area"; Feb. 20-John E. Ninos, "History of the

Alfred Lions Club"; March 20-Blake Mayo, "Stair Climbing Challenge"; April 17-Abolitionism in Allegany County; May/June-Field Trip, TBA. Website: www.bakersbridge.org. For more information, contact President Jim Ninos, 607-587-9018, jininos@gmail.com. For a tour of the building contact our Collections Manager, Laurie McFadden (607-382-7276, mcfadden@alfred.edu).

Bergren Forum. 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus when classes are in session. Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available. March 16-Xingwu Wang, "Sustainability Projects: Collaboration between Engineering and other disciplines across the AU Campus"; March 23-Mark Lewis, "The German Auto Industry"; March 30-Katarina Riesing, "Soft Core"; April 6-Phi Beta Kappa Wit and Wisdom Winner; April 13-Colleen Culley, "The Dude Moves: Questioning the Body Language of Masculinity"; April 20-Megan Staffel, "Why Should We Read Fiction?"; April 27-Andy Eklund, "Slavery, Immigration, and Women's Suffrage Through the Lens of Monstrosity"; May 4-Mark Zupan, "Inside Job: How Government Insider Subvert the Public Interest".

Maple City Garden Club. Monthly potluck lunch second Wednesday at Sawyer St. Court, Hornell (unless otherwise noted) at 12 noon. Program TBA. For info, call Zoë Coombs at 587-8031.

Nunda Historical Society. Questions: see www.nundahistory.org or call 585-476-2354 or 585-465-0971.



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Family Movie: "Monster's University" (2013) Rated G Sat., March 18 from 10:30 a.m.
After School Film: Sing (2016) PG, Friday, April 7 at 3:30pm
Matinee: "Hop" (2011) Rated PG Monday, April 10 at 3:30 pm
Family Movie: "Tom & Jerry and The Wizard of Oz" (2011) NR Sat., April 15 from 10:30 a.m.
Senior Movie Matinee: "The Sunshine Boys" (1974) Rated PG, Tues., April 25 from 2:00-4:00 pm
Monday Matinee: "Minions" (2015) Rated PG, Mon., May 8 from 3:30- 5:30 pm
Senior Movie Matinee: "The Trouble with the Curve" (2012) PG-13, Tues., May 23, 2:00-4:00 pm

Fun-n-Games

STAR GAZING John Stull Observatory open to the public free of charge, clear Friday nights from 9-11 p.m. Sept.-Oct.-Nov. and Feb.-March, April. Open clear Thursday nights from 10 p.m.-12 midnight during May, June and July. For info, call the Observatory phone at Alfred University, 871-2270.

BOWLING Maple City Bowl, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every Friday night 9 pm to 1 a.m. Come sing the night away with Our DJ! They are here every Friday bringing your favorite tunes! For updates, check www.maplecitybowl.net Or call 607-324-1011.

BRIDGE Helen Bailey Bridge Club. Games at 2 p.m. Wednesdays and at 7 p.m. Thursdays at the Hornell United Presbyterian Church, Main Street, Hornell. For further information, contact Pat LaCourse at 587-8570.

Str8 Eight Card Game Tournament at 8 pm (unless otherwise noted) on the 8s at the Terra Cotta

Coffeehouse, Main St., Alfred. The next tournament will be held at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 8. You get the idea. To learn more about the card game invented in Alfred, NY, visit: www.str8-eight.com



Steuben County Academic All-Stars All matches start at 6:15 p.m. (Medium Small School Division Schedule):
Feb. 6-A-A at Jasper-Troupsburg Feb. 13-(Postponed to March 27) Feb. 27-Avoca at Alfred-Almond March 6-A-A vs. J-T at Avoca March 13-A-A vs. Avoca at H'sport March 20-H'sport vs. A-A at Avoca March 27-A-A at Hammondspport April 3-Championships

Special Events

Allegany County Office for the Aging 2017 Senior Forum: Thursday, April 13 at Genesee Valley Central School, Belmont. \$5.00 per person (no charge for the public hearing). Includes lunch. Registration 8:30-9:00 a.m.; Public Hearing 9:00-10:00 a.m.; Break Out Session #1 10:15-11:15 a.m.; Break out Session #2 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; Lunch 12:30 p.m. Sessions include: "Our Amish Neighbors" with Craig Braack, "Chair Yoga and Mindfulness" with Staci Curry, "Scam Prevention" with Emily Brightman, "Dentistry for Seniors" with David Doherty, D.D.S., "Consumer Protection" with Steven Dahlberg and Nicole Parshall, and the Jones Memorial Hospital Wellness Fair. Reservations required! Call Office for the Aging at 585-268-9390.

Solar Eclipse 2017: On August 21, 2017, there will be a total eclipse of the Sun visible across a long, narrow strip of the US. AU will be leading a trip to Missouri to see it. The next eclipse visible in the US will be in 2024. There are two ways you can be part of this trip:
1. ASTR 200- Eclipse 2017 is an A block, intro-level course for 2

credit hours that begins with the eclipse. It carries lab credit. (F-1, F1) Students registered for that course will have a big part of the expense for the trip subsidized by the University. (we estimate your cost at under \$200).

2. Alums, faculty, students and friends of the University can attend as "full-pays", with an estimated cost of about \$500. Less if we fill the bus. For more information contact Dave Tootogd@alfred.edu or see Stull Observatory at Alfred University Facebook page

Andover Maple Festival. 7 a.m. Saturday, April 1 thru 5 p.m. Sunday, April 2 at Andover Central School, sponsored by the Andover Lions Club. The Lions will sell their syrup as well as maple products from a number of other local producers during the annual Maple Festival Saturday-Sunday, April 1 & 2, 2017 at Andover Central School.

A full pancake breakfast is served 7 a.m. and on Saturday and Sunday at the school cafeteria. Maple products by local producers and buckwheat pancake flour will be on sale at the Maple Room, along with other food vendors for lunch, snacks and dinner.

Support Groups

Adult Survivors of Sexual Abuse. Meets at various times. Call 716-593-6300 for info.

Al-Anon. 7pm Thursdays and Sundays at the United Presbyterian Church, 150 Main Street, Hornell. Use the side entrance

Alcoholics Anonymous. 7 pm Fridays at Union University Church Center in Alfred. Call 607-276-8588 for help or information.

Alzheimer's Support Group. Meets third Thursday of the month at noon in United Church, Belmont. Call Allegany County Office for the Aging at 716-268-9390 for info.

Cardiac Support Group. Meets second Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the St. James Mercy Hospital Cardiac Rehab (2nd floor). For info, call the Cardiac Rehab

Unit at 324-8735.

Caregivers Support Group. For info, call the Allegany Office for the Aging, 716-268-9390 or toll-free 1-866-268-9390.

Diabetes Support Group. Meets fourth Thursday of the month from 6:30-8 p.m. in the Memorial Conference Room, ground floor just off the cafeteria at St. James Mercy Hospital. For more info, contact Bonnie at 607-324-8900.

Homeschool Support Group - Allegany-Steuben County LEAH (Loving Education at Home) meets at 7 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month at the Steere home in Almond. 276-6380.

LaLeche League. Mother-to-Mother Breastfeeding Support. Hornell group meets third Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at Christ Episcopal Church, corner of Main and Center Streets, Hornell. For more info, call 324-6266.

Etcetera

Creative Writers of the Southern Tier. Meets 1:30-4 p.m. second Saturday of each month March through November at site to be determined. For further information, call 585-593-0820 or 585-593-2324.

Allegany County SPCA. Volunteers or those wishing to contribute are asked to call 585-593-2200. Send contributions to PO Box 381, Wellsville, NY 14895.

Wellsville Lioness meets second Monday of the month upstairs at the Beef Haus.

Clinics--Blood Pressure Screening. No appointments needed. All ages welcome. Offered 11 a.m.-12 noon occasional Thursdays at Office for the Aging Nutrition Luncheon, Union University Church Center, Alfred.

Deadline

To include your event in this calendar, send information to: Calendar, ALFRED SUN, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802 or e-mail: alfredsun.news@gmail.com

WHAT'S COOKIN'?

Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu Monday, March 27

Pickled Beets, Pepper Steak Over Brown Rice, Mixed Vegetables, Bran Quick Bread, Chocolate Pudding. Diabetic--Pudding.

Tuesday, March 28
Tossed Salad, Cabbage Roll Casserole, Green Beans, Banana Bread, Peaches. Diabetic--Peaches.

Wednesday, March 29
Orange Pineapple Juice, Fireman's BBQ Chicken, Tater Tots, Squash, Apple Crisp. Diabetic--Applesauce.

Thursday, March 30
Creamsicle Salad, Beef Stew, Broccoli, Biscuit, Rice Pudding. Diabetic--Pudding.

Friday, March 31
Menu TBA.
For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or toll free 1-866-268-9390 by 2 p.m. previous day.

ALFRED NUTRITION SITE
Union University Church Center, 12 noon
Call Debbie Pierson at 607-793-0118.
Monday—10:30-11:30 Exercises w/ Mary Lou Maxon, Lunch at 12 noon. "Medal of Honor Day."
Wednesday—10:30-11:30 Exercises w/ Mary Lou Maxon. Lunch at 12 noon. "Words Ending in B."
Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon. "Pencil Day." Tracy DuBois, Issues & Answers.

BELMONT NUTRITION SITE
American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.
Call Eileen Kane at 585-808-1472
Tuesday—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Joke Day."
Thursday—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Picture Day."

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE
Fire Hall 12 noon
Call Cheryl Johnson at 585-808-5640
Monday—10:30 Growing Stronger Exercises, Lunch at 12 noon. Steve from Wellsville Manor Info Session.
Wednesday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon.
Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon.

CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE
Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301.
Tuesday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., Craig Braack—"Historic Canaseraga" at 11:15 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. Cards/

Games at 1 p.m.
Thursday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "Spring Cleaning." Cards/Games at 1 pm.

CUBA NUTRITION SITE
AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon
Call Judy Enders at 585 808-5201
Monday—10:30a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises, Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "March--M to H"
Tuesday—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "Wear Your Favorite Color Day."
Wednesday—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Current Events."
Thursday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "Laughter is the Best Medicine."

FILLMORE NUTRITION SITE
Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Maggie Smith at 585-737-5609
Monday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.
Thursday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.

FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE
Community Center, 12 noon
Call Vivian Howell 585-973-2650
Tuesday—10:45 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m.

THURSDAY—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:45 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. Crafts at 1 p.m.
WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE
YMCA, Riverwalk Plaza, 12 noon
Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.
Monday—9:00 Stretch at 9 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Euchre at 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday—Games at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Euchre at 1 p.m. Tax Clinic 1-4 p.m.
Thursday—Stretch at 9:00 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Canasta at 1 p.m.
Friday—Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Pinochle at 12:30, Euchre at 1 p.m.

WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE
Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Linda Haggerty at 585-296-3800.
Monday—Growing Stronger Exercises

at 10:45 a.m. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Dot to Dot Fun."
Tuesday—Lunch at 12 noon. Jigsaw Puzzle. Game Day. Coffee Hour. Blood Pressure Clinic.
Wednesday—10:45 Growing Stronger Exercises. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Spring Cleaning."



At the Movies

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The Boss Baby (PG) starts March 30

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Locally Made

The DIY Farmer's Wife Approach

By KRISTINA SNYDER
Alfred Sun Columnist

DIY Homemade Yogurt

We love homemade yogurt! The boys alone will consume over a gallon every week. Luckily I have this fail safe recipe that doesn't require any special equipment (not even a thermometer). Try it for yourself, but note the fresher the milk the better your yield.

DIY Yogurt

1 gallon milk
1c yogurt (store-bought or from previous batch)
Heat milk in stockpot to steam but not boiling (if you have a thermometer it's around 180-but it doesn't have to be super accurate).
Cool down to just warmer than bath water temp- stick your pinky in to gauge. (About 115)
Add yogurt culture - mix well
INCUBATE: preheat oven to warm then shut off and turn on pilot light. Pour yogurt into quart or pint size jars, wrap in towel and keep in oven for 8-10 hours (I usually do this overnight)

If you have a household tip to share or questions for The Farmer's Wife, e-mail: Kristinamariesnyder@gmail.com or write her at: The Farmer's Wife, 1724 Randolph Road, Alfred Station, NY 14803.

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<p>March 24-March 30 Beauty and the Beast (PG) Fri-Sat. 12:15, 3:00, 6:15, 9:00 Sun. 1:00, 4:00, 7:00 Mon. 7:00 Tues. 12:15, 3:00, 6:15, 9:00 Wed. 1:00, 7:00 Thurs. 1:00, 4:00, 7:00</p>	<p>March 24-March 30 Kong: Skull Island (PG-13) Fri. 12:00, 2:45, 5:45, 8:30 Sat. 3:00, 5:45, 8:30 Sun. 1:30, 4:30, 7:30 Mon. 7:30 Tues. 12:00, 2:45, 5:45, 8:30 Wed. 1:30, 7:30 Thurs. 1:30, 4:30</p>	<p>March 24-March 30 Power Rangers (PG-13) Fri. 12:30, 3:15, 6:00, 8:45 Sat. 12:45, 3:15, 6:00, 8:45 Sun. 1:15, 4:15, 7:15 Mon. 7:15 Tues. 12:30, 3:15, 6:00, 8:45 Wed. 1:15, 7:15 Thurs. 1:15, 4:15, 7:15</p>	<p>Advance Showing! The Boss Baby (PG) Thursday, March 30 7:30</p>
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Tuesday Bargain Day: Movies all day and evening \$6.00 plus FREE small popcorn with fountain drink purchase.

AT ALFRED STATE

High schoolers delve into world of engineering

ALFRED—Roughly 80 students from five area high school districts visited Alfred State recently to explore engineering and technical careers and take part in a hands-on building competition as part of National Engineers Week.

Founded by the National Society of Professional Engineers in 1951, the week is dedicated to ensuring a diverse and well-educated future engineering workforce by increasing understanding of and interest in engineering and technology careers, according to www.nspe.org.

During the high schools' visit, Alfred State students in the

School of Architecture, Management, and Engineering Technology showcased the many great projects and activities they engage in at the college through various clubs and organizations. Participating student groups included Associated General Contractors of America, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Women Engineers are Pioneers, Architecture Club, Robotics Club, Alfred State Information Security Team, Radio Control Club, Science Society, and Baja SAE (formerly known as Society of Automotive Engineers).

School districts that attended

the event were from Alfred-Almond, Arkport, Avoca, Hornell, and Scio. After learning about the clubs that were present, students then took part in a design challenge in which they used materials to make a windmill to pick up a load of marbles. The students were judged on the size and weight of the windmill, the speed of picking up the load, and the amount of weight picked up.

The winners of the challenge were Hunter Gurnsey and Ben Stilson (both of Avoca), and Nicole Katsur and Marc Arnault (both of Arkport). Each student received a certificate of achievement and a prize pack.

Dr. John Williams, dean of the Alfred State School of Architecture, Management, and Engineering Technology, said that the showcase is a great way for high school students to explore and learn more about technical and engineering careers.

"Students don't often recognize or consider that technology and engineering are viable ca-

reer paths," Williams said. "There are some preconceived notions that only the strongest math students should make the attempt. This simply isn't true and there is an entire spectrum where students can find a pathway to a successful career and we hope to share this message and help students make more informed choices."



Alfred State students judge one of the entries in this year's National Engineers Week challenge. Five local high schools took part in the event.

Bunch to deliver Riley Lecture April 4

ALFRED—Charlotte Bunch, founding director and a senior scholar at the Center for Women's Global Leadership at Rutgers University, will present the 2017 Elizabeth Hallenbeck Riley and Charles P. Riley Lecture at Alfred University at 5:30 p.m. April 4 in Nevins Theater. The lecture is free and open to the public.

Bunch, a distinguished professor in the Department of Women's and Gender Studies at Rutgers University, is a world renowned activist for women's and human rights, a recipient of the Eleanor Roosevelt Award for Human Rights and a member of the National Women's Hall of Fame.

