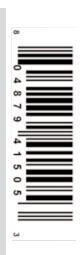
#### Sun in Vermont

Sue Clinger-Lange and daughters Jean Yorio, Beth Benson and Cheryl LaPrade enjoy catching up on local news on a stop during their 40-mile Inn to Inn Walking Tour in Vermont.



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ALFRED STATE COLLEGE

# Dr. Sullivan says college has 'awesome heroes' ALFRED-In his fall 2015 Opening Read gentlemen, enjoy your day, enjoy Commission on Higher Education reafstudent-athlete accomplishments; more

ALFRED-In his fall 2015 Opening Remarks speech on Monday, Alfred State President Dr. Skip Sullivan focused on the subject of heroes.

The president began by talking to faculty and staff about superheroes they may have admired as a child, such as Batman, Superman, and Wonder Woman. He then showed a 3-D video featuring several Alfred State employees talking about who their favorite superhero was, and who their heroes are now.

"Our heroes change during our lifetime," Sullivan said in the video. "The hero of your youth is probably not the hero of your adult life. Our perspectives change, but certainly most of us have our heroes, whether we admit it or not."

Heroes, Sullivan said, can range from family members to teachers to coaches to members of the military to athletes, actors, counselors, and more.

"You are probably someone's hero, whether you like it or not, or whether you know it or not," he said. "You are actually modeling the behavior of a hero in someone's eyes."

The president urged faculty and staff to be aware of model hero characteristics, to provide encouragement and assistance, and to make themselves available for helping others. He also said they should think about the impact they will have on the next generation of heroes – the students.

"Alfred State has some awesome heroes," the president concluded. "Ladies

and gentlemen, enjoy your day, enjoy your semester, enjoy your year. You are the heroes of this college."

Sullivan also provided an update on Alfred State, mentioning the Middle States

Commission on Higher Education reaffirming accreditation of the college; new programs, such as criminal justice and radiologic technology; programs in development; faculty, student, and student-athlete accomplishments; more intramurals being offered; record-setting career fairs; and a number of capital projects taking place.



Heroes in 3D Glasses

Alfred State employees view the 3-D video shown Monday during President Dr. Skip Sullivan's Opening Remarks speech. (Photo provided)

**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT** 

### Allegany County IDA buys 11 acres at 'Crossroads'

Convenient food, fuel, lodging Eligible for START-UP NY

BELMONT-The Allegany County Industrial Development Agency (ACIDA) is moving ahead on previously discussed proposals from multiple business developers for the Crossroads site at the intersection of I-86 and Rt. 19 following the ACIDA's purchase of a critical 11-acre property, it was announced at the August 19 meeting of the county's Planning and Economic Development Committee.

The purchase of the property, which formerly served as a truck stop, is considered a significant component in developing the Crossroads location as a desired lodging, food and fuel destination for thousands of travelers, visitors and Allegany County residents.

Combined with the previous acquisition of 18 adjacent acres, the Crossroads site now has almost 30 acres situated right off Exit 30 for what will be the most convenient access to food, lodging and fuel on I-86 between Horseheads and Jamestown," ACIDA Chairman Jack W. Wood said.

"Because the IDA now owns the Cross-

roads properties, we can move formally and aggressively on several business development opportunities that we have been working on," Wood said.

"The site has many business advantages, especially with the potential to serve the food, lodging and fuel needs of an estimated 12,000 travelers each day, the visiting families of almost 7,000 students at Alfred University, Alfred State College and Houghton College, and the spectators and participants at the new \$23 million Kerr-Pegula Athletic Complex (KPAC) at Houghton College," he said.

The property was purchased from Thunder Road, LLC for \$400,000 under the \$3.5 million bond issued by Allegany County to extend the water line from Friendship to the Crossroads.

Senator Catharine Young (R,C,I-Olean) said, "This property purchase gives Allegany County substantial leverage in developing the Crossroads site and bringing a positive economic influx into the community. Thousands of travelers, long-haul truckers and tour buses pass by Exit 30 each day and the site is a prominent location for development and future

prosperity. The IDA's purchase of the property is another step in our ongoing efforts to promote economic growth in Allegany County and the Southern Tier as a whole."

Curtis W. Crandall, chairman of the Allegany County Board of Legislators, noted that the Crossroads area is identified as the top business location and strategy for economic development in Allegany County's Comprehensive Plan 2013 – 2023.

"This purchase by the IDA is a very important step in fulfilling our comprehensive plan and in making the Crossroads site a welcoming destination for those travelling I-86 and Rt. 19," he said.

Allegany County economic development plans call for marketing the site to developers and retail operators for convenience food, fast food, gas and diesel fuel, and lodging of up to 100 rooms. In addition, just two miles down County Rt. 20, there are another 50 acres available to developers for manufacturing, retail and wholesale purposes.

"In addition to ACIDA incentives, there will also be significant START-UP

NY incentives available for "pre-qualified" businesses and industries to invest in the Crossroads and Allegany County because the ACIDA sites are now eligible for START-UP NY benefits and assistance," Wood said.

Also adding to the future attractiveness of the Crossroads site will be a planned Park N' Ride area at the Crossroads Commerce Center just north of I-86. It will feature 81 paved parking spots with rain shelters and lighting and will serve as a hub for the Access Allegany Transit System. An \$800,000 grant is currently pending to fund the project.

About the Allegany County Industrial Development Agency

The mission of the Allegany County Industrial Development Agency is to offer attractive incentives to manufacturing and other businesses to remain and expand, or relocate, to Allegany County New York with the goals of managing growth and development; conserving rural and scenic areas, and protecting agricultural resources. For more information, visit: http://www.acida.org

#### **OBITUARIES**

#### Myron G. Zimmerman, 84, cabinet maker, sportsman



MYRON G. ZIMMERMAN

Longtime cabinet maker

SCIO-Myron G. Zimmerman, 84, formerly of Tonawanda, entered into the presence of his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ on Saturday, August 22, 2015 at Strong Memorial Hospital, Rochester.

Mr. Zimmerman was born on Feb. 27, 1931 in North Tonawanda to Myron D. and Elsie (Krupp) Zimmerman. He

was a 1951 graduate of Kenmore West High School and later served in the U.S. Army from 1952-54. On May 7, 1955, at the Kenmore Presbyterian Church, he married Mary P. Reeser, who survives.

Myron worked as a cabinet maker; working out of the Buffalo Carpenters District Union #369 in Buffalo for 40 years, until his retirement in 1989.

In addition to his wife of 60 years, Myron is survived by three sons, Myron R. (Diane) Zimmerman of Lake Wales, FL, Mark K. (Susan) Zimmerman of Scio and Dale A. (Vicki) Zimmerman of Lockport; one daughter, Sandara L. (Paul) Rog of Webster, FL; one sister, Carol Zarbo of Kenmore; 7 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was predeceased by one brother, Roger Zimmerman.

Myron's life was marked by his love for the Lord. As a born again Christian, everything he did and said reflected the relationship he had with Christ. He enjoyed working with his hands and perfecting the craft of woodworking and cabinetry. Myron was especially fond of watching cowboy and western movies. Additionally, he was an avid trap and skeet shooter which fit nicely with his love for hunting and enjoyment of the outdoors. Myron was a life member of the Tonawanda Sportsmen's Club and was also a member of the Friendship American Legion.

There was no prior visitation. A funeral service was held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, August 25 at the Wellsville First United Methodist Church with Rev. Gregory B. DeSalvatore, officiating. Immediately following the funeral service, full military honors were rendered. Burial at the Elm Lawn Cemetery in Tonawanda was at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements are under the direction of Baker-Swan Funeral Home in Andover. Online condolences may be offered at www.baker-swan.com.

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#### Flu shots scheduled

WELLSVILLE-Influenza is a serious illness that can lead to hospitalization and sometimes death. Flu season can begin as early as October and last as late as May.

Beginning Sept. 8, the Jones Memorial Medical Practices will offer flu shots to patients of the

practice only.
•Belmont Office, 5877 Old State Route 19: from 8 am to 4 pm on these Mondays: Sept. 14, 21, and 28. Call 585-268-5700 for appointments.

\*Bolivar Office, 120 First Street: from 10 am to 5:30 pm on these Tuesdays: Sept. 8, 15, 22, and 29. Call 585-928-1600 for appointment.

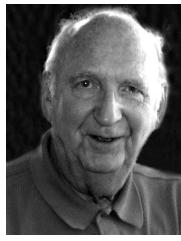
for appointments.
•Wellsville Office, 15 Loder Street, Dr.
Picco: 10 am to 4:30 pm on these Thursdays: Sept. 10, 17, and 24.

•Wellsville Office, 13 Loder Street, Shannon Mooney: 8 am to 4:30 pm on these Fridays: Sept. 11, 18, and 25. •Wellsville Office, 127 North Main

Street: Dates and times to be determined



#### Dr. William J. Walker, 84, taught 25 years at AU



WILLIAM J. WALKER Ed.D

Taught at AU 1967-1992 ROCHESTER-William Walker, Ed.D., who taught at Alfred University for a quarter century, passed away Tuesday, August 11, 2015, a few days short of his 85th birthday.

He was born in Bennington, VT on August 17, 1930, son of Donald and Cecilia (Liberty)

He was predeceased by broth- Mexico, NY. 'Don' Jenkins, 74, had founded Jenkins Farm Market

W. DONALD "DON" JENKINS

Founded Jenkins Farm Market

"Don" Jenkins, 74, of Leesburg, Florida, formerly of Arkport, N.Y., entered into rest unexpectedly on

high school sweetheart and they moved to Arkport

to work on the Auckland vegetable farm with his

Arkport. He continued working the land until 2000

when he and his wife moved to Florida. Don and

In 1972, Don purchased his own land and established the "Jenkins Farm Market" on Route 36 in

LEESBURG, Fla./ARKPORT - W. Donald

Sunday (Aug. 16, 2015).

