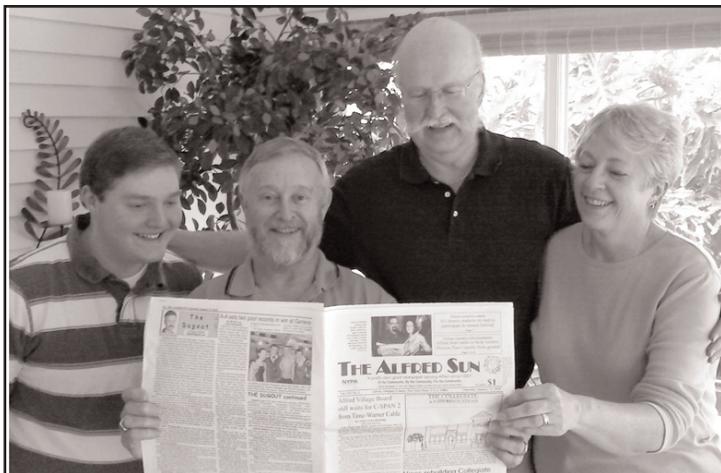


**SUN SHINES BRIGHTER IN FLORIDA**--Matthew Clancy(2009 AACCS Grad from Almond), Ward Votava, Jim and Faith Palmer catch up on the news from home at a recent visit to the Palmer house in Avon Park, FL. All four had just returned from the Mid Winter Barbershop convention Jan. 29-31 in Tampa where Matt competed at the Youth Festival with a young men's chorus from the Seneca Land District.



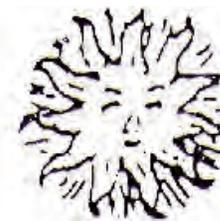
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**AU sculpture students to pour their hearts into helping Haiti**

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# THE ALFRED SUN



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Thursday, February 4, 2010

## Town of Alfred gets 10-wheeler

By DAVID L. SNYDER  
*Editor and Publisher*

ALFRED STATION--The Town of Alfred Highway Department has a brand new Mack 10-wheeler. The new truck was delivered and placed in service on Wednesday, Jan. 27.

The truck will be used for plowing snow and for road maintenance projects as directed by Town Highway Superintendent Jamie Mansfield

The Alfred Town Council held its annual organizational meeting at 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 1 in the Town Highway Building.

First order of business was the administering the oath of office for Town Justice Wende Bush.

Then, Justice Bush administered oaths of office to Highway Superintendent Jamie Mansfield, Town Supervisor Tom Mansfield and Town Councilman Donn Lang.

Also in attendance at the meeting were Town Councilman Jerry Snyder, Allegany County District 5 Legislator Doug Burdick, Town Clerk Janice Burdick

and Mary Anne Lang.

Janice Burdick was appointed to a two-year term as Town Clerk, Tax Collector and Registrar of Vital Statistics. She was then administered the oath of office by Justice Bush.

The Town Council made the following appointments for 2010:

--Dog Control Officer, Richard Stuart

--Town Attorney, Keith Slep

--Historian, Doug Clarke

--Codes Enforcement Officer and Zoning Inspector, Steve Kilmer

The Town Council also voted to appoint Dan Acton to a five-year term on the Town Planning Board and appointed Pam Jones as its chairman.

Nelson Snyder was appointed to a five-year term on the Zoning Board of Appeals.

The Town Council set 7 p.m. on the second Thursday of the month as the official meeting date.

Official banks for 2010 for deposit of Town funds are Com-

munity Bank of Alfred, and Steuben Trust Company of Alfred and Hornell.

The Evening Tribune and the Alfred Sun were designated as official newspapers for the town.

Committees of the Town Council were appointed as follows:

Highway—Jerry Snyder and Tom Mansfield

Windmill—Donn Lang and Mary Stearns

Planning Board—all members, alternating meetings

Financial—all Council members will review bank statements.

Town Supervisor Tom Mansfield appointed Jerry Snyder as Deputy Supervisor.

Town Highway Superintendent Jamie Mansfield said that he had appointed Fred Greenthal as Deputy Highway Superintendent.

It was announced that Tom Mansfield and Donn Lang would be attending a training session for newly elected officials in Rochester Jan. 13.

*Alfred Station Al sees his shadow*

**Six more weeks of winter!**



**SAME AS HIS cousin, Punxsutawney Phil from Punxsutawney, PA, "Alfred Station Al" appeared on Sugar Hill Tuesday morning and, seeing his shadow, declared, "Another six weeks of wild and wonderful wintry weather." There is no truth to the rumor that our beloved groundhog "Alfred Station Al" then succumbed to a gunshot wound.**

**Sunday forecast calls for winds at 3 p.m. in both Hornell, Alfred**

**Hornell Area Wind Ensemble to present "Musical Tales"**

HORNELL--"Musical Tales" will be presented by the Hornell Area Wind Ensemble at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 7 in the Hornell Senior High School Auditorium.

The concert features Ed Berlin, Conductor. Guest Conductor Doug Hawk, instrumental music teacher at Livonia Central School, will also play euphonium with the Wind Ensemble.

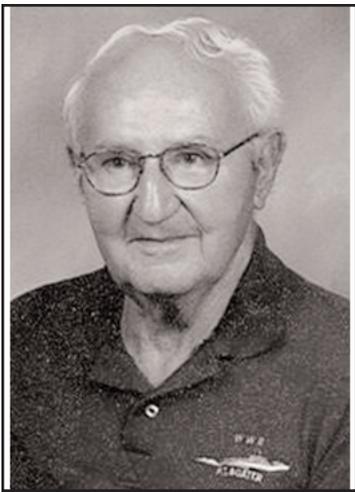
**Ithaca Wind Quintet to perform at Holmes Auditorium**

ALFRED--The Ithaca Wind Quintet will perform at Alfred University at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 7 in Holmes Auditorium. The event is open to the public free of charge. The group is the resident faculty woodwind ensemble for the Ithaca College School of Music. The concert is funded by the David and Elizabeth Miller Performing Arts Fund.



**A SPARKLING NEW Mack ten-wheeler will be serving Town of Alfred residents. The new truck was delivered to the Town Highway Building and placed in service on Wednesday, Jan. 27. (Photo provided)**

## OBITUARIES



### DOUGLAS PAUL MONTGOMERY

*U.S. Navy vet, electrician at Foster Wheeler 33 years*

ALMOND--Douglas Paul Montgomery, 91, of Almond passed away Wednesday (Jan. 27, 2010) at McAuley Manor in Hornell where he had lived since 2005.

He was born in Hornell June 30, 1918 to Paul Edson and Bertha Gates Montgomery. He graduated from Hornell High School, class of 1938, and served in the U.S. Navy during WWII in PT Boat Squadrons. He was active in their veterans' organization for many years, attending their conventions all over the country. In 1942 he married Doris Coleman who survives. They raised their family in Almond, living there for over 60 years.

During his long life he was a member at some of the several local area organizations including the Hornell BPOE, Arkport American Legion, Hornell VFW, Almond Rod & Gun Club, Southern Tier Power Squadron, University Lodge Chapter 944 Masons, the former Order of the Eastern Star Chapter 626 Alfred and The Almond Union of Churches where he was a 60-year member.

Doug worked as a machinist for the Erie Railroad in his early years and as an electrician at Foster Wheeler Corporation in Dansville for 33 years. He loved the great outdoors, fishing, hunting and most of all boating. He had his own cabin cruiser on Seneca Lake for years. He also enjoyed maintaining his home and grounds as long as he was able.

He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather.

Besides his wife he is survived by three children, Sue (Paul) Reukauf of Ovid, Terry (Nancy Risser) Montgomery of Basking Ridge, N.J., and Patricia (Stephen) Crandall of Alfred; his nine grandchildren, Timothy Reukauf of NYC, Debbie Thomas of Ovid, Titus (Ashley) Reukauf of Shortsville, Lydia (Marc) Arena of Phelps, David

Montgomery of Silver Springs, MD, Daniel Montgomery of Philadelphia, PA., Kate (Benjamin) Palmer of Almond, Philip Crandall of Brooklyn, and Aaron Crandall of Pittsburgh, PA; and 10 great-grandchildren, Annika (Ryan) Cali, Joshua Thomas, Jordan, Sampson, Solomon, Zephaniah and Zillah Reukauf, Gabriel Arena and Quinn and Nolan Palmer; and one brother, Russell Montgomery of Zephyrhills, FL; brother-in-law, Dale (Erma) Coleman of Whitesville; nieces, nephews and cousins.

To send a remembrance please visit [www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com). The family is being assisted by Adam E. DuBois, director.

A memorial service will take place at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13 at the Almond Union of Churches, with Rev. Steven Dygert officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Almond.

Friends may make memorial contributions in lieu of flowers to the Almond Union of Churches, 11 Main St., Almond, N.Y. 14804 or the Alzheimer's Association of WNY, 2805 Wehrle Dr. Ste 6, Williamsville, N.Y. 14221-7380.

### BARBARA MARKS

*US Chicken Cooking Queen*

WELLSVILLE--Barbara Marks, 87, died peacefully in her sleep in the early morning on Jan 18, 2010, in The Wellsville Manor.

Barbara moved to Wellsville from Amherst, MA, a year and a half ago to be near her son and daughter-in-law. Her husband Frederick Marks, predeceased her in 2005.

Born Jan. 7, 1923 in Boston, MA, she was the daughter of the late Ann and Sam Falk. Growing up in St. Louis, MO, she graduated from the School of Fine Arts at Washington University.

Barbara's passion throughout her life was art, craft, and cooking. She trained as a silversmith in the 1940's and put her soldering skills to work building munitions in World War Two. After meeting her husband in New York City, in 1950, they became one of the original residents of Levittown on Long Island.

Barbara was the 1958 Chicken Cooking Queen of the United States, winning a national competition sponsored by the chicken growers of the Delmarva Peninsula in Delaware. She wrote a cookbook entitled *The Family Secret Cookbook* illustrated by Ivy Bottini. In the early 1960's she opened The Gallery Beyond The Blue Door, which exhibited fine art and pottery.

Later in the 1960's Barbara followed her interest in pottery

making, studying at The Penland School of Crafts in North Carolina and maintaining a studio in her home. In the early 1970's she was the director of The Brant Lake Arts Center in the Adirondacks.

In her later years she took up photography and the writing of poetry.

She leaves two sons, Graham Marks of Alfred and Douglas Marks of Geneva, daughter-in-law Megan Marks, and two grandchildren, Arley Marks of Providence, R.I. and Annabeth Marks, of Santa Fe, N.M.

A remembrance will be held in Amherst on a date to be announced.



### KELLI SCHWERT

*Occupational Therapist, beadaholic, cat-snuggler*

ROCHESTER--Kathryn Louise (Kelli) Schwert, 39, of Rochester, passed away on Tuesday, January 26, 2010, at the Medina, NY, home of her parents, Dave and Trudi Miller Schwert, also of Houghton.

Born in Hornell on June 29, 1970, Kelli was a graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School, Alfred State College, and D'Youville College. She loved her work with elementary school children as an Occupational Therapist, first for Genesee Valley BOCES and until recently the Spencerport Central School District.

When not working, Kelli could be found crafting, cat-snuggling, writing, or amusing her nieces and entertaining her many, many friends. Kelli described herself as a "beadaholic," sharing her vast collection and her talent for making beads and beaded jewelry with friends both young and old. A very creative artist and writer, Kelli had several items published, the most notable - her "eyeball shooz" - in the Winter 2008 issue of *Altered Couture*. A photo of her special handmade polymer beads was featured in the book *Life Is a Verb* by Patti Digh.

In addition to her parents she is survived by her brother Peter of Portland, OR; her brother Daniel, sister-in-law Amy, and nieces Julia and Lilli, of Mace-

don, NY; several uncles, aunts, and cousins; and her cats Captain Fishypants and Vincent Velvetpaws.

Her family wishes to thank the Pluta Cancer Center for tender loving care and medical assistance during Kelli's long battle with cancer. A memorial service will be held at Asbury First

United Methodist Church, Rochester, on Friday, February 5 at 7:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Breast Cancer Coalition of Rochester (840 University Avenue, Rochester, NY 14607) or Hospice of Orleans County (14080 State Route 31, Albion, NY 14411).

## Alfred - As If Was

By DONALD POLAN  
*AACS ('43), AU ('48) grad*

22 Park Street was the former home of Dean A.E. Main, dean of the School of Theology and the house which was purchased by L. Ray Polan and the home in which I grew up.

The house was heated originally by a very inefficient coal furnace on the dirt floor of the basement. Coal was stored in a low walled room at the northeast corner of the basement. Access to the coal bin was a window where the coal chute allowed coal from a truck to be slid into the bin. The furnace sat on a concrete slab, the only area of flooring in the basement.

After two years of coal heating, Lynn Langworthy installed a floor gas furnace in the area identified as the family room - the area containing the radio, my father's chair, the dining table, a buffet for silverware, table clothes, etc. In one corner was a roll-top desk with a single pedestal and a desk chair where my father did his home accounting and work as the treasurer of the Seventh Day Baptist Church each Sabbath afternoon. This was the only work allowed in the household outside of the kitchen.

In the kitchen was an additional heat source of a combination wood burning and gas range. The left end was that wood burning area which heated not only the surface for pots and frying pans and a heated oven beside it. The right end of the range were gas burners (4) and above the burner surface were

two large ovens, gas heated. The monstrosity measured about seven feet long and six feet tall.

The chimney pipe from the wood burning compartment extended across the kitchen, two feet below the ceiling to the chimney at the front wall. This pipe run allowed a great deal of heat radiating to heat the kitchen when there was a fire in the range beside the heat from the range itself.

There were two bedrooms on the first floor - my parents and mine. My bedroom was unheated at that rear of the house where Dean Main had his office and library when he lived in the house. This room was exposed to the cold weather from six sides except for the area of attachment along a portion of the wall - no insulation in the ceiling, full exposure on three sides and an unheated basement.

In cold weather it did not take long to dress and get out of the room. My sister, Genevieve, slept in the smaller of the two bedrooms on the second floor. When my cousins lived with us for one year, Muriel, Frances, and Lura, they had the larger bedroom as their room.

In the back yard for several years, we played softball. Second base was a small pine tree not more than two feet tall. My father could not figure out why the tree was not growing well until he saw Norma Jacox, playing second base, bored with the game, was taking all the new light green growth from the ends of all the new growth. When we no longer played softball there, the tree grew about a foot a year to about thirty feet tall before it was cut down.

This is the house now known as the "Tinklepaugh House" for they have lived there far longer than our 20 years in the house.

[Editor's Note: The writer now resides in Deland, FL.]



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## Renewable Energy information night Feb. 18

WELLSVILLE--Alfred State College is partnering with Cattaraugus-Allegany BOCES to sponsor the first annual Renewable Energy and Conservation Methods Information night, Thursday, Feb. 18, 2010, 5:30-8:30 p.m., at the BOCES Center, 1825 Windfall Rd., Olean. (Snow date will be Thursday, Feb. 25.)

This three-hour session fea-

tures a lineup of professionals within the renewable energy fields of PV (solar electric), wind energy, solar thermal, geothermal, and energy conservation and weatherization will speak on the basic terminology and considerations homeowners and business owners need to know. The speakers will also be available to field questions and to demonstrate components to the systems. This event is open to the public free of charge. Please call (716) 376-8278 or (716) 376-8384 for additional information or to confirm space availability.

Alfred State College faculty members Jeff Stevens and Glenn Brubaker will serve as panelists.

### Pan Steak dinner set

ALMOND--The Alfred Fraternal Association of Kanakadea-McArthur Chapter #242, OES and University Lodge #230 will serve a public Pan Steak dinner Friday, Feb. 12 at the Lodge Building, Karr Valley Road, Almond.

Dinners consist of pan steak and gravy, real mashed potatoes, vegetable, roll, dessert and beverage. Prices for adults are \$7 while children under 12 are \$4. Serving starts at 4:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. or all is gone.

Proceeds go towards upkeep of Fraternities Hall. There is plenty of parking in the rear of the building. For directions or more information, call Mary-Lou Cartledge, 587-8071.

The next regular meeting of Kanakadea-McArthur Chapter #242 will be held at Fraternities Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 10 at 7:30 p.m. Report of the District Line Officers meeting and planned Official Visits dates will be given. All Eastern Star and Masonic members of good standing are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served after the meeting by Doris Montgomery's committee.