She was born in North Carolina, and graduated from Duke University in 1966 after majoring in history. As a student, her early work in human and women's rights advocacy included associations with the



CHARLOTTE BUNCH

Young Women's Christian Association and the Methodist Student Movement. Following her graduation from Duke, she became a delegate to the World Council of Churches Conference on Church and Society in Switzerland and president of the University Christian Movement

in Washington D.C.

She served from 1979 to 1980 as consultant to the secretariat for the World Conference for the United Nations Decade on Women and in 1989 founded the Center for Women's Global Leadership at Douglass College, Rutgers University. She has been a key figure in lobbying efforts through the CWGL and the United Nations for women's rights to be recognized as human rights.

She joins a long list of women's rights advocates as the Elizabeth Hallenbeck Riley and Charles P. Riley Lecturer at Alfred University. The lecture series began in 1996 with the support of Alfred University alumna Pamela Riley Osborn '62 and Patricia A. Riley '65, and their sister Melissa Riley, the three daughters of Alfred University graduates Charles P. Riley '35 and Elizabeth Hallenbeck Riley '36.

Academic All-Star results

Results of competition in Monday night's Steuben County Academic All-Stars are as follows:

LARGE SCHOOL DIVISION
Bath 54 - Hornell 41
Corning Gold 81 - Corning Black 50
MEDIUM LARGE SCHOOL DIVISION
Naples 71 - Canisteo-Greenwood 52
Addison 61 - Campbell-Savona 49

MEDIUM SMALL SCHOOL DIVISION

Hammondsport 70 - Alfred-Almond 59
Avoca 69 - Jasper -Troupsburg 43
SMALL SCHOOL DIVISION
Canaseraga 48 - Prattsburgh 44
Bradford 47 - Arkport 40

Next week the matches that were cancelled on February 13th due to snow, will be played in Hornell, Naples, Hammondsport and Canaseraga. See you there!

AU CACT co-sponsoring symposium in Syracuse

ALFRED—Alfred University's Center for Advanced Ceramic Technology (CACT) is one of four Centers for Advanced Technology co-sponsoring a joint technical symposium in Syracuse March 22-24 at the Doubletree hotel in Syracuse.

Joining with Alfred University's CACT are the Center for Advanced Materials Processing (CAMP) at Clarkson University; the Integrated Electronics Engineering Center (IEEC) at Binghamton University, and the Additive Manufacturing Print (AMPrint) Center at the Rochester Institute of Technology.

The symposium will showcase the research and development capabilities of the four centers, which are funded by the Empire State Development Division of Science, Technology and Innovation (ESD/NYS-TAR).

Topics will include "The Role of CATs in Stimulating Re-

search, Innovation and Economic Development in New York State;" "Challenges and Benefits of Industry/University Research Partnerships: What Works and What Kinds of Issues Stand in the Way?" "Additional Opportunities for Forming Collaborative Relationships;" "Identifying Potential Resolutions to Recurring Stumbling Blocks and Barriers to Successful Collaborations;" and "Focus on Research Capabilities of the Four CATs: Opportunities for Identifying Intersection of Research Interests."

Alfred University participants include:

• Dr. Matthew M. Hall, director of the Center for Advanced Ceramic Technology and an associate professor of biomedical materials and glass science. He received his master's and Ph.D. in glass science from Alfred University. He will present an overview of Alfred University's CACT as part of the opening

session.

• Dr. S.K. Sundaram, Inamori Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, who will be a panelist for "Challenges and Benefits of Industry/University Research Partnerships or Collaboration: Faculty Perspectives."

• Laurie Strom, a 1985 graduate of Alfred University with a degree in ceramic engineering who is now executive vice president and chief operating officer of SAE-ITC. She will be speaking on "U.S. Government Prototype Business Opportunities through DATC - Industry Technologies Consortia," as part of a panel on additional opportunities for forming collaborative relationships.

• Dr. Scott Misture '90, who also received his master's and Ph.D. degrees from Alfred University and who is now an In-

amori Professor of Materials Science at the University. He will speak as part of a panel on "Identifying Potential Resolutions to Recurring Stumbling Blocks and Barriers to Successful Collaborations."

• Andy Norris of ASK Chemicals Hi-Tech LLC, located in

Alfred. A 1988 alumnus of Alfred University, Norris will address stumbling blocks to collaboration from an industry perspective.

• David Gottfried, deputy director of the CACT, who was among the organizers for the symposium.





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Find registration forms and link for on-line registration on our website: www.jmhny.org.

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- This is a NIGHT TRAIL RUN so bring a flashlight and be aware of uneven terrain.
- To be eligible for a free race t-shirt, paper registration forms must be postmarked by March 24 and on-line registrations must be completed by March 28.
- For more info, email TheGlowRun@jmhny.org.

CAMPUS NEWS

Alfred State materials win six marketing awards

ALFRED—When asked to ‘Picture Yourself Here,’ students are responding positively to an award-winning marketing campaign that promotes Alfred State. A national panel of higher education marketers, graphic designers, creative directors, and advertising professionals honored the college with six awards, including two gold medals, and four bronze for advertising materials designed to attract prospective students and their families.

“While Alfred State has established a reputation for career-focused education and hands-on learning over the years, it’s no easy task to keep our message fresh and relevant to new generations. That’s why we’re so proud that our marketing communications team is being recognized for their work,” stated Deborah Goodrich, associate vice president for Enrollment Management. “It’s imperative for us to spread our message to an ever-growing audience, to let students know that Alfred State can prepare them to ‘hit the

ground running®’ in the working world.”

The 32nd Annual Higher Education Advertising Awards honored Alfred State with gold medals for both the Applied Technology Student Viewbook, and for a Parents’ Calendar that utilizes variable data to tailor the printed materials to recipients. The college earned bronze medals for a television advertising series, orientation booklets, social media campaigns, and fundraising materials. In all, State University of New York (SUNY) colleges and universities received 16 awards, with six of them going to Alfred State.

Alfred State is the only public school in the state to win an award in these five categories: fundraising, calendars, orientation, social media, and television advertising. Out of all entries in this contest, only 7 percent earned a gold medal this year, and Alfred State is the only SUNY college to earn multiple gold medals.

Alfred State is unique among SUNY award winners for utiliz-



The 32nd Annual Higher Education Advertising Awards recently honored Alfred State with six awards for advertising materials designed to attract prospective students and their families.



An announcement in Orchard Park took place recently regarding the partnership between Alfred State and Erie 2-Chautauqua-Cattaraugus Board of Cooperative Educational Services on a Pathways in Technology Early College High School program.

High school students on career path get help from Alfred State

ALFRED—Beginning this fall, some 40 students entering high school in Orchard Park will also be making a big step on their path toward a career. A partnership between Alfred State and Erie 2-Chautauqua-Cattaraugus BOCES will allow these students to earn both a regents diploma from high school, along with an associate degree from college, to better prepare them to enter the workforce.

P-Tech (Pathways in Technology Early College High School) infuses the critical elements of high school, college, and industry together in a customized educational program. Students will complete high school, earn a college degree in only one additional year, and be ready to begin a career. The length of the program is tailored to the learning needs and educational goals of each student.

“P-Tech will follow many of our best practices at Alfred State.

Students will work with specialized educators and industry leaders using project-based and personalized learning,” stated Dr. Craig Clark, vice president for Economic Development at Alfred State. “There are high-wage, high-tech, high-demand jobs in advanced manufacturing, and graduates with a related associate degree will be first in line for these employment opportunities.”

This initiative launches with a two-week summer program prior to the start of the first day of fall classes. Students interested in STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) are encouraged to join the program. The academy will incorporate a high-rigor STEM curriculum, and students participate in internships and job-shadowing experiences.

P-Tech empowers students to begin their college and professional lives more quickly by of-

fering a supportive, small, customized learning environment to earn their Regents Diploma from their school district and an Associate of Occupational Science Degree in electrical construction and maintenance electrician or welding technology from Alfred State. As part of a structured program, students receive mentoring and internship opportunities to prepare them for available jobs in the region.