He was the loving hus-

band of Janice Adele

(Bright) Jenkins for 56

years. Don was born in

Quakertown, Pa., to the late Walter and Lucy Margaret

Quakertown High School,

class of 1958. Following his

graduation, he married his

from

(Auckland) Jenkins.

He graduated

ers, Donald T., James, Robert, David, Andrew, sister Jean; and granddaughter Barbara.

Bill married Barbara Watt in 1954 in Syracuse, and they remained close lifelong friends. He is also survived by sons, Stephen (Susan) of Andover, William Jr. (Margaret Carney) of Ann Arbor MI, James of Rochester; grandchildren, Andrew (Justinn) of Brattleboro VT, Jeannie (ÁJ) Todd of Mobile AL, Margaret (Eric) Miller of Corning, Donald of Rochester, William, Stephen both of Andover; great-grandchildren, Betty and Daisy Todd; brother, Richard (Sharon) of Quaker Hill, CT; sister Mary (Edward) Wasielewski of Hudson NH; many dear relatives and

Bill attended Syracuse University where he received BA, MA and EdD degrees. He taught English in schools in the Syracuse area and in San Diego, and was high school principal in

After teaching at Alfred University from 1967 to 1992 he retired as Professor Emeritus. He was a veteran of the US Navy, and retired from the Naval Reserve with the rank of Lt. Commander.

Bill served on the Andover Central School Board of Education and the Rural Management Association of Allegany County, which established the Andover Medical Center and the Andover Dental Center. He enjoyed gardening, woodworking, oil painting, photography, camping.

Family and friends may call at Thomas Funeral Chapels in Rochester from 2 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 12 with a funeral service following calling hours at 4 pm. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Alfred University Education Department, 1 Saxon Dr., Alfred, NY 14802.

The family is being assisted by Thomas Funeral Chapels, 4545 Lake Avenue, Rochester, NY 14612.

Jan continued their love for farming in Florida,

supplying family and friends with fresh fruits and

wife, Fay, and John K. Jenkins and wife, Kim-

berly, both of Leesburg, Fla., a daughter, Cheryl

Lynn Reisman and husband, Rodney of Leesburg, Fla.: 12 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren;

three sisters, Margaret Lucy Watson and husband, Leonard of Belmont, N.Y., Patricia J. Defibaugh

of Boca Raton, Fla., and Joy Jenkins Lynn of

A memorial service will be held on Sunday,

Aug. 23, 2015 at 4 p.m., at Grand Island Baptist

Church, 13229 County Road 44, Grand Island,

Fla., 32735, where friends may meet with the fam-

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: Grand Island Baptist Church, address

Arrangements by the Anders-Detweiler Funeral

Home & Crematory, 130 East Broad St., Souder-

ton, Pa., 18964. To send online condolences to the

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He is survived by two sons, Keith Jenkins and

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#### Public forum set Sept. 15 on Alfred comprehensive plan

Town of Alfred will hold a public forum from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday Sept. 15, at the Alfred Station Fire Hall Meeting Room as part of the current comprehensive planning effort.

Focus of the forum will be to gather input from community members on the present and future character of the Town, what services are important, the Town's strengths and assets,

#### Gas prices fall

ROCHESTER-Average retail gasoline prices in Rochester have fallen 5.5 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$2.62/g on Monday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 319 gas outlets in Rochester. This compares with the national average that has fallen 7.1 cents per gallon in the last week to \$2.60/g, according to gasoline

price website GasBuddy.com.
Including the change in gas prices in Rochester during the past week, prices yesterday were 101.9 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are 19.3 cents per gallon lower han a month ago. The national average has decreased tional average has decreased 12.8 cents per gallon during the last month and stands 82.8 cents per gallon lower than this day one year ago.

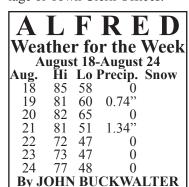
STATION-The areas of potential development or improvement, and land use considerations.

All community members are encouraged to attend and participate in setting the Town's direction. The opinions and ideas of Town of Alfred residents are essential to the comprehensive

planning process.

The Village of Alfred will hold a public forum in October and the date will be announced

Area residents who haven't filled out the 2015 Alfred Village and Town Comprehensive Plan survey yet, are asked to please do so. The survey can be completed online at the followaddress http://www.alfredny.org/survey2015.html or cut out from either the August 13 or August 20 issues of the Alfred Sun and mailed to either the Village or Town Clerk Offices.



Alfred Area Weather Recorder



### **SUNNY** SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ Alfred Sun Columnist

#### Estelle Hoffman Davis came in 1883

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

Boothe Colwell Davis was president of Alfred University from 1895 to 1932. His wife was Estelle Hoffman Davis. Estelle came to Alfred in 1883 to attend college. She earned a Bachelors Degree in Philosophy and taught three years at AU in the Normal School. She then married Boothe, also an AU grad, who had just finished his Doctorate of Divinity at Yale. He was appointed pastor of the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church and the couple settled down in Alfred and eventually raised three children here, all of whom were also AU graduates.

When Boothe was chosen to be president Estelle became responsible for most of the social life of the campus. She instituted the very popular Senior Class breakfast and served virtually as a dean of women becoming "mother to thousands of students, male and female." She was given an honorary degree of Doctor of Letters for her service to the college and community. This is her recipe for canned pears:

**Chipped Pears** 8 lbs. of pears, irregularly diced 5 lbs. sugar lemons sliced very thin

1 oz. green ginger root, sliced and cooked with pears Boil all except lemons slowly until thick; add lemons when partially cooked. Put in glasses and cover with parafin.





Kelly's Forecast By KELLY SNYDER Alfred Sun Weather

Forecaster

"When summer opens, I see how fast it matures, and fear it will be short; but after the heats of July and August, I am reconciled, like one who has had his swing, to the cool of autumn."

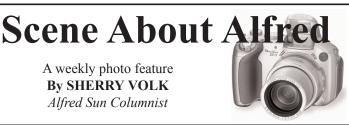
- Ralph Waldo Emerson Thursday August 27 PARTLY CLOUDY (HIGH 69-LOW 46) Chance of precipitation.....20% Friday August 28 MOSTLY SUNNY (HIGH 77 - LOW 55) Chance of precipitation......10% Saturday August 29 CLOUDY (HIGH 81 - LOW 59) Chance of precipitation......20% Sunday August 30 PARTLY CLOUDY (HIGH 80 - LOW 59)

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

Chance of precipitation.....20%



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My driver is so willing to stop...anywhere, when I am beguiled by a "Scene." We spied this field of "bad hair" sheaves glinting in the sun on State Route 417 near Jasper, and he kindly backed up and pulled over. Thanks, Bob Volk!



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### Snyde Remarks

By DAVID L. SNYDER Editor, Publisher and Janitor

#### Our readers' comments

While we were visiting in Rhode Island recently, I learned that our sister newspaper, The Westerly Sun, had new offices.

I had always enjoyed visiting the Sun office in Westerly. Stepping into the front office was like a step back in time. It was like out of a 1950s Humphrey Bogart movie.

I was disappointed to learn that the Utter family had sold the Sun and that it had become part of a large newspaper group. The building was leveled and the staff was relocated in a brand new ultra-modern concrete facility that, quite frankly, felt cold and sterile.

Sure, the new facility provided the latest in technology but the huge room filled with cubicles reminded me of Office Space, the 1999 comedy about 1990s corporate culture. It just didn't feel like a newspaper office.

I'm sure that constructing a new facility considered progress, but I wonder if the newspaper itself is any better for the funds expended. I doubt it. It was always a great paper (and still is!) and, unlike the weekly Alfred Sun, it comes out everyday in Westerly.

Maybe I'm just a small town guy. Perhaps a non-conformist.

I remember a discussion at a newspaper convention on the topic of newspaper in a small town. I stated that I am not a respecter of persons. I explained that I would not publish news of an arrest of a public official on the front page of the paper, that it would appear in the police report the same as any other citizen. I was told I was nuts. It wasn't the

That's one of the perks of publishing an independent, smalltown newspaper.

Neal Bandlow, who taught "The Weekly Newspaper" class at Morrisville College, had a few things to say after reading some copies of this newspaper recently.

"Your paper is like no other," he said, "and that is why weekly print journalism will survive!"

the cutline of the photo him with Dan Reeder and Jerry Leone in least once a week...

which I blamed the trio for all of the mistakes in the Alfred Sun during the past 39 years.

His favorite feature in this

"I especially love your front page each issue with somebody different reading The Alfred Sun, of course!" he said.

He's not alone. In fact, here are comments from our readers about what they like best about the Sun:

'The front page picture in the upper left, obituaries, Sun Spots and the local news'

"columns by local authors" "letters, local writers, years

"news about people in our area"

"knowledge of local people and events'

"local happenings, Sherry Volk's photos and Jude Frechette's column"

"Keep it up!"

"Read it cover to cover, only source of info on people we know in many towns'

"keeps us in touch with local news, enjoy reading special columns'

'best weekly I have known-and, I have known a few, super contributors and editorial com-

"local contributors"

"Jude Frechette - Alfred 10, 25, 50 years ago"

"churches info, letters to the editor, businesses info, sports info and years past info"

"Jude Frechette's articles were wonderful as are Betsy Brooks' and Sherry Volk's. We actually like each page - it gets better each year'

"everything - especially things on my extended family!"