## Weather for the Week

January 18-January 31

Jan.	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
18	45	28	Trace	.25"
19	31	25	--	--
20	33	10	Trace	.5"
21	31	18	--	--
22	36	9	--	--
23	44	26	--	--
24	51	36	1.20"	--
25	49	26	.45"	.25"
26	30	17	Trace	Trace
27	30	15	.03"	3.0"
28	20	-1	--	--
29	15	-2	Trace	Trace
30	15	-6	--	--
31	23	13	Trace	.5"

By DENNIS SMITH

Alfred Area Weather Recorder

## Alfred Police

Alfred Police on Sunday, Jan. 31 charged Ben Weissman, 19, of Brighton, MA with criminal impersonation of another person and unlawful possession of alcohol by a person under 21. The arrest was made following a traffic stop on Oak Ridge Lane in the Town of Alfred. Weissman was released to a third party and issued traffic tickets returnable in Alfred Town Court.

Alfred Police on Monday, Feb. 1 charged Donald H. Peers, 21, of Addison with second degree harassment following a complaint on South Main Street. Peers was released after being issued an appearance ticket for Alfred Village Court.

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## SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ  
Alfred Sun Columnist



## Cowboy pudding cooked in a cast iron pot

This is another recipe from the book, *Texas Chuckwagon Cuisine, Real Cowboy Cooking* by Evan Moore and published by Great Texas Line Press. This one is a cowboy pudding and is once again cooked in a cast-iron pot. It drew its name from its complexion. You'll notice it contains no eggs which were usually unavailable on the open range.

### SPOTTED PUP-A COWBOY PUDDING

2 c. white rice  
2 c. sugar  
3 qts. milk or canned equivalent  
1 T. nutmeg  
1 lb. raisins or other dried fruit  
1 1/2 c. dried apples  
1/2 c. rum or whiskey (optional)

Put rice in a cast-iron pot. Add sugar and mix well. Then add milk. Hang pot over fire far enough from the coals to simmer. It may require an hour for the mixture to thicken. Then stir in nutmeg, mix well, and slowly add the raisins and apples. Move farther from the heat (or turn to low on a stove top) and allow the rice to swell. It's ready when a spoon stands in the center. If using alcohol, add only after recipe has already thickened. To convert to stop top, cook in a double boiler.

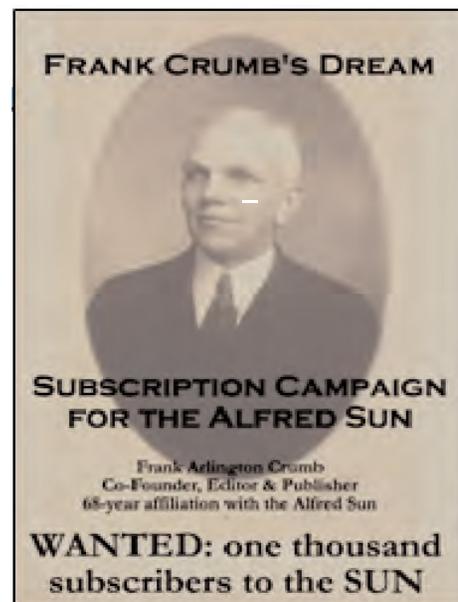
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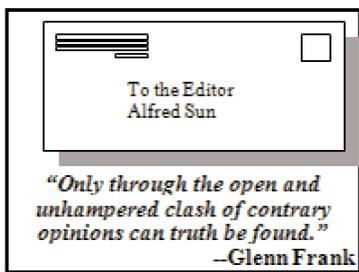
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### Very informed reader

To the Editor:

In the interest of keeping some of your readers informed, it should be noted that a letter writer in your Jan. 28, 2010 issue stated, "While channel surfing I have occasionally seen Glenn Beck or Rush Limbaugh briefly..." and "... I suspect watching their shows would be about as spiritually uplifting as watching people club baby seals or perhaps pull wings off butterflies."

Since Rush Limbaugh does not have a TV show but is on the radio for 15 hours a week, I am sure this writer must have received his information from his chosen sources. It is also clear that your informed readers can figure out the rest.

Very truly informed yours,  
Licio Pennisi  
Alfred Station

### Glenn Beck informative

To the Editor:

The very informative Glenn Beck delivered an excellent documentary called "Live Free or Die." This gripping hour long feature laid out the history of the totalitarians of the last century. Beck smashed the lies and deceit of those who claim Adolf Hitler and the Nazis were right wing. They were as left as the worst of the mass murderers of the 20th century. From the media and academia, you're led to believe that no one murdered more than

Hitler.

As heinous as Hitler's acts were, Stalin and Mao each surpassed him. Who hasn't heard of the Holocaust? Who has heard of the Holodomor? Beck made it known, like I have never seen it before. Stalin, Mao and Hitler all belong on the left.

If the White House had a bulb on a Christmas tree with the picture of the mass murderer Mao, why wasn't one hanging there of Hitler? You get the sense that Hitler is placed on the right so as to demonize those considered right wing and, if he were placed on the left, how would that play in the left-leaning government, media and academia?

Beck also brought out the sinister and insidious views of George Bernard Shaw, who proposed gas chambers on "unfit" people before Hitler administered them. I never recall in my days of school anyone mentioning that Shaw espoused such grizzly and ungodly measures. Where has academia been all these years, especially those in literature and history? Shaw is hailed as one of the "greats" in literature, but the views he espoused were nothing short of wicked and utterly inhumane!

Today, some in America walk around using the hammer and sickle of the Soviet Union as fashion statements on t-shirts. Others sport the picture of Che Guevara. Hollywood and pop stars make it look popular and fashionable as well. What is so cool about wearing symbols of history depicting mass murder? Are they just clueless or that brainwashed?

Thankfully, Glenn Beck's documentary did a masterful job in alerting America to the truth of what happened and what is

happening today. Beck makes you pause and ask, "Which way are liberals, progressives, necons, Democrats and Republicans leading us: left or right?"

Mel McGinnis

### Free income tax help

Letter to the Editor

A recent Scene About Alfred photo has prompted me to write. We've entered tax season and there are a number of commercial tax prep companies that take an amusing approach to advertising.

For low-moderate income families (and individuals), the cost of getting tax returns prepared is prohibitive, and the temptation of a Refund Anticipation Loan (RAL) is often too great to resist. This has meant that many of those eligible for the Earned Income Tax Credit don't file a return, even though they're entitled to that important refund.

RAL's come with a cost – a flat fee for applying and an exorbitant interest rate for a short-term loan.

The people who rely on tax refunds to pay for rent, food or utilities need it fast, but the price of that speed is startlingly steep. The good news is that there are alternatives – from e-filing for free to nonprofit programs that use volunteers (trained and certified by the IRS) to help. One such program, Volunteer Income

Tax Assistance (VITA), is a coalition of organizations offering free tax preparation and electronic in cooperation with the IRS.

The United Ways (Southern Tier & Allegany) coordinate this program in our area. AARP also sponsors its Tax Aide program through a number of local agencies. Last year's CASH program (Creating Assets, Savings & Hope, UW of the Southern Tier) helped bring back nearly \$6 million to our region, through the efforts of some 70 volunteers in Steuben and Chemung Counties.

The program this year will include a financial literacy component. I would be remiss if I didn't offer information about how to find these programs (and hundreds of other health/human service programs): just dial 2-1-1, the telephone number designated for access to information and referral services in your community and available to most New Yorkers. (Our contact center handled nearly 30,000 calls last year, 5,000 of which were for the CASH program.)

Carol Wood

Alfred  
(Director, 2-1-1 Helpline, comprehensive information and referral for Steuben, Chemung, Allegany, Schuyler & Yates Counties and a program of The Institute for Human Services, Inc.)

## Sun Spots



### The Chill of the Wilds

PETA said, this year let's give a vacation  
To all of the groundhogs in all of the nation,  
But chiefly those getting unwanted attention  
And suffering things I would rather not mention,  
Like food that is fed to them right off a plate  
And heated environs on someone's estate  
And warm baths and soft beds and showers of love,  
With no need to worry what falls from above.

But here now is ONE woodchuck's candid retort  
To snow, ice, and wind chill, and things of that sort,  
And to being dislodged from his lodgings first-rate  
And denied luscious provender served on a plate  
And powder-puff pampering sessions each day  
And vacations abroad each November and May;  
Yes, here now is ONE woodchuck's candid reaction,  
Not edited, cut or abridged by a fraction:

"Dis gusting of antarctic wind is disgusting!  
I must de-ice de ice on my whiskers encrusting!  
I'm catching distemper on 'ccount of dis temp here!  
It's a contemptible chore, to attempt to stay kempt here!  
My fur and my paws and my tail are frigid!  
In fact, it's so frigid, my digits are rigid!  
When I go in dis snow, I get more dan a face-full –  
Dis place with its sleet and its ice is disgraceful!"

And so there you have it, one woodchuck's riposte  
To the prospect of having to give up a host  
Of – ahem – creature comforts he's found in captivity  
To which he's developed an inborn proclivity.  
So what if they don't think to find him a mate?  
He's enjoying the good life! Ha! Marriage can wait!  
Yes, that is what ONE woodchuck has to say of it;  
It sounds like, in other words, PETA can shove it.

—The Spoiled Groundhog

**FRANK CRUMB'S DREAM**



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### Frank Crumb's Dream

#### Subscription Campaign Update

**54 down, 71 to go**

Back in 1884, a simple item appeared in the Sun that said, "Wanted, one thousand subscribers to the *Alfred Sun*." It's been 125 years since legendary Sun Editor Frank A. Crumb, who was with the *Sun* from 1883 to 1951, set the millenary goal.

Not knowing of Frank Crumb's Dream, I, too, had set a goal of 1000 subscribers when I joined the paper in 1976. That goal was finally reached in January 1999. But we want to keep the dream alive.

The late Eugene T. Van Horn, who owned the newspaper from 1951 until 1973, told us one time that circulation peaked in the 1960s at 700. It's now over 900. We've added 53 new subscribers since Jan. 1, 2009.

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# FROM THE DESK OF DAVID PULLEN

By DAVID PULLEN  
Allegany County Legislator

## NEW YEAR, NEW LEGISLATURE, NEW CHALLENGES

It is a new year, 2010, with new challenges and new opportunities for the Allegany County Legislature. There are nine returning Legislators, who are joined by six new Legislators. The new Legislators bring a lot of different experiences, skills and perspectives to their positions. I am looking forward to getting to know them better and to working with them through the next four years.

In some ways Allegany County is in a better place than it was four years ago when I was first elected as a County Legislator. We are still working through the final stages of the Courthouse project, but to the best of our knowledge are not facing any new State or federal mandates. Hopefully that will permit us to focus on some issues that are important to our County, instead of focusing on things important to Albany or Washington.

A major part of each legislator's work involves committee assignments and duties. Committee work is important, but not very glamorous. Countless hours are spent, largely out of the public eye. Typically the results aren't seen for several years. In my opinion the work performed by the Committees will lay the foundation for future changes.

The Board Rules were recently changed to establish a new Planning and Economic Development Committee. This Committee will focus on ways to stimulate economic development and growth within the County. I strongly support this emphasis and hope for significant success in coming months.

For me the new legislative term will involve both continuation and change. I have been reappointed as Chair of the Court Facilities and Space Needs Committee. The design, funding and approval steps for the Courthouse project have all been completed. Actual construction of the new facility is scheduled to begin in March. Once that is done we can perform the renovation of the existing courthouse. This Committee will monitor the construction process and make decisions regarding changes and refinements. In addition, this Committee must address other space needs including the proper utilization of the old jail area. Work is underway on the new Office For the Aging Building near the Belvidere Crossroads. This Committee has three new Legislators so I expect some new direction and emphasis from them.

I have also been appointed to three other standing committees. They are the Planning and Economic Development Committee, Personnel Committee, and Ways and Means Committee. Each committee has unique responsibilities that are quite critical. I already referred to the Planning and Economic Development Committee above. The Personnel Committee deals with issues involving union contracts, employee benefits, health insurance programs, workers compensation benefits, and similar items. The Ways and Means Committee deals primarily with the financial ramifications and impact of the other decisions made by the Board. There are typically one or two meetings each month for each of these committees.

I have also been appointed to chair two special or "ad hoc" committees. One Committee deals with Union Negotiations. There are currently four open union contracts that are being negotiated. I have attempted to attend each negotiating session for each union. This typically involves three or four meetings each month. The other committee focuses on technology needs like Internet and cell phone service needs within the County. The work of these committees is extremely important to the future of the County.

We need to resolve some of the long-standing problems facing the County. Our task is made more difficult by the state budget crisis and national economic recession. I do not expect anything to come easy, but I am cautiously optimistic that our Board can achieve some significant progress on economic and governmental issues during this new term. We are starting out with a balanced budget, and a modest surplus. There are challenges in almost every direction, but we should be able to make some progress. Time will tell.

## Scene About Alfred

By SHERRY VOLK

An occasional column inviting readers to identify the scene and appear at Tinkertown Hardware with the correct answer, the first of whom will receive a monster cookie. The identity of the event or scene will appear in the next edition of the ALFRED SUN.



I took this a few weeks ago, but it was clear that the local king was gussied up for Mardi Gras. Note the beverage container under his left arm, and the lovely strings of beads.

## Allegany County Picnic planned

ALLEGANY COUNTY—It's time for Allegany County's Annual Picnic, scheduled for Friday, March 5 in Davenport, FL.

The 54th annual picnic will be held at Polo Park East recreation hall located on US 27 west of Orlando, one mile south of US 92; seven miles north of I-4; and 13 miles south of Clermont, FL on US 27.

Those who plan to attend should bring a dish-to-pass, table service and a beverage. Doors open at 11 a.m. for all former and current residents of Allegany County.

This is an enjoyable time to reminisce with old friends and meet new folks. There will be door prizes, a 50/50 drawing and music by the Allegany County Picnic Band.

For more information, contact Margaret Easton at 727-288-6383 or e-mail: fjeaston@aol.com.

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## Baker's Bridge welcomes new members

The next meeting of Baker's Bridge Historical Association will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 15. Guest speaker will be Allegany County Historian Craig Braack whose topic will be "The Railroad in Allegany County." This program covers the history of the Erie Railroad and when it first came to Baker's Bridge, later known as Alfred Station.

The meeting will be held in our building, "The Meeting House", 5971 Hamilton Hill Road. President Laurie McFadden will preside over a short business meeting before the program and refreshments and fellowship time will follow. The program is free and open to all.

We are happy to announce several new members have joined our organization. They are: Brad and Joan Bowden, Joan Petric, Douglass Turner, John and Angie Ninos, John Ninos, Jr., Jim Ninos and Karrie Edwards. We are very pleased to welcome them to our endeavors to learn about and protect

local history.

Soon it will be time for the Nominating Committee to fill the slate of officers for 2010-2011. If you are asked, please consider getting involved and helping the organization and preserving local history. Or, feel free to volunteer to serve on the Executive Board, which is the governing board for the Association.

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# AU students recapture spirit of Greensboro lunch counter

ALFRED—Alfred University students are planning a number of activities in hopes of reawakening the spirit of student activism in honor of the 50th anniversary of the Greensboro, NC lunch counter sit-in, Feb. 1, 1960, a monumental day in the history of the Civil Rights Movement.

The Greensboro sit-in was especially significant because it marked the beginning of the emerging college student movement, as four freshmen from Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina sat at a white-only lunch counter at a Greensboro Woolworth's. Over 50 similar college-led sit-ins would follow throughout 1960.

AU students commemorated the date with several events. On Monday evening, Feb. 1, a "breaking barriers" dinner challenged students to cross self-imposed barriers and randomly sit with new people for dinner and conversation at Powell Dining Hall.

"Too often today, we continue to segregate ourselves into groups based on major, color, or other characteristics," said Kevin Carr, a sophomore art & design major. "If the Greensboro Four risked their lives to eat at the same counter as those different from themselves, we hope AU students can at least find the courage to sit beside a stranger at dinner."

Other students used food to

bring attention to the anniversary. One group, led by senior marketing major Ashley Fantigrossi, distributed coffee and hot cocoa with civil rights milestones printed on the cups. Another group recreated the lunch counter scenario and invited students to decorate cookies with their own personal activism goals written in icing.

Ana Devlin-Gauthier, a sophomore environmental studies major, explained the significance. "Students are quick to complain but slow to take action. These 'action snacks' are intended to start students thinking about small steps toward becoming an activist rather than a complainer."