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ing on-campus resources for advertising concept, writing, video editing, and graphic designs. The Marketing Communications staff performed this work without the aid of outside agencies, while the college’s Print and Mail Services team handled all printing, variable data insertion, and distribution of the winning

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CAMPUS NOTES

Sadie VanDyke of Alfred Station was one of 17 students inducted into the Elmira College Rho Mu Chapter of the Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education during a special ceremony celebrating teachers. Sadie was also one of 35 students inducted into the Elmira College circle, or chapter, of Omicron Delta Kappa, the National Leadership Honor Society. The Society recognizes achievement in scholarship; athletics; campus or community service, social and religious activities, and campus government; journalism, speech and the mass media; and the creative and performing arts. Emphasis is placed on the development of the whole person, both as a member of the college community and as a contribution to a better society. Omicron Delta Kappa was founded December 3, 1914, at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia. The Elmira College circle was established on May 21, 1995.

Parker Bryant-Carty of Alfred Station, who is studying in the photographic and imaging arts program, was named to the Dean’s List at Rochester Institute of Technology for fall semester

2016-2017. Degree-seeking undergraduate students are eligible for Dean’s List if their term GPA is greater than or equal to 3.400; they do not have any grades of “Incomplete”, “D” or “F”; and they have registered for, and completed, at least 12 credit hours. Rochester Institute of Technology is home to leading creators, entrepreneurs, innovators and researchers. Founded in 1829, RIT enrolls about 19,000 students in more than 200 career-oriented and professional programs, making it among the largest private universities in the U.S.

Kailee Lamphier of Andover, who is studying in the political science program, was named to the Dean’s List at Rochester Institute of Technology for fall semester 2016-2017. Degree-seeking undergraduate students are eligible for Dean’s List if their term GPA is greater than or equal to 3.400; they do not have any grades of “Incomplete”, “D” or “F”; and they have registered for, and completed, at least 12 credit hours. Rochester Institute of Technology is home to leading creators, entrepreneurs, innovators and researchers.

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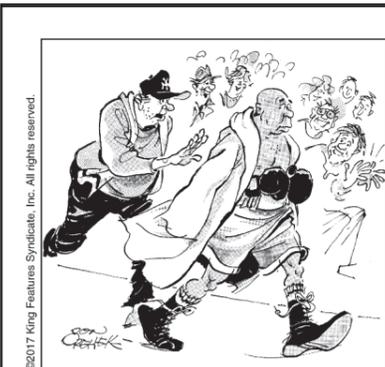


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by Gary Kopervas



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In The Alfred Sun 50, 25 and 10 Years Ago

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Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher

50 Years Ago, March 23, 1967

Herman E. Sicker was elected mayor of the Village of Alfred in Tuesday's elections. Sicker succeeds John W. Jacox who has served as mayor for the past 16 years, and on the village board of trustees for the past 39 years. Of the 195 votes cast in the election, six were declared void by election officials. Sicker polled 169 of the 189 legal votes cast, with Dr. Lewis Butler polling 20 votes on a write-in...

Would you believe 3,500 students at Alfred State College by 1974? This is the figure officials at the college quoted to some 75 local businessmen Monday during an information session at the school's new dining hall. Dr. David H. Huntington, president, introduced a number of speakers who discussed various phases of college development and related them to the total impact upon the village....

An extremely close contest resulted in the election of a Citizens' Party candidate and returned the incumbent Peoples' Party trustee to office in the Village of Almond Tuesday night. A total of 139 votes were cast in a light vote as compared to last year. Incumbent trustee Clinton Gillette was returned to office with 68 votes, and Dr. Eugene Johannes was elected with a vote of 65. Peoples' Party candidate Frank Whitford received 63 votes and Citizens' Party candidate Robert Decker took 54...

Alfredians—James Eisenhardt and a group of friends enjoyed a day of skiing Saturday at Swain... Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Kenyon returned Saturday after spending a week with their grandchildren in Rochester, while their parents, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Palmiter, were in New York... Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Matison, Micky and Molly are spending a couple weeks touring the southern states. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. Earl Matison at Orlando, Fla... Philip Baker of Stamford, Conn., and guests Mr. and Mrs. Brian Rogers, children Alison and Paul, of New Brunswick, N.J., are expected to arrive tomorrow to spend the Easter holidays with Phil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Baker. Mr. and Mrs. James Higgins of Albany, and Mrs. Evelyn Higgins of Canisteo, will join the family for Easter Sunday... Mrs. R.O. Hitchcock and Jim will spend the Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hitchcock and family at Snyder... John Kenyon is home from State University College at Geneseo for the Easter vacation... Home from college for the holidays are Joanne Tinklepaugh from Geneseo State, Susan Scholes from Wells College and Jeanne Scholes from Bucknell University...

Establishment of the Wellsville campus as a permanent part of State University Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred has been approved by the State University Board of Trustees...



(Photo) Winners in the WCTU essay contest are Thomas Dobson, Charles Love, Roger Haskins and Judson Stearns. Standing, Miss Fucia F. Randolph, president of the organization, Ann Klingensmith, Steven Monroe, Katy Fasano, Sandra Patton and Jean Lorrow.

Beginning next September, the State University Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred will offer a new program in Audio-Visual Technology. Establishment of the curriculum was approved this month by the Board of Trustees of State University. Dr. David H. Huntington, president of Alfred State College, said the curriculum has been developed to prepare young men and women to secure employment in a broad field that include educational institutions as well as industry...

Mrs. Myrtle Casey Gregory of 85 North Main Street, Alfred, died Thursday, March 16, 1967 at St. James Mercy Hospital, Hornell, where she had been a patient for two weeks. She was 64 years old. She was an honorary member and former assistant treasurer of Alpha Kappa Omicron sorority at Alfred University. Survivors include her husband, Prof. George D. Gregory; two sons, Philip Gregory of Ontario and David Gregory of Erie, Pa.; one daughter, Ann Gregory of

Rochester; and five sisters...

25 Years Ago, March 19, 1992

(Photo) Center of Attention—Alfred University student Kimberly McIntosh, a senior business administration major from Brooklyn, and Robert Miller, assistant dean for student activities, display an architect's rendering of the new campus center. Construction on the \$8.5 million facility is expected to start this summer.

Sunbeams—Jeff Rausch, a senior business administration major at Alfred University, is a regular aide for the student-run AU Security force. He's the son of Jim and Joyce Rausch of Foster Lake Road, Alfred... Maria Ann Culley of 60 Pine Hill Drive, Alfred, has been accepted for admission in August to the State University College of Technology at Delhi. She plans to major in hotel and resort management... Edna (Pierce) Lewis of Alfred Station will celebrate her 98th birthday on Friday, March 20... Heidi Meacham, a sophomore pre-law major, is a regular aide for the student-run Alfred University Security force. She's the daughter of Mrs. Sue Meacham of Alfred and David Meacham of New Jersey... Richard Crandall of San Francisco, CA has been in Alfred, called here by the death of his mother, Ruth Crandall...

Ruth H. Crandall, 75, of 14 Greene Street, Alfred, died Friday, March 13, 1992 at St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell, following a short illness. Born in VanEtten, New York on April 20, 1916, she was a daughter of the Rev. LeRoy and Ione Livingston Hallock. She was married to the Canisteo United Methodist Church on Sept. 5, 1939 to Edward W. Crandall, who survives. The wedding ceremony was performed by her father. The daughter of a Methodist minister, she moved with her family frequently during her childhood and was a former resident of Ithaca, Montour Falls, Elmira and Buffalo, and had resided for 17 years in Canisteo prior to moving to Alfred in 1950. She was graduated from high school in Buffalo and studied music at the University of Buffalo. She began teaching piano to her friends in Buffalo while 15 years old. Upon moving to Canisteo, she began giving piano lessons in that community. At the same time, she began some 20 years of studying piano at the Eastman School of Music in Rochester, by taking a bus from Hornell to Rochester and back once a month for her instruction. Upon moving to Alfred, she rented a room and a piano in Canisteo where she drove twice a week in order to continue offering lessons to her Canisteo pupils. A piano teacher for some 60 years, she had 21 students at the time of her death. She was formerly an organist in the United Methodist Church in Canisteo. She was a member of the Hornell Gideon Camp Auxiliary and a member of the Union University Church in Alfred...