"It keeps me in touch with my home area and those still living

"I like front page news - music and arts and obituaries, and the farmer's wife'

"Thank you to the Sun for being such a great local newspa-

Thanks to our valued contrib-He was still chuckling about utors and readers, the Sun continues to shine in Alfred-well, at

### Stand up for rural postal delivery



unhampered clash of contrary opinions can truth be found.' -Glenn Frank

Post offices are crucial Dear Editor,

Post offices are crucial anywhere, but especially crucial in rural areas that depend on the postal service to stay connected through news delivery, services crucial to businesses, and, in some communities, a link to prescription drugs and other serv-

The mail service is a national treasure that has been in operation for 240 years. Every day, the Postal Service provides affordable, universal mail service to all—without using taxpayer dollars for its operation.

The Center for Rural Affairs has signed letters of support for continuing reliable, affordable 6day mail delivery from the US Postal Service. Particularly for remote rural citizens, the service is a lifeline. Nearly 10,000 people have signed the pledge.

We also signed letters of support for two bi-partisan measures in the House of Representatives. One, HR 54, would restore service standards to those in use before last January's reductions. The combination of reduced service standards and closing mail processing facilities has left rural Americans and businesses experiencing the worst of mail delays

The other House measure (HR rural-postal-delivery. 12) calls for maintaining 6-day mail service across the country. Small towns and rural communities in particular depend on this service as a link to prescription drugs and other vital services. Both measures passed in the

To pledge your support to save our public postal service visit: http://agrandalliance.org/pledge/ ORhttp://www.cfra.org/standing-

Marie Powell mariep@cfra.org Center for Rural Affairs

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### Sun Spots



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-O. Snydermous

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### From the Desk OF DAVID PULLEN By DAVID PULLEN

Allegany County Legislator

#### WHY MEDICAL INSURANCE PREMIUMS ARE GOING UP. THE MEDICAID CONNECTION.

When The Affordable Care Act ("ACA"), commonly referred to as Obamacare, was enacted into law it was supposed to improve our medical care. It was also supposed to contain or reduce the cost of medical care. In practice, almost every claim and promise has been broken. Care has deteriorated, we couldn't keep our old coverage or physicians, and costs have continued to skyrocket. After almost 5 years it is fair to ask what went wrong. I recently requested quotations for some Blue Cross Insurance policies for 2016 and learned that rates are going up an average of 14% from 2015 rates. At \$16,000 plus per year this ordinary coverage is hardly affordable.

My research has led to the conclusion that the major culprit is Medicaid. The recent increases in Medicaid enrollment have put a huge strain on the medical care delivery system. There are several ways this contributes towards increased costs and insurance rates. Here are some of the factors involved in our increasing rates:

•For many years health insurance companies have negotiated discounted rates for their subscribers as a way of reducing costs. The larger the medical insurer the greater its clout, and, consequently the larger its discounts. Among private health insurers Blue Cross is the 800 pound gorilla. It typically gets the biggest discounts.

•As many individuals have obtained insurance for the first time the insurance companies have found that the costs incurred for these new subscribers are higher than their predictions and premiums. These higher costs have to be covered by higher premiums. In theory, these costs will go down over time as the medical needs of these newly insured individuals are met. However, the insurance companies really don't have any actuarial basis for that projected decrease.

•Most of the new subscribers have enrolled in the Medicaid program. Those who qualify for Medicaid (based upon lower reported income) get exceptional benefit coverage at reduced or subsidized prices. The coverage and/or subsidies for these individuals is paid by taxpayers. This means that those of us paying taxes must pay for our own insurance, and must also pay for coverage for those on Medicaid

•There is another hidden cost. Health care providers (doctors, hospitals, etc.) don't receive the same payments for services provided to other individuals. The payments vary depending upon who is paying for them. Under federal law Medicaid establishes and sets the amounts that it will pay for services rendered to Medicaid recipients. Under federal law, health service providers must give Medicaid their lowest rates. In many cases Medicaid reimbursement rates are set below the cost of providing those services.

•When doctors, hospitals, pharmacies, etc., lose money providing for Medicaid patients they must make up those losses by increasing charges to their other patients/customers.

•If this involved only a few individuals the problem would have been manageable. However, the number of new Medicaid recipients is huge, and the losses have been enormous. The federal and state agencies know what is happening, and why, but don't want to publicize the problem. I suspect, but cannot prove, that this is largely a political motivation.

•NYS has had a large Medicaid program and has been dealing with this problem for many years. Many other states have had much more limited Medicaid programs. Now that those programs have expanded under Obamacare, they are experiencing much greater rates of increase. Several states in the Mid-west are facing premium rate increases of 40% to 60%.

For taxpayers this situation is nothing short of a catastrophe. We are paying more and more in taxes for programs that we cannot qualify for, or benefit from. At the same time, the subsidized rates guaranteed to recipients of Medicaid are forcing our costs higher and higher. This situation, and this program as presently structured, is simply unsustainable. For this reason alone, Obamacare needs to be repealed or radically restructured.

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### hamber music concert to feature Dr. Luanne Crosby

ALFRED-A late summer evening of chamber music at Alfred University (AU) will feature Dr. Luanne Crosby, professor of voice and chorus, performing with the Felix Ensemble in Howell Hall, Friday, Sept. 4, at 7:30 p.m. The recital is free and will be followed by a reception where the audience can meet and talk with the performers.

The program will include works for soprano and string ensemble by G.F. Handel, Amy Beach, Andre Previn, Gwyneth Walker, and Leonard Bernstein. The Felix Ensemble includes Rintaro Wada, cello; Ritsuko Wada, piano; and Karino Wada, violin. This same recital was performed last April and May as a part of the Olean Chamber Music Society's program.

Crosby, who has extensive experience teaching and performing, has sung professionally with the Cleveland and Aspen operas and has performed internationally in Bulgaria, Italy, and China. She will be the soprano soloist in the Haydn "Lord Nelson Mass" in Budapest and Vienna in May 2016. Crosby



DR. LUANNE CROSBY

actively performs as a recitalist and has appeared at Chautauqua (NY) Institution, Houghton College, the Fredonia School of Music, and Baldwin Wallace College, Berea, Ohio.

She holds bachelor of music and master of music degrees in music education from the State University of New York at Fredonia and a doctor of musical arts degree in vocal performance from Cleveland Institute of Music at Case Western Reserve University.

Rintaro Wada is the artistic/executive director of the Chamber Music Society of Olean, cellist with the WNY Chamber Orchestra, orchestra director for the Olean City School District, and faculty member in the Greatbatch School of Music, Houghton College. His solo, chamber music, and orchestral performances include Japan, Italy, and the United States. He earned a master of music degree in performance and literature from the Eastman School of Music, Rochester and a bachelor of music degree and post-graduate diploma from Showa College of Music, Japan.

Ritsuko Wada holds a bachelor of music in piano performance degree from the Showa College of Music, where she studied with Takahiro Sonoda, who was the leading pianist and judge of international piano competitions in Japan. She has performed numerous recitals as soloist, chamber musician, and accompanist in universities and churches. She is pianist with the Allegany Piano Trio, Felix Piano Quartet, Greifen Piano Trio, and Wada Piano Quartet. Mrs. Wada is a member of Music Performance Practice Association of Japan. She currently teaches in her private studio and at Jamestown Community College,

Karino Wada, an Olean high school student, began studying violin and piano at age 3 and currently studies with Lynn Blakeslee, professor emerita of violin at the Eastman School of Music. She has received eight Young Artists Concert Series awards from the Chamber Music Society of Olean and is a recipient of the Weber Scholarship from the Eastman Community Music School. She has spent the last two summers performing at the NYS Summer School of Music and has performed with

the MostArts Festival Orchestra

at AU, the AU Orchestra, and the

Olean Community Orchestra.

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# Former AU art history professor to lecture on 'ceramics pioneers'

ALFRED-Dr. Ezra Shales, former Alfred University (AU) assistant professor of art history, will present the University's Fifteenth Dorothy Wilson Perkins Ceramic History Lecture at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 10 in Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center. The lecture series honors the memory of Perkins, a 1939 AU alumna who pioneered ceramic arts throughout the 20th century.

Shales, associate professor in the History of Art Department at Massachusetts College of Art and Design, will speak on "Pioneers of American Ceramics." The program is open to the public free of

In conjunction with his visit to campus, Shales is guest curator for "O Pioneers! Women Ceramic Artists, 1925-1960" at the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum at Alfred University, which opens Sept. 10 and runs through Nov. 20. There will be a public opening reception from 6:15 -7:30 p.m. that evening. The exhibition is coordinated by Susan Kowalczyk, collections manager at the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum.

The exhibition revisits important contributions of women to American art history on several levels as artists negotiating modernism and as educators paving new roles in the academy. Drawing from collections at the Alfred Ceramic Art Museum; the Everson Museum, Syracuse; The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York City; and the archives of Cranbrook Academy, Bloomfield Hills, MI; as well as private collections, "O Pioneers!" includes more than 100 works ranging across functional pottery and figurative sculpture.

While it often surprises many students to learn that American art schools only began to encourage female students to shape their own pottery on the wheel in the 1920s, and not simply to paint and ornament pots, it was the same decade when women first gained the right to vote in the United States.

