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sun themselves...**

On June 15, at the Allegany Artisans Picnic, there was plenty of Sun. Reading The Alfred Sun are Allegany Artisans Board Members (from left) Bill Banker, Bob Chaffee, Betsy Orlando, Elaine Hardman, Stephen Walker and Dick Lang.



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Andover gearing up for its 50th annual celebration

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Murray bringing in big class
15 NYS All-Stars among Alfred football recruits

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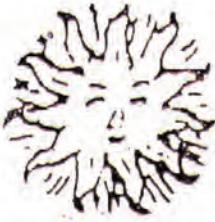
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Forty-eight graduate at Alfred-Almond

By DAVID L. SNYDER
Editor and Publisher

ALMOND--Commencement exercises for Alfred-Almond Central School's Class of 2010 Saturday afternoon, June 26, while traditionally a joyous occasion, had its bittersweet moments for the 48 graduating seniors.

Two of the graduating seniors were mourning the loss in the past week of an uncle and grandfather, respectively; the entire class again acknowledged the loss of classmates Paul Sharrett and Emily Timbrook.

Graduating seniors Meghann Williams and Rohan Virdee, and student Leah Crosby performed a song titled "Tribute to Paul Sharrett and Emily Timbrook," written by Meghann in memory of their classmates who had already "graduated."

Sharrett was killed in a car crash on April 1, 2008 while a sophomore at A-A. Timbrook was killed in a car crash on April 10, 2009 while a junior.

Samuel Huang, in his valedictory address, touched on the two's deaths in his speech to the class, noting the many lessons taught by the tragedies, everyone should "enjoy life."

Salutatorian Lauren Powell, meanwhile, in addressing her classmates, looked to the future, reading Dr. Seuss' The Places You'll Go. She said the graduates will see many things, and most likely will experience some failures in their lives.

The graduates' successes, however, were richly rewarded during the ceremony--the 71st at A-A and the final for retiring Superintendent Richard Nicol--with many scholarships being presented.

The Alfred-Almond Alumni Association awarded 16 scholarships with Samuel Huang receiving the Rachael

Amato/Thomas Murphy Memorial Scholarship and Meghann Williams receiving the Juanita Whitaker Pulos Memorial Scholarship.

The A-A Alumni Association also awarded Jean Hanks Palmeter/Dale Lorow Memorial Scholarships to John Cormack, Elizabeth Acker, Joseph Torkaman, Kelsey Hanbach, Shirley Tang, Caroline McDowell, Callan Godshalk, Eva Shardlow, Kristen Walsh and Benjamin Gray.

Finally, the Alumni Association awarded the Frances Nash Burke/Arlene Roberts Memorial Scholarships to Kimberly Dodge, Kelsey Hageman, Robert George and Megan Earl.

Meghann Williams was awarded the Alfred-Almond Scholarship; Justin Haynoski received the Alfred-Almond Academic Scholarship; and Robert George and Elizabeth Acker received the Alfred Lions Club Awards.

The Pat Fasano Memorial Sportsmanship Award was presented to Jared Staton.

William Ernest received the Almond Grange Award, while Kelsey Hanbach received the Alfred-Almond Teachers Association Scholarship.

The J. Michael Brace Memorial Scholarship was presented to Shirley Tang while the Andrew Rossington Memorial Scholarship recipient was Caroline McDowell.

Kelsey Hageman received the Bruce and Susan Greene Fine Arts Scholarship.

Recipients of Andrew Marlatt Memorial Scholarships were Caroline McDowell, Kelsey Hanbach, Callan Godshalk and Tim Doherty.

The Paul M. Sharrett Memorial Scholarship was awarded to Meghann Williams, Robert George, Molly Mulhollen,

Jonathan Ryan, Jean Thompson and Monika Rappel.

The Steuben Trust Company Scholarship was awarded to Lauren Powell.

The Maple City Savings and Loan Award was presented to Luke Wlasniewski.

William Ernest received the ServU Federal Credit Union Award.

The 48 members of the Alfred-Almond Central School graduating Class of 2010, who are pictured on Pages 16 and 17 of this newspaper together with

their future plans, are as follows:

Elizabeth Acker, Nirav Amin, Gena Briggs, Alan Busby, Kristopher Caleb, David Cheney, Kim Clark and John Cormack.

Also, Aerial Crooker, Danee Dietrich, Kimberly Dodge, Timothy Doherty, Mark Drew, Megan Earl, Pia Ellmers and William Ernest.

Also, Katie Frost, Zackary Gascon, Robert George, Callan Godshalk, Ben Gray, Kelsey Hageman, Kelsey Hanbach and Tyler Harvey.

Also, Justin Haynoski, Kirsten HerrNeckar, Samuel Huang, Theresa Latham, Caroline McDowell, Amber Messervey, Kyle Morgan and Molly Mulhollen.

Also, Samuel Olin, Lauren Powell, Monika Rappel, Jonathan Ryan, Eva Shardlow, Jamie Stuart, Jared Staton and Shirley Tang.

And, Jean Thompson, Brandon Tomm, Joseph Torkaman, Rohan Virdee, Kristen Walsh, Kate Washburn, Meghann Williams and Luke Wlasniewski.

Alfred man dies in plane crash

By DAVID L. SNYDER
Editor and Publisher

LOCK HAVEN, PA--Alfred is mourning the death of Alfred native and Sterling Airways pilot Patrick "Pat" Jessup, who died in a plane crash at Monday afternoon, June 21.

Also killed were Dan Snider, 29, of Pentress, WV, and Rodney Whiteman, 46, of Morgantown, WV, passengers in the chartered single-engine Cessna.

According to reports, Snider and Whiteman were employed by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Forest Service, working out of the Morgantown office. They were conducting aerial pest detection surveys on federal land in this area when the single-prop Cessna 210L struck a utility pole and a porch before hitting the ground and bursting into flames about a half-block from the William T. Piper Memorial Airport, where the Jessup was attempting to land.

Five investigators from the National Transportation Safety Board spent all day Tuesday, June 22 gathering information from the accident scene and talking to local officials and witnesses.



PATRICK "PAT" JESSUP

Air Safety Investigator Dennis Diaz, who led the team, reportedly spoke briefly to local media Tuesday afternoon, as his staff sifted through the wreckage and talked to local people who saw or heard anything prior to the crash.

He reportedly told local media that the investigation was just beginning and that Tuesday's work was only the start of what could be a year-long process in determining what caused the plane to go down.

News accounts said Diaz told them that Jessup took off from Clarion County Airport earlier Monday en route to Lock Haven.

Piper Airport officials said the pilot had radioed the airport from eight miles away and then five miles to confirm his approach. Jessup had also asked about fuel, but gave no indication that he was having any mechanical or other problems, according to airport manager Ed Watson.

Watson Tuesday once again took the opportunity to praise Jessup for preventing even more injury or loss of life by attempting to land in the street.

"He did what any pilot would have done ... tried to avoid hitting houses. Unfortunately, the wing hit a utility pole and he lost all control on the ride to where the aircraft came to rest. He did his best," Watson said.

Jessup was a charter pilot and flight instructor for Sterling Airways at the Hornell Municipal Airport for more than 20 years, having recently been appointed Chief Pilot. He had nearly 8,000 flight hours and some 3,000 of

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PATRICK C. "PAT" JESSUP

A-A grad, Sterling Airways pilot

ALFRED—Patrick Charles Jessup, 42, passed away Monday (June 21, 2010.) Born in St. Marys, PA on Jan. 28, 1968, Jessup graduated from Alfred-Almond Central School in 1986 and studied several years at the State University of New York at Alfred and at Florida Keys Community College before dedicating himself to aviation as a career.

Since the age of four, Pat always wanted to be a pilot. He earned his private pilot's certificate, his instrument, commercial and multi-engine ratings, and certified flight instructor ratings. He continued his accomplishments by earning a CFI-Instrument rating followed by his airline transport pilot rating. Pat was a charter pilot and a flight instructor for Sterling Airways at the Hornell Municipal Airport for over 20 years, recently being appointed chief pilot. He was also a crop duster for several years. A good friend and a well-respected pilot in the aviation community, Pat had nearly 8,000 flight hours, and some 3,000 of those were instructing. Pat's level of experience and skill as a pilot was known by all, and he taught many local pilots how to fly. It was in 2007 that his future wife, Lise Lemeland, began flight instruction with Pat.

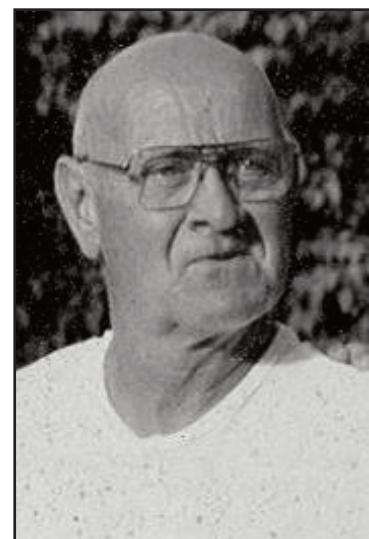
An avid gun collector, Pat enjoyed hunting and target shooting in his free time. He was married to Lise on July 18, 2009. Pat and Lise spent three intensely happy years together before his fatal accident: flying together, target shooting, and enjoying each other's company, they were inseparable. Pat's loving personality easily and quickly won the hearts of his three stepchildren, Mateo, Santi and Elis. His new family adored him and will miss him profoundly.

Pat was the son of Charles and Linda Jessup of Alfred Station. In addition to his wife, stepchildren and parents, Pat also leaves behind a sister, Nicki Dodge; brother-in-law, David Dodge; and niece and nephews, Christopher, Kimberly, and Justin; a brother, Bryan Jessup; Bryan's partner, Jenn Walsh, her daughter Riley; and nephew Christian.

The family received friends from 12-2 p.m. on Sunday (June 27, 2010) at the Bender-Brown & Powers Funeral Home 354 Canisteo St, Hornell. Private graveside services with military honors will be held at the convenience of the family at Alfred Rural Cemetery.

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To send a remembrance visit www.brownandpowersfuneralhomes.com The family is being assisted by Chester A Gosper, funeral director.


WILLIAM H. "BILL" EVANS

Lifelong Alfred resident

ALFRED STATION—William H. Evans, 87, of Sherman Road, Alfred Station, passed away Thursday (June 24, 2010) at his home.

Born in Alfred July 27, 1922, the son of James and Phoebe Bassett Evans, he had resided in the Alfred area all his life.

He was a member of the last graduating class of the Alfred High School and had attended both Alfred State College and Alfred University. His first employment was with the former Alfred Telephone Company, and later was employed as general manager for Alfred Atlas Gravel and Sand from 1960-1984.

William served his country as a member of the United States Army, serving in the European-African theatre of operations during World War II under the command of Gen. George F. Patton. He was a member of the University Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, a volunteer fireman and former fire chief at the Alfred Fire Department, and served as Alfred Police Justice for several years.

He was predeceased by his parents, his wife, Anita Simms Evans in 1977, and two sisters, Ruth Williams and Caroline Alty.

He is survived by four sons, James (Leigh Ann) Evans of Corning, G. Mitchell (Cheryle) Evans of Almond, Jay (Deborah) Evans of Ephrata, PA, and Kris (Pamela) Evans of Wayland; 16 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

The family received friends from 1-3 p.m. Monday, June 28 at the Bender-Brown & Powers Funeral Home, 354 Canisteo St, Hornell. Private graveside services with military honors will be held at the convenience of the family at Alfred Rural Cemetery.

To send a remembrance to the family, please visit www.brownandpowersfuneralhomes.com. The family is being assisted by Gerald R. Brown, Director.

Friends may make memorial contributions to: Alfred Station Fire Department, 623 State Route 244, Alfred Station, NY 14803.


ROBERT WILLIAM TOMM

Operated 'Tip Top Eggs'

ALFRED STATION—Robert William Tomm, 81, of Alfred Station, passed away Saturday (June 26, 2010) surrounded by his loving family.

Born in Buffalo, Nov. 9, 1928, he grew up in the town of Tonawanda and graduated from Tonawanda High School. He was a 1948 graduate of Alfred State College.

He and his wife, Shirley opened their own family run business, "Tip Top Eggs" which is still proudly running to this day at the "Big Chicken." Bob was a member of the Andover Central School Board of Education, the Alfred Town Board, and actively coached both Little League and Babe Ruth League baseball teams for several years. Bob's wife, children, and family were of great comfort to him in his final weeks.

Although Bob was not able to say goodbye to all of those that touched his life, he asked that we share his words: "We laughed, we shared, and we've made memories." Memories and traditions are what mattered most to Bob and he made sure his family felt the same way. Bob always wished that you would laugh, enjoy life and know how greatly you have touched his life and his heart.

He was predeceased by his mother, Florena Tomm.

He is survived by his loving wife of 60 years, Shirley Tomm; sons, Robert (Gloria) Tomm Jr. of Alfred Station, Steven (Debra)

Tomm of Alfred Station; his daughters, Laura (James) Davis and Cindy (Wayne) Davis both of Apalachin, and Denise (Tom) Silvanic of Owego; 18 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren, all of whom he loved dearly.

The family extends sincere thanks to Bob's special friend, Larry, Dr. Ramanarayan, Dr. Coch, Roswell Park Memorial Hospital, and volunteer David Day.

To send a remembrance to the family, please visit www.brownandpowersfuneralhomes.com. The family is being assisted by Gerald R. Brown, Director.

The family received friends at the Bender-Brown & Powers Funeral Home, 354 Canisteo Street, Hornell, from 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, June 29 and from 10-11 a.m. Wednesday, June 30 at which time a funeral service was held with Rev. Charles Emerson officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Andover.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that those wishing, make memorial contributions in Bob's name to Roswell Park Institute (Leukemia Research Dept.) Elm and Carlton Street, Buffalo, NY 14263.

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Clandestine digging at local landmark

By SHERRY VOLK

Alfred Sun Reporter

ALFRED STATION--Recently, two local women could have been found, had anyone cared to look, in the dark, dark, furthermost corner of the Baker's Bridge Meetinghouse cellar, **digging!** Yes, digging. Was it gold they sought? Precious gems? Oil...or a place to bury spilled oil? Or, creepy thought, were they digging a grave? If so, for whom? Read further to learn the furtive secret of these stealthy shovelers.

It seems appropriate that very near to the biannual anniversary of the delivery of the time capsule commemorating the Town of Alfred's Bicentennial Celebration, that Laurie McFadden, President of the Baker's Bridge Historical Association, would think it should be properly buried.

I commented on the delay, "Sorry this took so long; out of

sight, out of mind." Her response was that the huge capsule, a cylinder seventeen inches in diameter by thirty-six in length (For you "kids," on down the years when you dig this up, that's 43 cm by 91 cm - I hope the US has gone to the International System!), had been in sight and in mind for two years, since Wende Bush's spectacular delivery of it to the Meetinghouse, closing out the Town's celebration in June of 2008.

Laurie and I met at the Meetinghouse (appropriate, don't you think?) on Saturday, June 26, 2010, to dig a grave-like hole, deep enough and long enough to accommodate the capsule, laying down. Lyle Palmiter had told Laurie that the soil we would be excavating was mostly sand. We were delighted to find that it was quite easy to dig in the gravelly sand and had a hole big enough in about forty-five minutes. It really does look like a grave,

though I told Laurie I'd just discovered that one job I'd never want was grave digging. She said that when movies include such scenes, they always seem to occur at night.

On a dark and stormy night, June 27, 2010, Laurie, Bob Volk, Becky and Craig Prophet, and I returned to the scene to actually bury the capsule. It lies in honor beside a similar capsule, buried by the Historical Association in 2001.

The spot will be marked by two small plaques (gravestones?) indicating what lies beneath the floor and specifying the dates for exhumation.



Bob Volk and Laurie McFadden doing a "wheelie" good job of getting the capsule to the cellar. (Sherry Volk Photo)

SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ
Alfred Sun Columnist



Back to the beans...and Vidalia Onions

Still thinking about barbecuing and remembering I was writing about beans before, I found this recipe in my favorite Vidalia Sweet Onion Cookbook. I imagine the Vidalias will soon be gone, so now would be a good time to try this out.

I was intrigued by the use of limas and green beans in this makes a nice change. This is easy to make in a skillet, or you could put everything in a casserole and bake it.

Barbecued Beans

4 slices bacon, cubed	1 tsp salt
1 Vidalia onion, diced	1 can kidney beans
½ c. catsup	1 can pork and beans
1 tsp. mustard	1 can limas
2 T. vinegar	1 can green beans
4 T. brown sugar	

Brown bacon and onion in skillet. Drain juice from lima and green beans. Combine all ingredients and heat.

Community Day Aug. 28

ALMOND--Almond Community Day will be held Saturday, Aug. 28. To be a part of this community event, call Tammy Kokot at 276-2222. Vendors interested in setting up at Almond Community Day should contact Kokot at the same number.