For the Birds (By Betsy Brooks) My birding friends have suggested that as each of my children leave home my parting words of advice are "find a job that you love but make sure it's near a good birding area so I can come visit and watch birds!" So it is with a great deal of pleasurable anticipation that Dick and I left Alfred in mid-February to visit Laura in Nogales, AZ and Warren in Albuquerque, NM. Enroute we birded at a number of Louisiana and Texas hotspots—although the recent heavy rains along the Gulf Coast limited our activities... The most pleasant surprise of the trip west was the birding at Sabine National Wildlife Refuge near Sulphur, LA. This 143,000 acres refuge incorporates both Calcasieu and Sabine Lakes and provides wintering habitat for thousands of geese and ducks. There are many places to stop by the road for easy birding right from your car but the choicest viewing comes from a 1 1/2 mile walk around a series of impoundments. There I saw my first-ever Virginia Rail along with dozens of Black-necked Stilts and Roseate Spoonbills. Some of you may know that given a choice I'd choose watching alligators over birds any day. There were hundreds of basking 'gators everywhere and midway through the walk something set them off. The bellowing was amazing—something I'll never forget. I got within 30 feet of a sunning female with three babies on her head. And, of course, I'd left my camera in the car. My Arizona birding was pretty much planned by Harriet and Larry Deverell! I'd seen Larry's slides of Madera Canyon and the Arizona Sonora Desert Museum and knew I wanted to bird there...

Spring sports season '92 has a special meaning for Alfred State College of Technology. It marks the first time the college is fielding an intercollegiate men's lacrosse team. Joining the ranks of the ever increasing lacrosse programs at both secondary and post-secondary schools in Central and Western New York was an easy decision to make, says Alfred State Athletics Director

Stephen Babcock...

10 Years Ago, March 22, 2007

Alfred Village Trustee Virginia Rasmussen, with endorsements of both the Democratic and Republican Parties, was easily re-elected to the Village Board in Tuesday, March 20 balloting at Village Hall. Rasmussen garnered 104 votes. Rasmussen will be joined on the Village Board by Democrat Joe Dosch, who received 79 votes. Republican Steven Mayes received 56 votes. In the Village Justice race, Republican Incumbent Justice Heidi Burdick was re-elected with 77 votes, defeating Democrat G. Douglas Clarke, who received 48 votes. Village Mayor Craig Clark was unopposed in his bid for re-election and received 91 votes.

On Monday morning, March 19, 2007, on the feast of St. Joseph, at her family homestead, now the home of her daughter Theresa and family, Joan R. Lindeman joined her loving husband, Donald and her beloved son, Donald Paul Joseph Lindeman in heaven. Born in Rochester on Dec. 17, 1922, she was the daughter of the late Louis and Ruth Brun Berry. In 1946, she was married in Hornell to Donald E. Lindeman and together they raised eight children, before he predeceased her in 1985, after 39 years of marriage. Besides her parents and husband, she was also predeceased by her son, Donald P. Lindeman in 1985, her grandson, Jason Mickel in 1988, her brother, Donald Berry, who was killed in World War II during the Battle of the Bulge, and her brother, Paul Berry, who was killed during the Korean Conflict. A resident of Hornell and Almond for most of her life, Joan attended St. Ann's School and graduated with the class of 1940 from Hornell High School. In 1945, she graduated from Mercyhurst College in Erie, PA and later attended graduate school at Geneseo State College. She had been employed at the University of Rochester, the Manhattan Project and for 11 years she taught special education at the Dansville Primary School. She was employed by the Hornell City School District at the Columbian School and before her retirement she taught kindergarten at St. Ann's School for 11 years...

The Alfred State College Drama Club is pleased to announce that tickets are now on sale for its annual Spring Dinner Theatre Production "Dinner with Shakespeare!" to be presented at the Lake Lodge March 22-24 under the direction of Tim Berardi...

What month is National Grilled Cheese Month? What is passed to the calf in colostrum?... These were some of the questions asked of more than 100 participants at the 2007 Western District 4-H Dairy Bowl held March 10 at the Medina High School. Participants represented five counties and were competing in one of three categories: Novice, Junior or Senior. Allegany County began studying in November and their diligence was rewarded. Allegany County Senior Team I places second overall, Senior Team II placed third, and the Junior Team placed second. Area members of the Allegany County Junior Team included Isaac Snyder and Kevin Snyder, both of Alfred Station, who placed 10th and 6th, respectively. Meghan Snyder of Alfred Station, a member of the county's Senior Team, placed 8th. In case you're wondering about the answers... April is National Grilled Cheese Month. Passive immunity is passed to the calf through colostrum.



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ALFRED STATION SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST CHURCH Sabbath sermon text Galatians 3:1-5

ALFRED STATION-The Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church welcomes all to Sabbath Worship at 11 a.m. Sabbath (Saturday), March 25.

Scripture text for the sermon, titled "Are You Kidding" is Galatians 3:1-5. Galatians 3:1 says, "You foolish Galatians,

who has bewitched you, before whose eyes Jesus Christ was publicly portrayed as crucified?"

Jesus told a parable about a wise man who built his house on a rock and a foolish man built his house on the sand. When the rains came and the flood waters raised, the house on the sand

collapsed while the one on the rock stood firm.

Essentially this is what the Apostle writes to the Galatians. "You built your spiritual house on a foundation of 'by grace alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone.' Their house is built on the rock, Salvation and will withstand the rains and rising waters 'of the World, the Flesh and the Devil.' Why is it the Galatians want to lift their house of Salvation and place it on a foundation of sand doomed to cave in from the "storms of life?"

Paul calls the Galatians "foolish" for they were moving from faith to law. The Galatians were trusting as Dr. Martin Luther wrote "Merit of Worthiness," when a person trusts their own good works to be justified, made right with God. The Galatians were moving from the "Power of the Cross" to the "Power of Religious Legalism." The Galatians were moving from a foundation of a rock to a foundation of sand.

If you are unable to join us physically consider joining us virtually through the livestream of the Worship Hour beginning at 10:55 a.m. (EST) at www.alfredstationsdb.org. For more information, call the church office at 607-587-9176.

A Light in the Storm

By JACOB MARCY
Special to the Alfred Sun

Too often in our daily lives do we find ourselves questioning. Doubts seem to rise up in our moments of despair. We cry out, complaining about the circumstances for which we find ourselves in.

Imagine a cold winter night. The wind is blowing and the waves slap against the sides of the boat. The temperatures keep dropping, and there seems to be no way to stay warm. Shaking and freezing you huddle into yourself for comfort, not noticing the lights that glare back at you from the distant shore.

How did you get there? You ask, the wind swept you away when you weren't watching. You simply took a nap on your boat and it seems to have put you in a seemingly dire situation. After all you are drifting further and further away from the shore. Those winds keep moving you away from the shore, as a shiver runs down your spine, you notice only the tears streaming down your eyes, as you contemplate letting the waves take you. And yet you are too tired and cold to notice the light near the shore.

The waves are too high the wind is too cold to notice that light. You begin to enter into hypothermia and you are shivering all over.

"Come to the light." A voice says in the distance. You can barely hear it over the howling wind and the crashing waves. Again "Come to the light!" It's like a whisper. You look around

and notice that light off in the distant, you can't see the shore, but the light shines like the Sun. You pick up your paddles and you can barely feel them. But you sense this need to go to the light. You paddle with all of your strength and it seems like nothing is happening. The shore is still not visible. But the voice, it gets louder. "COME TO THE LIGHT!"

After a good amount of time you see it.

A Lighthouse stands where there wasn't one before. It's there, as clear as day. You row to the dock and are greeted by a man. His eyes look at you as He smiles. He says "I'm glad that you came." You barely notice the scars in His hands as He wraps you in a robe and hands you a light. He says "Now I need you to go and call out to the ones who are lost at sea."