Photographs were taken of students with their goal and an exhibit will be created.

The AU activities coincided with the opening of the International Civil Rights Center & Museum in Greensboro, NC at the site of the original sit-in 50 years ago. For more information visit [www.sitinmovement.org](http://www.sitinmovement.org).

The Alfred University student efforts were part of AU's award-winning Drawn to Diversity program that uses art and creativity to achieve a five-point mission to "promote equality, teach history, inspire artists, cultivate dialogue, and fight ignorance."

For more information, contact program Director Dan Napolitano at [Napolitano@alfred.edu](mailto:Napolitano@alfred.edu).



**TWO PHOTOS**--Photo one shows the original four freshmen from Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina as they sat at a white-only lunch counter at a Greensboro, NC Woolworth's on Feb. 1, 1960. Photo two, is Alfred University's re-enactment of that historic day. Carrying the dishes is Eric Ramos. Seated from left are Jossue X. Infante, Correy R. Loftin, Zachary Q. Smith, and Markenson Joseph. (Photos provided)



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## Power outage fails to dim spirits on 'A Winter Night'

By JOANNE ALLEN

*Special to the Alfred Sun*

ANDOVER—Allegany County's first Robert Burns Supper was a rousing, noisy success! Bagpipers escorted the haggis into the First Presbyterian Church in Andover as "Ode To The Haggis" was read Saturday, January 30, a frigid evening.

Surprised by sudden darkness and still enjoying the singular taste of the haegis, the kilned revelers carried on in great Scottish fashion, dining on fish 'n chips by candlelight (good venue for a blackout, lots of candles), enjoyed appropriate beverages, learned some Celtic dances and laughed at Scot/English/Irish jokes, mostly at the expense of the Irish.

Highlight of the evening was Dr. John Hunter reading some of Robert Burns' famous poems and explaining the lure of the world's most celebrated poet, born on January 26, 1759; all by the light of candelabra hastily borrowed from the sanctuary. Burns' Suppers are held all over the world each January.

Over 50 guests enjoyed fiddle music by Waverly musician Pat Kane, the Selkirk Grace and Loyal Toast by William "Scotty" McCrae, all guided by Master of Ceremonies Mike McCormick.

Pipers Steve Walker and Les MacKay warmed hearts (and toes) while a portrait of "Robby" Burns looked on. Honored guests were Dr. Hunter, President Emeritus of Alfred State College; William "Scotty" McCrea and Blake Mayo, Chief of the Scottish-American Society of the Southern Tier.

Fish 'n chips were provided by Maier's Market of Andover and Walker Metalsmiths, the Emporium and other generous donors provided door prizes.

Planners Tony and Mary Lipnicki are preparing for next January's Burns Supper, with electric power if possible, but not absolutely necessary.



DR. JOHN HUNTER reads some of Robert Burns' poems.



CELTIC FIDDLER Pat Kane of Waverly played for a Scottish dance. Proceeds from the Supper were donated to the Andover Ecumenical Choir and the Andover Presbyterian Church.



Bagpipers Les McKay (left) and Stephen Walker of Andover escorted the haggis into the First Presbyterian Church in Andover at the first annual Allegany County Robert Burns Supper Jan. 30. (Photo provided)

## Andrea Dodge to perform in Angelica cafe

ANGELICA—Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café is proud to present singer/songwriter Andrea Dodge on Saturday, Feb. 6. The café address is 22 W. Main St. in Angelica, just off the I-86 expressway at Exit 31.

Andrea Dodge is a well-known and highly respected female solo artist from Hornell. Delivering dynamic, high-energy performances for over 15 years, she has earned an outstanding reputation for her talented vocal abilities, aggressive no-pick guitar strumming style and a powerful connectivity with her audiences.

With vocal persuasions that have been compared to power rockers like Ani DiFranco and Blues icons Janis Joplin and Susan Tedeshi, Andrea delivers raw, unbridled emotional intensity at every performance.

Andrea's songwriting prowess has not gone unnoticed either with bold works like "Northern Man," an upbeat story-telling gospel that has found its way into regular airplay on independent radio stations like WDYN in Rochester and WALF in Alfred. In "Today", her soulful, reflective signature song played as a finale at every show, she offers a brave honesty in the face of moving forward and never fails to leave her audiences teary-eyed.

Don Ash of Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café comments, "Her warmth and grace recommend Andrea as fine company to keep. When she sings, those qualities are intensified. I first heard her music in 2003. I'm so happy she agreed to perform in Angelica."

The doors at Black-Eyed Susan open for dinner, specialty coffees and desserts at 4:30 p.m. every Saturday. Enjoy the mellow sounds of Jim Schwartz on guitar beginning at 6 p.m., with Ms.



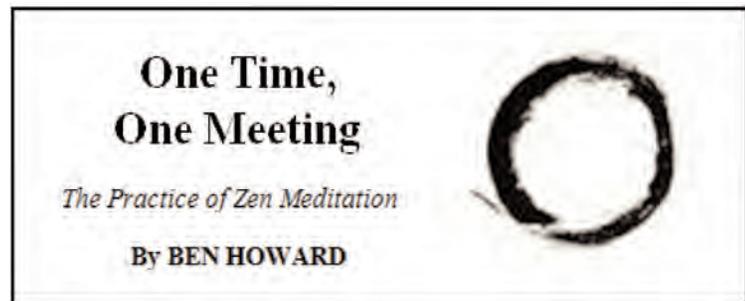
Dodge beginning at 7:30 p.m.

There is no cover charge, but guests are expected to contribute to the musician's tip jar. The kitchen remains open on Saturdays until 10 p.m. and the café closes at 11 p.m. Reservations for dinner--while never necessary--are strongly encouraged.

Upcoming shows include country and standards by RETROFIT, a group comprised of Angelicans Mike Lorow and Gary Barteau on Saturday, Feb. 13 and folk/rock guitarist /singer TIM BUCCI on Saturday, Feb. 20.

Black-Eyed Susan is located at 22 West Main Street in Angelica's Park Circle National Historic District. The café is open for lunch Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

For more information call 585-466-3399 or visit [www.black-eyed-susan.com](http://www.black-eyed-susan.com).



According to the fifth-century Indian sage Bodhidharma, one of the founders of the Zen tradition, Zen is a mode of inquiry "not dependent on words and letters." It is a practice of direct seeing, based on direct experience. Language in general and conceptual language in particular can come between our minds and the realities of this world. We can mistake the word moon for the moon itself.

Yet, as Zen master Thich Nhat Hanh, author of more than sixty books, affirms, "Writing is a practice of looking deeply." Through the act of writing, as through the practice of meditation, we can become intimate with our lives. We can stop and look deeply into what is occurring, and as the poet Eavan Boland once put it, we can fully "experience our experience." In these ways, as in many others, the parallel practices of meditative inquiry and meditative writing share a common purpose. And in the works of the greatest contemplative writers—Thomas Merton, Rainer Maria Rilke, Elizabeth Bishop, Matsuo Basho, to name a few—the two practices are so closely allied as to be one and the same.

That is certainly true of the Irish Nobel laureate Seamus Heaney (b. 1939), whose poems and essays bear the marks of a meditative temperament. And in his poem "Personal Helicon," he offers an illuminating metaphor for the process of "looking deeply," even as his poem enacts that process.

The title of Heaney's poem alludes to Mount Helicon, the sanctuary of the Muses in Greek mythology. By association, it also alludes to the Hippocrene spring, the legendary source of poetic inspiration, which was situated on Mount Helicon. Yet at first glance the poem appears to be a fond sketch of childhood, set in rural County Derry and centering on the poet's early fascination with wells. "They couldn't keep me from wells," Heaney declares in his opening stanza. "I loved the dark drop, the trapped sky, the smells / Of waterweed, fungus and dank moss." In subsequent stanzas, he recalls particular wells in the Northern Irish countryside, including one "so deep you could see no reflection in it," and a shallow well in a ditch, which "fructified like any aquarium."

In his closing stanzas, however, Heaney turns from fond reminiscence to mature reflection on his life's work:

*Others had echoes, gave back your own call  
With a clean new music in it. And one  
Was scaresome, for there, out of ferns and tall  
Foxgloves, a rat slapped across my reflection.*

*Now, to pry into roots, to finger slime,  
To stare, big-eyed Narcissus, into some spring  
Is beneath all adult dignity. I rhyme  
To see myself, to set the darkness echoing.*

In the first of these stanzas, Heaney acknowledges both the childhood pleasure of hearing echoes in a well and the not-so-pleasant experience of seeing a rat in the water. Understood figuratively, the image of the rat suggests foul and frightening aspects of the self and the world, revealed by the process of looking deeply. And in the closing stanza, he likens that process to the act of writing, which allows him both to see himself and to evoke what he has elsewhere called "the mysterious otherness of the world." Like the child's voice echoing in a well, the mature poet's rhymes conjure the dark unknown. They create a state of mind known to literary analysts as "negative capability" and to Zen practitioners as "Don't-know mind" or the mind of "not-knowing." Abiding with confidence and courage in that state, the poet and meditative practitioner are open to infinite possibilities.

Not everyone can write a poem with the depth and precision of "Personal Helicon." But anyone with pen and paper can enlist the act of writing as a tool of meditative inquiry. As the American poet William Stafford once remarked, writing is "one of the great free human activities," which anyone can pursue, whether as a literary vocation or as a vehicle for "looking deeply." Please try it for yourself.

*Ben Howard is Emeritus Professor of English at Alfred University and leader of the Fall-ing Leaf Sangha, a Zen practice group in Alfred. The Falling Leaf Sangha meets every Sunday from 7:30-8:45 pm in room 301 of the Miller Performing Arts Center on the Alfred University campus. Newcomers are welcome.*

## Claire Lynch Trio to perform Feb. 6

WELLSVILLE--The Claire Lynch Trio will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 6 at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. Come early for dinner (served 5-9 p.m.). Tickets are \$22 advance purchase/\$24 at door. Member tickets are \$20 advance purchase /\$22 at door. Tickets may be purchased online, in advance, at [www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com](http://www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com) or at the Art Center Coffee House. For more information visit the website or call 585-593-3000.

By any measure, the Claire Lynch Trio is high on the bluegrass world's A-List, with musicians whose accolades include International Bluegrass Music Association (IBMA) Female Vocalist of the Year and two Grammy nominations for Best Bluegrass Album (Claire) and two IBMA Bass Player of the Year awards (Mark Schatz).

Claire's musical direction dates back to the days of the Front Porch String Band, resulting in a seasoned sound that is simultaneously unpretentious and richly textured. It's a down-home, front porch sensibility—until you realize that it's a rare front porch, indeed, that has ever hosted musicians of this caliber.

### Chinese New Year show will be staged Feb. 13

ALFRED—The Confucius Institute at Alfred University will host "Wonderful China – Celebrating the Chinese New Year of the Tiger 2010" on Saturday, Feb. 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. The event, featuring musicians and dancers from Wuhan, People's Republic of China, is free and open to the public.

The performance troupe from China University of Geosciences in Wuhan is touring the northeastern United States, including stops in Buffalo, Corning, Binghamton, and several places in Rhode Island, in a visit arranged by the Confucius Institute at Alfred University and funded by Hanban, the Chinese Language Council International in Beijing.

Performances include a Chinese musical instrument ensemble, folk dances, tai chi, and a jazz dance impersonation.

Alfred University's Confucius Institute is one of only 47 in the United States, and one of only three in New York State.

Confucius Institutes, which promote Chinese language and culture through education, are created through Chinese Language Council International (Hanban). Alfred University's partner institution, which provides Chinese faculty members for the Institute on campus, is China University of Geosciences.

The band is grounded by bassist Mark Schatz's deft touch and masterful instinct for groove.



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*'Pour for Haiti' Saturday at Casting Center*

## AU students 'pour' hearts into helping Haiti

ALFRED – Students in Alfred University's School of Art & Design are pouring their hearts into helping Haiti in very hands-on way.

When they learned the father of a fellow student was in Haiti Jan. 12 when an earthquake leveled the capital, killed more than 100,000 people and injured many hundreds of thousands more, the Foundry Guild organized a "Pour for Haiti" event for 2-8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 6, at the National Casting Centre.

The event is open to the public; participants will have an opportunity to make their own "relief sculpture" – creating a relief mold in their own unique designs, which will then be cast in metal. Adults and children with supervision may participate in return for a \$10 donation

for each sculpture created.

Coral Lambert, sculpture professor in the School of Art & Design at Alfred University, said the sculptures will be cast in molten aluminum the day of the pour and participants will be able to take them home with them that day.

The National Casting Centre at the New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University is located on State Route 244 just north of the Alfred University campus; it offers a unique facility for melting metals that few other art schools have.

Other students in AU's School of Art & Design are participating in the benefit as well; they are donating art work for a silent auction, with bidding to close at 7:30 p.m. and winners to be announced after that. All proceeds

from the sale of the artwork will also be donated to the Haitian relief efforts chosen by the students.

The Foundry Guild, which is a student club, will be selling "its famous Guild cheese sandwiches" as well as other snacks and beverages. Marshmallows for toasting will also be available.

To pre-order a sand block to carve and cast for a "relief sculpture," email Scott Lamont at [sd14@alfred.edu](mailto:sd14@alfred.edu).

Additional information may be obtained by contacting Prof. Lambert at [lambertc@alfred.edu](mailto:lambertc@alfred.edu) or the Foundry Guild President Sharie Willey at [willey@alfred.edu](mailto:willey@alfred.edu). You may also call the Foundry at 607.587.4727.



Alfred University's Foundry Guild, a group of sculpture students in the School of Art & Design, will hold a "Pour for Haiti" from 2-8 p.m. Saturday at the National Casting Center, State Route 244 north of the village of Alfred. Among the organizers are Walner Edmond, left, whose father lives in Haiti and was left homeless by the earthquake, and Shari Willey, president of the Foundry Guild. Those attending the event may make their own "relief sculpture" from molten aluminum. There will also be a silent auction of art work by AU students; food and music.

### *'Pour for Haiti' a personal cause for Alfred University student*

ALFRED – For Walner Edmond, a junior Bachelor of Fine Arts major in the School of Art & Design at Alfred University (AU), "Pour for Haiti," a fund-raiser planned by the Foundry Guild to help survivors of the earthquake, is a very personal cause.

Although he was born in the United States and raised in Gettysburg, PA, his family is Haitian and his father lives just outside Port au Prince. For a week after the earthquake, Edmond said, he didn't know if his father and other family members had survived.

"Finally, we got a call from my father," he said. "The building he was living in was destroyed, but he was not at home at the time" and so escaped injury from the falling wreckage. He's homeless, though, living in a tent and desperate for food as are hundreds of thousands of other survivors.

Prior to the earthquake, Edmond said, his 65-year-old father's health was "up and down;" he's concerned how his father will fare with scarce food and inadequate medical care.

At the end of last week, Edmond learned a cousin had injured her leg, but the fate of other relatives and family friends is still not known.

His father would like to come to the United States, but transportation and immigration barriers make that difficult.

As much as the Haitian tragedy touches his own life, Edmond knows that other Alfred University students – those on the main campus in Alfred and others at the downstate satellite campus – also have family and friends in Haiti and are dealing with the same uncertainties and worries he is.

He's helped his father, but he wanted to do more for others, too, so he's volunteered to help with the "Pour for Haiti," sponsored by the Foundry Guild. Scheduled for Saturday (Feb. 6) from 2-8 p.m. at the National Casting Center, State Route 244 north of the Village of Alfred.

For a \$10 donation, participants will be able to create their own "relief sculpture" from cast aluminum. There will be music, food – "Guild" cheese sandwiches and toasted marshmallows among the offerings – and a silent auction of artwork donated by AU students.

Edmond is donating work for the auction, and will also be on hand to help with the pouring.

The "Pour for Haiti" is open to the public, and proceeds from the event will go to Haitian relief efforts selected by members of the Foundry Guild.

Edmond is a graduate of Gettysburg, PA, Area High School. His father is Thermolien Edmond of Haiti; his mother is Carmile Jeanlius of Gettysburg.

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**Blue Sky Mission** will be in concert at 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12 in the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus. Sponsored by WALF 89.7.

**Franz Nicolay** of the World Inferno Friendship Society and Hold Steady keyboardist will be in concert at 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 19 in the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus.