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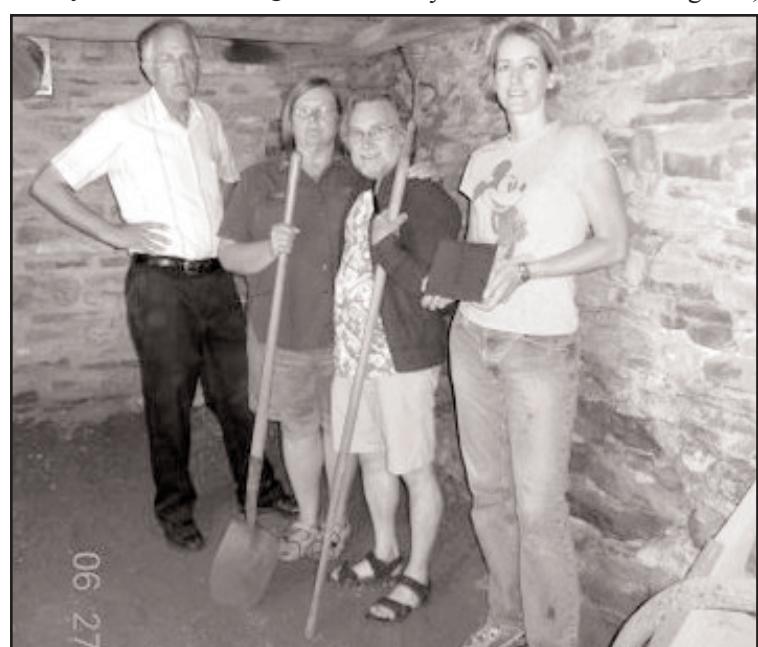
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The dirty deed is done. The crew at the scene of the "crime." Bob Volk, Becky and Craig Prophet, and Laurie McFadden.

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.



All I could think was, "YUM!" when I saw this. What "cow comestible" lies drying in Alfred's sun?

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"Only through the open and unhampered clash of contrary opinions can truth be found."
—Glenn Frank

Tapestry of America

To the Editor:

The Tapestry that is America is a wondrous thing, napped on a loom of hope by peoples braving the seas to find freedom from persecution, freedom from tyranny. Woven strand by strand by ancestral fathers aiming pitiful weapons at an army that could overwhelm them with might, but not with heart; by caravans of pioneers unafraid to cross an unknown wilderness in a quest to establish their own homesteads. Stained by the sweat of toil by men and women who had faith in their own self-reliance and the resolve to persevere in the face of unimaginable hardships.

A tapestry tinted by the blood that seeded the fields of Gettysburg, giving life to Lincoln's proclamation of freedom; reddened throughout by the blood that soaked into foreign soil from its children who were willing to sacrifice all, so that others in the world could know the liberty that America represents. Colored in rainbow hues by immigrants wishing not only to come to America, but to become American.

A tapestry given shape by words of a Constitution bequeathed by our fore-fathers as a blueprint for future generations, given strength by the belief that the government they formed was "of the people, by the people, and for the people".

A tapestry woven of fabric strong as a spider's web, and yet as delicate.... able to stretch with time over the generations, yet always in danger of tearing. Citizens across the land are becoming aware that there is fray-

ing around the edges, understand that one strong pull on a single thread can unravel it, unweaving the very pattern that made America unique among the nations of the World.

Attention must be paid and diligence given, to preserve this great embodiment of these 50 states, united in a Pledge of Allegiance to one flag. On this day in 2010 while we celebrate our Independence, let us offer gratitude to our fathers who set up the loom, and prayers for those whose graves are testament to its worth. Let us hope for strength to fight those from within and from without who would destroy it, and have faith that the Tapestry of America will remain whole..... bright and shining for all time.

Kathy Snyder
Alfred Station

Business of America'

Dear Editor,

Calvin Coolidge once said "the business of America is business" – a sentiment that has always been true through the early years in New York state. Downstate politicians have not taken this statement to heart and have abandoned both the concept and rationale of economic development.

The Governor and the Democratic Majority have decided to replace New York's Empire Zone economic development program with a weaker and inferior Excelsior Jobs program, and they are currently delaying renewal of the proven 'Power for Jobs' in favor of the recently announced Energize NY. These proposals will not address the deep economic needs of the communities, small businesses, and families of Upstate New York. Now is the time for bold action and innovative ideas – not diluted versions of successful efforts and the partisan politics that are stagnating New York's economy.

The logic involved in drastically downsizing New York's economic development efforts is beyond explanation. At a time

when the economy is struggling and thousands of New Yorkers are out of work, we should be cutting taxes and investing in job creation. The governor and the Democratic majority have done just the opposite. The Empire Zone Program has been successful since its inception ten years ago and has provided upstate with valuable jobs and business investment opportunities. The program has provided collaboration with localities and has furnished the tools necessary to allow our local economies to grow.

The Excelsior Jobs Program is far less equitable in both its approach as well as its aims. This new program will only include 48 of 85 Empire Zones, drastically cutting down the scope of New York's economic development efforts. This new approach fails to address the gravity of the state's economic situation and will hit upstate New Yorkers the hardest.

The Power for Jobs program, like the Empire Zone program, has been a critical instrument in attracting businesses and improving the economy of Upstate New York. Now the program is nearing

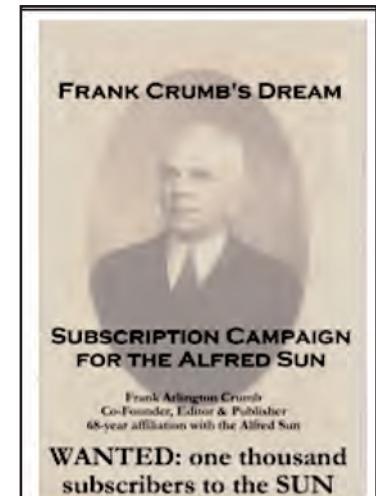
expiration and downstate politicians are failing to act. The Power for Jobs program assists manufacturers and businesses in controlling the costs of high utility rates. It is a vital program whose collapse would be harmful to jobs and businesses in our upstate communities.

The Empire State was built by hard working individuals who wanted a better life. Our ancestors built businesses, grew their farms, and invested in the future of our state. Unfortunately, years of rising taxes have pushed businesses and local farmers out of our once great state. In a state where we face the challenges of rapidly changing markets, high utility rates, burdensome taxes and regulations, and even the weather, comprehensive economic development programs and incentives are critical. The job benefits and economic incentives these programs provide can be a real catalyst for growth and opportunity.

The governor and Democratic majority have adopted a different strategy instead of providing help to all of New York. New York needs to reclaim its place as the

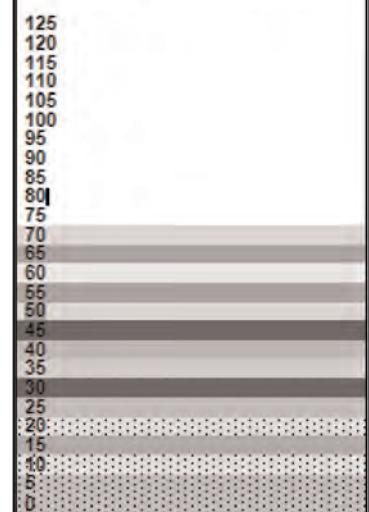
Empire State, a place where someone can have a dream, build a business and live a prosperous life. We can do it, but it is going to take leaders who can make the tough choices to turn this state around and steer it in the right direction. Nothing is impossible if we put special interests and politics aside and do what is beneficial for all New Yorkers.

Sincerely,
Daniel J. Burling
Member of Assembly
147th Assembly District



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Keeping the Dream Alive



Frank Crumb's Dream Subscription Campaign Update

75 down, 50 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, 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 75 new subscribers since Jan. 1, 2009.

We encourage our readers to give a subscription to the *Alfred Sun* as a gift--it keeps giving week after week, all through the year. During Frank Crumb's Dream Campaign, we offer 13 months for the price of \$27 (\$30 outside of Allegany County). That's \$25 off the news stand price. And you'll read exclusive hometown news and interesting stories!

We think the *Alfred Sun* is like a weekly letter from home. If you would like to contribute to Frank Crumb's Dream, send your name and address or that of a loved one together with your check payable to "Alfred Sun" to: Frank Crumb's Dream, c/o Alfred Sun, P.O. Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802.

FROM THE DESK OF DAVID PULLEN

By DAVID PULLEN
Allegany County Legislator

IS THE ERA OF BIG GOVERNMENT COMING TO AN END?

We can no longer afford the level of government to which we have become accustomed. Both the federal government and most state governments are running deficits. At the federal level the deficits are intentional. President Obama and Congress are trying to "stimulate" the economy into creating millions of new jobs. Other nations, such as Great Britain and Germany, are cutting spending in an effort to become more fiscally responsible on a long-term basis. Time will tell which approach was correct. Disagreements are apparent at the G-20 Summit currently under way in Toronto. Many nations are deeply opposed to the US response to the current financial recession.

New York State is running huge deficits and cannot agree upon a budget. We are now almost three months into the fiscal year and still don't have a State budget. Our State Legislature and Governor have demonstrated a complete lack of political backbone. They simply won't cut government spending in any significant way. However, they are really creative about finding new "revenue sources" which is simply another name for new fees and taxes. In addition, the State is pushing many expenses down onto local governments. Earlier in the budget process there was discussion about "property tax relief." Unfortunately those efforts have been abandoned, a casualty of "business as usual" politics. The fiscal reality is that State spending is totally out of control and cannot continue without massive change. Albany has chosen to ignore reality, and instead is engaged in a "shell game" of borrowing and short term fixes. Current budget proposals rely upon getting more money from Washington, and pushing costs down onto local governments. Albany has also inflated revenue estimates and under-estimated expenses. This insanity needs to end. We all agree that local taxes are too high, but we keep getting hit with new mandates.

The bottom line is that the big government approach simply doesn't work. Government is too large. It has failed to live up to its obligations or its promises. Government needs to become smaller and more affordable. Government was never intended to solve every problem. Individuals, families and local communities need to take responsibility for solving most problems. Government is the problem, not the solution. Unfortunately, several generations of federal and state leaders have claimed that government could solve every problem. It should now be obvious that the "big government" approach is bankrupt. Sending local money to Albany or Washington is not the answer. Seeking money from Albany or Washington isn't the answer either. We need to leave them out of the equation.

There are numerous examples of "big government" solutions that haven't worked. The "Welfare System" was supposed to end poverty. It is an abject failure. Today we have families that have existed totally on public funds for 2 or 3 generations. The "safety net" has become a trap that has snared thousands of individuals and families. The same is true of education. State and federal control of education has resulted in increased expense and deteriorating results. Not surprisingly, the official response is that we need to spend more money. I disagree. We should cut mandates, requirements and bureaucratic interference. We must give local schools less money and more independence. Medical care is another governmental fiasco. We have the world's most expensive health care system, but rank 32nd in health outcomes. The recently adopted "health care reform" bill simply aggravates existing problems. Government needs to get out of the way.

During my first year on the County Legislature, a long time County employee told me he wouldn't believe anyone was serious about cutting spending and taxes unless they also proposed cutting services. He was right. It will be painful, but it is past time to cut services. We need less government, not more. This must be done "across the board" and not just with welfare programs. We must all start to take personal responsibility for our own lives.

Sun Spots

A Discovery Best Kept Covered Up

I discovered some muscles from way long ago...
So now I'm of course in recovery;
But these muscles were only weak, little ones so...
It wasn't that great a discovery.

—Anon A. Mousle

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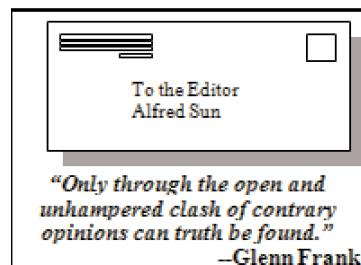
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Don't drill the shale

Dear Editor,

I faxed this letter today to members of the NY legislature, I am sending it to the local newspaper for a discussion on this important topic.

Honorable Member of New York Legislature

June 28, 2010

Please pass the bills that will slow down the drilling for Marcellus shale in NY before you go home for the summer! Vote YES on the Addabbo and the Engelbert bill which will require the EPA report on the effect of fracking for gas on the drinking water to be published first before drilling is considered. That will take about 1 1/2 years which just goes to show you— the experts do not know the answers right now!

The protection that DEC is giving so far is under their generic impact statement last Fall was opposed by over 14,000 New York signatures because for example drilling many wells at once was not considered and it is an important consideration when 1-5 million gallons of water are used for each well.

Pennsylvania has now over 2,000 wells operating since starting their Marcellus drilling about two years ago and they have a lot of unsolved environmental and fiscal issues. They are trucking Marcellus shale mining mud into NY state and as you may know, the mud is slightly radioactive. Where will we truck stuff when NY gets going with so many wells too? DEC needs to answer that question.

What's the big rush? Save the gas till the price improves and when we ourselves can use the gas along with wind and solar together as a green electric grid for ourselves rather than sell it off to a foreign country quickly because we cannot use it all at once. Once the gas is drilled it is gone. Stop the rush. Enjoy the fingerlake wine country without industrialization of it!

In the near future, water will be the new gold that will last forever – not gas. Can we have both? Only if we proceed more carefully than we are doing right now. Wait for the EPA report on the drinking water first and then proceed with care.

Gudrun Scott
1759 Hawks Rd
Andover, NY 14806

Mel McGinnis



Fix the oil spill

To the Editor:

Take it from the wit of Jay Leno to sum up the president's speech last Tuesday: "President Obama announced that he wants to use the oil spill to move America toward green energy. I have a crazy idea. Maybe he should use the oil spill crisis to fix the oil spill."

There's enough blame to go around and to borrow from the President's words enough you-know-what-to kick, but when will the government hold hearings on itself to hold the policies and bureaucracies they created to account? BP and Louisiana wanted drilling closer to land in more shallow water, but they were turned down. Who turned them down? The federal government!

Did BP just go out to deeper water and start drilling? No! They had to get permission. Permission from whom? The federal government. Did BP go out there to drill without any oversight? No! Who was in charge of the oversight? The federal government. Has anyone from the party in power called the "CEO" of the federal government to any hearing? They won't do what they have done to the CEO of BP, but leave the CEO of the federal government off the hook.

Besides, before hauling a company CEO in front of Congress for the politicians to grandstand, they ought to have hearing on how the mess gets cleaned up and how the hole gets plugged. When I hear about the lack of response and results by the feds and the red tape states and people on the gulf are having to cut, I'm glad that governors in southern states are doing something to stem the adverse effects of the spill. The people's ingenuity and local solutions seem to be more effective than the boondoggled management of the convoluted thirteen agencies of the federal government involved in the gulf.

President Obama went overseas to apologize on foreign soil for America's arrogance. The Dutch government offered to help in the clean up on the gulf. He refused. Does he owe the Dutch an apology for arrogance?

Did the federal government have a policy and procedure in place for dealing with deep sea oil spills? If President Obama shoots baskets as he claims to "call the shots" on the oil spill, would you want him on your basketball team?

I wonder if health care is going to run by the government like the government is running the clean up in gulf.

Mel McGinnis

Pat Jessup, co-piloting the Memphis Belle B-17, at the Geneseo Air Show, 2008.

Alfred area mourns pilot's death

(Continued from front page)

those were instructing.

Jessup's level of experience and skills as a pilot was acknowledged by all and he had taught many local pilots how to

Weather for the Week				
June 14-June 27				
June	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
14	73	51	--	
15	78	52	Trace	
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17	78	46	--	
18	84	51	--	
19	84	56	--	
20	78	57	--	
21	80	61	Trace	
22	88	61	.11"	
23	79	56	.05"	
24	79	50	--	
25	82	56	Trace	
26	84	58	Trace	
27	86	68	1.43"	

By DENNIS SMITH
Alfred Area Weather Recorder

the Forest Service, was a biological science technician. He was part of the recovery effort after Hurricane Katrina in Louisiana and leaves behind a wife and son.

Whiteman was a 24-year veteran of the Forest Service, was a firefighter and expert in gypsy-moth suppression. He leaves behind a wife and daughter.

Snider, a nine-year veteran of



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Annual Amity Daze

July 9-11 in Belmont

BELMONT--Plans for the 24th Annual Amity Daze, July 9, 10, & 11 are nearing completion. The highlight of the event is the third ALL-CLASS reunion for the former Belmont Central School. Also new to this year's festivities is the B-B-Q Challenge sponsored by the Belmont Fire Company. The events for the weekend are centered at Belmont Central and include:

1 p.m. Friday
• Yard Sales all over town

6 p.m. Friday -

• Choraleer Chicken Barbeque Belmont Central School

• Belmont Betterment Association Dedication Ceremony and Community Awards at Belmont Central

• Concert -- Camelot Choraleers at Belmont Central School

• Vendors at Belmont Central School

• Chinese Auction

8 a.m. Saturday

• Belmont Fire Company BBCue Contest at Belmont Central

• Yard Sales all over town

• Vendors at Belmont Central School

• Alumni Activities -- Belmont Central School

• Chinese Auction

• 3 on 3 basketball tournament -- Belmont Central School

• Car Show at Belmont Central School

Sunday

• 8:30 am - Breakfast at Belmont Central School

• 10:00 AM - Ecumenical Service - Belmont Central

• 11:15 AM - Belmont Central School Alumni Awards

• Community Picnic (Donations accepted) -- Belmont Central

• Dog Show Belmont Central

Sponsored by the Belmont Betterment Association (BBA), the weekend will kick off at 1 p.m. Friday, July 9 with yard sales galore. Participants will have signs in the front yard and addresses will be on a free map available after July 1. Maps may be picked up at Belmont merchants, village and town offices, and post office. In addition to yard sales at homes, several people will be offering items for

sale at Belmont Central School.