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All-age youngsters are eligible. Bring in or send or e-mail pictures to the ALFRED SUN by Saturday, April 8. No matter where you live, a picture of your Little Person will be accepted. The charges listed below will help cover costs of processing your photo(s) and printing.

Wallet size pictures are preferable to large portrait size pictures. Both color and black and white photos are acceptable. It is best if there is only one child per photo. However, all photos will be accepted.

Fill out the coupon below to insure that your youngster is included in the Parade of Little People in the April 13 issue. Print the child's name on an edge on the back of the picture. For multiple submissions, the form below can be duplicated.

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THE GLORY OF AMERICA

Thursday, March 23

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ALLEGANY COUNTY NEWS

Reed supports amendment to AHCA to lessen tax burden

WASHINGTON, D.C.-Congressman Tom Reed is supportive of an amendment to the American Health Care Act (AHCA) that would lessen the property tax burden across upstate New York. The changes would prevent the State of New York from forcing county governments to pay for a portion of the state's share of Medicaid.

"This is a critical amendment that will result in many members supporting the AHCA. We worked as tirelessly as a delegation to make this happen," Reed stated.

The delegation has been discussing this issue since November 2016. Once Congressman Faso was elected he took the lead and the delegation met on a regular basis. After discussing the need for this amendment, the delegation approached the White House and Energy and Commerce Chairman Walden to make sure

this was a priority in the AHCA.

"Credit must be given to John Faso for his leadership role. He brought this to us as a legacy issue from his time in Albany as an elected official. Faso was very proactive and creative in pushing this item for the local property tax payers from the region. We all came together as a delegation to get this done, but credit also goes to Collins as the New York representative of the committee of jurisdiction, Energy and Commerce," Reed added.

Some counties are dedicating nearly 70 percent of their tax dollars toward the portion of Medicaid they are forced to fund. This amendment would in effect lessen the taxes that local residents would have to pay.

See what some local leaders are saying on Reed's work:

"Allegany County spends over \$10

million on Medicaid and the cost of Medicaid to county taxpayers continues to rise. When Congressman Reed and the federal government remove this burden, it will relieve the single biggest unfunded mandate on Allegany County taxpayers." - Curt Crandall, Chair Allegany County Legislature

"New York State's counties are asked to carry a level of Medicaid costs that no other state asks of its counties. I fully support removing this mandate from our county taxpayers. I thank Congressman Reed for standing up for Schuyler County." - Dennis Fagan, Chair, Schuyler County Legislature

"Chautauqua County's local share of Medicaid is almost 50 percent of the county's tax levy. That means 50 cents of every dollar paid in property tax goes to Medicaid. The Medicaid program in New York State is the largest, most costly

program in the nation. The size and scope of it is controlled entirely in Albany. So taking that burden off of the shoulders of local property tax payers will not only help to bring needed relief, it may also bring some needed attention in Albany to make true reforms," - George Borrello, Chautauqua County Legislator

"I want to thank Rep. Tom Reed for working for this change. New York State forcing the counties to cover so much of Medicaid has been unfair. Relief from this burden would be a huge benefit to Tioga County taxpayers." - Martha Sauerbrey, Chair, Tioga County Legislature

"You can live in your house your whole life and then suddenly find out in retirement after working your whole life that you can no longer afford to pay your property taxes. It's just not fair." - Ethel Peters, Ontario County Resident

ALLEGANY ARC

Some 35 employees recognized for commitment, dedication

WELLSVILLE-Allegany Arc recognized 35+ employees for their commitment and dedication at a recent Staff Recognition Dinner. This year's dinner was held at the Wellsville Country Club.

Mike Damiano, Allegany Arc's Chief Executive Officer said of the evening, "We are honored to recognize employees for their years of service, dedication, and incredible hard work. To have a diverse group as this representing so many programs and services celebrating such longevity shows the incredible commitment our employees have to people with special needs."

Thomas Talbett (Board of Directors) celebrated 35 years of service at Allegany Arc in 2016 and Debbie Rosemier celebrated 30 years of service.

Kevin Gildner (Board of Directors), Carol Herring, Joanne LaForge and Tracy Lehman each celebrated 25 years of service.

Employees who were recognized for 20 years of service were Connie Briggs and Susan Fuller.

Employees honored for 15 years of service included Angie Dieter, Heather



Joanne LaForge and Mike Damiano pose for a picture after honoring Joanne for her 25 years of service to Allegany Arc.

Hunt, Stacey Kamrowski, Virginia Perry, Malinda Reisman, Tracy Valentine and Bernadette Wheeler.

Employees honored for 10 years of services were Erin Baldwin, Chris Bromley, Courtney Cole, Maria Dannheim, Elizabeth Dimpfl, Venus Nickerson, Benjamin Palmer, Michelle Parris, Barbara Ramsey, John Steiner and Deanna Westbrook.

Employees honored for five years of service included Jessica Bogdan, Candy Burdick, Teresa Elliott, Ken Golish, Julie Harrison, Caroline Hoffman, Devin Jacobs, Meegan Maples, Randi Matteson, Judy Peck, Clarence Smith, Kristen Stilson and Racheal Whitesell.

Mike Damiano concluded, "Any time we have the chance to express our deepest gratitude to employees is a good night. It is my honor to lead such attentive and diligent workers and we are proud of the exemplary work Allegany Arc does each day."

For more information on Allegany Arc or to see a current list of career opportunities, please visit our website www.AlleganyArc.org.

Free rabies pet vaccination clinic set

BELMONT-The Allegany County Department of Health will hold a Free Rabies Pet Vaccination Clinic from 9 a.m. to 12 noon Saturday, April 8 behind the Allegany County Office Complex, 7 Court St., Belmont, NY 14813. Please note that the clinic is for New York State Residents ONLY.

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• Please bring your pet's previous rabies vaccination certificate to receive a three-year certificate. If you do not have the previous certificate, or your pet has not had a previous rabies vaccination, only a one-year vaccination certificate will be given.

• To pre-register for the clinic please call 585-268-9250 and select option #1 or option #4.

• If you have 5 or more animals you Must Pre-Register!

• Donations are appreciated and will be gratefully accepted.

• Please be prepared to clean up after your pets.

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ALFRED UNIVERSITY SPORTS ROUNDUP

Lynch nets five goals in 16-12 win at Oswego State

OSWEGO—Junior Jake Lynch (Whitney Point) netted five goals and picked up one assist as the Alfred University men's lacrosse team defeated Oswego State, 16-12, Tuesday afternoon on Laker Turf Field in Oswego.

Sophomore Joe Fornataro (Rochester/Greece Athena) had a stellar outing as he scored four goals while senior Nick Skibitsky (East Amherst/Williamsville East) earned the hat trick and junior Brett McMichael finished with two goals.

Senior Derek Bishopp (Corning/Corning Painted Post East) and first-year Shane Weber (Hull, MA) rounded out the scoring for the Saxons (4-2, 0-0) scoring a goal apiece.

Zach Anderson and Tim Schof paced Oswego State as they both finished with two goals and two assists.

The Lakers were able to get on the board first at the 12:48 mark of the first period as Caleb Alford scored off the assist from Anderson. The Saxons came back firing as they scored eight straight goals, a stretch going into the second period. The Lakers then found some offense of their own scoring the next three goals before Skibitsky found the net. Weber closed out the half in the final seconds scoring his first colligate goal, giving Alfred the 10-5 halftime lead.

Lynch scored Alfred's first three goals in the third period which helped him break the career record of goals scored which was previously held by Dylan Macro. Oswego State was able to cut the deficit in the fourth period to four goals before McMichael and Fornataro put the game out of reach with four minutes to play.

Senior Jimmy Pratti (Slate-hill/Minisink Valley) led the team in groundballs with eight and Bishopp had six. Weber also had four groundballs. Alfred had



Derek Bishopp (3) defends against Oswego. (Oswego Photo)

seven players with one caused turnovers.

Junior Chris Bucciarelli (Horseheads) went the distance in net making 14 saves as he earned the win.

The Saxons are next in action this Saturday, March 25, as they host Stevens in the first conference match of the season.