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

**Maluca** will be in concert at 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 5 at a location to be announced. Sponsored by AU SAB. For more info, call 607-871-2175.

**Maple City Bowl**, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every Friday Night 9 pm-1 a.m.; Saturday night bands from 9 pm-1 a.m. Jan. 23—Meat Cutters Union; Jan. 30—Lucky #. Feb. 6—Daze End; Feb. 13—Vendetta; Feb. 20—The Hoolligans; Feb. 27—Roundhouse Kick. For updates, check www.maplecitybowl.net Or call 607-324-1011.

**Wellsville Creative Arts Center** offers live music most Saturday evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23—Doug Yeomans & Lo Blu Flame; Jan. 30—Alison Pipitone; Feb. 6—The Claire Lynch Trio; Feb. 20—Mark Erelli; March 6—Greg Klyma; March 13—Robin & Linda Williams and Their Fine Group; March 20—Kate Engler Band; March 27—Joe Crookston; April 10—The Rich Fabec Band; Friday, April 16—Red Molly; Friday, April 23—The Horse Flies; Friday, April 30—Jim Page. For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

**Wellsville Performing Arts Orchestra.** Musicians and music lovers who want to be patrons are invited to call Judith Belin at 585-593-0118 or Elsie Swarts at 607-478-8319 for more information.

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

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**Maple City (Barbershoppers) Chorus** Meetings 7:30 p.m. Mondays at St. Ann's School, 27 Erie Ave., Hornell. New members

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Theater & Dance

COMEDY

**Comedian Seaton Smith** will perform at 10 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 30 in the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus. Sponsored by SAB. Come early and support local musician Ade Adu at 9:30 p.m.

**Comedian Myq Kaplan** will perform at 10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 27 in the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus. Sponsored by SAB.

**Friday Night Live.** AU student comedy troupe. Next perform-

ances Friday, Feb. 12, Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. Call 871-2175 for further info.

**Hypnotist Tom Bresadola** will perform at 9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23 in Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall, on the AU campus.

**Pirate Theater.** AU student comedy troupe. Next performance Saturday, Feb. 6. Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. Call 871-2175 for further info.

**DANCE**  
**Alfred Ballet Academy,** N. Main St., Alfred. Jennifer Decker Foreman, director. For further information, phone 607-587-8715.

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

**PERFORMANCES**  
Alfred Community Theatre will present its annual British pantomime at a date to be determined in January 2011. Read the SUN for updates.



Art/

Galleries

INSTRUCTION/GROUPS

**Allegany Artisans.** The Allegany Artisans, local artists and craftspeople working together to host an annual studio tour in October, invite artists to apply. Work is judged. Studio must be in Allegany County. 585-593-6345 or www.alleganyartisans.com.

**Fountain Arts Center,** 48 Schuyler St., Belmont.

**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.

**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**  
**Americana Manse.** Tours at the Americana Manse, Whitney-Halsey Mansion, Inc. in Belmont. Call 585-268-5130. Tours for groups at special rate. \$4.00 adults.

**Fountain Arts Center,** 42 Schuyler Street, Belmont. Exhibit hours are Mon., Tues., Fri. from 10 a.m.-12 noon and 2-4 p.m. or by appointment. For info or group arrangements, call 585-268-5951 or visit our website at: www.thefountainartscenter.org

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

**Call Homestead Museum.** Hartsville, celebrating 19th and early 20th century life in rural western NY, is open from noon to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays from May to October, in Hartsville. The museum is located 2 miles south of Hartsville on the corner of Purdy Creek Road (County Rt. 28) and Post Road. Weekdays by appointment. For further information, call 607-698-4789.

**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.

**The Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art at Alfred.** Due to nearby construction, the SJMCA gallery space is currently closed. For information about scheduling a small group tour, please visit our website or call. For more information, call the Museum at 607-871-2421; or visit the museum website: www.ceramicsmuseum.alfred.edu

**Mather Homestead Museum,** 343 Main St., Wellsville. Open 2-5 pm Wed. & Sat. or by appt. (Free) Call 716-593-1636.

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Terra Cotta Museum, Main St., Alfred. Open on special occasions or by appointment, call 587-8358.



## Lectures/Readings

**Alfred Lions Club Monthly Programs.** 8 to 8:45 p.m. 2nd and 4th Thursdays at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse. No reservations needed. Public invited to attend, free of charge.

**AU Environmental Studies Speakers Series.** Held at 12:10 p.m. Fridays in Roon Lecture Hall of Science Center, AU campus, during fall semester when classes are in session.

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

**Allegany County Bird Club.** Meetings held at the Allegany County Office Building in Belmont unless otherwise stated, at 7 p.m. on the first Friday of each month; speakers begin at 7:15 p.m.

**Baker's Bridge Historical Association.** Meets 7:30 p.m. third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. Programs for 2009-10: Feb. 15--"The Erie Railroad" with Craig Braack; March 8--"AU Student Diary During the Civil War" with Laurie McFadden; April 19--Annual meeting and dish-to-pass dinner. For more information, call President Laurie McFadden, 587-9493. To tour building and/or view exhibits, call

Historian Susan Greene at 587-9488. Visit: [www.bakersbridge.org](http://www.bakersbridge.org)

**Bergren Forum.** 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus, when classes in session. Jan. 28--Tim Howell on "Building A Better Body"; Feb. 4--Becky Prophet on "The Alfred Experiment, 1807 to 2010 and Beyond"; Feb. 18--Jenny Zhang, Shirley Zhu and Wil Huang on "China to Alfred/Alfred to China"; Feb. 25--Chris Romanchock on "The Pleasures and Pitfalls of the DIY Lifestyle"; March 4--Liz Wager on "Why Do Personas Matter?"; Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee and tea available.

**Hornell Fortnightly Club.** 7:30 pm second Thursday of each month during academic year, Hornell High School Library. Feb. 11--"The What If's of Gettysburg" with Dr. Spencer P. Annabel; March 11--"An Impersonation of Theodore Roosevelt" with Paul Stillman; April 8--"Global Health Program" with Laura Vetter; May 2010--Luncheon (time and location to be announced). Membership dues \$12/single, \$18/family. Mail to: Donald Doster, 191 Hornell St., Hornell, NY 14843.

**Maple City Garden Club.** Monthly potluck lunch second Wednesday at Sawyer St. Court, Hornell, at 12 noon. Program follows: Feb. 10--"Environmentally Green Plantings" with Suzanne Miller. March 10--"Flora and Fauna at Letchworth" with Tom Wetzel. April 14--Noon lunch at a Hornell restaurant (TBA) and a "behind-the-scenes" visit to Doug's Flower Shop with a program by Doug Gilbert. May 12--Field trip to Almond with noon lunch at Muhleisen's followed by a visit to the garden of Sue and Tom Steere. June 9--Plant auction and planning the 2010-2011 program. For info, call Zoë Coombs at 587-8031.

**Poets Theatre.** 7:30 pm second Thurs. each month, 20 Broadway, Hornell. Open reading of original works. Interested persons invited. For info, 716-466-8524.

**William B. Hoyt II Visitor Center at Mt. Morris Dam Winter Lecture Series.** All lectures in Visitor Center Atrium at 1 p.m. Saturdays.

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## Films

**Alfred Programming Board Movies** held 6:30 & 9 p.m. at Pioneer Lounge, ASC campus.

**AU Alternative Cinema**—8 p.m. Saturdays when college is in session. Jan. 21--Garbage Dreams; Jan. 30--Jesus Camp (at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse); Feb. 13--Shakespeare Behind Bars (Terra Cotta Coffeehouse); Feb. 20--A Hundred Patients of Dr. Jia (Nevins Theater, PCC)

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## Special Events

**Team Trivia Night.** Play for prizes at Herrick Library Saturdays, Jan. 30 and March 20. For more info, call 607-871-2175.

## 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.

## Support Groups

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

**Alcoholics Anonymous.** 8 pm Mon. & Wed. in room 228, Science Center, AU campus; 7 pm & 8:30 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 more 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 Tuesday of the month. Meetings from 3-4:30 p.m. and 6:30-8 p.m. in the meeting room at Mercy-care, Bethesda Drive, North Hornell. For more info, call Judy Griffith at 324-8139.

**JMH Diabetes Support Group** meets monthly on the third Wednesday Sept.-May. 7 p.m. in Walchli Room, (unless otherwise noted), Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville. For more information, call the JMH Diabetes Nurse Educator Brenda Torrey 585-596-4035.

**The Fibromyalgia Support Group** meets on the second Thursday of

each month 6-7 p.m. at JMH. For more information, please contact the group facilitators Iris Bahamonde (585-593-1910).

**Gastric Bypass Support Group.** Third Wed. of each month 7-8:30 p.m. in Memorial Conference Room, St. James Mercy Hospital. For more info, call Kim Gardner at 776-1146.

**Grief Support Group.** Meets second Wednesday of the month at 1 p.m. in the St. James Mercy Hospital Cafeteria Annex. For info, call Brian Diefenbacher at 324-8153.

**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.

**Multiple Sclerosis Support Group.** Meets third Tuesday of each month from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the Adult Day Care room at Mercy-care, Bethesda Drive, Hornell. For more info, call St. James Mercy Health at 324-8147.

**Pulmonary Support Group** of Jones Memorial Hospital meets from 1 to 3 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the Walchli Education Room at the hospital. For more information, call Group Facilitator Mona Carbone at (585) 596-4114.

**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 716-593-0820 or 716-593-2324.

**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.

**Allegany County Department of Health Information.** Visit [healthinfo@alleganyco.com](http://healthinfo@alleganyco.com)

## 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](mailto:alfredsun.news@gmail.com) no later than 5 p.m. Friday. Event listings should be sent two weeks prior to ensure sufficient notice.

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## AU hosts dance artist Houston-Jones; February Dance Concert set Feb. 18-20

ALFRED—The Alfred University Dance Program this month hosts Ishmael Houston-Jones, a choreographer, performer, teacher and writer based in New York City.

While here, Houston-Jones will teach multiple classes (including a master class open to the AU and Alfred community) and set an original work on thirteen dance students. This piece will be premiered at the February Dance Concert, scheduled for 8 p.m. Feb. 18, 19 and 20, and a 2 p.m. matinee Saturday, Feb. 20 in the C. D. Smith III Theatre in the Miller Performing Arts Center.

Houston-Jones' Master Class, open to students, faculty, staff and community members, will be held on Friday, February 5, from 11:20 a.m. to 12:35 p.m. in Miller Performing Arts Center Room 300.

Houston-Jones, whom the *New Yorker* Magazine recently called "one of the most genial survivors of the eighties avant-garde," has been a fixture of the downtown New York performance scene for decades. His provocative work, grounded primarily in structured improvisation, often combines movement and text with a sense of careen-

ing into arenas of messy personal experience.

It would rarely be accurate to call his work "polite dance." But its bravery and honesty has earned him countless commissions and awards (including a Bessie, the contemporary dance world's equivalent of an Oscar).

In addition to his work as dance artist, writer and teacher, Houston-Jones is a frequent curator and arts consultant.

Houston-Jones was on the board of directors of the Dance Project from 1984 until 2007 and is currently on the board of the board of Movement Research, both in NYC. Until re-

cently he served as a member of the board of Headlong Dance Theater in Philadelphia. He is an artist member of Performance Space 122 and Dance Theater Workshop and is a member of Dias y Flores Community Garden. He is on the advisory board of Culture Push.

The premiere of his work created on students will be included in the February Dance Concert which also will include new dances by faculty member Robert Bingham and by dance students Amy Proscia, TJ Samuels, and Laura and Emily Smith.

## Maluca to perform Feb. 5 at AU

ALFRED—Maluca will be performing at Alfred University on Friday, Feb. 5 from 10 p.m. to midnight in the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center. Admission is free.

Maluca is a New York City native. Her strong fashion sense and genre-hopping ways may draw comparisons to M.I.A. and Santigold. She uniquely summarizes the duality of growing up Latina in the United States.

Maluca released her first single, "El Tigraso" in August 2009. Raised on a steady diet of Latin sounds including mambo and bachata, as well as '90s hip-hop, freestyle, and downtown club music, Maluca and her music break traditional boundaries and bring Latin music out of the so-called "world music" doldrums.

The URB Magazine chose Maluca as one of 25 artists to watch in 2010 and described here as "kicking ... and taking names," meaning having multiple successes.

# Hinkle Library exhibit features Artisan works

ALFRED--Stick dolls, dove tiles, and tin clocks are among the works on display at the Hinkle Memorial Library gallery at Alfred State College from now until the end of February. The exhibit features the creations of three members of the Allegany Artisans: Betsy and Charles Orlando of Belmont and Elaine Hardman of Wellsville.

Betsy uses bits of fabrics, adds whimsy and notions, and creates art dolls. Her most ephemeral and whimsical are the stick dolls that prance across one wall of the gallery. Betsy once attended a workshop where participants were given a table full of stuff and directed to give it personality. That's when she made her first stick doll. She has gone on to make many such dolls and even offers workshops in stick dolls, suggesting that the activity is a "great birthday party activity for kids or adults."

Details of Betsy's doll workshops are listed at [www.CraftWorkShops.blogspot.com](http://www.CraftWorkShops.blogspot.com). The blog lists several area artisans who offer small workshops for families or groups of friends. Make a doll, a bracelet, centerpieces, tote bags, or pottery with Betsy or one of the other artisans who enjoy making things.

Other dolls in the show are more complex. Many of Betsy's dolls were made to meet challenges. Pamela Armas, who sells

fabric and trims from India, each year sponsors a doll challenge. Doll makers pay a fee and are given the details of the challenge and some fabrics and trims. They may add to the materials but must create a doll to answer the theme. Betsy made "Shell Collector" for the challenge named "Treasures of the Sea."

Betsy said that generally close to 100 dolls are sent to the Houston Quilt Show to meet Armas' yearly challenge.

Another doll in the exhibit is Nils the Nisse. Nisse are Scandinavian elves and Nils was created as a class sample for a workshop Betsy taught. Betsy not only makes dolls, but also is an accomplished knitter though she says that her husband Charley is the true knitting pro.

Charley's art ranges from knitting to felting to blacksmithing to the construction of musical instruments. He not only makes musical instruments but has learned to play all that he's made. Since that didn't keep him busy enough, after Charley met Bobby Hansson, the guru of tin can art, he was inspired to take that up too. Now Charley teaches tin can art at the John C. Campbell Folk School in Brasstown, NC, when he's not teaching blacksmithing or knitting.

Betsy teaches at the Folk School too. Her classes include



Stick doll by Betsy Orlando.

book arts, dolls, figurative sculpture, and mixed media.

The ceramic work in the show was created by potter Elaine Hardman. Elaine dabbles in fibers, plays flute and piccolo, and occasionally writes for local papers, but for real fun she works with clay. In the show are several functional pieces. Elaine feels that the best part of making pottery is hearing how her work becomes important to people either because they use it every day or for special occasions. She feels honored that some of her artwork is counted among people's small treasures.

In addition to some bowls and

jars there is a whimsical cow bowl. Elaine makes a number of different animals as bowls, banks, and cookie jars. Also included are a tile and mirror entitled "Peace in Your Life" and an outdoor tile called "Happy Chicken."

Elaine also offers workshops at the CraftWorkShops.Blogspot site. All three are members of the Allegany Artisans and more of their work can be found at [www.AlleganyArtisans.com](http://www.AlleganyArtisans.com).