According to Ray DeTine, President of the Belmont Betterment Association, activities begin at Belmont Central at 6 p.m. with the 8th annual Camelot Choraleer Chicken Barbecue. Following will be the 7th annual BBA Community Awards, and a Camelot Choraleer concert.

The annual town yard sale has become a tradition in the Belmont area. All the work on it is done by BBA volunteers and local residents. "We want to promote the village and town as small-town America," DeTine said, "We want to return to its roots and enhance visitors' experiences." Saturday will also include a car show at the school formerly known as Belmont Central.

The third Don Baker Classic 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament will begin with its first game at 8 a.m. Saturday at Belmont Central School. This year's event is sponsored by Univera Health-care. Cash prizes will be awarded for the winning team in each category. The tournament starts with a 7 AM registration on July 10, and is held in the gym at the former Belmont Central School, 24 South Street. The categories this year include both male and female teams in the following age groups; Ages 8-10, 11-13, 14-16, 17-20, 21-30, 31-40, 41-? Registration fees are as follows: teams aged under 21 - \$30.00, teams aged over 21 - \$50.00.

This summer, the BBA is continuing its work on Schuyler Street as well as beginning work on First Responders Park next to the Genesee River. Volunteers are always needed for the many projects in the community as well as donations. For more information, contact DeTine at 585 268 5010.

Anyone interested in having an Amity Daze Yard Sale application e-mailed should contact DeTine at 585-268-5010 or visit the BBA website at www.belmont-bba.com to download forms and applications.



ALFRED--Alfred State College's WINS Club (Women in Non-traditional Studies--though membership is open to all students) recently conducted its Spring fund raiser to donate money for perishable item to area food pantries. Three checks totaling \$180 were sent to Alfred Station Food Pantry, the Salvation Army in Wellsville, and Steuben Rural Ministry. Pictured from left to right: Minica DiBella, Endwell, architectural technology senior and club president; Joy Carlson, RA, AIA, professor and club adviser, Alfred State College Computer Imaging and Architectural Engineering Technology Department; and Melanie Anderson, North Tonawanda, architectural technology junior and co-vice president. (Alfred State College photo)

Sunbeams

You know it's a small town when you know the names not only of the people you meet on the street, but also their dogs.

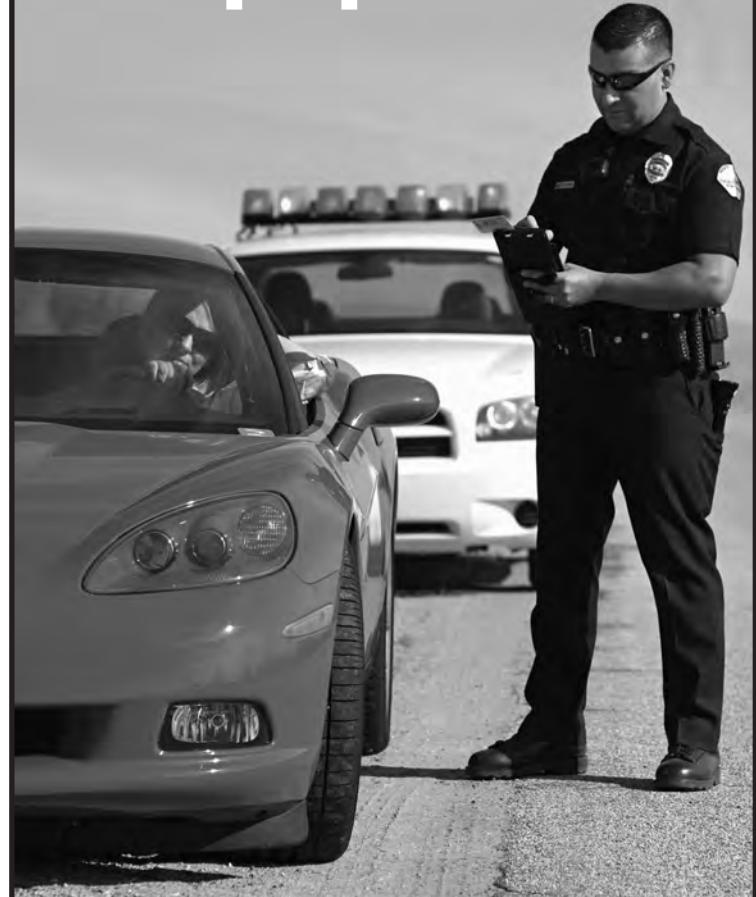
Mary-Lou and Jerry Cartledge attended Mary-Lou's 50th college reunion at SUNY Oneonta the weekend of June 4-6th. On the way home, they enjoyed lunch and visiting with Mary-Lou's former Oneonta classmates, Nancy and Leon "Buster" Gridley and Phoebe and Marty Slatterly near Norwich, NY. On June 12th, Mary-Lou attended the Alpha Kappa Omicron Sorority bench dedication and reunion dinner as part of the AU Alumni Weekend.

Jordan Snyder and Lauren Eckhardt of Charlotte, NC were guests of his parents, Dave and Beverly Snyder, June 17-18. A family dinner was enjoyed Thursday, June 17 with Frank Snyder of Belmont, Susan Meacham of Alfred, Barb Welch of Arkport, and Heather Snyder and Noah of Hornell. Jordan is moving to Arlington, VA where he will begin teaching at a charter school in Washington, D.C. in August. Lauren Eckhardt will begin graduate work at the George Washington University Law School in August.

Ellen and Dan Boldt and family visited her parents, Mary-Lou and Jerry Cartledge after attending the graduation of his nephew, Andrew Platt, from Genesee Valley Central School Saturday, June 26th. They celebrated Dan's birthday Sunday, June 27th before heading back to Orchard Park.

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Bigger fireworks, great entertainment for Fourth

ANDOVER--Bigger fireworks, great entertainment, and some fun from the past is the setting for this year's 50th Fourth of July Celebration in Andover.

The committee is counting down the days on facebook and working hard to make sure this is the biggest and most memo-

rable Independence Day Celebration yet. The very first queen Ruth Padden Culbert as well as the Mayor at the time of the first celebration Paul Kilbane will ride in the parade set for Saturday July 3rd at noon this year.

The Vietnam Veteran Memorial Moving Wall will be on dis-

play from July 1 – 5 on route 417 near the Catholic Cemetery. Anyone wishing to volunteer to guard the Moving Wall may sign up on the 4th of July web site at www.andoverfourthofjuly.org. The only requirements are that you are at least 18 years of age and wear required uniform. Prison guard, fire fighters, police, and military uniforms are also allowed.

50 years remembering the past, celebrating the future is the theme of the 4th of July Celebration this year. And the committee is remembering the past by bringing helicopter rides back this year that were once a fundraiser for the Andover Lion's Club.

The New York Pennsylvania Railroad was also important at the time of the first celebration.

They will bring in a locomotive to be on display and there will be information and slide shows about the history of the railroad. Anyone wishing to exhibit or sell any train novelties may contact committee member Bob Meyers at 607-661-6784.

Keep updated on this year's event and sign up to volunteer as well as parade entries can all be done on the 4th of July website www.andoverfourthofjuly.org



BACK after a two-year absence is the "Grubmobile," a used car in good running condition and filled with groceries donated by Maier's Market that will be raffled during the celebration.



THE HIT MEN Brass Band from Rochester will appear in the 12 noon Saturday, July 3 parade.

Nora Jane Struthers to perform in Wellsville

WELLSVILLE--Nora Jane Struthers will be performing on Saturday, July 10th, at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. Show starts at 8:00 pm. Come early for dinner (served 5:00pm-9:00pm). Tickets are \$12 advance purchase/\$14 at door. Member tickets are \$10 advance purchase/\$12 at door. Tickets may be purchased online at www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or at the Art Center Coffee House. For more information visit the website or call 585-593-3000.

Nora Jane Struthers and Her Band deliver a powerful live show complete with flat-footing, yodeling and original songs so clearly rooted in old time and bluegrass that audience members walk away with the feeling that they've seen something old and new, and utterly unique. Nora Jane is classic Americana.

Based out of Nashville, Tennessee, Nora Jane will be performing her original songs backed by P.J. George (bass, harmony vocals), Dave Goldenberg (mandolin) and Wellsville native Ward Stout (fiddle).

Her songs overflow with imagery and the listener is easily swept away into her stories. In 2009, Nora Jane received her first accolade as a songwriter when she was selected as one of ten finalists in the Telluride Bluegrass Festival Troubadour

competition; at the Appalachian String Band Festival in Clifftop, WV, Nora Jane and her band won 1st place in the Neo-Traditional Band Competition and Nora Jane was given the award for Best New Song.

Musically, Nora Jane draws

from the traditions of old time, bluegrass, gospel, and Celtic music, resulting in new songs that sound as if they have been performed by generations of folk musicians. As timeless as her songs, her unique voice is pure and natural and one can't help

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Mueller Mullings

By MATT MUELLER
Alfred Sun Columnist

THE MYSTERY WORD

It began with a glance at the top of the dresser in my bedroom and noting the painted writing on a couple of souvenir items there. One is a small semicircular wood box, three inches wide at its broadest and two and a half inches high. It bears a hinged lid saying, "Rockaway Beach, Missouri." There is another wood box, three and a half inches long by three inches wide, and one and three quarters inch high. The writing on its lift off lid says, "From Old Matt's Cabin." Those destinations were ones my family sometimes visited on weekend drives in the Missouri Ozark Mountains way back when.

I dusted off the second box and mulled over its contents. As I had assumed, they all dated from my childhood. There were barrettes, including two pairs of tiny ones. One pair was blue and one white, all in the shape of scottie dogs just over an inch and a half long. I marveled once again at my mother's nimble fingers which would have successfully lodged them in my intractably fine hair before sending me off to kindergarten or grade school.

Another item was a thimble, just barely large enough to go over my little finger tip now. There were several old sales tax coins, called mills, made of plastic or zinc or other materials, stamped Oklahoma and Missouri. Mills frequently show up in my house in odd places. Plastic ones are sometimes warped, and metal ones are often corroded. However, I could still read on a metal Oklahoma 5 mill coin that the tax money collected by its use would go "For Old Age Assistance."

There was a Dubble Bubble Gum Fleer Funnies No. 200 comic strip insert. It featured a boy driving a soapbox car downhill on a road. He was stopped by a policeman who recommended that for safety he should use the sidewalk instead. Printed beneath the comic strip was "YOUR FORTUNE: You are fond of travel and you like to move swiftly." Well, that was true enough at the time when I still scampered, but only half true nowadays when I prefer moving at a leisurely pace.

As I am now an "Old Matt" myself, after I had poked around in the box I retrieved the family copy of *The Shepherd of the Hills* from a bookshelf. That 1907 novel by Harold Bell Wright featured the character, Old Matt, and his cabin. I thought a brief skimming of the story would refresh my memory of both. However, my mind took a detour when the book fell open to the inside front cover, and I found pencilled writing on it.

It was neither conventionally nor accurately punctuated, capitalized, or spelled. It said, "Drove to Branson & Shepherd of Hills Country Sun. July 7th/40 visited old Mat's Cabin Jim Lane's (indecipherable word) - Mutton Hollow etc. - Scenery lovely and peaceful. near Branson - stopped there and Rockaway beach - Had a fine dinner at Old English Tavern in Hollister - a pretty little place on Lake Taneycomo."

The handwriting was not immediately familiar to me, but something about the use of hyphen size en dashes was. By the next day I had concluded that the notation had been made by my "Aunt Dot" when she was younger than I can now remember her as being. She was my mother's sister, Dorothy Welch, an off and on resident of Joplin, Missouri. Her notes on birthday cards invariably included an en dash.

My mission now became identification of the indecipherable word. I began paging through the "Shepherd" book for a possibility. I spent hours on the Internet reading about Wright and Ozark tourist sites in the old days. Googling produced innumerable copies of postcards picturing "Old Matt's Cabin." Being a fictional person, he never actually lived in it. Some sources identified real people as likely inspirations for various characters.

Soon I was pursuing the mystery word less fervently and learning more about Wright. He was a self taught preacher as well as a writer. One online site quoted some coverage of him in *Golden Multitudes: The Story of Best Sellers in the United States*. That 1947 book by Frank Luther Mott had been a major reference tool when I attended library school in 1957/58.

Taking a vacation from computer land, I checked out the now-days neglected tome from Alfred University's Herrick Library. It needed my company. Previous date due? November 26, 1975. And the word? No word yet.

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ALFRED—Alfred University will once again offer a summer series of carillon performances during the month of July. The 2010 Wingate Memorial Summer Carillon Recital Series will run on Tuesdays from 7-8 p.m. at the Davis Memorial Carillon on campus.

Admission is free and the performances go on rain or shine. Guests may sit on the lawn adjacent to the carillon. Feel free to bring along chairs and blankets to enhance your listening pleasure.

This summer's featured carillonneurs and the dates of their programs are:

- Carlo van Ulft, director/carillonneur of the Centralia Carillon

Fourth of July entertainment

ANDOVER—Amazing entertainment is what is in store for this year's 50th Independence Day Celebration in Andover. Organizers are putting the finishing touches on this year's historical event. Entertainments that will take place on July 4th are the Brett Talley Band from Philadelphia, PA and the Extreme Motorcycle Trials Showcase.

Brett Talley Band

Brett Talley has been involved with music since the 3rd grade and it seems he will never stop. His musical career includes his two years as lead guitarist and producer for the Philly based pop-rock act, Outset, his continuing status as lead guitarist for one of Philadelphia's most popular rock outfits, IKE, and now as a solo artist accompanied by Susan Steen Talley (IKE) on bass and Jamie Briggs on drums who is originally from Andover.

Extreme Trials Showcase

The Team Extreme Trials Showcase features two completely unique shows starring legends of Trials. Tommi Ahvala is a 2 Time World Champion from Helsinki Finland and Jess Kempkes is an American legend who has numerous National Championship event wins.

The best way to describe Trials is Gymnastics on two wheels. The rider conquers a monstrous obstacle course while never putting their feet on the ground. Amazing Balance with a level of precision and control found in no other sport. This show has been one of the most popular motorcycle ground acts for fairs and festivals.

For a complete list of events or to donate to this year's event visit their web site at www.andoverfourthofjuly.org or see the full page ad on Page 9.

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- Margo Halsted, adjunct professor, teaches and plays the carillon, University of California -Santa Barbara, July 13

- Lee Cobb, organist, choir-master, carillonneur of the Episcopal Church of the Ascension, Clearwater, FL, July 20

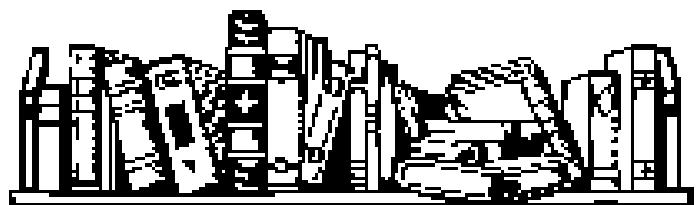
- John Lehrer, carillonneur, member of the Guild of Carillonneurs of North America (GCNA), July 27

van Ulft opens the series with an evening full of a wide range of pieces from concertos to marches to tangos. His selections will include: "Prelude and Fuga in G Major" by Benoit Franssen; keyboard concertos "Largo, Concerto V, BWV 1056" and "Larghetto, Concerto IV, BWV 1055" by Bach; "Capricho Arabe," Francisco Tárrega; famous marches — "Under the Double Eagle," Wagner, "Radetzki March," Johann Strauss Jr.; salon music — "The Fountain," Böh, "Through Mountains and Gorges," Bröll, and "La Zingana (The Gypsy)," Böhm; improvisation on "Here There and Everywhere," (John

Lennon/Paul McCartney); Argentinean tangos — "Cata," "El Conventillo," "El Cantor de Buenos Aires;" overture to "Poet and Peasant."

The Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series honors Dr. Ray Winthrop Wingate (1886-1968), who was a professor of music at Alfred University for 56 years. After the installation of the bells in 1937, he was appointed the University carillonneur and continued in the position until his death. He arranged more than 5,000 selections for the carillon and composed nine suites. The Margaret Merrill and Ray W. Wingate Memorial Carillon Foundation funds the series.