Women's Lacrosse at Home
The AU women's lacrosse team, after dropping two non-league games in Florida during Spring Break, is eager to get back in action. Weather has wreaked havoc with the Saxon schedule, however. Home games scheduled March 15 and March 18 against Keuka and SUNY Poly had to be postponed because of the wintry weather.

The team is hoping to play its home opener today at 4 p.m. (Thursday, March 23) when they host Wells College.

If the weather cooperates, the Saxons will have a bunch of games in a short period of time as they travel to Empire 8 power Ithaca to take on the Bombers at

1 p.m. Saturday, March 25.

Then there's a make-up game scheduled the next day at 1 p.m. (Sunday, March 26) against SUNY Poly at Yunevich Stadium. AU will then host Hilbert at 4 p.m. Wednesday, March 29, then host back-to-back Empire 8 contests at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 1 and Sunday, April 2 with Hartwick and Stevens, respectively.

2017 football schedule out

While folks are still talking about the stellar record-breaking 2016 Alfred University football season, the Saxons are already looking to the 2017 season.

AU, which recorded its first undefeated regular season in 35 years, finished with a record 12 wins in advancing to the NCAA D3 Football Championship Elite Eight. The Saxons were awarded

the Lambert Cup, symbolic of the best Division III team in the East Region.

The 2017 AU schedule will look nothing like the 2016 grid slate as Ithaca departs the Empire 8 and conference games have been scrambled. Here's the 2017 schedule:

- Sept. 2-at Ithaca, 1 p.m.
- Sept. 9-Open date
- Sept. 16-UTICA, 1 pm
- Sept. 23-ROCHESTER, 1 pm
- Sept. 30-BUFFALO STATE, 1 Oct. 7-at St. John Fisher, 4 pm
- Oct. 14-at Cortland, 1 pm
- Oct. 21-RPI, 1 pm
- Oct. 28-MORRISVILLE, 1 pm
- Nov. 4-at Brockport, 1 pm
- Nov. 11-HARTWICK, 1 pm

Homecoming will be celebrated at AU the weekend of Sept. 23 when the Saxons host University of Rochester.



Alfred University football players Lewis Ortega (left, #13) and Quentin Bade (right, #70) were recently caught reading to elementary school children in what has become a tradition for the Saxons in the off-season. (Photo from Alfred University Saxon Football Facebook Page)

ALFRED STATE SPORTS ROUNDUP

Wrestling team finishes 13th in NCWA

Please note that changes will be made due to weather; stay up to date on the latest news, scores, and statistics at www.alfredstateathletics.com.

Wrestling: 13th overall, 12th in Division I of NCWA National Championships

George Van Valen (Ithaca) led a contingent of seven wrestlers that competed at the NCWA National Championships. Van Valen finished 2nd in the 184 lb. weight class.

Van Valen was 4-1 in the tournament and didn't allow an opponent to score on him until the semifinals. He defeated River Robertson (Maine) in the semifinals and then fell 4-0 to #1 seed Cody Chaney (Emmanuel). Van Valen finishes the season with a 39-7 overall record.

Tristan Almeter (Iroquois) was 3-2 in the 165 lb. bracket while Patrick Lehman (Marathon), Konnor Kremer (Horseheads), and Brandyn Whitacre (Jamestown) all finished 2-2.

The Pioneers finished 13th overall out of 99 teams that competed. They were 12th in the DI standings.

Baseball: 1-15

The Pioneers were 1-8 during spring break as they played in Myrtle Beach, SC and in Lexington, VA. The blue & gold hit .281 on the week but struggled on the mound and defensively.

Rafael Perozo (Bronx/St. Raymond) hit .556 (15 for 27) with two doubles, a triple, and six RBI, Lucas Cornell (Alfred Almond) hit .400 (8 for 20), and Cullen Franz (Cazenovia) hit .379 with a double, a triple, three homers, and a team high eight RBI.

Thomas Hunter (White Plains/Salesian) pitched 6.1 innings over the trip and recorded a 2.84 ERA while Garrett Mack (Avon) tossed 8.2 innings and had a 4.15 ERA. Nick Kosciński (Cheektowaga/Maryvale) earned the victory in relief for the Pioneers while Tsvi Weil (Forest Hills) earned a save.

Lacrosse: 1-6

Aaron Buck (Churchville) recorded seven points as the Alfred State lacrosse team battled Cazenovia on Tuesday. The Pioneers fell behind early and never could bounce all the way back in the 15-11 loss to the Wildcats (2-1).

Cazenovia jumped out to a 5-0 lead and led 6-3 at the end of the 1st quarter. The Pioneers and the Wildcats both scored three times each in the 2nd and Caz went into the break with a 9-6 advantage. The Wildcats added to their lead in the 3rd outscoring the Pioneers 5 to 2. Alfred State outscored Cazenovia 3 to 1 in the 4th but never could closer than a four goals.

Buck finished the day with four goals and three assists while Teddy Alvarado (Hilton) finished with three goals and two assists. Joe Johnson (Churchville) scored twice, Ian Grana (Greece Odyssey) recorded a goal and an assist, Kyle Hoke (Tully) scored his first goal of the season, and AJ Soto (Churchville) passed out an assist.

Tanner Morrow (Grand Island) was 16 of 28 in the faceoff circle and Ryan Amidon (Fayetteville Manlius) made seven saves in net. The Pioneers outshot the Wildcats 33 to 31 in the contest but were only 2 of 12 with the extra man. Cazenovia was 21 of 29 on clear attempts and forced the Pioneers into 25 turnovers.

The Pioneers are back at Pioneer Stadium on Saturday when they host Hilbert a 2 p.m.

Laxers drop Spring Break matches

The Pioneers dropped a pair of matches during spring break. They lost 17-6 at Bryn Athyn and then fell 13-6 to North Central College in a contest played in Myrtle Beach, SC.

Softball: 0-8

The Lady Pioneers spent spring break in Myrtle Beach, SC and competed in eight games. The team hit .275 on the week but were unable to pick up a victory. Melissa Barber (Nassau/Catholic Central) led the team with a .423 batting average and five RBI. Aubri Mosier (Rome, PA) hit .368 with five RBI, and Stormi Kruger (Medina) collected a team high seven RBI while hitting .308.

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The Dugout

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Kansas, Oregon, North Carolina, UCLA, Kentucky, Arizona and Gonzaga plus Coach Beilein's Michigan team and others, are still "alive" in the madness of March ... but sadly for the composer of this column, the Duke Blue Devils are not. Just a brutal Sunday, personally, of hoops capped off by the ugly Duke loss at nite. When North Carolina and Kentucky win, Duke loses, that is about as bad as it gets for me. Ouch.



#HereComesDuke

Regretably I took the Tar Heels from North Carolina to win it all in this space last week. Heard about that one from 3L! Anyhow, they are still going in the brutally tough South Region. After easing by Arkansas, perhaps with the help of an incredible "no call" late in the game as guard Joel Berry II was

driving to the rim, the Tar Heels have Butler next and then the UCLA-UK winner if they advance past the Bulldogs. The UK Wildcats and NC can't both advance out of this region ... one consolation.

Coach John Beilein's Michigan squad is on quite the roll after they swept thru the Big Ten tournament to grab an automatic NCAA berth and now have knocked out Oklahoma State ... sending their coach off to Illinois and then the Louisville Cardinals. Next up is a strong Oregon program. Beilein has NYS coaching roots as he was at Erie CC in the NJCAA ranks, D3 Nazareth in Rochester, D2 LeMoyne in Syracuse and Canisius College in Buffalo. Briefly met him once at a game over at Bath/Haverling, attended with "Hilly" Moses, as coaches were looking at Marius Janulis from Prattsburgh. Beilein didn't coach against the once-legendary Kaz when he was at Erie CC.

Back to the tournament ... minus Duke. Updated predictions, sure to be off, and will go with: Oregon over Kansas in the Midwest, Arizona (shakily) over Xavier ... the alma mater of "Fish" in Kentucky and then topping the 'Zags in the West, gotta stick with NC to win the South but hope UCLA is there and Wisconsin(?) in the East.