The ceramic art in "O Pioneers!" presents a complex narrative of global influences, a diverse cast, and illuminates a time when an imaginative reverence toward historical form, clay, and glazes permeated both the academy and the gallery. Ceramics might not have been considered a field of discipline outside of a few schools in America, but it was a vocation many women embraced as a new way to imagine their lives.

The exhibition was inspired by the memory of Marion Fosdick, who taught studio art at AU's College of Ceramics for three decades and whose works were purchased by the Metropolitan Museum of Art, among other galleries.

Shales has authored essays on diverse topics ranging from Victorian toys and the role of artisans in building the Empire State Building to contemporary practices. He is currently working on a book exploring the ways drinking vessels in North America are culturally loaded talismans that brim with political and social power while also completing a manuscript titled "Common Craft," to be

published Reaktion Books.

Shales is also author of numerous peerreviewed articles and has lectured in the United States, Canada, Norway, Finland, and Denmark. He is the recipient of over a dozen professional awards and accolades, including



DR. EZRA SHALES Massachusetts College of Art and Design Foundation Faculty Fellowship; an Exhibition Research Grant from the Center for Craft, Creativity, and

Design; and a Joseph Kruson Award for Excellence in Teaching from AU.

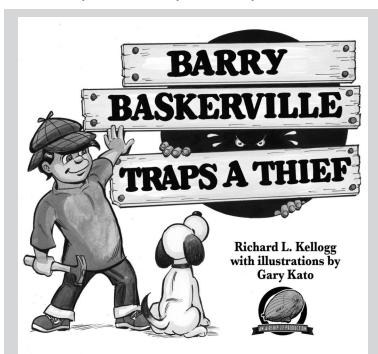
He has served as an external examiner for the Glass and Ceramics Division at the Royal College of Art, London, England; a juror for the Pew Charitable Trust Foundation; vice president of the Design Studies Forum; and nominator for the Cooper-Hewitt National Design Awards. He is a member of the College Art Association, American Studies Association, Design History Society, and American Alliance of Museums.

Shales holds a bachelor of arts degree from Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT; a master of fine arts degree from Hunter College and a Ph.D. from Bard Graduate Center for Studies in the Decorative Arts, Design and Culture, both in New York City.

Kowalczyk holds a bachelor of fine arts degree for the College of Ceramics at AU and a master of fine arts degree in ceramic arts from Wichita State University.

The Dorothy Wilson Perkins Ceramic History Lecture Series was established in 1998 through a gift from Dr. Lyle Perkins, AU Class of 1939, given in memory of his wife, Dr. Dorothy Wilson Perkins. Dorothy Perkin's many accomplishments in ceramics last to this day; her ceramic work can be found in numerous collections, including at Ohio State University and the Alfred Ceramic Art

The Alfred Ceramic Art Museum is housed within the College of Ceramics at AU and features both permanent and rotating exhibits of historical ceramics, contemporary pieces, and applications of advanced ceramics to science and technology. The museum is open Wednesday-Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; the museum is closed Saturday-Tuesday and some holidays.



### Dr. Richard Kellogg writes another book

ALFRED-Dr. Richard Kellogg, professor emeritus of psychology at Alfred State, is the author of a new book titled "Barry Baskerville Traps a Thief." The book, intended for young readers between the ages of six and 10, features color illustrations by noted Hawaiian artist Gary Kato.

The hero of the adventure is a precocious youngster named Barry Baskerville, who aspires to become a famous detective like his role model, Sherlock Holmes. Accordingly, Barry wears a deerstalker hat, examines clues with a magnifying glass, and loves to play the violin. He continually amazes both his teachers and classmates with his amazing powers of observation and de-

'Barry Baskerville Traps a Thief' introduces children to the legend of Sherlock Holmes and also shows them how to improve their problem-solving skills. The book is published by Airship 27 of Fort Collins, CO, and is available at the Amazon website.

Dr. Kellogg is the author of four previous books about Sherlock Holmes, as well as the popular series of books for children featuring boy detective Barry Baskerville. He enjoys introducing young readers to the magical world of Holmes and his loyal companion, Dr. John Watson.

### Music BANDS/DJs/RECITALS

Alfred Village Band offers summer concerts of popular music and marches at the Alfred Village Bandstand. Concerts are scheduled at 7:15 p.m. each Wednesday in July. The band is directed by Dr. Christopher Foster. Come and bring a friend and enjoy an avening of music on the Alfred evening of music on the Alfred Village Green.

Alfred University Chamber Music Concert, 7:30 p.m. Fri-day, Sept. 4 featuring Luanne Crosby, soprano; Karino Wada, violin; Rintaro Wada, cello; and Ritsuko Wada, piano, performing works by Handel, Beach, Previn Bernstein and Walker. Free admission. Howell Hall.

Alfred University Jazz Band in concert at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 21, Miller Theater, AU cam-

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe 22 West Main St., Angelica. Open every day for lunch; dinner and live acoustic music on week-ends; now serving breakfast – call for details. Acoustic Open Mic Night 1st Thursday of month 7-10 pm. Music Schedule: Friday, August 21-Pat Kane; Friday, Aug. 28-Jose Jogo Gomez; Saturday, Aug. 29-Curt Osgood and Bill Gregg; Friday, Sept. 4-Jeff Varga. Call 585-466-3399 or visit black-

**Dez Cordas.** 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 3, Howell Hall, AU campus. The ten strings of guitarist Matthew Slotkin and bassist Craig Butterfield create an almost orchestral sound from just two instruments while mixing styles from tango to jazz to Baroque

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 call 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. For updates, check www manlecitybowl net Or call 607-324-1011.

Messiah. This beloved oratorio by Handel will be performed by the AU Chorus, Chamber Singers and the AU Orchestra at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 22 at St. Ann's Church in Hornell. Free admis-

Susquehanna String Band in concert at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24, Miller Theater, AU campus. The band with help from AU Chamber Singers will present an evening of foot-stomping traditional American music. Free admission

**Tavche Gravche.** 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 17, Miller Theater, AU campus. NYC based quartet fuses Balkan, jazz and flamenco for a unique blend of cultures and colors with explosive dance-able rhythm and energy. Sponsored by Hillel. Free admission.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers live music most Saturday evenings with performances be-ginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 6 p.m. Future performances TBA. For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

Genesee Valley Chorus. Weekly rehearsals 7 pm Tuesdays at Congregational Church, 289 N. Main St., Wellsville. New members welcome. For further information and 1745 502 4173 information\_call 716-593-3173

Maple City (Barbershopers) Chorus Meetings 7:00 p.m. Mon-

days at United Methodist Church of Hornell, 7528 North Main St Ext., near Webbs Crossing Road, Hornell. New members welcome. Call 276-6835 for info.

Sanctuary Choir. Rehearsals 1st Sabbath of Month – 12:30pm; 3rd Sabbath of Month – 9:00am; Instrumentalists 4th Sabbath of Month– 9:00am. The Seventh Day Baptist Church – Alfred Sta-

COFFEEHOUSES
Coffeehouse live entertainment
periodically at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, 34 N. Main St., Alfred.
Open Mic Night Wednesdays when colleges are in session.

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

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

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



#### Theater & Dance

Watch for comedians to perform at Alfred University this se-mester in Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus.

Let's Dance Club offers occa-

sional dances. For more informa-Onoda at (607) 276-5475 vicepresidents John and Dee Cwynar at (607) 324-0373, secretaries Duffy and Barb Elsenheimer at (607) 295-7194, treasurers Char-lie and Kathy Bill at (607) 295-7130, or band coordinators Doug and Melody Carrier at (607) 324-5821.

Contra/Square Dance with the Susquehanna String Band, 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 23 at the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater in Alfred Village Hall. Support the Box of Books and enjoy an evening of live music and dancing. Tickets available from the Box of Books Library, S. Main Street, Alfred.

**DRAMA GROUPS** 

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

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

**PERFORMANCES** 

"Spoken Word" Poetry Night --Tuesday, August 18, 7 p.m., a lively and entertaining evening of poetry performance, hosted by Christopher Clow at Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café, 22 W. Main St., Angelica. Call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

"Doggie Hamlet," Thursday, Sept. 3 at 9 a.m. and Friday, Sept. 4 at 6:30 p.m. at the never-moor farm, 593 Lever Hill Road, Andover. Admission is free.

The Dining Room,by A.R. Gurney. Oct. 30-31-Nov. 1-2, 7:30 p.m., C.D. Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. A whirl and tumble of twenty-two scenes moves the audience to the heart of American family life with eloquence, poignancy and hilarity. Tickets re-

**Death Do Us Part (Xi-Jiao)** by the Jingiu Theater Company fro Beijing, China. Friday, Nov. 6, 7:30 p.m. This four act Chinese

opera of love and betrayal is based on the classic Chinese novel Shui hu zhuan (Outlaws of March or Water Margin). Sponsored by the Confucius Institute Free admission. Miller Theater.

Informal Dance Showing, 7 p.m. Thurs.-Fri., Dec. 3-4, CD Smith III Theater, Miller Perform-ing Arts Center, AU campus. Free admission.



INSTRUCTION/GROUPS Allegany Artisans. The Allegany Artisans, local artists and craftspeople working together to host an annual studio tour (set for Oct. 18-19) in October, invite artists to apply. Work is juried. Studio must be in Allegany County. 585-593-6345 or www.alleganvartisans.com

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**Artist Knot.** 36 Main Street, Andover. Gallery Hours by appointment. (607) 478-5100.