The carillon at Alfred University is made of a double row of rounded oak levers, called batons (which are struck with loosely clenched fists), with a pedal board (octave and a fifth). The ground-floor display by the carillon has information on its history. Guests are welcome to climb the 69 steps to the top to enjoy the view and watch the guest artists at work.



NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS

Birthday parties at library more than story time

By ELIZA ORDWAY
Interim Library Director

BIRTHDAY PARTIES at the Box of Books are way more than story time! The Box of Books Library in Alfred offers birthday parties. For a suggested \$50 donation, you get your own personal party planner; you provided the food and accessories; we provide the programming, space, and clean up!

Sashi Racho of Alfred offers this testimony from her experience; "Here's a new and different idea for a birthday party: head to your local library. That's what we did for two of our daughter's birthday parties this year. We heard that the Box of Books library was available for parties. We have been to many events at the library—movie nights, Wii play-days, jewelry making, giant jigsaw puzzle deciphering, stretch and grow for toddlers, endless crafts, dance parties, and of course story time. The kids loved every event, so I figured a birthday party was a shoe-in."

"Our older daughter turned 10 and wanted to have a dance party. When we walked in for the party (just a half-hour before the guests, there was not much for us to do, the staff took care of it all!) the children's room was transformed into a disco. All the tables and chairs were pushed back, twinkle lights were on, and speakers were blasting my daughter's favorite songs. The sign in front of the library welcomed everyone to the big event. The kids danced, had pizza, cake, opened presents and had a great time on a Friday night. When the party was over, we packed up left-over food, the gifts and headed home. Again, the library staff took care of all the clean up."

"Our youngest daughter turned four a month later and we once again headed to the Box of Books for her birthday party. The big room was just great for musical chairs and the large tables (and kid size chairs) fantastic for crafts and gift giving. Some of the kids just enjoyed playing with the toys in the corner of the room. After cake we went outside and burned off all the sugar in the library's side yard. Box of Books helped make our birthday party's easy, fun and hassle free."

Corrie Burdick of Alfred also offered this statement; "We recently held my 7 year olds birthday party at the Alfred Box of Books. The "Dance Party" theme kept all the children engaged and ACTIVE during the whole party. The director organized and led the games and activities that were fun for all. Of course the best part was I didn't have to clean up! I would recommend it for any age!"

If you are interested in having your child's birthday party at the Box of Books, contact Kristen Starks, Program Director, braatenk@stls.org or 607.587.9290

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July 2 –

- Vietnam Veteran Memorial Moving Wall
- 5:00 – 11:00pm Pay one price rides
 - Midway Rides of Utica
 - 5:00 Train Expo (West Greenwood Street)
 - 5:00 DJ Jazzy J Productions Music & Video

July 3 –

- Vietnam Veteran Memorial Moving Wall
- Carnival Midway Rides of Utica & Vendors
 - Helicopter Rides
 - Train Expo
 - Mr. Scribbles
 - 9:00 – 3:00 Andover Historical Society Mini Museum
 - 12:00 Grand Parade (Main Street)
 - 11:00 Chicken BBQ (Fire Hall)
 - 2:00 Parade Awards (Main Street)
 - 12:00 – 11:00 Carnival & Vendors School Grounds

July 4 –

- Vietnam Veteran Memorial Moving Wall
- Carnival Midway Rides of Utica & Vendors
 - Helicopter Rides
 - Train Expo
 - Mr. Scribbles
 - 10:00 "Psalty" Directed by Irene Burns (Main Stage)
 - 11:00 Community Church Service Jill Kelley (Large Stage)
 - 1:00 Xtreme Motor Cycle Show

July 5 Closing Ceremony Vietnam Veteran Memorial Moving Wall

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- 7:00pm "Psalty" Directed by Irene Burns (mini theater)
- 7:00 – 8:30 "The Uptown Band"
- 8:30 - 9:30 DJ Jazzy J Productions
- 9:30 – 11:00 "The Uptown Band"

- 2:00 Hit Men Drum Corps (stage Area)
- 2:00 – 5:00pm Mel Mickle Car Cruise Show (School Grounds)
- 3:30 Lady Bugs (Mini Theater)
- 4:00 X Treme Motor Cycle Show
- 4:00 – 6:00pm Steel Door
- 5:00 Lady Bugs (Mini Theater)
- 6:00 – 8:30 Chinooks
- 6:00 X Treme Motor Cycle
- 7:00 Lady Bugs (Mini Theater)
- 8:00 x Treme Motor Cycle
- 8:30pm Ice Water Mansion

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Cultural Arts Calendar



Music

BANDS/DJS

Alfred Village Band offers concerts at 7:15 p.m. Wednesdays during July at the Alfred Village Bandstand. First rehearsal for the band will be at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 16 in the Andover Central School Band Room, with Michael Shoales directing. For any questions or concerns, please e-mail Nancy Luger at: lugerna@yahoo.com or call her at 607-587-9449.

Angelica Sweet Shop 44 West Main St., Angelica. Angelica Sweet Shop open Mon.-Wed. 10-2, Thurs-Fri. 10 a.m.-9 p.m.; Sat.-Sun. 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Scrabble played Thurs. evenings 6-9 p.m. For more info, call 585-466-7070 or e-mail info@angelicasweetshop.com

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe 22 West Main St., Angelica. Open Mon.-Fri. 11-2 for lunch, parties, espresso, desserts; Saturdays 4:30-11 pm with music, dinner, espresso & desserts. June 12-Steve Piper; June 19-Rob Falqiano and Dee Adams; June 26-The Bard Brothers (Tim Berardi and Damian DeMarco); July 3-The Backsliders (Jim Schleich and Eric Huppert); July 10-David and Beverly Snyder; July 17-Retrofit (Gary Barteau and Mike Lorow). For more info, call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

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 545-8603.

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. May 15-Rock Bottom; May 22-Vendetta. 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. Friday, June 11-The Gibson Brothers; June 18-Alison Pipitone; June 25-Chicago Afrobeat Project; July 2-Cabinet; July 10-Nora Jane Struthers; July 23-Hickory Project; July 30-Homegrown Strick Band; August 7-Slim Forsythe & The Parklane Drifter; Sept. 25-Gurf Morlix; Oct. 2-Jim Page; Oct. 22-Guy Davis; Nov. 6-Bill Kirchen Band Hammer of the Honkey-Tonk GodsFor 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.

Genesee Valley Chorus. Weekly rehearsals 7 pm Tuesdays at Shepherd of the Valley Church on Fassett Lane, Wellsville. New members welcome. For further information, call 716-593-3173.

Maple City (Barbershoppers) Chorus Meetings 7:30 p.m. Mondays at St. Ann's School, 27 Erie Ave., Hornell. New members welcome. Call 276-6835 for info.

Sanctuary Choir. Rehearsals Thursdays at 7 pm, The Seventh Day Baptist Church-Alfred Station. New members welcome. Instrumentalists practice 9 a.m. fourth Saturdays. Call 587-9545.

COFFEEHOUSES
Coffeehouse live entertainment periodically at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, 34 N. Main St., Alfred.

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

Alfred Swing Dance Network holds dances periodically in the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater located in Alfred Village Hall. For more information, contact Graham Marks/Megan Staffel at

Open Mic Night Wednesdays. evalley@frontiernet.net or call 607-478-8178.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers Coffee Houses nightly Monday-Thursday 7:30-10:30 p.m. with Movies on Mondays, Acoustic Campfire on Tuesdays, Open Mic Night on Thursdays. For more info, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

CONCERTS/RECITALS
Davis Memorial Carillon Recitals, AU campus. Saturdays at 4 p.m. except August. Laurel Buckwalter, AU Carillonner.

Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series at Davis Memorial Carillon, AU campus. Free concerts on the lawn 7-8 p.m. Tuesday evenings in July. 2010 Schedule includes: July 6-Carlo van Ulft; July 13-Margo Halsted; July 20-Lee Cobb; July 27-Jon Lehrer

Theater & Dance

COMEDY
Friday Night Live, AU student comedy troupe. Performances concluded for spring semester. Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. Call 871-2175 for further info.

Pirate Theater, AU student comedy troupe. Performances concluded for spring semester. Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. Call 871-2175 for further info.

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Alleluia School of Dance offers classes in Houghton and Wellsville. Classical ballet and liturgical dance. All ages and ability levels. For more information or to register for classes, contact Director Rebecca Moore at 585-567-2079.

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

Alfred Community Theatre (ACT). Organized to revive summer theater in Alfred and to help in the restoration of the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater. ACT will hold an information meeting about its 2010 summer musical, **The Melody Lingers On**, a musical revue of the works of Irving Berlin, at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 18 in the Union University Church Center. Rehearsals will begin in June. For more info, call Dave Snyder at 587-8110.

PERFORMANCES
Alfred Community Theatre will present **The Melody Lingers On**, a musical revue of the works of Irving Berlin. It will be performed at 7:30 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, July 15, 16, and 17 in the Alfred Village Hall 1890 Firemen's Hall Theatre. This is a light-hearted revue of beautifully entertaining music such as "Alexander's Ragtime Band," "Blue Skies," and "Easter Parade."

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 juried. Studio must be in Allegany County. 585-593-6345 or www.alleganyartisans.com.

Allegany Arts Association Summer Arts Festival. Free to youth in Allegany County. To register for any of the following, call 585-808-0385.

July 5 - Free Watercolors workshop at Wellsville Library, 10 am till noon. Students ages 13-15.

July 12 - Free Pastels workshop at Wellsville Library, 10 am till noon. Students ages 13-15.

July 6 through 29 - Free watercolor and drawing class for children ages 5 & 6 at Wellsville Library on each Tues & Thurs in July from 10:30 to 11:30.

July 7 - Free workshop in making Greeting Cards at Wellsville Trinity Lutheran Daycare, 10-11:30. Ages 9-11.

July 12 & 15 - Painting Rocks (Bring a flat rock) - Free workshop at Little Genesee Library from 12 to 2 pm for ages 5 & up.

July 12 & 15 - Alfred's Junior Reports find and show the news. A free writing workshop at the Herkirk Library at Alfred U from 1-3 pm. Ages 9-12. Writing to be published by The Alfred Sun.

July 13 & 14 - Free Workshop in Calligraphy at Fillmore's Wide Awake Library from 9-12 each day for ages 9 & up.

July 13 through Aug 10 - Free workshop to make a book, on Tuesdays from 1-3 pm at Fillmore's Wide Awake Library for ages 10 & up.

July 21 - Free workshop to make Snazzy Stick Dolls at Belmont Library from 1-3 pm for ages 8&up.

July 21 - Free Workshop in creating Edible Art at Cuba Library from 1-2 pm for ages 8-12. Register at 585 808 0385 or at the Cuba Library

July 23 - Free workshop to make bracelets from natural materials from 1-2:30 at the Scio Library for ages 7-14.

July 30 - Free workshop to make bracelets from natural materials from 2-3:30 at the Whitesville Library for ages 7-14.

Aug 4 Free workshop in making Greeting Cards at the Cuba Library, 1-2:30. Ages 9-11. Register at 585 808 0385 or at the Cuba Library

August 4, 11 & 18 - Free Workshop in Needling Fabric and beads at the Belmont Library from 1-3 each day for ages 10 & up.

August 10, 11, 12 - Perky Patchwork Pillows - Free Sewing Workshop for ages 9-12 at 5680 County Road 2B in Belmont from 10-12 each day.

Aug 16 & 19 - Alfred's Junior Reports find and show the news. A free writing workshop at the Herkirk Library at Alfred U from 1-3 pm. Ages 9-12. Writing to be published by The Alfred Sun.

Artist Knot, 36 Main Street, Andover. "Cut Flowers," its newest exhibit, runs now thru June 18th. Upon entering the exhibition room you are struck by the big, bold paintings of various flowers, cropped very closely (hence "cut flowers"). However, according to Gallery Director Amy Brown, "The paintings are more about composition and color than the subject of flowers." When you consider that all of the works are very large, the largest measuring nearly 7 feet, the impact of the color is almost felt rather than simply seen. Tuesdays - Saturday 10am-5pm and until 8pm on Thursdays. Closed Sundays & Mondays. FREE ADMISSION. (607) 478-5100.

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.

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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 wannabees), 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.the-fountainartscenter.org

The Corning Museum of Glass presents the most comprehensive glass collection in the world in "35 Centuries of Glassmaking." Including five new Art and History Galleries. For info, call 607-937-5371. Open daily 9-5.

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

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

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

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 SJIMCA 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.

National Warplane Museum Off I-86 in Big Flats. Call 607-739-8200 or stop by the museum for more information.

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

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



Lectures/Readings

Alfred Lions Club Monthly Programs. 8 to 8:45 p.m. 2nd and 4th Thursdays at Terra Cotta Coffee-

house. No reservations needed. Public invited to attend, free of charge.

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

AU Women's Studies Round-table. 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: 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

Bergren Forum. 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus, when classes in session. 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. 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: 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. Free admission. The visitor center is located about 1.7 miles from Mount Morris and 11 miles from Nunda, off State Route 408. For information call 585-658-4790.



Alfred Programming Board
Movies held 5:30 & 8 p.m. at Pioneer Lounge, ASC campus.

AU Alternative Cinema—8 p.m. Saturdays when college is in session.

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Saturday, July 24: Demolition Derby at 4:00 p.m.

Gate admission is \$8.00 - includes all exhibits, rides, grandstand features, except Friday nite. Oscar The Robot returns all week.

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 Observa-

tory phone at Alfred University, 871-2270.

ALLEGANY COUNTY FAIR. Sunday, July 18-Saturday, July 24. Sunday, July 18: Vesper Service & Fair Dedication at 7:30 p.m.

Monday, July 19: WNY Pro Farm Pullers "New" Trucks, Farm Tractors & street gas and diesel trucks @ 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 20: Baby Show, Mini Theater @ 12 noon. Lightweight NYS Champion Horse Pull @ 1 p.m. Free for All @ 6 p.m.

Wednesday, July 21: Children's Tractor Pull @ 12 noon. Fair on Parade & 4-H Costume Class @ 2:30 p.m., Colgate Country Showdown Talent w/DooZee's band (formerly Cruisers) 50s, 60s, 70s and 80s music before and after Talent Show @ 6:30 p.m. 4-H Market Animal Sale at 5:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 22: Board of Legislators Meeting @ 2 p.m. Boys-n-Bulls Bull Riding Event at 7:30 p.m.

Friday, July 23: Jo Dee Messina/ David Nail at 8:00 p.m. \$32.50 + \$3.00 handling per order. "Unmistakable" new album. Order blanks available at www.alleganycountycountyfair.org Orders filled by postmark. No refunds. Send to: Kelly Roberts, Ticket Chairperson, PO Box 125, Scio, NY 14880. Or call 585-593-7453. \$30 fee for returned checks. Tickets purchased after 12 noon on the day of the show does not include admission to the grounds.

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Support Groups

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

Alcoholics Anonymous. 7 p.m. & 8:30 p.m. 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 3:45 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. in the meeting room at Mercy-care, Bethesda Drive, North Hornell. For more info, call Judy Griffith at 324-8139.

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 Difffenbacher 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.

WHAT'S COOKIN'?

Allegany County Office for the Aging
Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu

Monday, July 5

Happy 4th of July! No congregate centers or Meals on Wheels.

Tuesday, July 6

Juice, Chicken ala King over biscuit, carrots, pumpkin crunch, diabetic pumpkin pudding.

Wednesday, July 7

Spinach Mandarin Orange Salad, Swedish meatballs, buttered noodles, peas, Italian bread, tropical fruit cup.

Thursday, July 8

Cranberry gelatin salad, cold sliced turkey, potato salad, lettuce & tomato, bun & mayo, peanut butter cookie, diabetic pears.

Friday, July 9

Coleslaw, Breaded Fish w/Tarter Sauce, oven brown potato, mixed vegetables, wheat bread, lemon mousse, diabetic lemon mousse.

For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or (toll free 1-866-268-9390) by 2 p.m. on previous day.

ALFRED NUTRITION SITE

Union University Church Center, 12 noon

Call Cindy Berry at 607-382-4918.

Monday—Site closed for 4th of July.

Wednesday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon.

Thursday—Lunch at noon.

BELMONT NUTRITION SITE

American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.

Call Lila Johnson at 585-268-5380.

Tuesday—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Hot Dog Month" and "Show and Tell."

Thursday—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Family Reunion" and "Blueberries."

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE

Fire Hall 12 noon

Call Carolyn Hackett at 585-928-2672

Monday—Site closed for 4th of July

Wednesday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon.

Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon.

Friday—Lunch at 12 noon.

Saturday—Lunch at 12 noon.

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Canaseraga Fire Hall, 11:45 a.m.

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Tuesday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m.,

Lunch at 11:45 a.m. "Patriotism."

Thursday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m.,

Lunch at 11:45 a.m. "Sing Along with Mitch."

CUBA NUTRITION SITE

AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon

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Monday—Site closed for 4th of July.