The exhibit can be viewed during the Library's regular hours: Mondays - Thursdays 8 a.m. to 11 p.m.; Fridays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturdays from 1 to 7 p.m.; and Sundays from 1 to 11 p.m.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

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COUNTY OF ALLEGANY

STEBEN TRUST COMPANY  
One Steuben Square  
Hornell, NY 14843,  
Plaintiff

TIMOTHY R. CLAIR  
5351 Purdy Creek Road  
Hornell, NY 14843,

DEBORAH A. CLAIR  
7597 Airport Road  
Hornell, NY 14843,

JOHN DOE and JANE DOE,  
The last two names being fictitious and unknown to  
The plaintiff, the persons or parties intended or being  
The tenants, occupants, persons or corporations, if any,  
Having or claiming an interest in or lien upon the  
Premises described in the Complaint, known as

Defendants

Index No. 37296

REFEREE'S  
NOTICE OF SALE  
IN FORECLOSURE

### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT:

In pursuance of a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly made and entered in the above entitled action dated December 11, 2009 and entered in the office of the County Clerk of Allegany County on December 17, 2009 and pursuant to an Order entered in the above action dated August 18, 2009 and entered in the office of the County Clerk of Allegany County on September 1, 2009, I, the undersigned Referee named in said Judgment, will sell at public auction on the 23rd DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2010, at the front steps of the Allegany County Courthouse, 7 Court Street, Belmont, Allegany County, State of New York at 10:30 AM in the forenoon of that day, the premises described in said judgment as follows:

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, situate in the Town & Village of Andover, County of Allegany, State of New York, known and distinguished as a part of Lot No. 80, Township No. 2, Range 7 in Andover, Allegany County, New York and bounded as follows: Beginning in the west line of what was formerly known as Grove Street, now East Avenue, in the Village of Andover, and in the center of the water course draining the small swamp on the north side of Greenwood Street in said Village of Andover; thence N 68\* and no minutes west along the center of said water course one chain and 42 links to the east line lot formerly owned by Travis; thence along the east line of said Travis lot N 14\* and no minutes east one chain and 44 links along the south line of lot formerly owned by Dildine to the west line of what was formerly known as Grove Street, now East Avenue; thence S 14\* west along the west line of said street two chains and eight links to the place of beginning, containing 27/100 of an acre of land, be the same more or less.

SUBJECT ALWAYS TO the change of an open drain along the south line of said premises, the center whereof is said south line, and of sufficient capacity to drain said swamp, and the right to enter upon said premises at all times and clear out, open and keep open said drain or water course, and the same in no case of less capacity than the present water course as the same was first excavated.

ALSO SUBJECT TO all easements and/or rights of way of record in the Allegany County Clerk's Office.

BEING THE SAME PREMISES described in a deed from Charles E. Dain and Joan M. Dain, husband and wife, to Andover Historic Preservation Corporation, which deed was dated March 21, 1987 and recorded in the Allegany County Clerk's Office on April 10, 1987 in Liber 930 of Deeds at Page 82.

THIS CONVEYANCE is subject to the following conditions and the parties covenant as follows: that the parties acknowledge that the property has been rehabilitated by funds from the Rural Area Revitalization Program and the Department of Housing and Urban Development; that these funds were advanced to the grantor to ensure ownership during a period for seven (7) years from the date of this deed that the premises will be owned by persons whose income is 90% or less of the Allegany County median level

at the time of the conveyance; that the improvement on the property consists of three (3) apartments, one of which must be occupied by the grantees during the said seven (7) year period and the other two apartments rented only to tenants whose income is continuously 50% or less of the Allegany County median level during the period of tenancy; that at no time during the period of tenancy of the two (2) remaining apartments, will the rents on these apartments exceed 30% of the tenants' income; that if these conditions are broken, or that the grantees transfer the property by deed or land contract without the written permission of the grantor, the property will revert to the grantor subject and subordinate only to the right of reimbursement of the mortgage balance of a purchase money first lien mortgage on these premises recorded in Allegany County Clerk's Office concurrently with this deed, said purchase money mortgage not to exceed an amount greater than \$40,000.00. The right of reimbursement of the mortgage balance is limited to principal due and no more than one month's interest in arrears.

SUBJECT TO an Owners' Occupants' Declaration dated February 7, 1989 and recorded in the Allegany County Clerk's Office on February 10, 1989 in Liber 17 of Misc. Records at Page 161.

BEING THE SAME PREMISES conveyed in a Warranty Deed from Andover Historic Preservation Corporation to Timothy R. Clair and Deborah Clair dated January 27, 1989 and recorded in the Allegany County Clerk's Office on February 10, 1989 in Liber 970 of Deeds at Page 93.

Said premises are sold subject to any state of facts an accurate survey may show, to covenants, restrictions and easements, if any, to taxes, assessments, water charges, violations, zoning regulations and ordinances of the City, Town or Village in which said premises lie.

DATED: January 11, 2010

(signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
KEITH A. SLEP, ESQ.  
REFEREE

Plaintiff's Attorney:  
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## 21. Public Notices

### LEGAL NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC

**C A RENTALS, LLC** Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 12/08/09. Office in Allegany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 69 Pleasant St., Wellsville, NY 14895, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 3-6b

### LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of formation of limited liability company: South Main 64 LLC (LLC). Articles of Organization filed with NY Secretary of State (NYSS) on 11/23/09. Office location: Allegany Co. Street address of principal business location: 62 S. Main St., Alfred, NY 14802. NYSS designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. NYSS shall mail copy of process against LLC to Alan L. Griffin, 62 S. Main St., Alfred, NY 14802. Purpose: any lawful purpose. 2-6b

### LEGAL NOTICE

**AIKEN APARTMENTS, LLC** Articles of Org. filed NY Sec. of State (SSNY) 12/4/09. Office in Allegany Co. SSNY desig. agent of LLC upon whom process may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to 104 Early St., Wellsville, NY 14895, which is also the principal business location. Purpose: Any lawful purpose. 2-6b

### NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ELECTION RESOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Alfred adopted a resolution stating the following: Village Registration Day will be held on Saturday, March 6, 2010 from 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m., and the Village General Election will be held on Tuesday, March 16, 2010 from 12:00 noon to 9:00 p.m., both at the Village Hall located at 7 West University St., Alfred, New York.

Dated: February 2, 2010  
Alfred, New York

BY ORDER OF THE VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, VILLAGE OF ALFRED, ALLEGANY COUNTY, NEW YORK

## PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Village Board of Trustees will hold Budget Workshops on February 23, 2009 and March 8, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. in the Village Hall at 7 West University St., Alfred, NY.

Dated: February 2, 2010  
Kathryn L. Koegel  
Village Clerk-Treasurer 5-1b

## FORMATION OF A NEW YORK LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY PURSUANT TO NEW YORK LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY LAW SECTION 203

The name of the limited liability company is Dick and Cheryl's Big Dipper, LLC. The date of filing of the Articles of Organization with the Department of State was November 20, 2009. The county in New York in which the office of the company is located is Allegany. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the company upon whom process may be served, and the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the company served upon him or her to: Box 2, Almond, NY 14804. The business purpose of the company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLC. 1-6b

### LEGAL NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC

NOTICE OF Formation of: Pizza King of Wellsville LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/30/2009. office location: Allegany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to principal business location: 35 North Main Street, Wellsville, NY 14895. Purpose: Any lawful activity. 5-6b

### LEGAL NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LLC

NOTICE OF Formation of: Faulkner Construction LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with Secy. of State of NY (SSNY) on 12/30/2009. office location: Allegany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail process to principal business location: PO Box 238, Scio, NY 14880 Purpose: Any lawful activity. 5-6b

## 9. Pets

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# In The Alfred Sun 50, 25 and 10 Years Ago

## FIFTY YEARS AGO, FEBRUARY 4, 1960

Alfred University officially opens its new \$550,000 Campus Center this weekend....

**Three new Cubs** were inducted into Pack 19 and given their Bobcat awards at a Pack meeting held last Thursday at Alfred-Almond Central School. William Anderson, Assistant Cubmaster, presided. The three new Cubs are Ron Snyder, Doug Reid and Jay Evans. Advanced awards were also presented as follows: Wolf badge and Gold Arrow Point to Jay Simpson and Kirk Young; Gold Arrow Point for Wolf, Robert Love; Silver Arrow Point for Wolf, Allan Rough; Bear, Michael Drumm; Bear and Gold and Silver Arrow Points, George Clare; Lion, Greg Rounds....

**Elected and appointed** officers of the Eastern Star were installed at the meeting of Jan. 27 by R.W. Nathan Tucker. Janet Love accepted the office of Matron for another year, with Robert Love as Patron. Other officials include: Edna Carter, Associate Matron; Adell Jefferds, secretary; Alice Bel Aldrich, treasurer; Gladys Woodruff, Conductress; Johanna Beckhorn, Associate Conductress; Evelyn Lobdell, trustee for three years; Evelyn Thomas, Chaplain; Jackie Fraser, Marshall; Betty Allen, Assistant Marshall; Jayne Nudd, historian; Mae Mott, musician; Marguerite Palmer, Warder; Eeva Potter, Sentinel; Frances Cornelius, Color Bearer; Edith Place, Ada; Margaret Stearns, Ruth; Lillian Cornelius, Esther; June Moland, Electa; Barbara Friend, who takes the chair of Martha; will be installed at another meeting....

**Alfredians**—Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Teta and two sons of Port Washington, called on Alfred friends Monday, while here to enroll their oldest son in the University... Mr. and Mrs. Herman Snyder entertained at a family dinner, Sunday. Present were their son Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker and two children of Friendship, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Dickinson of Wellsville, Mrs. Robert Nexbit at present living in Alfred, and Mrs. Ernest Snyder. Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Phillips Jr., of Phillips Creek were Sunday evening callers... Dr. and Mrs. Paul C. Saunders visited their son Stephen and family at Springville, over the weekend... Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Soule and family were guests of relatives in Trumansburg and Reynoldsville over the weekend... Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Plank of Almond were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Snyder... C.W. Klinensmith, C.E. Myers, C.H. Greene and M.J. Rice attended the meeting of the Corning Section, American Chemical Society, at Corning....

**Almond News**—Mrs. Paulena Wheeler held a birthday party Saturday evening honoring Mrs. Leon Hanks. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Costello, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Crossett, Leon Hanks and Lewis Wheeler... Vince Petric who has worked for Prudential Life Insurance Company since January, 1956 has been transferred to the Almond area where he will replace John Allen who recently retired... Robert Allen was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Decker and family in Phillips Creek... Mrs. Grace Eddy of Troupsburg spent a day recently with Mrs. Carl Rigby and her daughter Debbie... Mrs. Carroll Bird and daughter Marjorie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Powers in Corning Sunday....

**The Board of Directors** of the Alfred-Alfred Station Branch of the Allegany County Red Cross Chapter has announced that the new officers for 1960 have been chosen. They are: Clarence Mitchell, Alfred, Chairman and Mrs. Judson Stearns, Alfred Station, secretary....

**Alfred Station**—Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ormsby and family were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. Ormsby's sister, Mrs. Alan Gilkes and family at Canisteo... Mrs. Harley Miller and Alan of Alfred were Monday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmiter... Pfc. George Ormsby of Washington, D.C. spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ormsby... Mrs. Fred Palmer entertained six ladies at a luncheon Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Matie Palmer's birthday... Dean and Mrs. Albert Rogers, Brian and Cynthia, accompanied by Miss Sue Minnick of Alfred, spent the weekend visiting Keith Rogers at the Coast Guard Training Station at Cape May, New Jersey. En route they also visited relatives at Plainfield, New Jersey... Mrs. Ellen Nye of Perry is

spending a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allen and family... Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Palmer Sr. of Scio were dinner guests Wednesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Palmer Jr. and family, celebrating the birthday of Mr. Palmer Sr.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, JAN. 31, 1985

**"The Town Board** requests comments from residents regarding the major resurfacing of Waterwells Road," said Supervisor Douglas Burdick at the Jan. 17 Alfred Town Board meeting. "We anticipate widening the road one foot on each side for a total of two feet," he continued. Highway Superintendent John "Bud" Walter added that the road would receive a new one-inch base topped with six inches of gravel....

**Hi-Tech Ceramics, Inc.** is "picking up the pieces" after fire last week destroyed its plant in Alfred Station. Presently, the company is operating its production in Alfred University's College of Ceramics mud lab in McMahon Building, while offices were donated by Dr. Richard Martin in the same building. While the losses are still being tallied, they exceed \$2.5 million according to President Jeffrey Morris... Morris said, "If we didn't have this community support occurring, we probably wouldn't have the opportunity to make a comeback."

**The top ten consignment** craftsmen selling through the Alfred Craft Co-op for 1984 have been announced by Mary-Lou Cartledge, proprietor. They were: 1-Bruce Greene, 2-Elaine Hardman, Wellsville, 3-Kenneth Krause, 4-Linn Phelan, Almond; 7-Frank (Pete) Nye, Alfred, all potters. Also, 5-Mary-Lou Cartledge, handweaving, of Alfred Station; 6-David Weiman, wooden toys, Almond; 8-Ginny Stopfel, jewelry and assorted crafts, and 10-Kenneth Kenyon, stained glass....

**(Photo) FFA Takes Trip**—Wayne Jefferds, Wendy Yelle, Sue Mulligan, Diane McMahon, Joel Deichmann, John Emo, Robert Ormsby, Ace Wood, Don Washburn, Andy George, Patty Collins and Anthony Nordland, all members of the Alfred-Almond Future Farmers of America chapter were part of an Allegany County FFA group that took a three-day trip to Harrisburg, PA and Washington, DC, recently.

**(Photo) A-A's Academic** All-Stars include Terri Brace, Jason Rausch, Dan Drum, Bob Woughter, Scott Lange, Christine Conderman, Brian Green, Regina Earl, Terry Ellis and Julian Petrillo.

**Alfredians**—Holiday guests of Loren and Maureen Soule were Deborah and Gerard Esposito of Penfield, Terah Soule of Andover, Steven Cunningham of Almond and William Stopper of Evergreen Farm, Alfred Station... Mr. and Mrs. John Larsen returned Jan. 13 after a vacation spent in Acapulco, Mexico... Craig Braack of Almond has been recently appointed Allegany County's full-time historian. He will assume his duties Feb. 1, 1985. He is a member of Allegany County's Planning Board; and is the Town of Almond Historian. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Braack... Dr. and Mrs. Sam Scholes spent four weeks vacationing in Jekyll Island, GA and Englewood, FL., returning in time for the Big Freeze in Alfred... Molly Albrecht, a senior at Bishop Walsh High School in Olean, appeared in the lead role at the school's winter production Jan. 4-5. Molly is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Albrecht, Alfred Station... Mrs. June Brown recently spent some time in New York City, where she enjoyed some theater-going.

**Andover-the-hill**—Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Maude Briggs on Jan. 22 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A.L. Wilmer Rising of Oswego. Mrs. Briggs was the widow of Wallace Briggs from Independence... A son was born Tuesday, Jan. 22, 1985 to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Burns (Elaine Woodworth) of Andover at Noyes Hospital in Dansville... Mrs. Violet McCormick has returned home after spending several weeks away. Violet visited her son Ray McCormick in Watertown for two weeks and her sister, Mrs. Verna Card in Corning for three weeks.

**Dot and Jim Tinklepaugh** of Alfred returned from a two week trip to Florida Jan. 25. They missed their flight change at Pittsburgh because of a snowstorm there and an interesting thing happened to their three bags that had been checked through. The big bag made

the flight that they missed and arrived on time at Rochester at 5 p.m. Another bag was sent to Rochester by way of Washington, D.C. and arrived sometime during the evening. The third bag arrived on the same plane as the Tinks at 10:30 p.m. Only US Air could handle a deal like that. While in Florida, Jim attended a meeting on advance aerospace composites and high tech ceramics at Cocoa Beach. While there, Dot and Jim observed the launch of the military shuttle from Kennedy.

## TEN YEARS AGO, FEBRUARY 3, 2000

**Both Punxsutawney Phil** and Alfred Station Al saw their shadows yesterday, meaning there will be six more weeks of winter. The weather-prognosticating groundhogs aren't always right. But the recent cold spell and more regular snowfall has convinced area residents that this winter is more like the norm, after two consecutive mild winters. So with six more weeks of winter anticipated, area residents might as well get used to it....

**(Photo) When in Rome**—When in Rome, they do as Alfredians do, and read the Alfred Sun. Here, Derck Frechette keeps in touch with his hometown while viewing the ruins of the Coliseum in Rome, Italy.

**OBITUARIES**—Saylor Creswell, actor and social activist, husband of Pam Scofield, formerly of Alfred, died at home in New York City on Jan. 23, 2000 after a three year struggle with cancer... Richard Scorse Eno, 85, formerly of Andover, Canton, Utica and Coudersport, PA, died Thursday, Jan. 20, 2000 at the Charles Cole Memorial Hospital in Coudersport. Professor Emeritus, State University of New York, Mr. Eno was born Feb. 3, 1914 in Auburn, son of Ross and Bessie Cooper Eno. In 1939 in Andover, he married the former Regina Lynch of Andover, who pre-deceased him in 1977. Mr. Eno taught at Alfred and Utica campuses in the SUNY system, retiring at Canton College in 1975... Jerold L. Stockweather, 63, died Jan. 18, 2000 at the Oregon Health Science University in Portland, OR. He was born in Hornell on Sept. 28, 1936, a son of Jerold F. and Dorothy L. Wescott Stockweather. He had resided in Corvallis, OR for the last 19 years. He was graduated from Alfred-Almond Central School in Almond in 1954 and from SUNY Morrisville College... Jean Martin Harrison, 73, of San Diego, CA, died Friday, August 20, 1999. Born in Alfred on July 14, 1926, she was the daughter of Howard and Alice Martin. She was a 1944 graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School and was graduated from Alfred University in 1948. She married William "Brad" Harrison and lived for many years in Wellsville before removing to the San Diego area. Her husband preceded her in death.