Cohen Center for the Arts. 55 N Main Street Alfred Gallery open 11-5 Thurs.-Fridays. "Calibrating Color: The Visible Spectrum and the Ceramic Surface' on exhibit April 9-May 8. An opening reception for a second exhibit, "GLAZE: Colors Defined," will be held 4:30-7:30 p.m. Friday, April 10.

Wellsville Art Association meets 7 pm on the last Friday of each month at Wellsville Community Center. For information on meetings or classes, call 585Steuben Trust Gallery, Steuben Square, Hornell. On-going exhibits of Artist of the Month. M-F 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Sponsored by the Hornell Area Arts Council.

593-3579

Southern Tier Fiberarts Guild. founded in 1983, meets at Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 N. Main St., Wellsville, on the first Saturday of the month from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. except months of July and Sept. The group welcomes spin-ners (and wannabes), quilters, knitters, crocheters, embroiderers, weavers, dvers, 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. Special Group Tour rates. \$4.00 adults

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

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

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

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

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

Call Homestead Museum, Hartsville, celebrates 19th-early 20th century life in western NY



### **NOTES** from the **BOX OF BOOKS**

By MELANIE MILLER Alfred Box of Books Director

September is Harry Potter Month at the Box of Books!

Alfred University's Scholes Library will host the National Library of Medicine's traveling exhibit, "Harry Potter's World: Renaissance Science, Magic and Medicine" beginning Sept. 1. In collaboration with the exhibit, the Box of Books will host several events throughout the month of September.

Sept. 6- Field Trip to Scholes. We will travel to Scholes Library at 1 p.m. to see the exhibit. Art Librarian, Eva Sclippa will be available to show us the exhibit and answer any questions.

Sept. 10- Butterbeer and Books at 5 p.m. This Harry Potter book discussion is open to all! Come discuss your favorite book, your favorite character, your favorite theme! Butterbeer will be provided. Sept. 20 at 1 p.m. find us at the Farmer's Market for Potion Mak-

ing. We will use our STEAM skills to create potions! Beginning Sept. 1 we will also hold an essay contest for children,

teens and adults. Essays are due by Sept. 15 and the winners may be published in the Box of Books' column in the Alfred Sun. See our website for more information on the essay topics or ask at the circulation desk Beginning Sept. 1, take our quiz to find out which House of Hog-

warts you belong to. Then participate in our month long reading challenge to see which house reads the most!

Box of Books Library Hours: Sun. 12-4, Mon 10-6, Tues 12-6, Wed 10-6, Thurs 12-6, Fri. 10-5, Saturday Closed.

For more info, visit: www.alfredboxofbookslibrary.org

### e-PLACE plans classes in Sept., Oct.

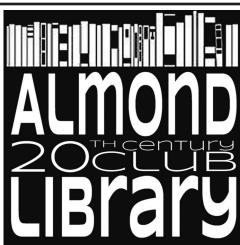
ALFRED-Free fall classes are being offered at the Alfred Box of Books Library e-PLACE.

FACEBOOK: Thursday, Sept. 17, 3–5 p.m.: Interested in Facebook? If you have ever considcreating your own Facebook page, this class is an excellent starting point. "FB" expert Mike Miller will help you set up a secure page with connections to your family and friends! You can use a library laptop, or bring your own laptop or device. Access to any digital pictures of yourself would be great (saved on a flash drive, for

SHUTTERFLY: Wednesday Oct. 7, 4 - 6 p.m.: Use the Internet to make a gift book for the people on your holiday list! Guest Instructor Angela Rossington will show you how to use the free online website Shutterfly to create a beautiful book.

We recommend that you obtain a Shutterfly account before the class, and bring your own laptop with your digital pictures on it. If you have digital pictures on a flash drive you can bring that and use one of the library laptops. The library also has a scanner in case your photos are on paper. If this paragraph has you confused, don't worry; call the library and let us know how we can help you. We can make an appointment with you prior to the class, get a Shutterfly account for you, and show you how to get your pictures ready.

The Box of Books Library is located in Alfred on the corner of Main and University streets. Feel free to call the Alfred Box of Books Library with any questions, or to make a prior appointment if you want to catch up on your computing and mousing skills before a class.Our number is 607-587-9290. Please call to register for a class or to make that extra-help appointment, or to learn more about Zinio. Hope we see you soon!



### What's Happening at Almond Library

Almond Twentieth Century Club Library Director This month is Harry Potter month! This program is for all ages. Stop into the library to be sorted into your house starting Sept. 1! Patrons will gain House Points when they check out and return

a House Cup Trivia Game at the end of the month. Saturday Sept. 12 is Almond Community Day! Stop by to see members of our library staff, club, and board selling used books,

books. We will also have a Movie Screening with themed treats and

sausages, and quilt raffle tickets! We will again be hosting WEEKLY YOGA CLASSES @ 5:45 ON THURSDAYS this month! This class is for beginners to more experienced Yogis and is for ages 14 & up. Local Almond resident,

Kristin Buchholz is our instructor. Coming up at the Almond 20th Century Club Library:

Stop in any time to be sorted into your house! Storytime- Every Friday @ 10:30 am

Adult Yoga (Ages 14 & Up)- Every Thursday @ 5:45pm

Saturday, Sept. 12- Almond Community Day Wednesday, Sept. 16- Employment Seminar @ 6pm

Saturday, Sept. 19- Harry Potter Movie Screening w/treats! @ 1pm

Tuesday, Sept. 22- Board Meeting @ 6:30pm Saturday, Sept. 26- Harry Potter House Cup- Trivia Games and more! (a) 1 pm

Please contact the Library if you plan on attending any programs or have any questions.

Contact: Phone-607-276-6311 Email- almondlibrary@gmail.com Address- P.O. Box D Almond, NY 14804

Hours: Sunday & Monday: Closed; Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday: 2-7 pm; Friday & Saturday: 10am-2pm.



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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 West-ern 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 byappointment, call 587-8358.



#### .ectures/ Readings

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

Allegany County Bird Club. Meetings held at the First Congregational Church, 289 N. Main Street, Wellsville, unless otherwise stated, at 7 p.m. on the first Friday of each month; speakers begin at 7:15 p.m. The club will NOT meet during the months of January and February 2015.

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. For page in freed visit and services in the service of the services of the servi more information, email President Laurie McFadden at . To tour build-

ing and/or view exhibits, call Collections Manager Amie Acton at 587-9119. Visit: www.bakersbridge.org

Bergren Forum. 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Cam-pus Center, AU campus when classes are in session. Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea

Hornell Fortnightly Club. 7:30 pm second Thursday of each month during academic year, Hornell High School Library. 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 (un-less otherwise noted) at 12 noon. Program TBA: 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.



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#### Fun-n-Games

STAR GAZING John Stull Observatory open to the public free of charge, clear Fri-day nights from 9-11 p.m. Sept.-Oct.-Nov. and Feb.-March, April. Open clear Thursday nights from 10 p.m.-12 midnight during May,

June and July. For info, call the Observatory phone at Alfred University, 871-2270.

BRIDGE

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

Str8 Eight Card Game Tournament at 8 pm on the 8s at the Terra

Cotta Coffee house, Main St. Alfred. The next tournaments will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 8...and 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct.

8....you get the idea. To learn more about the card game invented in Alfred, NY, visit: www.str8-eight.com

Str8 Eight

**Special Events** 

**Rushford Labor Day Celebration** Friday, Sept. 4-Monday, Sept. 7 at the Rushford Labor Day Festival Grounds in the hamlet of Rushford. just off Rt. 243 west of Caneadea There's a midway, volleyball tournament, grand parade, music and lots more! Local band Zoar will be performing beginning at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 7 on the Rushford Labor Day Festival Main Stage.

Tall Pines Farm Fest Saturday, Sept. 5 and Sunday, Sept. 6 at Tall Pines ATV Park, Andover. For more info visit www fallpinesatypark com Century Bicycle Tour. Sunday, Sept. 6 beginning at 9 a.m. at Al-mond Municipal Building, Almond. The 100-mile tour follows an "out-and-back" course facross beautiful Allegany County from Almond to Olean and back, originally ridden by one-speed bikes on dirt roads in September 1895, Course includes markings for 25 miles, 50 miles and metric century (62 miles). This historic ride was re-enacted in 1995 and has continued annually ever since, now as a fund-raiser for AU Habitat and the Genesee Valley

chapter of Habitat for Humanity. Registration begins at 8 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 6 at Almond Municipal Building. Cost: \$20. A \$100 gift certificate will be awarded to the rider who raises the most funds by securing donors. Visit: www.facebook.com/Alfred Century Bicycle Tour. For registration form, write: Alfred Century Bicycle Tour, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802.

Cuba Garlic Festival Block Barn, Cuba, Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 19-20. For more info, visit: www.cubagarlicfest.com or call 585-968-5654.

Canaseraga Fall Harvest Festival, Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 19-20, Village Park, Canaseraga. For more info. visit: www.canaseragafestival.com or call 607-382-2731.

Civil War Re-enactment Weekend in the "town where history lives," Angelica. Friday, Sept. 25-Sunday, Sept. 27. Main Street and the Allegany County Fairgrounds. For more info: www.visitangelica.com

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#### Support **Groups**

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

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

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

Cardiac Support Group. Meets second Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the St. James Mercy Hospital Cardiac Rehab (2nd floor). For info, call the Cardiac Rehab Unit at 324-8735.

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

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

JMH Diabetes Support Group

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

The Fibromyalgia Support Group meets on the second Thursday of each month 6-7 p.m. at JMH. For more information, please contact the group facilitators Iris Bahamonde (585-593-1910).