Tuesday—Euchre, Cards, Dominoes,

Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "Patriotic Words."

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Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon

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Monday—Site closed for 4th of July.

Thursday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m.,

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'The Backsliders' to perform at Angelica coffeehouse

ANGELICA--When you come across a pair of musicians this accomplished, this entertaining, this professional, with a songbook so unique, you want to hear them again and again.

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café at 22 W. Main St., Angelica NY is proud to announce an evening performance by singer/guitarist Jim Schleich and bassist Eric Huppert -- THE BACKSLIDERS -- on Saturday, July 3rd.

THE BACKSLIDERS' repertoire highlights songs from commercial country music's classic era: the 1950's and 60's. Jim and Eric dig through flea markets and garage sales for vintage country records and find inspiration there. As archivists, they research the legendary singers and songwriters of the era and perform semi-acoustic renditions of their works, both familiar and obscure. Influences range from Hank Snow to Merle Haggard, Ray Price and even a bit of Elvis! THE BACKSLIDERS are keepers of a flame of an American musical art form.

Based in Avon, Schleich and Huppert have been performing throughout upstate New York, honing their repertoire for twenty years at such notable venues as Rochester's Lilac Festival, the Saranac Lake Art Walk, Conesus Lake Fiddlers Picnic, and Brockport Arts Festival.

Don Ash of Black-Eyed Susan

commented, "Jim and Eric deliver a show so seamless that upon hearing them for the first time, a listener knows, 'Ahhh, these two have been performing together for a while.' It takes a lot of work for musicians to be able to complement each other so well. That work has paid off us, their audience."

The doors at Black-Eyed Susan open Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. for lunch, with dinner beginning at 4:30 pm. Enjoy the sounds of balladeer JIM SCHWARTZ & FRIENDS on guitar and vocals at 6:00 p.m., with THE BACKSLIDERS from 7:30 to 9:30 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 10:00 p.m. and the café closes at 11:00. Reservations for dinner -- while never necessary -- are strongly encouraged.

Upcoming Saturday performances include: folk-rock / gospel tunes with DAVID & BEVERLY SNYDER on July 10th; Angelica's own RETROFIT with country, folk-rock and standards on July 17th; and classy jazz trio SOUTHERN EXPRESSO on July 24th.

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 Saturday at 11:00 a.m. Guests can



THE BACKSLIDERS perform on Saturday, July 3 at Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café in Angelica.

dine in with a beautiful view of Park Circle, or have a meal delivered to their home or workplace. Menus are posted on-line.

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For more information call 585-466-3399 or visit www.black-eyed-susan.com.



CABINET will perform at 8 p.m. Friday, July 2 at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center in Wellsville. Tickets are \$16 at the door.

Cabinet will perform at Creative Arts Center

WELLSVILLE--Cabinet will be performing on Friday, July 2nd, at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. Show starts at 8:00pm. Come early for dinner (served 5:00pm-9:00pm). Tickets are \$14 advance purchase/\$16 at door. Member tickets are \$12 advance purchase/\$14 at door. Tickets may be purchased online, in advance, at www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or at the Art Center Coffee House. For more information visit the website or call 585-593-3000.

Combine five parts string instruments, one part percussion for extra flavor, and a spoonful of bluegrass and you get Cabinet-- and not the kind used for kitchen storage. With a tasty blend of banjo, mandolin, fiddle, upright bass and acoustic guitar, this Scranton-area group has successfully created a unique melting pot of traditional and experimental bluegrass with a jam band feel.

Cabinet's fresh sound is the product of a diverse group of musicians with varied influences and backgrounds. The band consists of six talented musicians: J.P. Biondo (mandolin, vocals), Pappy Biondo (banjo, vocals), Mickey Coviello (acoustic guitar, vocals), Todd Kopec (fiddle, vocals), Dylan Skursky (electric upright bass, vocals) and Jami Novak (drums, percussion). Their unique sound has evolved over the years combining traditional bluegrass elements like vocal harmonies and melodic instrument-to-instrument improvs with new rock 'n' roll jams and resounding drums.

Cabinet was voted Best Local Band in the Diamond City Readers' Poll in 2007 and their self-titled CD was voted Best Local CD in 2008.

Their mantra is a simple one. As long as you keep dancing, Cabinet will keep playing.

Alfred Village Band rehearsals set

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Board of Trustees of the Village of Alfred has scheduled a public hearing to be held on Tuesday, July 13th at 7:20 p.m. in the Village Hall at 7 West University St., Alfred, NY, regarding a proposed Historic Preservation Tax Exemption law. The proposed law grants a period of tax exemption on the increased assessment value of rehabilitated historic properties. Complete copies of the proposed law may be obtained from the Village Clerk. Dated: June 28, 2010 Kathryn L. Koegel Village Clerk-Treasurer 26-1

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That the Board of Trustees of the Village of Alfred has scheduled a public hearing to be held on Tuesday, July 13th at 7:15 p.m. in the Village Hall at 7 West University St., Alfred, NY, regarding a proposed change to Housing law, Section 215.00 Garbage and Refuse. The proposed change prohibits in SINGLE AND multiple dwellings, storage of garbage or refuse containers in front of or on the front porch of buildings except during hours designated for garbage pickup. Complete copies of the proposed law may be obtained from the Village Clerk. Dated: June 28, 2010 Kathryn L. Koegel Village Clerk-Treasurer 26-1

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In The Alfred Sun 50, 25 and 10 Years Ago

Compiled By DAVID L. SNYDER

Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher

FIFTY YEARS AGO, JUNE 30, 1960

The last two teaching vacancies at Alfred-Almond have been filled for the next school year. Richard Braack, board president, has announced that Mrs. Mary Jane Sass will fill a second grade vacancy and Mrs. Julia Sicker will be the new sixth grade teacher. Both are from Alfred. Mrs. Sass will replace Mrs. Jean Gerace on leave of absence. She is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan College and earned her master's degree at Ohio University...Mrs. Sass is married to Dr. Daniel Sass, head of the biology department at the University. They live at 15 Terrace Street. Mrs. Sicker will teach the 6th grade taught by Mrs. Geneva Stopfel this year. She is a graduate of Geneseo State Teachers College and Alfred University, where she has also done graduate work. She taught 4th and 5th grades for nine years in Tonawanda, and has done substitute work at Alfred-Almond. The new 6th grade teacher is married to Herman Sicker of the Alfred State Tech faculty. With their son, they live at Hillcrest Drive...

Alfredians—Walter Lang has left for a six week summer session at Duke University, Durham, NC where he is attending school on a special fellowship. His family may join him later for a week or two...Mrs. Milton Tuttle and three children were recent weekend visitors of her family in Rochester...Steven Best and Mark Potter were honored guests last Thursday at a farewell picnic held by 8th grade friends at the home of Patricia Richmond...Miss Linda Stearns was hostess Friday at a farewell picnic for Shelley Potter. Several 6th grade girls were present, and the guest of honor was given a gift...Mr. and Mrs. Varick Nevins and family, Miss Evelyn Van Schoick, Dr. and Mrs. Winfield Randolph and Susan and Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Potter were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Voss and family at Horseheads...Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stoneham and two children of Rochester were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Jacox...A prayer service was held Tuesday afternoon at the Alfred Rural Cemetery, with the Rev. Hurley S. Warren, officiating, for Brenda Jane Shaw, one day old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Shaw...James Baker, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Baker, left Sunday for Colgate University to attend "Boys State" as a delegate...

W. Quay Grigg Jr. of Newark, Del., has been appointed assistant professor of English at Alfred University to succeed Miss Lelia Tupper who has retired, President M. Ellis Drake announced today...

Boy Scouts of Troop 19 of Alfred and Alfred Station received advancement badges at a Court of Honor and family night, held Monday evening at the Alfred Station Community House. The supper was attended by over fifty scouts, their families and guests. Lynn Bouck, Senior Patrol Leader, made the presentation of the tenderfoot badges to Larry Drumm, Alan Lobdell, Dana Beckhorn and Lewis Butler. Donald Brutsman, chairman of the advancement committee, awarded second class badges to Edmund Burzycki and Mitch Evans. A Life badge was presented by Edward Crandall, former Scoutmaster, to Lynn Bouck, and Fred Jansen, district scout executive, awarded a special citation for heroism from the National Boy Scout Council to John Woodruff.

"**Popping**" good time was had by all—Mr. and Mrs. Lynn L. Langworthy left on June first for Montpelier, Ohio, where they attended the National Threshermen Association's 16th Annual Reunion on Thursday and Friday. There were 35 well preserved and beautifully painted traction engines under steam, many of them having been built 50 years or more ago. Also displayed were grain threshers, a few old-time gas tractors and many, many models of traction engines, threshers, hay balers and stationary steam engines built to scale. Lynn Says:—"Once you get 'steam' in your system the only way to get it out is through the pop-valve or by pulling the throttle." The Langworthys returned home Sunday.

The Community Band will rehearse at Firemens Hall, on Tuesday evening, July 5, at 7 p.m. Thereafter, the band will rehearse on Monday evenings.

Alfred Station—Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Burdick and Dawn attended the wedding of Tom Windows to Ellen Chapple at the Bath Presbyterian Church Saturday afternoon...Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kellogg and daughter, Mary Lee, of Binghamton called on Mr. and Mrs. Milton Emerson Sunday afternoon...Recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmeter were Charles Palmeter of Hornell and

Mrs. Harley Miller of Alfred...Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burdick called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell at Elmira Sunday afternoon...The 21 girls from Alfred and Alfred Station who are members of the Busy Bluejays Bluebird Group traveled by train from Hornell Tuesday morning, June 21, to Corning where they visited the Corning Glass Center. The girls were accompanied by their leaders, Mrs. Lyle Palmeter and Mrs. Frank Snyder as well as Mrs. Clarence Klingensmith, Mrs. Allen Best and Mrs. Alfred Tucker. They returned to Hornell on the evening train, where they were met by several parents, who returned them to their homes...

Almond News—Mrs. Donald Gerace is spending a two week vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.J. Rounds, at Henderson, NY while Lt. Gerace is in camp...The Bordeaux family attended the wedding reception held for Carole Swerling and Mr. Topping, Saturday night at the Legion Home in Hornell...Mr. and mrs. Harry Morse of Belfast were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Dexter...Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacMichael entertained Mr. and Mrs. Philip MacMichael and family of Andover Sunday...Sue Montgomery spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Coleman and family at Whitesville...

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, JUNE 27, 1985

Eight Alfred-Almond Central School seniors were each awarded a \$100 scholarship by the graduating class in what is believed to be the first time an A-A graduating class awarded its own scholarships. The class, with some \$800 remaining from its fund-raising activities, voted to award \$100 scholarships to graduated selected by the class advisor, Mrs. Ellen Shultz. Recipients of the unique scholarships, presented by Class President Scott Reed, were Tara Brink, Glenn Burdick, Tina DiRocco, Gene Doorley, Myles Higby, Auralee Jefferds, Rob McKnight and Cathy Moore...

(Photo) Almond Lions Club President James Comes presents Jake Stuart Memorial Trophy to Robert McKnight and Julia Schmidt at a recent dinner.

(Photo) Comes presents Almond Lions Scholarships of \$250 each to Gene Doorley and Betsy George, members of the 1985 graduating class at A-A.

It was all in the family Thursday night, June 20 when two Alfred Troop 19 Boy Scouts were awarded the Eagle badge, the highest award in Scouting. Recipients of the Eagle badge were Kelly G. Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Palmer of Alfred Station, and George K. Hermann, foster son of Edward W. Derowitsch. Jim Palmer is chairman of the Troop 19 Scout Committee, while Derowitsch is Scoutmaster...

Mr. and Mrs. Duane R. York of Canisteo announce the engagement of their daughter, Teal Marie York, to David N. Hardy of Bath. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hardy of Almond...the couple is planning an August 24, 1985 wedding.

Alfredians—Arthur and Gretchen Burdick observed their 62nd wedding anniversary on June 14 in Bryson City, NC...Dante Vezzoli (AU '33) of Sarasota, FL returned to his alma mater for Alumni Weekend. He will be coming back in July to attend the Elderhostel...Dawn Burdick, a second year student at Cornell University, is working this summer in the streets department in Alfred. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Burdick of Alfred Station...S. Spicer Kenyon of Niagara Falls died June 6, 1985 in Niagara Falls Medical Center Nursing Home. He was a graduate of N.Y.S. College of Ceramics and had retired in 1961 as an employee of Carborundum CO. in Niagara Falls. He was a member of University Lodge #944, F&AM of Alfred. He is survived by two sons, a daughter; a brother, M. Elwood Kenyon of Alfred, and several grandchildren. Burial was in Alfred Rural Cemetery...Mrs. Carla Coch spent two weeks, late in May, in the Inner and Outer Hebrides, off the coast of Scotland...A family gathering took place in Litchfield Beach, SC, June 15-23. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rawady, Mr. and Mrs. Marc Rawady and two sons, all of Alfred; Mr. and Mrs. Larrie and Andrea (Rawady) Sweet and three children, Lafayette, LA; and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald (Alison Rawady) Hague of Jacksonville, FL...Barry and Martha Lash and daughters Rachel and Hannah have returned from a sabbatical leave spent in England, Germany, Austria and Holland. In England, Mr. Lash visited various technical libraries. He is head librarian at the Hinkle Library at Alfred State College.

The New York State Legislature paused from its

deliberations recently to congratulate Jim Moretti, the "most successful quarterback in Alfred University history," upon being named Head Football Coach of the university. "Barring injuries, we will be competitive," said Moretti, "I'm optimistic although we are facing an ambitious schedule."

Thirteen members of the Alfred-Almond Central School Class of 1985 will continue their studies at Alfred State College, while five will attend Alfred University this fall. In a report released by Alfred-Almond Guidance Counselor David Luelen, it was learned that 43 members of the class intend to attend college this fall, 3 will work one year then attend college, 5 will enter military service, 9 will work and 1 will be an exchange student. Planning to attend Alfred University and their majors are: Richard Stephan, mathematics and computer; Angeline Butts, special education; Theresa Schaeberle, business administration; Robert McKnight, fine arts; and Julia Schmidt, elementary education and athletic training. Planning to attend Alfred State College are: Betsy George, engineering; James Klemaszewski, computer science; Julie Rogers, executive secretarial; Randy Raner, electrical engineering; Jennifer Trice, liberal arts; Auralee Jefferds, retail business management; Daniel Patton, business administration; Eugene Doorley, surveying; Teresa Gaisser, medical assistant; Myles Higby, individual studies; Glenn Burdick, agricultural engineering; Shawn Hannan, business administration; and Tina DiRocco, retail business management...

TEN YEARS AGO, JUNE 29, 2000

There wasn't one bad apple among the bunch of Alfred-Almond Central School's 62 graduating seniors, members of the class of 2000. Each graduate, upon receiving their diploma during the school's 61st annual commencement exercises Saturday afternoon in the high school gym, presented a green apple to Secondary Principal Richard Calkins. Sure, some of the apples had bites out of them, and even the principal bit into one during his enthusiastic presentation of the graduates. But the final apple, in contrast, a shiny red, was presented by Wii Yatani with an explanation. "This was your first year as principal," he said, "All of the apples were green but this final apple is red—you're no longer green."

(Photo) The Sun in Philly—Boy Scout Troop 19 took a trip to Philadelphia in March. They snapped this photo at the Chamanoix Mansion Hostel where they stayed, on the west side, with Jesse Harvey, our Senior Patrol Leader, reading the Sun. While there, they visited Independence Mall, Franklin Institute, The U.S. Mint and the Nautical Museum.

(Photos) State Fair Held—Alfred-Almond Central School fifth graders recently held their 7th annual State Fair. The students created booths that displayed examples of agricultural and manufactured products, state symbols, resources, and favorite state recipes. Exhibits also included student-created maps, charts, graphs, posters, and reports on the various states. Representing their states in special attire are Kathryn Pilgrim, Sara Beth Mix, Cam Duke and Jake Donius, ready to greet visitors to the state fair. Below, Ann Rossington poses as a hula dancer from Hawaii while Katy Mormino is dressed as a Dallas Cowboys fan from Texas.

(Photo) Substantial renovations have been made in the Agriculture Science Building at Alfred State College to accommodate the new veterinary technology program. Here, Dr. Melvin C. Chambliss, DVM (doctor of veterinary medicine), program coordinator, demonstrates operating room equipment for Andrea Davis of Pine Bush and Roxanne Davis of Rochester.

Dr. Joong Wook Koe has been appointed pastor of the United Methodist Church in Alfred, effective July 1. Dr. Koe holds a bachelor's degree in sacred theology from the University of Seoul in Korea. Following completion of his military service requirement there, he came to Fuller Seminary in California where he received his master's and doctoral degrees in missionology. During this time he served pulpits in California. Most recently he has been pastor of BoSoO Methodist Church in Pusan, Korea. Pastor Koe and his wife of 20 years, Hae Young, have two teenage sons...