**(Photo) Some fifteen** teenagers from Lighthouse Christian Fellowship in Alfred joined some 250 area youth at a "Jesus Rally" at Gospel Fellowship Church in Belmont. The young people lifted their hands and voices to the Lord with contemporary praise and worship music, as well as receiving a call to raise up a standard of purity and faith to this generation, especially in light of recent negative national events such as the Columbine High School shootings in Colorado.

**The Eagle swimmers** finished their regular league season in good style at Addison on the 25th, defeating the Knights 124.5 to 60.5. The win gave Coach Bob Woughter's swimmers a perfect 8-0 league record and the Steuben County League title... Coach Lee Mifflin's boys were primed for Addison, hosting the Knights on Senior Night last Friday at AACs. After a week's layoff, the Eagles were a bit flat in the first half, but held the visitors to just 19 points, taking a 32-19 lead to the locker room. Addison whittled it to 44-36 after three, but A-A pulled away for a 67-47 victory. Brett Collson led all scorers with 17 points, while fellow seniors Wii Yatani and Brian Cline each added 12. Big Andy Marlatt was useful with 9 points, 15 rebounds and 2 blocks. Shane Baker (8), Elo Bauch (7) and Jason Rawady (2) completed the scoring for the now 11-5, 7-3 Eagles....

**Wittenburg University** recently recognized full-time students achieving an academic average of 3.5 or higher during the fall semester by naming them to the Dean's List. Included was Rebecca H. Weaver, daughter of J. Scott and Marion Weaver of Alfred.

# Boy Scouts hold awards dinner; Eagle Scouts, adult leaders honored

HORNELL—The Thunderbird District of the Five Rivers Council, Boy Scouts of America, held its awards dinner and recognition ceremony Jan. 19 at the First Baptist Church, and while the event is an annual affair, this year's banquet, in effect, launched the district's observance of 100 years of Scouting in America.

Incorporated on Feb. 8, 1910, the Boy Scouts of America has created a strong foundation of leadership, service and community for America's youth. Throughout 2010, units in the district and nationally will celebrate the anniversary during all activities.

"Virtually everything that we will do this year on the district, council and national levels will have a centennial theme," commented Thunderbird District Committee Chairman George Harris of Alfred Station.

"At the district level, we will be having a BSA window display contest in April (the various units will be asked to arrange a prominent display in their hometowns), a centennial fishing contest (individual Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts), and a centennial camping contest (units). The council's Fall Camporee will have a centennial theme.

"On a national level . . . the U.S. Mint is producing a commemorative silver BSA coin and the Postal Service has a Boy Scout 44-cent stamp being issued in 2010. This year is the National Jamboree (they are every four years), which will have a decided 100th Year theme and a national TV telecast."

The focal point of business for the district on the 19th was the presentation of the annual report and the election of the 2010 Thunderbird District Committee. The outgoing district chairman, Karl Anderson Jr. of Bath, gave the report. The election ap-

proved a committee of 33 members, including three new members: James Burgess of Dansville, Todd Haraty of Canaseraga and Peter Vogt of Dansville. Harris was elected the district chairman. James Nelson of Corning administered the oath of office to the 2010 committee.

A highlight of the annual dinner and awards ceremony was the recognition of nine Thunderbird Scouts who, in 2009, achieved the pinnacle of Scouting's advancement trail, Eagle Scout. Seven were present: Kevin Arnold, Troop 18, Hammondsport; Nathen Wilson, Troop 38, Dansville; Steven Quanz, Troop 58, Wayland; Andrew Bliss, Troop 83, Canisteo; Samuel Moore, Troop 1009, Hornell; Dominic Matacale, Troop 1009, Hornell; and Ryan Smith, Troop 1009, Hornell. Unable to attend were Ken Gilbert III, Troop 59, Bath, and John Smith, Troop 62, Greenwood. Each Scout was presented a certificate and American flag from the Hornell Elks club by District Advancement Committee Chair Nancy Potter.

The evening also saw the recognition of several adult leaders for their achievements and contributions throughout the past year. Harris presented R. Peter Baker, Thunderbird District Scout Executive, with a book on knots and ropes as a expression of appreciation for his efforts. He also presented a centennial mug to Anderson.

Awards included the following:

- Cub Scout Training Awards: presented by District Cub Scout Training Chair Jud Stearns to Heinz Pollinger of Hornell;
- District Trailblazer Awards — presented by R. Peter Baker and District Boy Scout Activities Chair Dave Knights to Craig Shoram of Wayland and Ira Hale of Canisteo;

- Thunderbird District Leadership Awards — presented by Nancy Potter, George Harris and District Cub Scout Activities Chair Mary Stearns to Dave Knights of Dansville, Karl Kiffer of Hornell and Heinz Pollinger;

- Richard L. Cox Commissioner Award — presented by District Commissioner Betty Hess to Deb Smith of Bath;

- District Awards of Merit — presented by George Harris and Jud Stearns to Karl Anderson and Mindy Perry of Canisteo; and

- District Executive's Award — presented by R. Peter Baker to Todd Haraty.

The Thunderbird District consists of about a thousand youths in 43 units in Allegany, Livingston and Steuben counties. It is headquartered in Hornell.



These Boy Scouts were recognized Jan. 19 in Hornell for having achieved Scouting's highest rank, Eagle Scout, in 2009: from left to right, back row — Kevin Arnold of Hammondsport, Dominic Matacale of Hornell, Nathen Wilson of Dansville and Andrew Bliss of Canisteo; front row: Steven Quanz of Wayland and Sam Moore and Ryan Smith of Hornell. Not shown are Ken Gilbert III of Bath and John Smith of Greenwood.



These adult Boy Scout leaders were presented awards Jan. 19 in Hornell during the Thunderbird District's Annual Dinner and Recognition Ceremony: from left to right, back row — Craig Shoram, Mindy Perry, Karl Kiffer, Deb Smith; front row: Karl Anderson, Dave Knights, Heinz Pollinger, Ira Hale.

## SkillsUSA conference to be held at Wellsville

WELLSVILLE--Alfred State College will host the upcoming 21st annual SkillsUSA-Region I Leadership Conference and Skills Olympics, (formerly VICA-- Vocational Industrial Clubs of America) Tuesday, March 9, from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

Nearly 1,000 BOCES students, their advisers, observers, parents, and guests from Western New York counties, including Allegany, Steuben, Monroe, Erie, Niagara, Orleans, Cattaraugus, and Ontario, will converge on the Alfred State College (456 student competitors) campus and the ASC School of Applied Technology (287 student competitors) campus, Wellsville, where they will compete in their areas of study.

## Seven county residents earn ASC scholarships

ALFRED—Seven Allegany County residents have each been awarded scholarships to attend Alfred State College.

Alexander Presutti of Angelica and Desiree Lyman of Belmont, were each awarded about \$3,900 per year for the "All-American Scholarship." Presutti intends to enroll in the engineering science program. Lyman intends to enroll in the liberal arts and sciences: math & science program. Both are slated to graduate in 2010 from Genesee Valley Central School.

Awarded \$1,000 "Educational Foundation Academic Distinction Scholarships" were Cory Brion of Wellsville, Kimberly Dodge of Belmont, Rachel Hotchkiss of Belmont and Alyssa Mountain of Almond. Brion is slated to graduate in 2010 from Wellsville High School and intends to enroll in

the information security and assurance program. Dodge is slated to graduate in 2010 from Alfred-Almond Central School and intends to enroll in the liberal arts and sciences: social science program. Hotchkiss is slated to graduate in 2010 from Genesee Valley Central School and intends to enroll in the liberal arts and sciences: social science program. Mountain is

slated to graduate in 2010 from Genesee Valley Central School and intends to enroll in the liberal arts and sciences: humanities program.

Kyle Lupo of Scio was awarded a \$500 per year "Alumni Scholarship". Lupo is slated to graduate in 2010 from Wellsville High School and intends to enroll in the accounting program.

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Emergency Room Nurse Manager Mona Carbone, RN, and Frank Edwards, MD, the Physician Director of the ER, tend to a little one in the newly changed emergency room at Jones Memorial Hospital. (Photo provided)

## Emergency Room changes help at Jones Memorial

WELLSVILLE--When Joan brought her son to the ER at Jones Memorial Hospital, she had heard that it was going to be a long, trying experience. It wasn't. After being greeted and giving their medical information, Tommy was taken to a bed and seen by the healthcare provider who stitched him up and released him. It all took less than the three hours that is the national average. It was quick and efficient; just like an ER visit should be!

The changes to the JMH Emergency Department started with renovations to the building which improved patient privacy and patient flow. "Once the bricks and mortar were in place, we started to focus on customer service and satisfaction," said Mona Carbone, RN, ER Director.

"Nationwide, patient surveys show that those who use the ER perceive there is a long wait between being taken to the treatment room and actually being seen by the healthcare provider." So a team of ER staff and healthcare providers at Jones took a close look at these issues and has taken some steps to address them – with very positive results.

"Two months ago, we implemented what we call immediate bedding," she explained. "Generally, the patient is greeted and triaged – meaning their medical intake information is obtained – and then they are taken to the treatment area and seen by the provider, who may order testing. Based on the results of these tests, the patient will be discharged, admitted or transferred to another facility or department."

Because the busiest time in the ER is after 3 pm, JMH has

added an additional healthcare provider during that time. "With two providers covering nine beds, we are finding that patients can be seen faster," she said, noting that at times when there are more than nine people in the ER, immediate bedding will not be possible. "But we have found that as long as patients know what is going on, they are okay with waiting – whether its for a bed, a test, or a provider."

The national average wait time in an emergency department is three hours, but to a patient who feels like they are 'on the back burner,' it can seem much longer. "There is a direct relationship between the amount of time that patients wait for emergency treatment and their levels of satisfaction with their experience," Mrs. Carbone added. "It has a domino effect: if a patient is unhappy with the ER experience and is admitted from there, it can color the entire stay and reflected in the patient satisfaction scores for the entire facility. Catching the problems at the gate is very important."

Patient satisfaction is an ongoing effort at Jones Memorial. The entire ER staff is involved in the process. "We listen to what our patients tell us in satisfaction surveys to make adjustments as needed," she said, adding that anyone who receives a survey should fill it out and return it. "The surveys are our report card, and the feedback they contain is very important to us."

For the past two months, those surveys have been saying that the changes are a good thing. "I have to thank my staff for their hard work and dedication to improving our patient satisfaction," Mrs. Carbone noted. "They are as dedicated to this as I am."

## Financial Aid Day to be held Feb. 27 at Alfred State

ALFRED--The Alfred State College Office of Student Financial Services (Financial Aid/Student Accounts) will participate in SUNY Financial Aid Day, Saturday, Feb. 27, 2010, beginning at 9 a.m., in the EJ Brown Business Building – Room 414, on the Alfred campus.

There will be a brief overview of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and of the financial aid process. Following this session, financial aid staff will accompany students and their guests to computer labs in the same building to assist them in completing and submitting the 2010-11 FAFSA electronically. The FAFSA is required for all financial aid, including New York State assistance.

Students/parents can register at [www.suny.edu/studentevents](http://www.suny.edu/studentevents) or by calling 1-800-342-3811. This workshop is open to all prospective college students and their families, including those who do not plan to attend Alfred State College. Registrants will receive a letter listing necessary information, including what materials students will need to bring with them, building location details, and parking directions.

Prior to SUNY Financial Aid Day, participants are encouraged to obtain: a Federal PIN number at [www.pin.ed.gov](http://www.pin.ed.gov) (allow 1-3 business days for receipt); driver's licenses; alien registration card (non-U.S. citizens); bank statements and investment information; FAFSA PIN number; Social Security numbers; 2009 Federal Income Tax return (or estimated); W-2 forms or other records of income earned for 2009; and 2009 untaxed income information.

SUNY's Statewide Student Financial Aid Days are offered as a service to all prospective college students and their families. The programs are designed to answer questions and provide assistance regarding the financial aid application, types of aid available, and the award process. Thirty-three programs will be offered across New York State.

## Ceralink founder speaks at AU for 'Women of Influence' series

ALFRED--Dr. Holly S. Shulman, founder and president of Ceralink Inc., also a materials scientist and an alumna of Alfred University, spoke Wednesday, Feb. 3 in the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, on the AU campus.

Shulman was one of the speakers for this year's Women's Leadership Center's (WLC) "Women of Influence" series.

Her discussion, "Building Confidence in Women: Strategies and Resources," explored why women in non-traditional fields need confidence-building strategies and how to leverage ways women lead to create women-friendly environments.

Shulman earned a bachelor of science degree in ceramic engineering from Alfred University. She continued her education at the University of Pittsburgh, where she received a master of science degree in material science. She then continued her education at Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Lausanne, Switzerland, where she earned a doctoral degree.

Shulman founded Ceralink Inc., Troy, in January 2000 as a facility to evaluate and implement commercially viable material technologies. She previously worked in the research and development field in the United States, Switzerland, and New Zealand where her entrepreneurial spirit led her from research to business.

She has more than 20 years of industrial and research experience in a wide range of materials including structural oxide and non-oxide ceramics, electro-ce-

ramics, and glass. Her worldwide contacts allow her global networking advantages. She has four patents and two pending.

The WLC builds on Alfred University's heritage as the first truly coeducational institution in the nation. The Women of Influence program brings powerful female role models to campus, providing opportunities for inspiration and guidance through lectures and small-group discussions. Past speakers have included a NYS Supreme Court judge, a dean of a medical college, and a lobbyist from Albany.

For more information on this presentation, the Women of Influence Series, or any WLC programs, please contact the WLC at 607.871.2971.

## Mardi Gras celebration set for Tuesday, Feb. 16

WELLSVILLE—Students enrolled in the culinary arts programs at Alfred State College will prepare a Mardi Gras celebration, featuring a New Orleans-style menu, on Tuesday, Feb. 16, from 5-7 p.m., in the student cafeteria of the Culinary Arts Building on the Wellsville campus.

Masked wait staff will serve patrons at tables decked out in bright colors designed to evoke a Mardi Gras atmosphere; musical jazz selections will provide additional ambience. Guests will receive complimentary Mardi Gras beads in the traditional colors of green, gold, and purple.

Cost of the event is \$15 for adults; \$7 for children 10 and under. Proceeds from the event, which is sponsored by the Top Hat Club (the culinary honor society), will benefit the Club's Activity Fund.

Culinary seniors Kristylee Hill, Moravia, is the general manager, and Jessica Griffiths, Martville, is the host of the event.

The event is open to the public; no reservations will be accepted.

For additional information, please call the Culinary Arts Department at (585) 593-6270, ext. 3170, or (607) 587-3170.

## Citizens group sets Feb. 8 meeting

WELLSVILLE—The Allegany County Citizens Responsible Government's next meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 8, at the Nancy Howe Auditorium in the David A. Howe Library in Wellsville. The agenda will include an update on the motion from the last meeting to file a notice of appeal on the Court House addition project. All legislators and residents are encouraged to attend.

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## Engagement announced

FULTON—Jay and Tammy Lawrence of Fulton announce the engagement of their son, David to Melanie Szumowski, daughter of Richard Szumowski of Gloversville and Debbie Szumowski of Northville

David is the grandson of Joan Petric of Alfred, Robert Lawrence of Alfred Station, and Tim and Julie Timmerman of Hornell.

David is a 2002 graduate of G. Ray Bodley High School. He is a 2006 graduate of SUNY Cortland where he received a bachelor's degree in education. He is a Global History teacher at the Clayton A. Bouton High School in Voorheesville. He is currently working on his master's degree in Curriculum Design and Instructional Technology from SUNY Albany.

Melanie is a 2002 graduate of Gloversville High School and received a bachelor's degree in communications from SUNY Cortland in 2006. She is currently working toward a master's degree in teaching from SUNY Empire State. She is an Earth Science teacher at Johnstown High School.