Arizona - Wisconsin, Oregon - North Carolina and the Tar Heels to win the title over Wisconsin. Not too confident with any of those picks the way the tournament went this past weekend. Arizona always seems to slip, as does Kansas. Is Wisconsin for real after topping the defending champs from 'Nova? Will UCLA win and see their coach depart for Indiana? Will Kentucky win and see their whole team depart for the NBA (again)? Many questions to be answered in the "Sweet 16!"

HITS AND MISSES:

Longtime Syracuse assistant men's basketball coach, Mike Hopkins ... perhaps tired of waiting for Coach Boheim to retire, is now the new head coach at Washington in the Pac-12. The Huskies canned Lorenzo Romar last week. Met Hopkins once while out in Syracuse, probably with Our Man Frank and Jake Taft. Maybe at an NCAA tourney? Taft and I met Romar in Tampa when the "Final Four" there along with coaches Bob Huggins of Cincy, Henry Bibby of USC, Spanny from Cortland, Kevin O'Neill at Northwestern and Coach Bob W. Beyer! Good time. Ran into former softball teammate, Pat Dugan on the street there too.

The Indiana Hoosiers fired head coach Tom Crean last week after an NIT loss. Former Indiana star, Steve Alford returns?

The University of South Florida in Tampa hired former Dayton

ALFRED UNIVERSITY REUNION

Arizona couple to make trek to join AU alumni bicyclists

ALFRED—Veteran Alfred University alumni bicyclists Tinker Wilcox '57 and her husband Dave Wilcox '58 will head east from Arizona in their motor home to meet with other alumni bicyclists in Geneva-on-the-Lake, Ohio. Tinker Wilcox is returning for her 60th reunion with her nursing class, and the Wilcox's have been involved in several alumni rides over the years dating back to 1998 when Alfred University alumni Roger Eiss '58, Elliott Lasky '58, Russ Fahey '58 and others organized the first reunion bike ride for their 40th reunion.

Other alumni taking on the adventure this year include veteran bikers Kate and Dave Perry '61, Denise '69 and Larry Ploetz '68, and Jim Randall '77. Speaking for the cyclists, Randall invites other alumni to join the group! Cyclists are welcome to take part in the entire ride, ride with the group for a day or two, or meet fellow alumna for lunch, dinner, or sightseeing along the way.

The cycling will begin June 4 at Geneva-on-the-Lake, Ohio, where alumni may begin congregating on June 2 or 3. The resort village began attracting tourists to Lake Erie in the nineteenth century and is recognized as Ohio's first summer resort. It is also the center of Ohio wine country, with several wineries located nearby.

The tour moves to Erie, Pa.,

where bikers will spend two nights and tour Presque Isle State Park. The park occupies a sandy peninsula jutting into Lake Erie and containing a 13-mile paved bike path that follows the circumference of the island. Cyclists can enjoy spectacular wildlife viewing and historic sites from the War of 1812.

The final stop on the tour is the familiar Letchworth State Park, where bikers will challenge the hills of Park Road. The group will spend one night in the park before pushing on to Hornell for one more night before pedaling into Alfred Friday

morning, June 9.

Some alumni also are meeting early in Cleveland for sightseeing and a Cleveland Indians baseball game. For those interested in taking in the sights (Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, Great Lakes Science Center, and the USS Cod submarine all located at the waterfront), the group plans to stay in Cleveland Thursday, June 1 and Friday, June 2.

Anyone interested in learning more about the trip should contact Jim Randall at JamesRandallJr@msn.com, or call (607) 776-4404.



Alumni Dave Wilcox '58 and Tinker Wilcox '57 will travel by motor home from Arizona to join the gang of Alfred University alums in Geneva-on-the-Lake in order to cycle their way back to AU Reunion 2017.

THE DUGOUT CONTINUED...

and Georgia Tech coach, Brian Gregory to lead their men's basketball program. "Think" my timeline is right as Coach Beyer on Gregory's staff when Dayton at Bona one year, watching game with daughter Lauren and Spanny. USF now has Gregory while UCF has Johnny Dawkins.

A-A grads Stu and Robert H. Torrey took in NCAA men's basketball action in Buffalo last week, although not together. The Irish of Notre Dame escape with a win over Princeton the day before St. Patty's but fall the day after to Coach Huggins and his West Virginia team.

The Bonnies were in the 2016 NIT's as they fell at home to (Hawk) Wagner, 79-75. No invite this year and assume they turned down offers to compete in the CBI or CIT tourneys. Canisius and Albany were in the CIT and both lost their openers. Syracuse beat UNC-Greensboro in their NIT opener but then fell to Mississippi.

Babson won the NCAA Division III men's basketball championship, 79-78 over Augustana.

Amherst crushed Tufts in the NCAA Division III women's hoop title game, 52-29. 29-points?

Former Duke standout Chris Carrawell is an assistant coach on the Marquette staff and was the head coach of the Rochester RazorSharks in 2005-06. Think he was canned there.

What is up with the once-strong Rochester Knighthawks (7-11) of the NLL pro lac league? No playoffs?

The Alfred Saxons are (3-2) in men's lac action after their game with Baldwin Wallace was cancelled. Assume ... snow!

Coach Jeff Long's Bombers at Ithaca are (6-0) in lacrosse after a couple of wins in Florida.

Coach Tim Mead's (Andover) Walsh Cavs baseball team in Ohio is 9-3 with games this weekend versus Grand Valley State.

Coach Skip Sherman's (A-A) baseball program at Genesee CC is at 3-6 after a "spring break" trip to Myrtle Beach.

Shortly after Our Man and Syracuse Dave took in a Braves-Yanks spring training MLB game in Tampa, others with local connections were at various outings. Bob and Pat Codisposi to a Yanks-Tampa Bay game in Port Charlotte, KU fan Kristina Fischer and college friends to a Phils-O's game and the Atwell's were busy all over the place, taking in four spring training contests. Go Cards!

The Wichita Wingnuts of the American Association sold the contract of pitcher Chad Nading

to the SD Padres.

The Seattle Mariners optioned OF Boog Powell to Tacoma of the PCL. Boog Powell?

The Gateway Grizzlies of the Frontier League signed RHP, Jake Guinnelli to a contract. No relation to Jake Taft.

Mark Mix (A-A) was on a flight last week with Jahlil Okafor (Duke) of the Philly Sixers and he wouldn't get his picture taken holding a copy of the *Alfred Sun*. Yuk.

Small World time at Molokai Park in Leesburg as my mom is at 280 Kelou Court, the new owners at 278 are from Liverpool and the relatively new owners at 276 are from Brockport. The Liverpool folks lived one block away from the Rusinko's when they were at Pine Hollow Drive ... not to be confused with Pine Hill Drive in Alfred.

How about this name on the LPGA Tour: Sherman Santiwattaphong. Wow, imagine signing that autograph ... more than once!

Tom Lehman rallied to stop Steve Stricker on the Champions Tour of golf and win in Arizona. Fred Couples was T4 and now has gone: 2-T4-1-T4 this year. Jeff Sluman of Rochester was T23, Joey Sindelar of Horseheads was T42 and Mark O'Meara ... not of Alfred, was in the T69 slot.

Can Baylor stop UConn in the women's NCAA basketball tournament? The Bears won their opener, 119-30. Not an incorrect score! Time for the women's field to be 32-teams and not 64? UConn drilled Albany in their opener and played Syracuse on Monday nite.

No Sumo Tour South golf outing this year in Florida for a variety of reasons.

The Oakland-LA-Oakland-Las Vegas Raiders signed free agent QB(?) EJ Manuel of Buffalo to a contract? WHY??

Off to Orlando this Friday to see the Detroit Pistons and sad Magic play in NBA action. Headed there with Mr. Timmer, Taft and Stubb. Thanks Coach Beyer! Last NBA game I took in was at the old Aud in Buffalo, the Braves. Looking forward to see Beyer (AU) and the new arena in Orlando. No "howling at the moon" afterwards though. Head Coach Stan VanGundy of Brockport and Beyer of LeRoy were formerly coach-assistant with the Magic.

Finally this week, Theodore Snyder of Lowville, NY turned 100 last week! Related to The Janitor of this paper?

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