(Photo) Dr. William D. Rezak, president of Alfred State College, presents Robert Donius of Alfred Station, campus minister, St. Jude's Center, with a "voucher" for a special jacket in recognition of Donius' outstanding contributions to the College...

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Andover seniors receive awards

ANDOVER--Andover Central School graduates received a multitude of scholarships and awards at their Awards Banquet Thursday, June 24. They include:

Danielle Armfield--James H. and Reba Kessler Memorial Award, NYS Triple "C" Award, Bobby Goodridge Award, All-County Music Award - Chorus Bradley Bliss--Andover Class of 75 Award

Jordan Bridge--Andover Class of 75 Award

Cathy Buckley--Allegany County Pomona Grange #45 Perseverance Award

Chelsea Burdick--Rosemary Burger Scholarship - 2nd Place, Allegany County National Honor Society Local Scholarship, Red & Jean Allen Memorial Scholarship, K a t h r y n Gorsuch Dodge Scholarship

Brandon Carl--Andover Class of 75 Award

Devin Cornell--Gregory Smith Memorial Award, Bobby Goodridge Award, Allegany County Athletic Association Scholar Athlete - Winter, Andover Haunted House Committee Award, Andover Youth Baseball Award, A n d o v e r Music Booster Award - Chorus

Nicholas Cunningham--Andover Class of 75 Award

Cheyenne Day--A n d o v e r Class of 75 Award

Alicia Glover--Dick & Mary Stimson Neighborhood Scholarship

Erin Hurley--DAR Good Citizenship Award

Third Annual

From the Earth

Gardens, Organic Dairy Farm, Crafts, and more

WHAT: "From the Earth"

An event involving flower and vegetable gardens, tours of an organic dairy farm, pottery and woodcarving studios and craft demonstrations, a perennial plant sale, a woodland garden talk, guided bird walk, activities for kids, and more.

WHO: Four neighbors

WHERE: Two miles from the center of Alfred, NY

1664 Waterwells Road
1444 and 1530 Randolph Road
4981 McAndrews Road
5471 Lake Road (Foster Lake)

WHEN: Saturday, July 31st, 11:00 am - 6:00 pm

WHY: To celebrate our connection to the earth in meaningful, healthy, and creative ways. All is from the earth with a labor of love.

Many of us long to experience our connection to the land in meaningful, healthy, and creative ways. *From the Earth*, to be held in the Alfred area on Saturday, July 31 from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m., will celebrate our collaboration with the natural world with a variety of attractions including flower and vegetable gardens, tours of an organic dairy farm, creations from clay and wood, demonstrations that include how to build a timber frame house, wood carving, and throwing clay on a wheel, a perennial plant sale, a guided bird walk, garden talks, and more.

Four neighbors located in the rolling hills two miles from the center of Alfred are offering what they have produced from the earth with a labor of love. At the MacCrea family Locustbrae Farm on Waterwells Road, **Debbie MacCrea** will offer perennial flowers, and **Alec MacCrea** will demonstrate woodcarving in his charming woodcarving studio and gallery of Celtic-inspired designs. **Sean Hyland**, a fine furniture maker who uses primarily local wood, will also have a display of his work there. He will be building a timber frame structure during the day.

On Randolph Road, **Linda Huey** will be displaying her leafy pottery designs in a sugar shed at the end of a path through her vegetable garden. Ongoing wheel throwing demonstrations will take place throughout the day. Down the hill on Randolph Road is Sunny Cove Farm, a small organic dairy farm run by the **Snyder Family**. They offer all certified organic products including exceptional quality raw milk and beef. One hour tours of the farm will be begin at 12 noon, 2 p.m., and 4 p.m. (\$5 adults, \$3 children, under 5 free). On McAndrews Road, **Mary Lu Wells** will share her flower and woodland gardens with a "Butterflies in the Garden" talk at 12 noon and "Ferns in the Woods" talk at 3 p.m..

At 4 p.m. **Betsy Brooks** will lead an informative bird walk at Foster Lake on Lake Road. [Foster Lake will be open only during the bird walk.]

Maps available at each location. For more information, contact Linda Huey at 607-587-9877, or go to www.lindahuey.com/shows.html

izens Certificate, Rosemary Burger Award - Alternate, Doug Vars Award, Murlyn Conde Award, NYS Triple "C" Award, US Marine Corps Semper Fidelis Award, American Legion Lynch-Burgett Post #897 Scholarship, Andover Lions Club Scholarship, ACS Class of 72 Follow Your Dream Scholarship, Clarence L. Davis Memorial Award, Andover Music Booster Award - Band, All County Music Award - Chorus Zachary Johannes--Kevin Gavin Memorial Award, Donald Kent Memorial Foundation Scholarship, Andover Alumni Association Scholarship, Bobby Goodridge Award

Patrick Joyce--Scott Hancock Memorial Scholarship

Kyle Moore--NYS Comptroller Achievement Award, Merton L. Preston Scholarship - 1st Alternate, Charles H. Joyce Scholarship

Carissa Mundt--Andover Class of 75 Award

Brandon Murray--US Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete - Male, Bobby Goodridge Award, Allegany County Athletic Association Scholar Athlete - Spring, Andover Alumni Association Greg Smith Award

Aaron Nevol--Merton L. Preston Scholarship - 2nd Alternate, American Legion Lynch-Burgett Post #897 Scholarship, Memorial Welding Scholarship

Alexis Niedermaier--Andover Class of 75 Award

Brittney O'Dell--Andover

Class of 75 Award
Jonathon Otto--Andover Class of 75 Award

Jonathan Prescott--Andover Class of 75 Award

Dillon Reynolds--Andover Class of 75 Award

Courtney Slade--NYS Scholarship for Academic Excellence - 2nd Place, Alfred State College Alumni Scholarship, US Army Reserve National Scholar/Athlete - Female, Rosemary Burger Scholarship - 1st Place, Allegany County Athletic Association Scholar Athlete - Winter

Julia Smith--Janet Bliss Nursing Scholarship, Bartz-Conde-Reil Award - 2nd Alternate, US Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete - Female, Jane Troxell Scholarship Award, Allegany County Athletic Association Scholar Athlete - Spring

Haley Spencer--Scott Hancock Memorial Scholarship

Gregory Starks--Andover Excellence Award, US Army Reserve National Scholar/Athlete - Male, Association of Former New York State Troopers Scholarship, Bobby Goodridge Award, Andover Lions Club Scholarship, William Brown II Memorial Award, Allegany County Deputy Sheriff's Association Scholarship, Allegany County Athletic Association Scholar Athlete - Fall, Andover Music Booster Award - Band & Chorus

Racheal Stebbins--Robert J. McClure Scholarship - 2nd Place

Kelly Vars--AAUW Science and Math Award, NYS Scholarship for Excellence - 1st Place, Bartz-Conde-Reil Award, Allegany County Athletic Association Scholar Athlete - Fall, John Philip Sousa Band Award, All-County Music Award - Band, Madeline Short Woodruff Scholarship, Pat Perrone Athletic/Science Award

Jude Wahl II--Andover Class of 75 Award

Donald Walker--Bartz-Conde-Reil Scholarship - 1st Alternate, Robert J. McClure Scholarship - 1st Place, Wampole Memorial Award

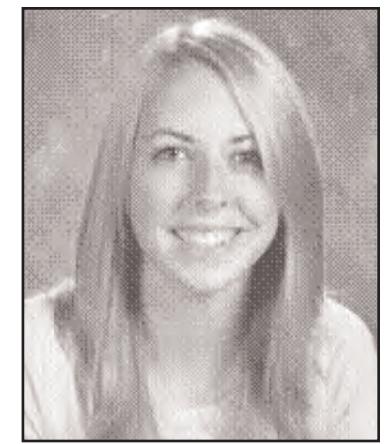
Cory Waters--Doris Church Award, US Marine Corps Scholastic Excellence Award, Merton L. Preston Scholarship - Winner, Bobby Goodridge Award, Andover Rod & Gun Club Bob Goodridge Scholarship, Andover Haunted House Award - Alternate

Cecelia Wilson--Richard York Memorial Award

Cody Wlasniewski--Andover Alumni Association Scholarship, Steuben Trust Scholarship, Helen Babcock Memorial Scholarship



KELLY M. VARS
Andover C.S. Valedictorian



COURTNEY A. SLADE
Andover C.S. Salutatorian

Top seniors at Andover

ANDOVER--Andover Central School is pleased to announce its Valedictorian and Salutatorian for the Class of 2010.

Kelly M. Vars is the Valedictorian of the Andover Central School's Class of 2010. Kelly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Vars of Andover. As a student at Andover Central School, Kelly earned a grade point average of 94.97. Kelly is an accelerated Math student and has excelled in all of her classes.

She has proven to be successful in a more challenging educational environment by taking and earning strong grades in college level courses such as English, Spanish, Calculus, and Art. Kelly has worked very hard to earn this honor.

In addition to her academic success, Kelly has demonstrated leadership skills on the Basketball, Soccer, Tennis and the Cheerleading teams at Andover. Kelly has served as a class representative to the student council and as a class officer. Kelly is also a member of the National Honor Society. Kelly is on the Yearbook staff, has been a peer helper, and a member of SADD. Kelly has also been a valued member of the Andover Central School band. We wish Kelly the very best at The Rochester Institute of Technology where she plans to study Graphic Design.

The Salutatorian for the Class of 2010 at Andover Central School is Courtney A. Slade. Courtney earned a grade point average of 94.75. Courtney is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Slade of Andover, NY. Courtney has been a member of National Honor Society and a Class Officer. Courtney is also on the Yearbook staff and the Prom Committee. In addition, Courtney is a member of SADD.

Courtney has been a valued teammate on the Soccer, Basketball, and Softball teams for Andover Central. We wish Courtney the best of luck in her studies at Alfred State College where she is planning on majoring in Liberal Arts.

Women's Leadership Center hosting talk on child trafficking

ALFRED--The Alfred University Women's Leadership Center (WLC), along with the American Association of University Women (Alfred-Hornell branch), will host guest lecturer Joyce Steiner on Thursday, July 1, from 3-5 p.m. at the Women's Leadership Center on the Alfred University campus.

LC. Steiner, program manager of the Christian Council of Ghana, will speak on her recent work on a documentary entitled "Fight Against Child Trafficking."

The program is open to the public free of charge. The WLC is on the corner of Ford and Sayles streets, Alfred, in the south end of the AU campus.

Steiner earned a bachelor of

arts degree in sociology (with honors) from the University of Ghana. She has also worked against fighting the stigma of HIV and AIDS in Ghana.

The WLC, founded in 2006, builds on Alfred University's heritage as the first truly coeducational institution in the nation. The WLC provides leadership education and skills development for Alfred's students, with an emphasis on developing leadership among female students.

The center offers collaborative learning opportunities, fosters mentoring and networking with leadership role models, and offers a variety of leadership-enhancing experiences including speakers, workshops, seminars, and internships.

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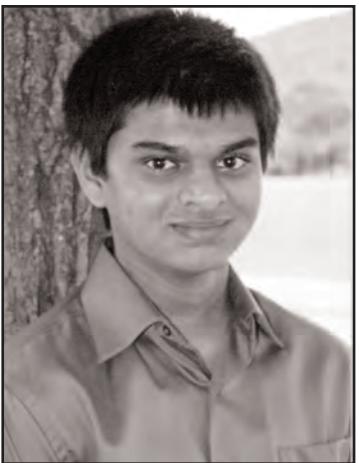
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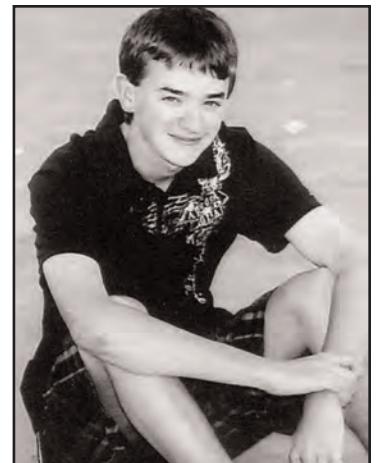
NIRAV AMIN
will attend Alfred State College to study liberal arts/social sciences



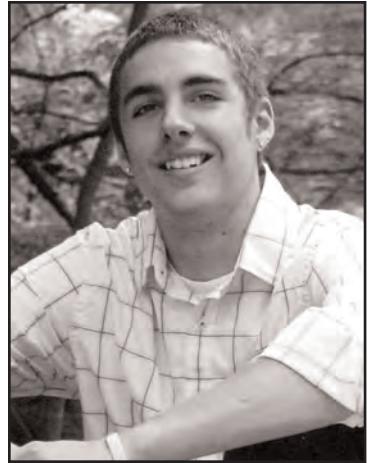
GENA BRIGGS
will attend Alfred State College to study building construction



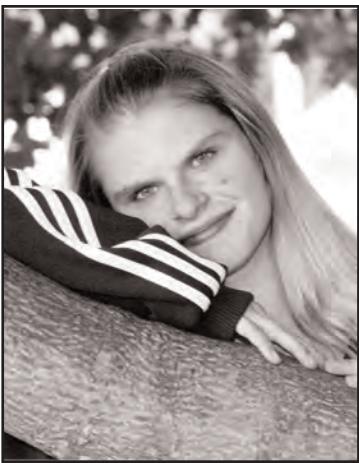
ALAN BUSBY
will attend Alfred State College to study robotics



KRISTOPHER CALEB
will attend Monroe Community College to study liberal arts



DAVID CHENEY
will attend Alfred State College to study construction management



KIM CLARK
is undecided about her immediate future



JOHN CORMACK
will attend University of Rochester to study mechanical engineering



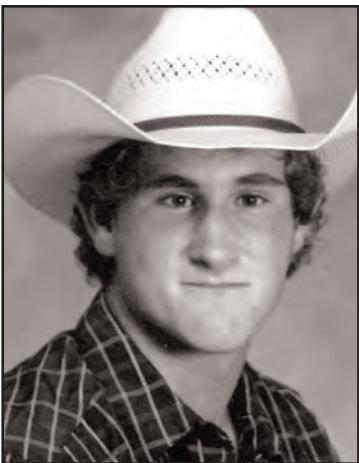
AERIEL CROOKER
is undecided about her immediate future.



DANEE DIETRICH
will attend Alfred State College to study culinary arts



KIMBERLY DODGE
will attend Houghton College to study elementary education



TIMOTHY DOHERTY
will attend Alfred State College to study building construction



MARK DREW
will seek employment in the area



MEGAN EARL
will attend Houghton College to study inclusive education



PIA ELLMERS
will return to her home in Germany



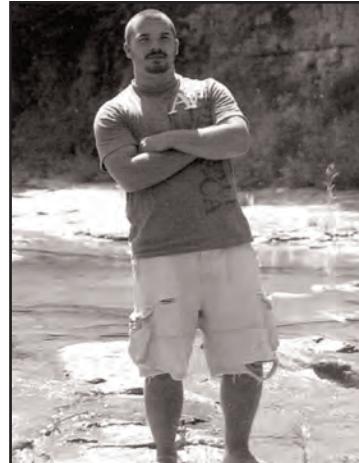
WILLIAM ERNEST
will attend Alfred State College to study veterinary technology



KATIE FROST
will seek employment in the area



ZACKARY GASCON
is undecided about his immediate future



ROBERT GEORGE
will attend Alfred University to study athletic training



CALLAN GODSHALK
will attend Northland College, WI to study recreation studies



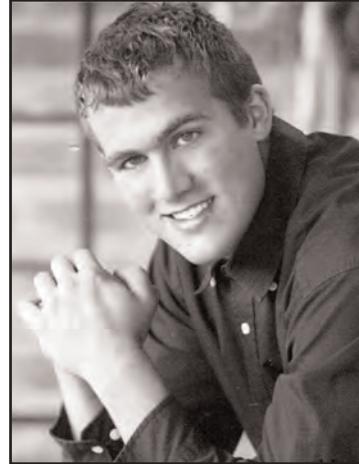
BEN GRAY
will attend Alfred State College to study heating/air conditioning



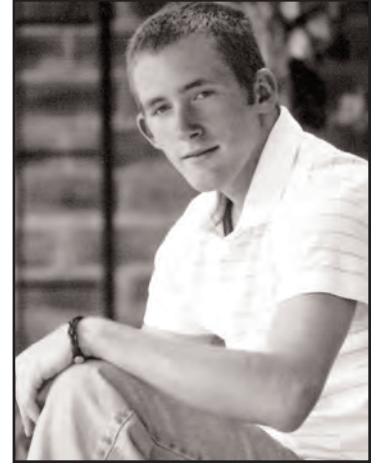
KELSEY HAGEMEN
will attend University of the Arts in Philadelphia to study art



KELSEY HANBACH
will attend Syracuse University to study social studies education



TYLER HARVEY
will attend Alfred State College to study biological science



JUSTIN AHAYNOSKI
will attend Alfred State College to study liberal arts/social sciences

at Alfred-Almond Central School!!