Gastric Bypass Support Group. Third Monday of each month 7-8:30 p.m. in the cafeteria at St. James Mercy Hospital. For more info, call Faith Mills at 607-661-6265.

Afternoon Grief Support Group Meets second Wednesday of the month at 1 p.m. in the NcAuley Manor Chapel on the 2nd floor. For info, Chaplain Astuti Bijlefeld or Deacon Bob McCormick at St. James Mercy Hospital Spiritual Care Office at 607-324-8153.

Evening Grief Support Group, "Good Grief Group" meets second and fourth Monday of every month at 7 p.m. in the hospital Chapel, on the ground floor. For more info, contact Deacon Bob McCormick at the processing Position and the processing Position of the Grief Chapel bmccormick@sjmh.org or call the

Spiritual Care Office at 607-324-8153

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

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

Multiple Sclerosis Support **Group.** Meets first Wednesday of each month at 10 a.m. at Friendly'sl. For more info, contact Roberta Staub at 607-661-6640 or Kevin Johnson at 607-661-3397.

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Pulmonary Support Group of Jones Memorial Hospital meets from 1 to 3 p.m. 2nd Monday each month at the Walchli Education Room at the hospital. For more information, call Group Facilitator Mona Carbone at (585) 596-4114.

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

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

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

#### **WHAT'S COOKIN'?**

Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu Monday, August 31

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Tuesday, Sept. 1 Cranberry Gelatin Salad, Roast Turkey w/ Gravy, Stuffing, Squash, Dinner Roll, Frosted Pumpkin Bars. Diabetic— Pumpkin Pudding.

Wednesday, Sept. 2 Chilled Pears, Chicken Breast Supreme w/ Sauce, Brown Rice, Zucchini & Tomatoes, Wheat Bread, Oatmeal Cookies. Diabetic-Peaches.

Thursday, Sept. 3 Carrot Raisin Salad, Beef Stroganoff Over Noodles, Brussel Sprouts, Banana Bread, Angel Food Cake. Diabetic-Angel Food Cake

Friday, Sept. 4 Tossed Salad w/ Ranch Dressing, Italian Casserole, Broccoli, Garlic Bread, Fruit Cocktail. Diabetic-Fruit Cocktail. For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or (toll free 1-

866-268-9390) by 2 p.m. on previous **ALFRED NUTRITION SITE** 

Union University Church Center, 12 noon Call Debbie Pierson at 607-793-0118. Monday—Exercises w/Mary Lou Maxon 10:30-11:30 a.m., lunch 12 noon. "Trail Mix Day."

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Thursday—Exercises at 9:30 a.m. lunch at 11:30 a.m. "National Fruit & Veggies Month." Lynn Oyer, Issues &

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Fire Hall 12 noon Call Cheryl Johnson at 585-808-5640 Monday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. Wednesday—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon.

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Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301 Tuesday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., "Bingo." Lunch at 12 noon. Exer-Lunch at 12 noon. Exercises/Cards at 1 p.m. Amy Bump, Cuba Memorial Hospital.

<u>Thursday</u>—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. "Breakfast Is Served." Blood Pressure Clinic.

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Thursday—10:30 "Growing Stronger" Exercises, Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon

FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE Community Center, 12 noon

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Wednesday—Games at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Euchre at 1 p.m. <u>Thursday</u>—Stretch at 9:30 a.m., Bingo at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Friday--Wii Bowling at 10 a.m, Lunch 12 noon, Pinochle, Euchre at 1 p.m. WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE

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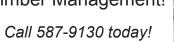


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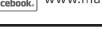
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Traffic will be maintained with a one-lane, two-way traffic pattern controlled by flag persons. Work during these days will begin around 7 a.m. and should be completed around 5 p.m. It is imperative that motorists remember to drive carefully through the many highway and bridge construction zones they will encounter this season.

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ALFRED-During National Preparedness Month, the American Red Cross urges eligible donors to give blood to help ensure a stable and diverse blood supply is available during emergencies of all types.

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To make an appointment to give blood, download the Red Cross Blood Donor App, visit redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

The following September Blood Drives are scheduled in Allegany County:

Tuesday, Sept. 8 at Alfred University, 1 Saxon Drive, 10 a.m.

Thursday, Sept. 10 at Alfred State College, 10 Upper College Drive, 12 noon to 6 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 10 at First Congregational Church, 289 N. Main Street, Wellsville, from 12 noon to 5 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 11 at the Belmont American Legion Post 808, 29 Schuvler Street, Belmont.

### Sept. 6 bike tour crosses county ALMOND-Mark your calendars. Alfred University Habitat

and Genesee Valley Habitat for Humanity will hold the annual Century Bicycle Tour beginning at 9 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 6, 2015 with registration beginning at 8 a.m. at Almond Municipal Building in Almond.

The bike ride is an Allegany County tradition since September 1995 when 80 cyclists re-enacted an historic September 1895 Century Bike Ride across the county--a "century later." Fifteen members of the Alfred Cycling Club completed the cross-county tour one one-speed bikes over dirt roads in 1895.

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### Alfred State ROTC members serve at The Glen

US Army ROTC program at Alfred State took part in the opening ceremony of the Cheez-It 355 at The Glen NASCAR Sprint Cup race on Sunday, Aug.

Serving as the color guard were Alfred State students and Cadets James Haveron (mechanical engineering technology, Falconer) and Jesse Cole (forensic science technology, Selden), along with Cadet Casey Kelly from Alfred University, and Spc. Cody Wells of the 222nd Military Police Company out of Hornell. The ceremony also included a patriotic American flag skydive and American Idol winner David Cook singing the national anthem. Driver Joey Logano won the race on a thrilling finish.

Derek Fuerch, an Alfred State forensic science technology major from Barker, said local National Guard recruiter and freshman ROTC Instructor Sgt. 1st Class William Ernest tasked him with reaching out to students about serving as color guard members at the Watkins Glen race. Fuerch would also have participated in the opening ceremony, but was at summer training in Fort Knox, KY, at the

"I was thrilled to hear we had the opportunity to be the color guard at the NASCAR race at Watkins Glen," Fuerch said. "This was such an honor and a great way for people to hear about our program. The cadets did a great job and truly enjoyed themselves there.

Haveron said, "We worked together, completed the task and presented our nation's colors. A breathtaking moment was when

ALFRED–Members of the the C-130 military transport aircraft took flight above us midanthem. After the anthem was done, we were greeted with amazing hospitality from the Jack Daniels company, which allowed us to watch the race from their tower. Overall, this was an experience unlike any other and honestly only the Army could have given us this."

Dr. Skip Sullivan, president of Alfred State, said, "I am proud of our students who participated as color guard at the Sprint Cup Series race at Watkins Glen earlier this month. We are honored to have an active and growing ROTC unit at Alfred State, and to have them as a vibrant part of our college community.

For many years, Alfred State has had an agreement in place with the US Army, whereby students can take courses and training in military science during their college years, and upon graduation with a BS, BTech, or BBA degree in whichever major they choose, be commissioned as a second lieutenant in the United States Army. Following Commencement, graduates have the unique opportunity to serve America as a commissioned officer in the Active, Guard, or Reserve forces, progressing through the ranks of first lieutenant and captain during that

The US Army ROTC program at Alfred State is an affiliate of the Seneca Battalion program headquartered at nearby St. Bonaventure University. Anyone interested in finding out more about the program should contact Jared Kausner by email at jkausner@sbu.edu or by phone at 716-375-2568.



Pictured, from left to right, are Alfred State students and ROTC members James Haveron (mechanical engineering technology, Falconer) and Jesse Cole (forensic science technology, Selden), along with Cadet Casey Kelly from Alfred University, and Spc. Cody Wells of the 222nd MP Company out of Hornell.

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tainer.
Dated: Aug 25, 2015
CAROLYN HASPER
Deputy Village Clerk-Treasurer
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NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF PUBLIC HEARING

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

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Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher

50 Years Ago, August 26, 1965

Robert B. Granger, admissions counselor at the State University Agricultural and Technical College here, has been appointed college registrar, President David H. Huntington has announced. He replaces Alan D. Willsey (former Hornell resident) who has resigned to attend graduate school at the State University at Buffalo. Both Granger's appointment and Willsey's resignation are effective September 1...

Alfredians—Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Foster attended the summer meeting of the N.Y.S. Christmas Tree Growers Ass'n., Friday night to Sunday at Cornell University. Mr. Foster is president of the organization...Professor and Mrs. H. David Trautlein have returned to their home on Pine Hill Drive from Tallahassee, Fla. Where Professor Trautlein completed his course requirements for his Doctor of Philosophy degree at Florida State University. Their daughters Vaune and Sharon remained in Wilkes Barre, Penna., with Mrs. Trautlein's mother while son David helped his mother and father move. Mr. Trautlein is a professor of General Studies (English) at the State University Agricultural and Technical College. He was on a one year sabbatic leave...The families of Sam R. Scholes, James Tinklepaugh, John Stull, Lewis Butler and James Young enjoyed the past week together at Keuka Lake...Mr. and Mrs. Barrett Potter and family will move shortly into their home at 76 S. Main, recently purchased from Lauren Soule...Mrs. Gene Burdick, Peggy, Amy and Timmy, spent the weekend with John W. Jacox, before leaving for their home at Cleveland, Ohio. Gene will teach in a school of music this year... Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Soule and family have moved their household goods to their new farm home on Strawberry Hill, in time to leave for their departure Friday evening by plane for a year in Saudi Arabia. Debbie will start her school year in Beirut Lebanon, Sept. 21, and the family will live in Dhahran, while Mr. Soule will teach at the College of Petroleum and Minerals... The Rev. Herbert Polan of Battle Creek, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Potter of Fort Myers, Fla., spent a few days this week with the Rev. and Mrs. David Clarke...