A wedding is planned for April 17, 2010.

## CAMPUS NOTES

Caitlin Pollard of Alfred Station has been named to the 2009 fall semester Dean's List with Honors at The College at Brockport. The 2007 Alfred-Almond graduate is the daughter of Norm and Regina Pollard of Alfred Station. She is majoring in journalism with minors in English, film studies and gender studies.

**Kevin Koons** of County Rt. 12, Andover, has been named to the Dean's List for the fall 2009 semester at Daemen College, located in suburban Buffalo.

Two local residents were named to the Dean's List at SUNY Cortland for the Fall 2009 semester. They include **Heather Fairchild**, a senior Adolescence Education: English major from Almond; and **Laura Platt**, a junior Biology major from Almond. Honorees must earn a grade point average of 3.3 or higher on a 4.0 scale, while completing 12 or more credit hours of classes during the semester.

## Christian singer-songwriter offers Feb. 12 concert

BATH—Christian singer-songwriter Laura Story, winner of four GMA Dove nominations, will appear in concert Feb. 12 and 13 at Family Life in Bath.

Story performs piano-driven worship music in a natural folk/pop style. Not only a gifted vocalist, Story also gained international fame as the composer of the church-wide favorite, Indescribable—one of the most beloved worship songs of this generation. Sung and recorded by Chris Tomlin, the song immediately flew up AC charts where it stayed #1 for seven weeks, bringing Indescribable into churches across the world.

Taking her success in stride, Laura Story released album number two, There is Nothing, in 2005. The success of the album led to a deal with INO records, which released her third album, Great God Who Saves in 2008.

Family Life will serve a three-course dinner starting at 6:30 pm, followed by the concert at 7:45 pm. To purchase tickets, call 1.800.927.9083 or visit [www.fln.org](http://www.fln.org).

The event will be held at Family Life, located at 7634 Campbell Creek Road in Bath. Tickets are \$25 if purchased by February 7 and \$27 after that date.

## 'The How' topic

ALFRED STATION--"The How" of observing the Seventh Day Bible Sabbath will be the topic of Pastor Ken Chroniger's sermon during the 11 a.m. Sabbath Worship Feb. 6 at the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church.

For more information, call the church office at 607-587-9176.

## THE GLORY OF AMERICA

Thursday, February 4

Robert E. Lee's concern for the spiritual welfare of his troops was such that, according to one of his biographers, "One almost feels as if he cared more for winning souls than battles, and for supplying his army with Bibles than with bullets and powder." Reported Chaplain J. William Jones of the ongoing revival he was witnessing:

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**ALFRED ASSEMBLY OF CHRISTIANS**--Remembrance of the Lord in the Breaking of Bread, Sundays at 9:30 a.m., Family Bible Hour at 11; Gothic Chapel, corner of Ford & Sayles, Alfred. Bible Study 8 p.m. Fridays in Almond. Call 276-6380 or e-mail [lookup@frontiernet.net](mailto:lookup@frontiernet.net) for more information.

**ALFRED RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (QUAKERS)**--6 W. University St., Alfred, (a sign will be present in front of the building during meetings). Worship 10:30 a.m. Classes for children during worship. Child-care available. For more information, phone 607-587-9454, visit our website: [www.alfredfriends.org](http://www.alfredfriends.org) or write: [info@AlfredFriends.com](mailto:info@AlfredFriends.com)

**ALFRED SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST CHURCH**--5 Church St., Alfred. A Christ-centered community of faith, focused on caring and compassion, and on the exploration of God's presence and truths being revealed in and for today's world. Friday Evening Prayer & Meditation Service, 5:15-6 p.m.; Sabbath (Sat.) School for children and adults, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. Pastor Patricia A. Bancroft. Office hours: Tues.-Fri., 10 a.m.-3 p.m. and by appointment. Phone: 607-587-9430.

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**ABUNDANT LIFE MINISTRIES**--Rt. 21, Almond. Pastor Everett Hasper. Sunday 10 am & 6:30 pm. 324-4850.

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**ANDOVER UNITED METHODIST**--33 E. Greenwood St. Pastor Peggy Knopf. Worship service 11 am, Sunday School 9:45 am.

**BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH**--1 Church St., Andover. Father Sean DiMaria, Pastor. Weekend Mass Sunday 9:00 a.m. Weekday Mass Tuesday, 9:00 a.m. Office phone: 607-478-8885; Rectory phone 607-276-5304.

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**Tuesday, Feb. 9**

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**Wednesday, Feb. 10**

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**Thursday, Feb. 11**

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**Thursday**—Lunch at noon.

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Call Lila Johnson at 585-268-5380.

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**Thursday**—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. Entertainment by Carol Meade.

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Fire Hall 12 noon  
Call Carolyn Hackett at 585-928-2672

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**Thursday**—Lunch at 12 noon.

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Canaseraga Fire Hall, 11:45 a.m.  
Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301.

**Tuesday**—Exercises 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 11:45 a.m., Craig Braack on "RMail Delivery in Rural America."

**Thursday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 11:45 a.m., "Bingo."

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AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon  
Call Linda Nelson at 585-968-2397

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Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon  
Call Maggie Brown at 585-737-5609

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Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon  
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**Monday**—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., "Game Day."

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**Wednesday**—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, "Mad Libs."



**Linda Panter, far right, welcomes recent nursing grads and congratulates scholarship winners: (from left) Barnes, Dee Spina (nursing, class of 2008), Kauffman, Peg Eisenhardt (nursing, class of 2007), and Cleary. Because alumnae Spina and Eisenhardt are particularly supportive, they were invited by Panter to assist in the presentation of the caring projects.**

## Alfred State nurses 'pay it forward'

ALFRED—The Alfred State College Nursing Department continued its "Pay It Forward" philosophy through the awarding of its fourth annual round of "Pay It Forward" scholarships, established during the fall 2006 semester and presented to this year's recipients, senior nursing students Kayla Kauffman, East Branch; Lisa Barnes, Wellsville; and Paige Cleary, Rochester. Each student received \$150 and a copy of the original signatures of those who initiated the scholarship, class of 2005.

The premise of "paying it forward" comes from a movie by the same name where a school child, as the result of a homework assignment to change the world, begins the practice of helping others, expecting not pay back, but that each of those beneficiaries will go on to help three more people.

The caring aspect of that concept prompted Linda Panter, ASC professor in the nursing program, to incorporate it into the program, where it has grown, and culminated, thus far, into the scholarship. Each eligible nursing student submits proposals detailing the activities they could conduct to demonstrate the caring nature of the profession. The proposals need to demonstrate an understanding of caring as identified in the nursing caring project and evidenced by implementing a unique caring project and revealing insight and sensitivity in the written assignment.

Panter notes, "The selection of the recipients is based on whether the project demonstrates an understanding of caring as evidenced by

implementing a unique caring project and revealing insight and sensitivity in the written assignment."

The projects included returning a lost wallet intact, despite personal financial difficulties (Kauffman); taking time out of a busy schedule to help a disabled man with his grocery shopping (Barnes); and planting flowers as a memorial to a young life lost (Cleary).

"Pay It Forward" is a concept relating to social change beginning with the individual. Application of the process results in exponential development of moral health and caring, as well as transformation of the individual into a contributing member of the global society," notes Panter of the project.

The Pay It Forward concept developed into a Pay It Forward Scholarship, initiated by the nursing graduating Class of 2005. The scholarships are awarded to senior nursing students at the beginning of their last semester. Funding is provided by private donors as well as fundraisers by the nursing students themselves.

## 'Move and Groove' planned Feb. 10 at A-A

ALMOND--The Alfred-Almond Central School Elementary Home and School Connection Group and the School Improvement Team will hold an AACS Family "Move and Groove Night" from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 10 in the A-A elementary all-purpose room.

## Kenney's half court buzzer beater lifts A-A to 42-41 win over Addison

By DAVID L. SNYDER

ALMOND--Ben Gray hit a 12-ft. jumper at the end of regulation to tie the game and send it into overtime, then Jake Kenney hit a half-court 3-pointer at the buzzer to lift A-A's boys basketball team to a thrilling 42-41 win over Addison Friday night.

Kenney's game-winner came after an Addison player had missed two free throws with 5 seconds remaining. The Knights had everyone else back at half court, so Brandon Gray grabbed the rebound, dribbled up court, then dished to Kenney, who launched a running 3-pointer that hit the mark to the delight of the home crowd.

### OFA offers free training on 'Medicare Basics'

BELMONT—The Allegany County Office for the Aging will offer a free training on Medicare Basics at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, at the ACCORD Access Center, 84 Schuyler Street, Belmont. This training will offer basic information on Medicare Parts A, B, C, and D and how you can supplement your coverage with additional health and drug plans.

If you or someone you love is turning 65 years old and/or planning to retire soon or you are considering changing your current Medicare plan, call the Office for the Aging at 866-268-9390 and sign up for these free trainings.

The Office for the Aging provides information and assistance to older people and their caregivers to help them maintain their independence. It does not sell insurance or make decisions about whether someone should purchase a plan, but gives people information they need to make informed decisions.

The scrappy Eagles had clawed their way back into the game after a disastrous start in which they fell behind early, 14-2. The Knights took a 24-13 into the lockerroom.

Kenney finished with 15 points and Ben Gray added 11.

With the win, Brad Hoyt's boys snapped a three-game slide and lifted their overall mark to 5-9 heading into their regular season finale at Bradford Feb. 2, heading into the Steuben County Tournament The Eagles games to date are as follows:

**A-A 46, Avoca 36**

Brandon Gray hit 8 of 11 free throws and finished with 16 points to lead A-A to a season opening win at the Bradford Tip Off Tournament. Jake Kenney hit three 3-pointers and had 11 points while Ben Gray had 9.

**A-A win by forfeit over Scio**

Although Scio scored 40 to A-A's 36, the Tigers later forfeited because of an ineligible player, thus giving A-A the Bradford Tournament title.

**Belfast 58, A-A 46**

Justin Haynoski went 6-for-6 at the line to lead A-A scorers with 12, and Kenney had 10, but it wasn't enough.

**Prattsburgh 47, A-A 37**

Brandon Tomm went 4-for-4 at the line and finished with 14 points to lead A-A, but the Vikings were too much.

**Avoca 43, A-A 39**

The Tigers used their home court advantage to avenge its season opening loss. Kenney led A-A with 11 points, Ben Gray had 9 and Matt Lehman 8.

**Campbell-Savona 52, A-A 37**

Ben Gray led the Eagles with 13 points but the Panthers ruled.

**A-A 67, Bishop Walsh 59**

The Eagles, playing at the Portville Tournament, clicked on the offensive end as Tomm had 23, Ben Gray 16, Seth Cornell 13 and Kenney 11.

**Portville 69, A-A 33**

The Eagles were never in it. Ben Gray led A-A with 10 points while Tomm had 9.

**Arkport 56, A-A 30**

The Bluejays have a nice squad this year and shot the lights out against A-A.

**A-A 40, Canaseraga 37**

Ben Gray and Kenney each had 12 points, while Tomm added 9 to lead the Eagles to a hard-fought win at Canaseraga.

**Hammondsport 40, A-A 32**

Ben Gray led A-A scoring with 10.

**C-G 55, A-A 33**

Canisteo-Greenwood won at home. Ben Gray led A-A with 14 points while Kenney added 10.

**J-T 48, A-A 39**

The Jasper-Troupsburg Wildcats raced to a big lead, then held on. Ben Gray had 12, Cornell 10 and Kenney 9.

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# Saxon indoor trackmen take third in Empire 8; women finish fifth

ROCHESTER--The Alfred University men's and women's indoor track and field teams competed Sunday at the Empire 8 Conference championships, hosted by RIT. AU men placed third of six teams and the Alfred women were fifth of six teams.

The AU men took the top three spots in the shot put, with junior Shawn Ross (Ticonderoga) winning the event (13.51 meters). Freshman Mike Raplee (Dundee) was second (12.87 meters) and senior Travis Cox (Ashaway, RI/Westerly) third (12.80). Cox also took third in the weight throw (13.27 meters); Raplee was eighth (11.55).

Sophomore Annie Mills (Scarborough, ME) led the AU women with a third-place finish in the 55-meter hurdles (9.25 seconds) and an eighth place in the 55-meter dash (8.04 seconds). A team of senior Rachel Gaylord (Horseheads), freshman Amy Morrissey (Hornell), junior Melissa Haahr (Owego/Tioga) and senior Megan Crimmins (Big Flats/Horseheads) was second in the women's distance medley (13:34.98).

Top performers for the men included: sophomore Richard Scott (Eden), fifth in the 400 meters (50.82) and seventh in the 200 meters (23.44); senior Lee Consolo (Pleasantville), fifth in the 400 meters (52.08); junior Markenson Joseph (Brooklyn/Nazareth Regional), second in the weight throw (13.73 meters); freshman Chris Lopez (Rochester/Pittsford Sutherland), eighth in the 55-meter dash (6.81) and ninth in the long jump (6.18 meters); and sophomore Justin Shardlow (Alfred-Almond), 10th in the long jump (6.17 meters). Consolo, senior Matt Phillips (Kinderhook/Ichabod Crane), freshman Jeremy Weaver (Lancaster, PA), and Scott took third in the 4-x-400 relay (3:30.14).

## Lady Saxons win 2 of 3

The AU women's basketball team (9-10, 3-7 Empire 8) won two Empire 8 games defeating RIT, 76-74, and Nazareth, 56-54, but lost to Hartwick, 46-44, Sunday evening.

In the RIT game, a three-point play by junior guard Courtney Lincoln (Waterloo) with 20 seconds left in regulation propelled the ladies to a 76-74 win over visiting RIT Tuesday evening at

the McLane Center.

Against Nazareth, Alfred led 32-23 at the half. Nazareth closed the gap after intermission and both teams were tied, 54-54, with 30 seconds remaining in the game when Lyndsay Murphy made a layup for the Lady Saxons to give them a 56-54 lead. Nazareth's last shot attempt by Kelly Dunne was blocked by Jordan to secure the win for AU.

In the Hartwick game, AU rallied to knot the game at 44-44 on a jumper by AU senior guard Lisa Button (Jasper-Troupsburg) with 23 seconds left but RIT scored the winning basket with under a second remaining.

## Men's basketball wins one of three Empire 8 contests

The men's basketball team (8-10, 2-8 Empire 8) lost to visiting RIT, 58-45, Tuesday and to host Nazareth, 72-62, Friday, but finished the week with a win over Hartwick, 69-67, Sunday.

AU and Hartwick were tied, 26-26, at halftime. Junior guard Mike Stopera (Scotia-Glenville) scored AU's final seven points as part of his game-high 25 points to pace AU. Senior forward Jared Patt (Nelson, PA/Elkland Area) netted 12 points and freshman guard Matt Johnson (Winchester, VA/James Wood) added 11 points. Freshman guard Sean Curran (Honesdale, PA) scored seven points.

At Nazareth, after trailing 31-27 at halftime, AU closed the gap to within a point, but did not take the lead. Junior guard Gary Kwiecien (Perry) scored a team-high 17 points and Stopera netted 13 points and had three assists to lead Alfred. Curran added 10 points and Patt had 9 points and 7 rebounds.

Against RIT, Alfred trailed, 32-20, at halftime. Senior forward Ron Smith (Lyons) scored a game-high 14 points and had six rebounds to lead AU. Stopera netted nine points and sophomore center Bryan Bobo (Ontario/Wayne Central) added 7 points.

## Ithaca defeats men's swimming and diving team

Men's Swimming and Diving (6-2, 3-1 Empire 8): The Ithaca men beat AU 130-113 to snap the Saxons' 23-meet Empire 8 dual meet win streak.

Freshman Nate Chapman (Hornell) won two events for Alfred, taking the 1,000 freestyle

(10:26.91) and 500 freestyle (4:57.16). Other Saxons earning wins were: senior Andrew Brisson (Greenwich, CT) in the 200 free (1:46.24); senior Kameron Chambliss (Alfred-Almond) in 3-meter diving (301.80 points); junior Tyler Olsen (Saratoga Springs) in the 100 free (48.38 seconds); junior Zach Mix (Mt. Morris) in the 200 butterfly (2:02.61); and sophomore Warren Dolben (Rye, NH/Berwick Academy) in the 200 breast-stroke (2:18.73).