KIRSTEN HERR NECKAR
will attend Baptist Bible College to study human services



SAMUEL HUANG
will attend University of Rochester to study neuroscience



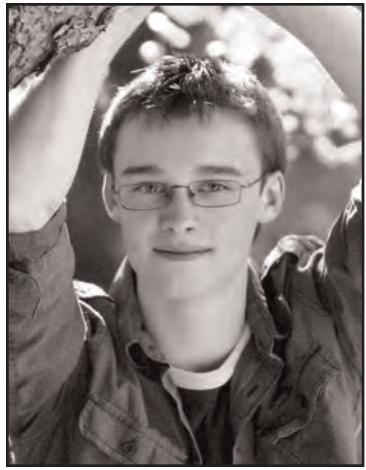
THERESA LATHAM
will enlist in the U.S. Air Force



CAROLINE McDOWELL
will attend Goucher College, MD to study English



AMBER MESSERVEY
will attend Alfred State College to study human services



KYLE MORGAN
will attend Keuka College to study bio-chemistry



MOLLY MULHOLLEN
will attend University of the Pacific, CA to study environmental science



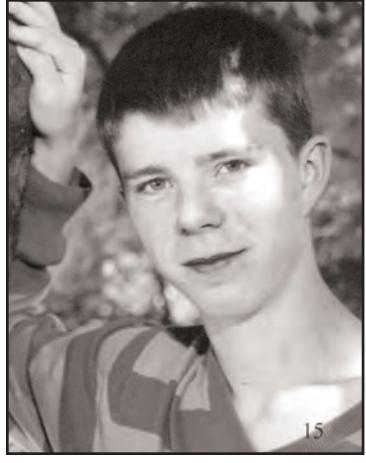
SAMUEL OLIN
will attend Alfred State College to study computer information systems



LAUREN POWELL
will attend University of Vermont to study veterinary medicine



MONIKA RAPPL
will attend Alfred State College to study human services



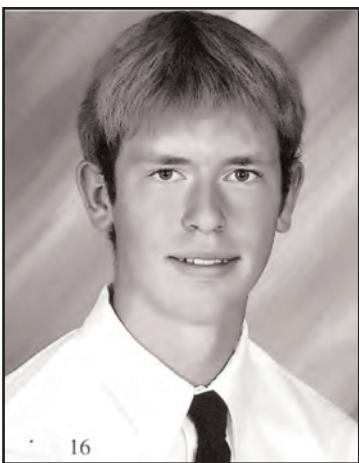
JONATHAN RYAN
will attend Alfred State College to study liberal arts



EVA SHARDLOW
will attend St. John Fisher College to study business administration



JARED STATION
will seek employment in the area



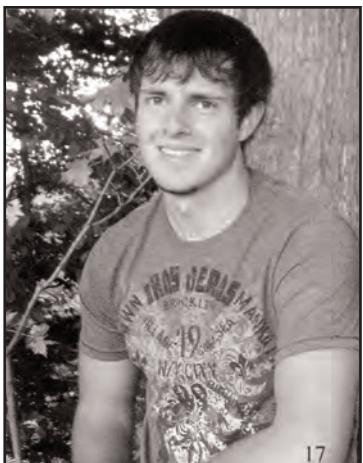
JAMIE STUART
will attend Alfred State College to study heating/air conditioning



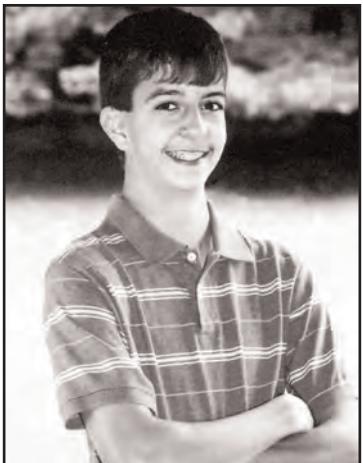
SHIRLEY TANG
will attend University of Pittsburgh to study civil engineering



JEAN THOMPSON
will attend Everett Community College, WA to study medical records



BRANDON TOMM
will attend Finger Lakes CC to study environmental science



JOSEPH TORKAMAN
will attend Florida Institute of Technology to study aerospace engineering



ROHAN VIRDEE
will attend University of Liverpool to study pre-medicine



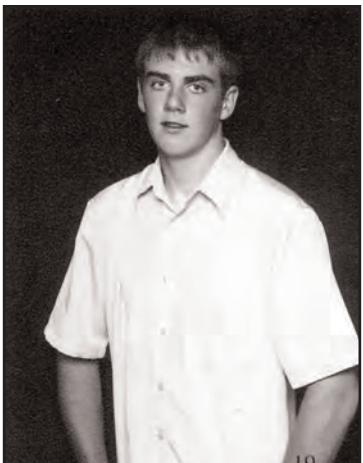
KRISTEN WALSH
will attend Alfred State College to study liberal arts/social sciences



KATE WASHBURN
will attend Cape Fear CC to study speech/language pathology



MEGHAN WILLIAMS
will attend SUNY New Paltz to study art/music education



LUKE WLASNIEWSKI
will attend Finger Lakes CC to study conservation/law enforcement

The Alfred Sun

offers its congratulations to all of our Alfred-Almond graduates and wishes them all the best in their future!

**Congratulations to the
A-A Class of 2010!**



The Jones Memorial Hospital Volunteers were honored at a special luncheon recently.

Hospital honors volunteers

WELLSVILLE—The amount of time the volunteers at Jones Memorial Hospital generously donate is a measure of their dedication to the patients, visitors, staff and the community. The hospital recently hosted their annual volunteer luncheon to honor the volunteers for their commitment to the hospital and to say thank you for being such a valuable part of the Jones Memorial Family.

Jones Memorial Hospital has over 50 volunteers. In 2009, those volunteers contributed over 10,630 hours in various departments throughout the hospital. If you calculate those hours based on minimum wage, it would total over \$91,000. "The time our volunteers give to our patients and our employees can never be compensated for monetarily and we can never say thank you enough for their willingness to give of themselves to enhance the care we provide to our patients and their families" said Jodi Pearson, Volunteer Services Coordinator.

Some special awards were presented at the luncheon. Three volunteers were given the Over 500 Club Award for giving more than 500 volunteer hours in 2009. Phil Mesler contributed 1210 hours, Kathryn Gilbert contributed 984 hours, and Lyle Edwards contributed 626 hours. The Extremely Dedicated Award was given to Edna Gigee for contributing a portion of her volunteer hours from her hospital bed during her rehabilitation after a fall earlier this year. Edna was awarded the Over 500 Club Award in 2008.

"Whether a volunteer gives 10 hours or 100 hours, every minute they give is greatly appreciated; we could not do it without our volunteers!" said Pearson.

The volunteers and the hours they donated to JMH in 2009 are Marge Anderson, 153; Kay Ball, 131; Marty Cinque, 27; Gert Cornell, 39; Eleanor Dates, 142.5; Phyllis Dennis, 92; Lyle Edwards, 626; Ruth Edwards, 151; Kay Eicher, 137.25; Travis Ely, 35.5; Sharon Evingham, 90.5; Sue Fagan, 245.5; Tim Flurshutz, 97.25; Cis Gasdik, 141; Edna Gigee, 321.75; Kathryn Gilbert, 984; James Gilfert, 39.5; Della Gross, 185.5; Lucille Hackett, 291.5; AJ Putman, 17; Audrey Hall, 75.5; Joan Hand, 178.25; Beverly Harder, 42; Jill Hyde, 38.25; Marion Johnson, 216; Don Joyce, 33; Ruth Kling, 347.5; Mary Korthuis, 191; Gloria Lundberg, 199.5; Lauren Lynch, 4; Mary Manning, 125.5; Tad Manske, 74.5; Emily Marsh, 9; Dot Martelle, 15; Sylvia Masin, 356.75; Alice McEnroe, 123; Bob McEnroe, 205; Phil Mesler, 1210; Brenda Milligan, 22; Pauline Morrison, 181.5; Tom Morrow, 231; Ruth Olsen, 93; Jordan Pearson, 14; Taylor Pearson, 18; Bonnie Peters, 401.25; Jane Pinney, 25; Gretchen Probst, 29; Phyllis Rigby, 87.25; Norma Rossman, 116.5; Harold Schen, 40; Joan Sortore, 311; Leisa Thomas, 12; Pat Tronetti, 120; Drina Vigh, 27.5; Miriam Vonderheide, 24; Ken Washburn, 360.5; Ruth Weber, 310; Joyce Wheaton, 20; Tina Wheeler, 387.75; Hilda Whitney, 166.5; Anne Wright, 6.5; and Connie Wyant, 27.

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Thursday, July 1

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--SMOOT, AMERICA'S PROMISE, 6..

Alfred Area Church Directory

ALFRED-ALMOND AREA

HORNELL ALFRED UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY--Meets twice monthly on Sunday mornings. For more information, call 478-8676 or 698-4508.

ALFRED-ALMOND BIBLE CHURCH--Rt. 21, Almond. Pastor John Prince, Pastor Charlie Emerson. Sunday School 9:30 am, Sunday Worship 10:30 am. Sunday Evening 6 pm. Mid-week Home Groups 7:30 pm. Phone 607-533-2500. www.aabible.org.

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 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 or write: 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.

ALFRED STATION SEVENTH-DAY BAPTIST CHURCH "Traditional in Style- Contemporary in Impact" Affiliated with SDB General Conference USA and Canada, INC. Sabbath (Sat.) 9:45 am Sabbath School, 11 am Sabbath Worship Hour; Youth Programs: Youth Fellowship- 2nd Sabbath of month, 2 pm (Grades 7-12). Jr. Youth Fellowship 3rd Sabbath of Month, 2 pm (Grades 3-6); Bible Studies: Wed. 9 am Maple Apartments Bible Study; Sanctuary Choir: 1st Sabbath 9 am, 2nd Thursday 7 pm, 3rd Sabbath after Worship, 4th Thursday 7 pm. Junior Choir- 2nd Sabbath 1:15pm (1st -8th Grade) Instrumentalist: 4th Sabbath of month, 9 am; Monthly Dish to Pass Meal: 2nd Sabbath after Worship Hour, Womans Infant Children Clinic: 9 am 1st Thursday of month, Food Pantry: 5:30 pm Tuesday and Thursday; Pastor: Dr. Kenneth Chroniger; Contact: Church 607-587-9176, Study 607-587-9545, E-Mail pastorken@frontiernet.net, Church Web. Site www.alfredstationsdb.org. Address: Mailing P.O.Box 7777, Alfred Station NY 14803, Campus, 587 Route 244, Alfred Station

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

ALFRED UNITED METHODIST CHURCH--1389 Moland Road, Alfred. A Christ-centered community where people find acceptance and fulfillment, care about others, and seek to live according to God's plan. Sunday Worship 9:00 am Fellowship 10:00 am Church School 10:30 am., nursery care available both hours. Website www.gbgm-umc.org/alfredumc. 587-8168. Pastor: Rev. Timothy M. Middleton Sr.

ALMOND UNION OF CHURCHES--11 Main St., Almond. Rev. G. Stephen Dyger, Pastor. A joyful, welcoming and compassionate multi-denominational church seeking God's truths for today's world. Sunday School 9:45 a.m., Morning Worship 11 a.m. Prayer Group Wednesday 9 am at 39 Main St., Almond. Call 276-6151 for more information.

HARTSVILLE COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH--Purdy Creek Road, Hornell. Pastor Charles Williams. Sun. School 9:30 am, Worship 10:30 am.

HILLEL AT ALFRED--Friday night services 6:30 pm at Melvin Bernstein Hillel House, 18 S. Main St., when AU is in session. Add'l services & programs throughout the year. For more info, contact Larry Greil (871-2215 work or 587-8694 home) or Barbara Greil (587-4313 work).

INSTITUTE OF DIVINE METAPHYSICAL RESEARCH--Sundays 12 noon at Almond Grange, Almond. Choir starts 11:40 am. Meetings Tuesdays and Thursdays 7:30 to 9:30 pm at Almond Grange Hall.

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP--Randolph Road, Alfred. Pastor Roger Gardner. Sunday Prayer 9 am, Worship 10 am Sundays. Intercessory Prayer 6 pm Sundays. Home care groups weeknights, Alfred area, 587-9257.

SS. BRENDAN AND JUDE PARISH--Father Sean DiMaria, Pastor. St. Brendan Church, 11 S. Main St., Almond. Weekend Mass: Saturday, 5:00 p.m. Weekday Masses Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 a.m.; St. Jude Chapel, Lower College Dr., Alfred (on the Alfred State College campus). Weekend Masses Sunday 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. (6:30 p.m. when colleges in session) Office phone: 607-587-9411, Rectory phone: 607-276-5304.

UNION UNIVERSITY CHURCH--Alfred, 10:30 a.m. Sunday at 5 Church Street. A multi-denominational community church welcoming all faiths. Infants nursery, K-6 classes during service, youth programs. Church Center at corner of Main and Church Streets, Rev. Laurie DeMott. 587-9288.

ANDOVER AREA

CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE--Rochambeau Ave. Rev. Philip Barner, Sunday Morning Worship 9 a.m.; Sunday School for adults/teens 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School 10:30 am. Wed. Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.

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.

CHRISTIAN TEMPLE--99 Maple Ave., Wellsville, Rev. Anna Shirey, Pastor. Worship 10:45 a.m., Sunday School Pre K-Adult 9:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH--Corner of Elm & Church Streets. Pastor Frank Troutman. Sunday School 9:45 am, Morning Worship 11 am.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN--E. Greenwood St., Andover. Worship Service 10 am. Rev. Dean R. Bembower. Pastor.

INDEPENDENCE GOSPEL FELLOWSHIP--Mennonite congregation in Independence, NY, five miles s. of Andover. Sun. School 9:30 am, Worship service 10:30 am. Leadership team: Robert Volk, 587-9381, Robert Mitchell 585-593-0749, Bill Dickerson 585-593-1676.

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By KEN CHRONIGER

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You and your family are invited to come and worship in this special way. See the smiles on their faces, hear from their voices the love of Heavenly Father. Doesn't Scripture say, "A little child shall lead them?"

There is still Sabbath School at 9:45 a.m. You are invited to join the Food for thought class as they continue their journey through the book of Daniel as we enter Daniel 8. What does the vision of the Goat and the Ram mean and does it have meaning for us today?

We look forward to seeing you this Sabbath at the Alfred Station Church. The church's meeting house is the big white building located down from Robert Lawrence Trucking, the Canacadea Country Store and Baker's Bridge Antiques, Up from Way to Go, the Alfred Knitting Studio, and The Bicycle Man, and across from Hill-bottom Pottery. For further information about Salvation, the Sabbath or Seventh Day Baptists, call the church office at 607-587-9176.

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2010 LPGA Champion Cristie Kerr is pictured with tournament interns (from left) Alssa Dray of Rochester, Tina Kurzepa of Rochester and 2010 Alfred University graduate Holly Seidewand of Webster at Locust Hill CC in Pittsford last weekend. (Photo by Leo Nealon)

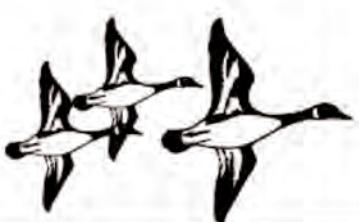
Alfred well represented at 2010 LPGA Championship



The Alfred Sun Sports Columnist Doug Lorow is at it again bumping into Allen Ormsby of Alfred Station at the 2010 LPGA Championship Golf Tournament at Locust Hill CC in Pittsford last weekend. (Photo by Leo Nealon)

For the Birds...

By BETSY BROOKS
Alfred Sun Columnist



We had a congenial group of about a dozen people who joined me for an evening bird walk around Foster Lake, in celebration of the Summer Solstice. I set an unrealistic goal of seeing or hearing 50 species of birds, and we came up short with just 28 species. Still, there was plenty of activity and a few surprises too.

On the way to the old camp-ground, we heard White-throated Sparrows from many directions singing either the 'Old Sam Peabody' song or the 'Oh Canada Canada Canada' song (depending on your nationality,

I suppose).

When I first started birding in Alfred in 1966, White-throated Sparrows were here in migration, but didn't nest in the area. The maturing conifer and high elevation here has provided perfect nesting habitat, and since the late 1970's they have been steadily increasing during breeding season in Allegany County. Now there are dozens nesting just in the area of Foster Lake.

We also heard Chipping Sparrows, Blue Jay, crow, chickadee, towhee, House Wren, robin, catbird, and Song Sparrow.

By the old pump (or where it used to be; now it's the site of the old outhouse), we picked up most of the warblers including Chestnut-sided, Yellow-rumped, Blackburnian and Common Yellowthroat. Farther along the path to the south dike, we heard Ovenbird and Black-throated Green Warbler as well as Purple Finch, Common Grackle and Red-winged Blackbird. And all of us nearly jumped out of our skins when a Ruffed Grouse took off right beside the trail!

Turning the back corner we saw Cedar Waxwings, a family of Canada Geese, and heard a Blue-headed Vireo and a couple of Common Ravens. We thought the final bird of the evening was a melodious Wood Thrush back by the parking lot, but off in the distance, we heard a Barred Owl.