A story written by a wire service which appeared in several dailies last week stating that a bid had been awarded to an Ohio Construction Company for alterations and additions to the sewage treatment plant at the State University Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred was incorrect. The bid pertains to the State University Agricultural and Technical College at Morrisville. According to Richard Stillman, facilities program coordinator at Alfred Tech, the Morrisville sewage plant is owned by State University while the local two-year college would depend on the village facility. "If and when there is an announcement of additions or expansion of the village sewage plant, it will come from the Village Board rather than the State University Construction Fund," he said.

A store that has served the small community of Alfred Station for more than a century has been reborn and transformed into a quaint gift shop. The large frame structure formerly known as Wheaton's Store has been refurbished inside and is now being operated as the Canacadea Country Store by Glen and Betty Mapes of Whitesville. Presently owned by Arthur Burdick of Alfred Station and leased by the Mapes, the green-trimmed vellow building which had been vacant for the past three years, now is a paradise for sweet-toothed children and fine-gift-conscious adults. Since its opening June 9, the store has attracted hundreds of people from more than 20 states, Canada and England. The large, majority of out-of-state visitors is evidence in the guest book which the Mapes have their customers sign. "On an average Sunday, we have more than 200 visitors," Mr. Mapes noted. At first, quill pens were provided for signing, but when that became somewhat messy, contemporary ball point pens replaced them. The quill pens are on sale, however...A heavy wooden showcase which was formerly part of a general store in Whitesville is situated at the front of the store and holds candy jars, the scales, and serves to form the u-shaped counter from which cheese is cut by the wedge and business transactions are conducted...The Mapes are not newcomers to this area. They operated a retail grocery store on Canisteo Street in Hornell for 14 years before going to Whitesville to operate a woodworking plant 25 years ago. They are presently living in Whitesville, but plan to fix an apartment in the barn behind the store so that they can be closer to their business. Asked how they happened to start a store in the small hamlet once known as Baker's Bridge, Mapes noted that he had been on the road selling gifts to various shops and department stores in recent years. Seeing shops of the type he now operates gave Mapes the idea to start such a place in the fast-growing area of Alfred. This would also provide a hobby for his wife, who had always helped in the woodworking business

25 Years Ago, August 30, 1990

(Photo) The Saxon Inn on the Alfred University campus opened for business last week. The inn has 20 double rooms and six suites, along with a hospitality room where guests are served a complimentary breakfast. Here, the inn staff welcomes a guest. Reservations and additional information may be obtained by calling 607-871-2600

Anna A. Campbell, 90, of 30 S. Main St., Alfred, died Tuesday, August 21, 1990 in Bethany Manor in Horseheads where she had resided for the past two years. She was born April 25, 1900 in Albany, a daughter of John and Leona Burdick Merrill and had resided most of her life in Alfred. She was married April 6, 1926 in Alfred to Robert M. Campbell, who died in 1975...

Sunbeams—Philip Prigmore of Alfred has been selected to be a panelist on the Chemung Valley Arts Council Decentralization Program Advisory Panel for 1990-91...H. Alan Dirlam of Mount Dora, FL. attended the wedding of his daughter, Erion A. Dirlam, to Mr. John Clark in Canisteo July 21. A reception followed at the Ponce De Leon Restaurant. Following a vacation trip to Big Moose Lake in the Adirondacks, Alan returned to Alfred for the Annual Alfred State College Alumni Picnic at Lake Lodge July 28. The next day, he was principal speaker at the dedication of the A.S.C. "Milo Van Hall Alumni Center." He also visited friends in Belmont, Alfred and Canandaigua...Marcie Emerson of Alfred Station was a "Best of Show" winner in the 4-H Textiles and Clothing Senior Division at the Allegany County Fair...Alfred University's Alumni Association named Dr. David R. Rossington, dean of AU's School of Engineering, a "Faculty Friend" at its Reunion Weekend in June. Dorothy E. Odle, former associate director of alumni-parent programs, and Donald H. King, vice president for student affairs, were named Honorary Alumni, while AU Trustee Marlin Miller Jr., president and found of Arrow International in Reading, PA, received the Lillian T. Nevins Alumni Recognition Award for distinguished service to A.U. and the Alumni Association...

**Back-To-School Supplement:** Alfred University began its 1990-91 academic year August 27 when an estimated 2,400 students, both full- and part-time, started classes. The entering freshman class is both one of the most talented academically and one of the smallest in several years, says University President Edward G. Coll Jr... After a record number of freshmen in 1989-90 with nearly 500 enrolled, this year's freshman class numbers only around 400. That figure is a reflection of the declining number of college-age citizens in the United States...

**(Photo) Work crews** on the Alfred State College of Technology campus have spent the summer replacing high temperature hot water lines in an effort to eliminate campus-wide heating problems.

Tuesday, Sept. 4 will mark the beginning of Lighthouse Christian Training Center's third year of operation. The training center, primarily a network of local home-schoolers, this year will include families from Hornell, Arkport and Wellsville, in addition to the Alfred-Almond area. A new two-story addition to the building, located on Randolph Road in Alfred, was completed this summer and will be in full use this year... The building addition is not the only thing that is "new" this year for the Christian training center, according to Craig Mix, administrator/teacher. "We will also be adding an additional full-time instructor this year to accommodate new students," he said, nothing that enrollment had grown from about 20 last year to 32 part- and full-time students this year. Ellen J. Weaver of Alfred will be instructing in grades 2-5. She is a graduate of Alfred University where she earned a B.S. in accounting. She will also be serving as secretary at Lighthouse...

Eleven new faculty members greeted Alfred University students when they resumed classes Aug. 27, according to Provost W. Richard Ott. They are...Dr. Amy Rummel...Dr. Gerar Edizel...Dr. Norman Macmillan... Judith Natal...Dr. James Lancaster...Dr. Reinhard Andress...Hiber Conteris...Dr. Joe Gow...David Lindorff...Susan Perry Morehouse...Daniel Potter...

Warren Brooks ended a successful summer with a second place finish in the New Hampshire Men's Open tennis championships, winning his first paycheck along with a roundtrip ticket anywhere in the U.S. and two weekend vacations at Waterville Valley, NH. He and his

partner Bill Benjes also took second place in doubles...

10 Years Ago, August 25, 2005

For the second year in a row, Alfred University is second in on *US News and World Report*'s annual rankings of "Great Schools at Great Prices" among master's degree-awarding institutions in the North region...

Dr. Stephen Burdick Saunders, 76, of Springville, passed away at his summer home in Mayville Sunday, Aug. 7, 2005 after being of ill health the past few years. Dr. Saunders was the son of Paul Canfield and Edna (Burdick) Saunders. He was raised in Alfred, and was graduated from Alfred-Almond Central School where he was an outstanding student-athlete. He attended Alfred University and Albany Medical School, graduating in 1954. He did his internship at Presbyterian Hospital in Chicago, Ill. Dr. Saunders served as a Naval Medical Officer in the U.S. Navy on the U.S. Gregory out of San Diego, Calif., and at the UN Naval Hospital. He then moved his family to Springville where he set up his medical practice at the Concord Medical Group in 1957...He retired after 30 years of practicing medicine in Springville, to his much-loved summer home at Chautauqua Lake. Dr. Saunders and his wife enjoyed fishing, motorcycling, sailing, golf and traveling extensively. He especially enjoyed visiting with his many treasured friends. He was a member of the Hurlburt Memorial Methodist Church of Chautauqua and the First United Methodist Church of Springville...

A tourist from Australia decided to start his trip in the USA right here in Alfred Station. Max Townsend, who works for a small aircraft manufacturer in Coffsharbor, Australia north of Sydney said that the Bicycle Man shop of Alfred Station is famous worldwide on the internet. Max arrived by bus in Alfred on a Sunday and was able to call Peter "The Bicycle Man" Stull who owns the store and was already trying out one of the novel bikes that are sold there. Max said that the shop allows customers to try out the different models, something other shops do not routinely do. The shop specializes in recumbent bikes....Townsend is also here because he is looking forward to the Recumbent Bike Convention in Bath next weekend...

Joan Overcomes Seasick Sensitivity. (By Joan Lindeman, Adventurous Octogenarian) Okay, okay, I know what you are thinking: "Hasn't she had enough fishing adventures?" Not really, as each was a different aspect of my favorite hobby. So I tried ice fishing in Georgia plus pier fishing there, also. But this fishing adventure is something I have never tried due to my acute sensitivity to motion sickness. As a child I threw up on swings, teeter-totters, merry-go-rounds, cars, trains, especially boats both large and small! So long as I kept both feet solidly planted on the ground I was fine. So here I was at 82 never having fished from a rowboat until friend Clair Almeter invited me to fish at Foster Lake from his rowboat. I told him about my weakness but we decided to give it a try. ... I guess as we age we not only get older but really better. So if you need company the next time you go fishing, I have a pole and will travel on another fishing adventure. Oh, by the way, we truly did leave some fish for you!

Alfred Station Volunteer Fire Company recently welcomed two new members. Joining the department are Mathew Williams of Alfred Station and Travis Clark of Alfred. Mathew is currently a senior at AACS and works for Stearns Poultry in Alfred Station. Travis is currently a freshman in the Machine Tools program at Alfred State College and works for The Bicycle Man in Alfred Station...