The women's swimming and diving team (2-5, 1-2 Empire 8) was defeated by Ithaca, 179-56, Saturday. Junior Sarah Blair (Auburn) was AU's lone winner, taking the 50 freestyle in 25.11.

## AU skiers compete at Bristol

The men's and women's

Alpine ski teams competed at Bristol Mountain, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 30 and 31. The AU men were second of nine teams competing and the Alfred women were seventh of nine.

Senior Harrison Hendricks (Sodus) led the AU men, taking seventh in the slalom and 16th in the giant slalom. Sophomore Steve Barton (Dansville) was 11th and 12th, respectively, in the GS and slalom, and senior Joel Buchanan (Almond/Scio) was 11th in the slalom. AU was fifth in the GS and second in the slalom to take second overall in the combined team standings.

Senior Lauren Pfeifer (Livonia) won the slalom to help the AU women's team take third in that event. The women finished last in Saturday's giant slalom,

with freshman Claire Dvorak (Tully) Alfred's best GS skier (16th) in that event.

## Ross, Lincoln Saxons' Athletes of the Week

**Shawn Ross:** The junior from Ticonderoga won the shot put at the Empire 8 Conference indoor track and field championships and earned First Team Empire 8 all-conference honors. It marks the second straight year Ross has won an Empire 8 indoor shot put title.

**Courtney Lincoln:** The junior guard from Waterloo averaged 9.3 points, six rebounds, one assist and one steal as the women's basketball team won two of three E8 games. Her three-point play with 23 seconds left lifted AU to a 76-74 victory over visiting RIT.

# Alfred State Sports Round-up

## Men's Basketball: 9-13 (3-4 WNYAC)

ALFRED—The Alfred State Pioneer men's basketball team dropped all three of their games this week. They fell 84-68 to #3 Monroe CC, 89-61 to Genesee CC, and 86-70 to #2 Erie CC.

Jose Stable (Brooklyn/EBC-Bushwick) led the Pioneers with 20 points and nine boards versus Monroe. Neil Wilson (Ft. Worth, TX) added 14 points and 10 assists, Chris Dalton (Elmira Southside) finished with 12 points, and Reggie Corley (Elmira Free) chipped in 11 off the bench.

Stable continued his solid play as of late with 17 points and 11 rebounds versus Genesee. Wilson finished with 10 points while Dalton, Corley, and Younatan Gobezeai (Bethesda, MD) all finished with eight each.

Stable recorded another double-double versus Erie, finishing with 19 points and 15 rebounds. Corley (16) and Gobezeai (15) chipped in 31 combined points off the bench.

## Women's Basketball: 10-10 (1-4 WNYAC)

The Lady Pioneers fell 89-67 to Genesee CC and 60-52 to Erie CC this week. During the week, Brittney Brooks became the new ASC all-time leading scorer. Brooks now has scored 920 points in 44 career games and breaks the previous record held by Nichole Tyler (916).

Brooks led the way with 25 points and seven rebounds versus GCC while Amanda Blake (Cuba Rushford) chipped in 16 points and six rebounds. Shawna McNeil (Hornell) added nine points.

Blake was the lone Lady Pioneers in the hard fought loss at Erie. She finished with a double-double with 13 points and 11 rebounds. Brooks became the all-time leading scorer with her eight points in the contest.

Yakima Williams (Brooklyn/Franklin Lane) and Katelynn Bailey (West Valley) each finished with eight points.

## Indoor Track & Field: Competed at Colgate University

The indoor track and field team competed at the Colgate University Class of '32 Invitational on Saturday. The Pioneers competed versus numerous NCAA Division I and III competition along with their NJCAA Region III foes.

Edward Sparks (Horseheads) was the lone Pioneer to place in the competition. Sparks finished 6th in the pole vault with a leap of 4.27 m.

The competition also included the crowning of a Region III Champion in the distance medley relay. The ASC men's team of Logan Drummer (Pioneer), Ian Marshall (Bronx/DeWitt Clinton), Derek Snyder (Bath), and Brandon Lewis (Red Creek) finished 2nd with a time of 11:10.06. The women, Kaleigh Ligoci (Cicero North Syracuse), Christina Losecco (Canisteo Greenwood), Carey Crooker (Addison), and Bridget McMahon (Avoca) finished 3rd with a time of 13:48.56.

## Swimming:

The swim team finished up their regular season on Saturday at the Genesee CC Winter Classic.

Cory Roberts (Marcus Whitman) won the 200 butterfly (2:23.66) and was 2nd in the 100 butterfly (1:01.67). Ethan Wright (Clyde Savannah) won the 50 free (23.88) and was 2nd in the 100 free (52.50). Josiah Halbohm (Bemus Point) won the 200 back (2:30.76), and Wade Harrington (Campbell-Savona) was 2nd in the 500 free (6:16.16). Roberts, Wright, Halbohm, and Harrington also combined to win the 400 free relay with a time of 3:47.58.

On the women's side Sabrina Dunning (Cuba Rushford) won

the 1650 free (23:12.21) while Ashley Andrus (Cuba Rushford) was 2nd in the 100 back (1:11.11) and 3rd in the 100 free (1:02.39).

On Wednesday, the Pioneers had a successful evening in their lone home meet of the season. The men's team scored 76 points and finished ahead of Erie CC (49) and Jamestown CC (39) while the women finished second with 38 points behind ECC's 63 and ahead of JCC's 35.

Wright and Roberts were each double winners. Wright won the 50 free (23.70) and the 100 free (53.00) while Roberts won the 1650 free in 21:24.32 and the 100 butterfly in 1:01.38. Tim Guarino (Cornwall) won the 400 IM (5:57.56) Wright, Roberts, and Guarino teamed with Harrington on the winning 200 yard medley relay team (1:56.87). Andrus won the 200 free (2:18.15) while Emily Bergman (Horseheads) won the 100 butterfly (1:25.94) on the women's side. The 200 medley relay team of Andrus, Bergman, Dunning and Val Luppino (Buffalo/Performing Arts) finished 2nd in 2:21.68.

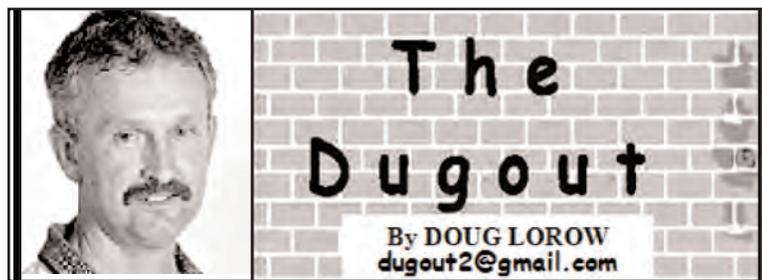
## Wrestling: 1-3-1

At the Jamestown CC Open, Cody Dill (Unatego) and Taylor Nelson (Somers) earned 3rd place finishes.

Earlier in the week, ASC couldn't overcome two forfeits and fell 30-17 to Jamestown CC in a WNYAC dual. Alfred State earned five victories in the eight matches wrestled. Cody Lansberry (Kendall) downed Chris Chapek 4-0 at 157, Dan Steiger (Miller Place) won 6-4 over Max Murray at 165, Dill won 12-3 victory over Victor Guariello at 125, Eric Shedden (Canton, PA) earned a 6-1 victory over Jon Bernard at 141, and Darren Whittall (Lockport) closed out the evening with a 9-5 victory over Joe Goyette at 149.



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**HITS AND MISSES:**

**Alfred-Almond and** Alfred University grad, Derck Frechette ... Big D, is now a member of the Greater Rochester Track Club Hall of Fame after induction ceremonies were held this past Saturday evening at the Diplomat Party House in Rochester. Frechette was introduced to the overflow crowd by fellow A-A Hall of Famer, Gary "Doc" Moore as the former Torrey Painting Strider teammates took over the festivities late in the program. Had the pleasure of sitting at a (reserved) table along with Bill and Chris Frechette, brothers of Derck along with Moore and his wife, Mary. Also, longtime runner, Dave Coyne of Avon. Not in attendance ... former TPS team owner, Robert H. Torrey. Off to Florida for the Pro Bowl and SB 44. Derck Frechette ... good man, worthy honoree!

**Took in the AU Saxons** at Nazareth women's basketball contest the evening prior as Coach Jay Murphy's troops were in Rochester. Ran into Mark Wilson prior to the game as his daughter Brittany plays for 'Naz and is a Fairport grad. Hadn't seen him since the many Webster-Fairport high school clashes on the court. Courtney Lincoln (Waterloo) was in uniform for AU as she has transferred from Keuka College. A big help at the guard slot. Lisa Button (J-T) is a senior on the squad. Molly Sullivan ... daughter of ex-AU football WR, Matt is a sophomore guard. Lyndsay Murphy made a late, driving lay-up to give Alfred University a two-point victory. Was standing with Molly Murphy when that happened. Big mistake! Didn't stay for men's game as I am headed to Alfred this week to see both games as the Saxons take on Ithaca College. An undefeated IC women's team in conference play.

**The AU men** are 9-10 overall after nipping Hartwick at the McLane Center on Sunday past while the women dropped to 8-10 with their loss to Hartwick. Both games decided by two-points! "Across the street" the Alfred State College men are (9-13) while the women are at .500, 10-10.

**Coach Rob Kornaker's** (AU) SJ Fisher men's team is zipping along at (16-4) overall despite dropping their first E8+ contest of the year to Stevens over the weekend. Kornaker's team is in first in league play at 10-1, with Nazareth-Stevens-Ithaca next. The top four make it to the conference post season tourney with the regular season champ hosting the three-game outing.

**Coach Tom Spanbauer's** Cortland men's cage squad is (12-6) ... Tom Curle's Plattsburgh Cardinals are at (11-7) ... Bob Montana's Union club is improving to (9-8) ... Todd Montana's Green Mountain team is at (5-11).

**Tim Mead's** (Andover) Walsh baseball team in Ohio opens up college play Feb. 28 at Webber International. Yikes! Cavs play early games in a tourney format before starting AMC play in the spring.

**Joe Q. French's** UMBC softball squad in Maryland opens their season at the Spartan Class in South Carolina on February 19th. The ex-Alfred State women's hoop coach and ex-Geneseo women's softball mentor brings his club to Binghamton on April 2nd.

**With Stan Van Gundy** named as the East Conference coach for the NBA All-Star game, pretty sure the Orlando Magic staff will be in charge of the team. AU grad and former Alfred State assistant, Bob W. Beyer in Dallas!

**The WNBA All-Star** game this year will feature the WNBA stars versus the Team USA national squad. Have to figure lots of players on both! Diana Taurasi, Sue Bird, Candice Parker, to name a few. How is that going to work out?

**Gilbert Arenas** and Javaris Crittenton, "knuckleheads" for the Washington Wizards NBA team, booted for rest of the year by Commissioner David Stern. Both had guns in the locker room. Brilliant.

**The Mixer** and his daughter, Jessica took in a recent Washington Caps NHL hockey game. The James Madison grad, former member of Mullen Carpets squad in old AASPL, now resides in Virginia.

**The NCAA** is thinking about expanding the men's basketball tournament to 96-teams? Yikes. The NIT will be wiped out and then what will Kentucky do for post season action?

**Spotted a host of** NYS vanity plates of late: COORSLT ... sponsors of Sumo Tour South, REDSX 6 ... hopefully six more years before they make the playoffs again, NFL RAMS ... sad times for Gaisser's favorite, LAX MAMA, NEWBUILD ... "Mr. 195" and

## A-A boys near So. Tier Ski League title

By **MARCIA LICHTMAN**  
*Special to the Alfred Sun*

Three more races are in the books, and that means three more wins for the Alfred-Almond boys.

The girls climbed atop the podium for the Wednesday night slalom race, but got nipped by Dansville in Saturday morning's GS and then dropped to a fifth place finish in the afternoon slalom when front runner Caroline McDowell lost a ski on a fall and runner up Courtney Cook had to hike to preserve the team finish. Stacy Mayes had both a personal best and the best A-A finish in the slalom, claiming seventh, and Brittany Behling had a chance to contribute to the team score, but it was not enough to hold on to the league lead, and the girls will have to open the afterburners this week to defend their league title, as the regular season ends on Saturday.

Last Saturday was easily the coldest racing day to date, but clear and calm and fast, with snow conditions perfect for a double race. The entire field turned in excellent times, with few falls, so the comparative strengths of each team were apparent. The A-A and Dansville girls are very evenly matched, and when everybody skis their best, the race is decided by a margin of only hundredths of a second. The Mustangs prevailed in this one, beating out the Eagles by .17 secs. on a combined team score of three racers and six runs down the mountain.

The boys have a similarly challenging competitor in the Livonia Bulldogs, and their margin of victory was .21 seconds on the combined scores of four boys taking two runs. And we are talking exceptional top skiers, with Colby Curran finishing third, Michael Timbrook, fifth, Callan Godshalk seventh, and Jon Mix ninth, while the Livonia boys claimed first second, fourth and twenty eighth. That one extra talented skier is making a consistent difference for the boys this year, but they will lose that advantage come sectional day when only the top three scores count. Fortunately, Livonia is a larger school and in a different class.

For the girls, it was McDowell in third, Cook in sixth, and Mayes in fifteenth.

The afternoon slalom run was a one shot deal--no chance to benefit from experience and fix one's mistakes. Although the girls fell victim to a crash, the A-

A front four boys swooped down the hill to second, third, fourth and tenth place finishes by Curran, Godshalk, Timbrook, and Mix, respectively, while Livonia lost one competitor to a fall as well, giving the Eagles a seventeen second victory this time. Their season point total is such that they would have to not show up and yield a pair of victories to their closest rivals to even finish in a tie this year.

What a nice career ending season for senior captain Godshalk, whose passion for the sport extends to college and beyond, where he hopes to major in therapeutic recreation and one day teach disabled people the joy of skiing. Girls' senior captain Mc-

Dowell will also be heading for college next year, but her real passion is for the sport of soccer, which she hopes to pursue at the collegiate level. In both cases, A-A will miss a pair of talented and enthusiastic competitors who have contributed throughout their careers to the stellar Eagle outcomes their fans have enjoyed.

This Saturday, the Southern Tier Ski League will wrap up its racing season with a double race and senior recognition for the league's graduating seniors between the races. Sectional competition will take place at Bristol Mountain with boys' races being held on Monday and girls' races on Wednesday.



**REGATTA WINNERS--Cub Pack 1026 celebrated their annual Rain Gutter Regatta with the final race coming down to Tiger Cub Mike (left) narrowly defeating Bear Scout Noah (right). On Monday, scouting celebrates its 100th birthday as all scouts are encouraged to wear their uniform or pack shirts to school. (Photo provided)**

## THE DUGOUT continued

**PRAIZIM...**Drip to Scum after loss on links next month in Florida.

**Tuned into the PBA Tour** on Sunday past with a couple of "vets" in the lineup, Pete Weber and Walter Ray Williams, Jr. Weber lost to WRW in the semi-finals and Williams fell in finals of Dick Weber Open but good seeing both. Ryan Shafer (Horseheads) also on telecast. Jack Jurek of Buffalo was 8th. Received a text from Pat Atwell (also watching) during telecast!

**Jason Giambi, 39** has inked a contract with the Colorado Rockies of the NL and Jim Edmunds, 39 has signed a minor league deal with the Milwaukee Brewers. Edmunds sat out the 2009 season.

**Meanwhile, Johnny Damon** allegedly turned down a 2-year, \$14 million dollar deal to re-join the Yanks. Huh? Agent Scott Boras overplay his cards on Damon? Where is he going to get that kind of money elsewhere?

**Tuned into the PGA Tour** on Sunday past as well (frigid day) as the tourney was at Torrey Pines in San Diego. On the extended leaderboard: Marc Leishman, Michael Sim, Alex Prugh, Rickie Fowler and D.A. Points. Yikes. Thought it was a Nationwide Tour event at first. Hurry back ... Tiger!

**Super Bowl 44** is indeed on tap for this Sunday and am sticking with Colts pick, 30-27 behind league MVP, Peyton Manning. Four such trophies in the decade just completed.

**Hershel Walker, 47** won his opening MMA match and looking as fit as his NFL days.

**No word yet** from the "Traveling Sports Fan" ... now in Florida.

**Frank Sumo ...** attendance.

**Heading to the McLane Center** in Alfred on Friday evening with noted area photographer, Leo Nealon. He on assignment, perhaps me too.

**The once-legendary Kaz** at the Sumo Tour South gathering?



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