What a beautiful evening to be out – on the longest day of the year!

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Birds Eye Foods Section V Baseball Players of the Year A-A, Andover baseball players honored

ROCHESTER -- Alfred-Almond junior pitcher/infielder Seth Cornell was named the Birds Eye Foods Section V Baseball Player of the Year for Steuben County Division II. Cornell was among 18 boys awarded plaques during a pre-game ceremony at a Rochester Red Wings baseball game Tuesday, June 22 at Frontier Field.

Andover Central School's Greg Starks was named Player of the Year for Allegany II.

One of the honorees, Chris Culver from Irondequoit, was drafted in the first round, number 32 overall, by the New York Yankees. Honored players include:

Allegany I - Kyle Ingalls - Sr/P - Bolivar Richburg - was 38 for 82 with 10 doubles, 2 triples, 3 home runs, 31 RBI's and 45 runs scored. Kyle was 7-1 with 1 save, 74 strikeouts and a 3.55 ERA. Ingalls will attend St. John Fisher in the fall.

Allegany II - Greg Starks - Sr/P - Andover - Was 26 for 49 with 5 doubles, 16 RBI's and 10 stolen bases. Went 8-2 with 87 strikeouts in 66 innings and had an ERA of 1.59. Starks will attend Keuka College in the fall.

City-Catholic - Nate Harris - Sr/2b/P - McQuaid - was 30 for 80 with 5 doubles, 7 triples, 3 home runs, 39 RBI's, 27 runs scored and 6 stolen base. Was 9-0 with 59 strikeouts and a ERA of 2.38. Will attend St. John Fisher in the fall.

Finger Lakes East I - Kyle Consolino - Sr/3b - Midlakes - Finished the season with a .586 BA with 34 hits, 7 doubles, 6 triples, 3 home runs, 22 RBI's, 32 runs scored and 12 stolen bases. Will attend Finger Lakes Community College in the fall.

Finger Lakes East II - Mike Dell'Olio - Sr/Of/P - Wayne - was 27 for 63 with 7 doubles, 3 triples, 17 RBI's, 24 runs scored and 10

stolen bases. Was 5-1 with 36 strikeouts and a 1.14 ERA. Will attend St. Lawrence University in the fall.

Finger Lakes West - Roy Missall - Jr/P - Honeoye - was 6-0 with 76 strikeouts in 41 innings and a 1.20 ERA. Had a .385 BA with 4 doubles, 4 triples, 2 home runs, 19 RBI's and 15 runs scored.

Genesee - Cody Dix - Sr/C - Lyndonville - was 47 for 85 with 11 doubles, 3 triples, 39 RBI's, 29 runs scored and 19 stolen bases. Threw out 17 of 21 stolen base attempts. Set the New York State record for career doubles with 61. Undecided on his college plans.

Independent - Brian DePew - Sr/Of/P - Wellsville - was 35 for 69 with 11 doubles, 3 home runs and 23 RBI's. Earned 4 wins with 79 strikeouts in 58 innings. Named MVP of Class B Sectional Final. DePew will be attending Alfred State in the fall.

Livingston I - Jordan Wheaton - Jr/3b - Wayland-Cocton - was 27 for 64 with 5 doubles, a triple, 6 home runs, 32 RBI's, 24 runs scored and 8 stolen bases.

Livingston II - Cody Hammond - Sr/P - Cal-Mum - was 23 for 55 with 6 doubles, a triple, 22 runs scored, 13 stolen bases and 7 RBI's. Finished his career at 15-0, going 6-0 this season, with 2 saves and an ERA of 1.67. Had 46 K's in 46 innings.

Livingston III - Eric Graham - Jr/P/Inf - Geneseo - Had a .369 BA with 4 doubles, 5 triples, a home run and 13 RBI's. Was 5 and 1 with 1 save, 48 strikeouts in 40 innings and had an ERA of 2.62.

Monroe I - Chris Culver - Sr/Inf/P - Irondequoit - was 37 for 66 with 10 doubles, 5 triples, 9 home runs, 38 RBI's and 5 stolen bases. Finished with a 3-0 record and 2 saves. Had 23 strikeouts and a ERA of 0.00. Drafted in the first round, number 32 overall, by the New York Yankees.

Monroe II - Jack Finnerty -

Sr/P/Inf - Greece Arcadia - was 45 for 82 with 12 doubles, 2 triples, 4 home runs, 43 RBI's and 23 runs scored. Was 5-2 with 8 saves, 42 strikeouts and a 2.94 ERA. 8 saves is a Sec 5 record for one season.

Monroe III - Tommy Wagner - Fr/P/Inf - Victor - was 41 for 87 with 12 doubles, 3 triples, 2 home runs, 30 RBI's and 29 runs scored. Had 42 assists.

Private/Parochial - Matt Connell - Sr/3b/P - Northstar - was 33 for 70 with 4 doubles, 4 triples, 40 RBI's, 24 runs scored and 12 stolen bases. Went 5-2 with an ERA of 2.83 and had 60 strikeouts in 42 innings. Will attend either Monroe Community College or Finger Lakes Community College majoring in Criminal Justice.

Steuben I - Zack Sutton - Sr/1b - Campbell-Savona - was 30 for 62 with 7 doubles, 3 triples, 17 RBI's, 17 runs scored and 15 stolen bases. Had a fielding percentage of .993. Will attend Keuka College in the fall.

Steuben II - Seth Cornell - Jr/P/Inf - Alfred-Almond - was 30 for 61 with 10 doubles, 4 triples, 2 home runs, 28 RBI's and 34 runs scored. Finished 4-1 with one save and a 1.48 ERA with 45 strikeouts in 33 innings.

Wayne - Steve Lewis - Jr/P/Of - East Rochester - was 7-0 with a save and a 0.56 ERA. Had 59 strikeouts in 37 innings. Only allowed one extra base hit. Had 2 doubles, 2 triples, 13 RBI's, 13 runs scored and 7 stolen bases.

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The Dugout

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The 56th annual LPGA Championship of golf tournament was held last week at Locust Hill CC in Pittsford and American Cristie Kerr lapped the field with a stunning 269, (-19) and in the process became the #1-ranked women golfer in the world. That is a slot once reserved for future Hall of Famers, Annika Sorenstam and Lorena Ochoa, both now retired. Kerr won going away on the course that has hosted a regular tour stop for years that was "toughened" up for this major. Yikes. The champ is married to former SUNY Geneseo hockey player, Erik Stevens. While the tournament has to be deemed a success, having the LPGA Championship here takes away from a great regular event on tour as Rochester has always been an excellent stop. The LPGA Tour is better off having the Wegman's sponsored Rochester event in June and the LPGA Championship elsewhere, giving it two good stops!

Took in the golf event on Saturday, a "partial" day due to the rain as I headed to the course by myself. Was there for a good chunk of the action on Sunday as 3L and T.J. joined me, until they tired. Saw some familiar faces here and there ... Jerry Kernan (AU), Scott Morrison who is the AD at Webster Thomas, Jamie Germano who works for the Rochester *Democrat and Chronicle* and whose daughter (Katie) played soccer with 3L at Schroeder, Dan and Jane Cook of Webster whose daughter (Monica) played soccer with 3L at Webster plus the Ormsby crew of ... Art, Al, Bill, Bess, Esther and Al and Mary's daughter from Syracuse ... not all related!

I also had a brief but enjoyable chat with LPGA Hall of Famer, Nancy Lopez. On Sunday we followed around the twosome of Paula Creamer and Natalie Gulbis ... of course I did!, and on the second hole I noticed Lopez walking around as a spectator, also following this group. Not something you see everyday at a sporting event. Anyhow, she was stopped by a few fans but for the most part she was relatively unnoticed. Could you imagine Jack Nicklaus walking on a PGA Tour event, following a group of ... anybody? Hardly. Watched Lopez for awhile, keeping an eye on her and when a good opening came up I moved alongside her and talked for awhile. (Roger "Hilly" Moses would've been proud of me!) Had met her once at the Corning Classic, told her how I had met Cindy Rarick at Locust Hill and Lopez said ... "I just spoke to Cindy last week." Lopez was personable, friendly and an enjoyable person to chat with. Exactly what you always read about her! An ambassador" to the LPGA Tour if there ever was one.

Always have a good time out at the course, this event. Usually run into someone I know and this year was no exception. Miss not seeing Rarick compete though. Did not make connections with Bob and Doris Springer from Whitesboro as they were (allegedly) at hole #9 on Sunday. Sent daughter Lauren up into the stands to search but she didn't see them! Florida residents at Molokai Park in Leesburg.

Noted area photographer, Leo Nealon was there and on assignment. He and a host of volunteers make this event run as smooth as possible with very few noticeable problems. If any! Rochester is a great golf town and I'm sure this event will continue to do well in the future. Be it the Wegman's stop in Rochester or the LPGA Championship.

HITS AND MISSES:

Jordan Gaisser of Brockport recently graduated and with it her .412 career batting average, 77-rbi, 131-hits as she competed for the Blue Devils on the softball diamond. At graduation she received the prestigious Max Roberts Scholar Award and the school did a really nice gesture as they gave a framed #19 jersey to parents Mark and D'Arcy Gaisser! Jordan's sister, Ashley wore it prior so the Gaisser sisters donned that uniform for seven-straight seasons! Granddaughters of Art and the late Sue Gaisser of Alfred. The sisters are now playing summer softball on a co-ed team ... with dad! The first three hitters in the lineup: Gaisser, Gaisser, Gaisser.

Stephen Baker of McQuaid/Penfield is off to Des Moines, Iowa this week to play some soccer for about 4-6 weeks. The AGR Player of the Year will suit up for the Des Moines Menace prior to starting his college career at Penn. His assistant coach at McQ called, asked if he was interested and the Bakers had to make a quick decision. He is off to Iowa! A graduation party was put on hold and there was a gathering this past Sunday evening at the Baker household to see Stephen off. Good time! More soccer details to follow on Baker.

The Kentucky Wildcats made NBA draft history last week as they had five players selected in the first round! John Wall, as expected, was selected first by the Washington Wizards. Then, in order: DeMarcus Cousins (Sacramento) at five, Patrick Patterson (Houston) with the 14th pick, Eric Bledsoe (Oklahoma City) in at #18 and Daniel Orton (Orlando) was grabbed at #29 by the Magic, with input from assistant coach Bob W. Beyer (AU). The Duke Blue Devils did not have a player taken in round one or two! Wonder who won the NCAA Championship this year? Notable second-round picks included Andy Rautins of Syracuse to the sad Knicks, injured star Da'Sean Butler of WVU to Miami and Luke Harangody from ND

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AU to welcome 130 recruits

ALFRED--Alfred University Football Coach Dave Murray will welcome 130 recruits when preseason camp opens in mid-August. Among the newcomers are 15 New York State high school all-stars.

New York all-state recruits are Stephon Brown and Michael Hogan, defensive tackles from Syracuse; Joe McMurry, tailback from Hudson Falls; Dustyn Power, linebacker from Victor; David Lee Tack, free safety from Newark; Pat Teta, defensive lineman from Avon; Chris Gibbs, defensive back from Whitesboro; Derek O'Dell, tailback from Haldane; Austin Dwyer, tailback from Hornell; Matt Hettenbaugh, defensive back, and Matt Lundsten, linebacker, both from Randolph; Steve Kijowski, linebacker from North Tonawanda; Andrew Wascher, defensive end from Jamestown; Ian Halloran, running back from Eldred; and Brandon Yarnes, strong safety from Portville.

Brown (5-9, 255) is a two-time New York State AA and Central New York all-star (2008, and 2009) from Henninger High School.

Hogan, (6-0, 230) earned Class C all-state honors as a senior at Bishop Ludden High School in 2009.

McMurry (5-10, 205) transfers to AU from Albany State, where he redshirted his freshman season in 2009. He was a First Team Class B state all-star in 2008, his senior year at Hudson Falls High School.

Power (6-1, 185) was a Class A First Team all-state selection in 2009, when he was also named Section V Class A Defensive Player of the Year and was a First Team All-Greater Rochester all-star.

Tack (6-1, 185) was a Fourth Team Class B state all-star as a senior in 2009, when he earned All-Greater Rochester Second Team honors.

Teta (5-11, 250) was a Third Team Class D state all-star and an honorable mention All-Greater Rochester pick last fall.

Gibbs (6-1, 175) was a Class A all-state selection as a senior at Whitesboro High School last fall.

O'Dell (5-8, 175) is a two-time New York State all-star linebacker from Haldane High School, earning Second Team honors in 2008 and Third Team honors in 2009. He is also a three-time Section I and league all-star running back.

Dwyer (5-8, 165) was a state First Team all-star and state Class B Player of the Year after leading Hornell High School to a state Class B championship as a senior last fall. He also earned First Team All-Greater Rochester honors.

Hettenbaugh (5-11, 170) and Lundsten (5-10, 175) earned all-state honors after leading Randolph High School to a state Class D championship in 2009.

Kijowski (6-0, 215) was a state Class AA Second Team all-star and Section VI AA North Defensive MVP at North Tonawanda, which won a state Class AA championship in 2009.

Wascher (6-0, 205) is a two-

time Class D state all-star (2008 and 2009) who helped lead his team to a state Class D title as a junior in 2008.

Halloran (5-6, 155) earned Third Team state Class D honors as a senior in 2009.

Yarnes (5-10, 190) comes to AU as a sophomore after transferring from Mercyhurst, where he played one season (2008). He was a state Class D all-star linebacker at Portville in 2007, when he was Big 30 Defensive Player of the Year.

Other notable recruits include: Connor Ferris, wide receiver from Albany Academy; Ryan DiFlavio, linebacker from West Seneca West High School; Michael Branche, free safety from Colonie High School; Jed Clouston, wide receiver from Baldwinsville High School; Jason Osborne and Vinny Tesoriero, offensive linemen from Liverpool High School; Cameron Robinson, offensive tackle from Henninger High School in Syracuse; Josh Halla-

day, cornerback from Johnson City High School; Tyler Brooks-Lambert, free safety from Mid-lakes High School; Jalen Gayle, linebacker from Niagara Falls; Jaron Pollino, wide receiver from Jamestown High School; Kevin Wagner, wide receiver from Kenmore East High School; Dylan LaMere, offensive lineman from Beekmantown High School; and Alec Ladonis, fullback/tight end from Berwick (PA) High School; and Josh Means, defensive back from Dubois (PA) Area High School.

Alfred is coming off one of its most successful seasons in program history. In 2009, the Saxons went 8-2, winning a share of the school's first-ever Empire 8 Conference title and earning the conference's automatic bid to the NCAA Division III championship tournament. Thirteen starters (six offense; six defense; one special teams) and 32 letter-winners are set to return this fall.



The Alfred Sun Sports Columnist Doug Lorow rubs elbows with LPGA Hall of Fame golfer Nancy Lopez, who joined Doug as a spectator at the 2010 LPGA Championship Golf Tournament at Locust Hill CC in Pittsford last weekend. (Leo Nealon Photo)

THE DUGOUT continued

to the Celts. Like that pick!

The Empire State Games will be in the Buffalo area this summer, July 21-25.

Lawrence Taylor of the NJ Giants ... never the "swiftest" acting, now in big-time trouble.

Carlos Zambrano (Cubs) ... a few marbles shy of a full jar.

LeBron James ... Chicago Bulls.

Stephen Strasburg (Nats) ... yes, he should be a pitcher for the N.L. squad in the All-Star game!

Enjoyed watching the NY Yankees-LA Dodgers match-up over the weekend past but still think it should've been in Yankee Stadium with Joe Torre "coming home" to New York.

Loren Roberts won the Dick's Sporting Goods Open on the Champions Tour in Endicott with a (201) total. Wayne Levi of Utica (203), Mike Hulbert (210) of Elmira, Lonnie Nielsen (Buffalo) had a 211 and Joey Sindelar (218) of Horseheads was well back.

A-A grads ... get your alumni dues in by this Friday!

Class of '70 grads ... hoping to see many there!

3L and I are off and running to Washington, DC this weekend (July 4th). Did the same thing 4-5 years ago and had a great time. Staying with the Mixer family in Fairfax, VA. on Saturday and in Frederick, MD on Sunday. Looking forward to seeing Mark Mix and his family, golfing (?) and touring the sites of DC. Had hoped to have Ali "Shifty One" Bowen from Cheektowaga/SUNY Geneseo meet us on Sunday from Cary, NC but a scheduling conflict thwarted that.

A busy July schedule starts this weekend and then there will be soccer games on the slate, a trip to Almond, a couple of Red Wings games ... hopefully one with Big D, the A-A alumni weekend, the Hornell Macker and our annual trip to Indian Lake in the ADK's. Heading up there with 3L, Brook Easton and hopefully Jess Herbst. Webster girls all. Back for some soccer and maybe a trip to the Waterloo Outlets. Whew.

Next week an interview with LPGA volunteer, Al Ormsby.

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