Allegany County fire investigators have determined that a short in electrical wiring in a corner of the garage caused the Tuesday, Aug. 16 early evening fire that destroyed the home of Roger and Penny Gardner at 1242 Randolph Road, Alfred. The Gardners were in Knoxville, Tennessee visiting a daughter at the time of the fire. The garage and its contents were completely destroyed in addition to the Gardners 'mini-van, which had comprehensive insurance coverage. A new second story addition was destroyed and the house sustained severe smoke and water damage throughout. A member of Lighthouse Christian Fellowship where Roger Gardner serves as pastor has offered the Gardners her vacant home in Almond until their home can either be rebuilt or replaced. While the house was insured, the contents, the Gardners' personal belongings, were not. "I have been preaching for the past couple of weeks about the refining fire of God," the pastor told the congregation at a special meeting at the church Friday night, then quipped, "I think I will now start preaching on prosper-

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### Alfred Station pastor elected president of Seventh Day Baptist General Conference

ALFRED STATION-Rev. Dr. conclude August 5, 2016. Kenneth Chroniger, pastor of the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church, "A 3 C church: Connect - Care - Community' has been elected as president of the Seventh Day Baptist General Conference USA and Canada

Pastor Ken's term of service began August 1, 2015 and will

He has chosen for his theme "Faith-Family-Education." Conference sessions on the campus of Houghton College will be held July 31-August 6, 2016.

Pastor Chroniger has served the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church since September 1991. He is married to Peggy (Sutton) Chroniger.

Rev. Chroniger's educational efforts include GTh. from Baptist Bible College, Springfield, MO; BS, Calvary Bible College, Kansas City, MO; MDiv., Nazarene Theological Seminary, Kansas City, MÖ; DMin. Acadia University, Wolfville, Nova



Receiving their U.S. flags that flew over the U.S. Capitol are Memorial Day Essay Contest winners (from left) First place winner Aeowyn Kendall, second place winner Katy Elliot and third place winner Jessie Berry. (Photo provided)

### Essay contest winners receive flags

of May, with the help of both the English and Social Studies teachers at Alfred Almond Central School, students in 7th -12th grade were invited to write an essay on "The meaning of Memorial Day.

This essay contest was sponsored by the Alfred Rural Ceme-

ALMOND-During the month tery Association and the Evangelical Christian Churches of Alfred and Almond. The three best essay writers were invited to read the essay at the 11 a.m. Memorial Day Service at the Alfred Rural Cemetery.

On Thursday, August 20 each writer received a United States Flag that flew over the US Capitol in Washington D.C. with a document of certification. They also received a certificate of congratulations from Representative Tom Reed.

The First place essay was written by Aeowyn Kendall. The second place was written by Katy Elliot. The third place went to Jessie Berry.

The Alfred Rural Cemetery and ECCAA extend congratulations on a job well done.

#### More than lawn sale Sunday, August 30

ALFRED STATION-Looking for something to do this Sunday, August 30? Why not come to the campus of the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church, "A 3 C church: Connect- Care-Community"! Big things are happening and your friends and neighbors invite you to come see

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And yes, there is something for the kids. From 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. there will be a Bounce

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...The miracle of Dunkirk had its forerunner in the early

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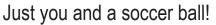
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### **MY TURN**

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#### An English Gentleman Instructs...

Uncle Bruce taught me something about wine. "Uncle," though, may be a bit of a stretch. He was my wife's uncle, her mother's only brother. He was an English wine merchant—a vocation that not a few of his country's fossilized uppercrust to this day scorn as "being in

Yet bottling and selling wine is not like hawking soap or cigarettes. It was, and remains, a gentleman's profession. And make no mistake: Bruce Todd was a gentleman. Whether in casual tweeds or workaday pin stripes, he was, always, impeccably dressed and groomed. His silvery hair swept neatly back from a broad forehead; a mustache, also white, and hornrimmed glasses lent an air of decorative solemnity.

One of my two brothers-inlaw addressed him simply as "Uncle," dropping the Bruce. His sister, my mother-in-law, Constance Mary, called him "Bru." He called her "Con." His dozens of godchildren-he never married—and people like me, who had married into the family, called him "Uncle Bruce." I would not have dared to say "Bruce." He welcomed a certain level of familiarity from outsiders, yet still kept people not of his blood at arm's length, as one would surely expect of an English gentleman. Familiar, yes, but not too familiar.

Uncle Bruce was in his mid fifties when I first met him, in the early 1960s. He was chairman of a firm of some half a hundred wine-and-spirits shops scattered throughout the chief cities and towns of southern England. The head office was, of course, in London. The firm's name was Findlater Mackie Todd & Co.

Uncle Bruce imported wine mostly from France and sold it under the house label. He also sold sherry, from Jerez, in Spain; port, from Portugal; and a respectable Scotch whiskey, which he called Jock Scott. Uncle Bruce himself, true to his trade, was a fairly heavy drinker. Yet even for someone of his superb constitution and build—he was a compactly constructed sixfoot-two—his intake was prodigious. He drank each day up to three bottles of wine, sherry and vintage port, apparently to no ill effect.

Uncle Bruce was an ardent Catholic, passionately committed to the dogma and the works of his Church. He made frequent pilgrimages to the shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes, in southwestern France. At Lourdes, where miraculous healings have been claimed, he pushed wheelchairs and helped carry litters laden with the dying.

His home was a sprawling country house, Maryland, on the outskirts of London. The property was contiguous with the grounds of St. Mary's Convent School, which my wife, Caroline, had attended as a small child during the war. Uncle Bruce was famous for the sherry parties he would occasionally give for the school's teaching

Uncle Bruce visited Alfred two or three times in the 1970's and 80's. Voluble and outgoing, he became an unmistakable presence in the village and also at St. Jude's Roman Catholic Church, on the campus of Alfred State College, where he regularly attended Mass.

In addition to his churchgoing, I vividly recall taking him to Alfred University home football games. Like the soldier (and war prisoner) he once had been, he though a British national would snap to attention at the playing of our national anthem. He would stand ramrod straight, thumbs extending from clenched fists and pressed smartly against his trouser seams.

Because he was in wine, we made obligatory tours of the vineyards and wineries bordering Keuka Lake. Despite his own expertise in viticulture and winemaking, Uncle Bruce would listen with grave interest to the talks given by our guides.

At the tasting bars, he would sample whatever was on offer the great, the good, the not-sogood—with always exclamation of pleasure. There was never the slightest hint of criticism of a particular wine. For this British guest in a foreign country, any carping would have been seen, at least in his own eyes, as "bad form."

But I digress. My own education in wine began, in London, at a luncheon Uncle Bruce gave in the boardroom of Findlater House, his company's headquarters. The date was May 30, 1963. The guests, all except myself knowledgeable about wine, had been invited not simply to sip and spit out, as was the custom among professional when buying raw wine, but to drink, discuss and debate some of the outstanding vintages of the day.

I have the menu pasted into a scrapbook. We began with a 1953 Forster Jesuitengarten, a tawny, sweetish Riesling from a small German vineyard that had been making wine for 500 years. (A glance today at Google will tell you that collectors now bid up the Forster at close to \$4,000 a bottle.) From the Riesling, we pushed on to two of the splendid fruity reds of the Bordeaux region of western France, a Chateau (vineyard estate) Cantemerle 1950 and a Chateau Margaux 1934.

We closed with a Chateau d'Yquem 1945, a rich, sweet, golden-in-color dessert wine called by one commentator the "undisputed monarch" of Bordeaux's Sauternes—a heavy but heavenly elixir, to be drunk slowly, and brooded over.

Around me, there was spirited conversation. I had nothing to contribute. As an American from Brooklyn, New York, I was out of my element. But my companions at table that noon had no such inhibitions.

With a deft twist of the wrist, they twirled their glasses. Prompted by Uncle Bruce, they commented on the rivulets that flowed back from rim to stem. They argued about "bouquet," or aroma. They debated the virtues and possible flaws of taste and aftertaste.

I drank steadily. I knew that what I was drinking, especially those reds from Bordeaux, were glorious wines. But at that first exposure to the fabulous, the historic and the celebrated, I could not have told you why they were supreme. Wine education required study. Wine drinking—field work—took stamina and practice. It was heady stuff, literally and figuratively. And so I got through the wines and the luncheon of gulls' eggs, and moved on, more-or-less intact, to two for the road, thimblefuls (fortunately) of Findlater's port and brandy, which capped the

Bruce Edward Todd died in his 90th year, in March 1997. His requiem Mass was held at the Cathedral Church of Our Lady & St. Philip Howard, in Arundel, on England's south coast. In an affectionate tribute inserted into the program, my wife's eldest brother noted that Uncle Bruce, son of a wine merchant, had been educated at Trinity College, Cambridge, where in the secure knowledge that a place awaited him in the family business, he kept a dog, went to the cinema every afternoon, and made friends.

"Starting work in London...he led an active social life and drove (very fast!) an open Bentley and a Rialton straighteight....

"Bruce's most notable characteristics were his unfailing cheerfulness and kindness, which led to widespread popu-

The requiem reading accompanying the Mass was both a mystic philosophical essay and a profound leap of the imagination, written a century ago by a canon of the Church, Henry Scott Holland. It contained little of Catholic dogma. Instead, the shade of someone recently dead-perhaps the spirit of Uncle Bruce himself—consoles the living:

"Death is nothing at all; I have only slipped away into the next room. I am I and you are you. Whatever we were to each other, we are still. Call me by my old familiar name, speak to me in the easy way which you always

"Why should I be out of mind because I am out of sight? I am but waiting for you, for an interval, somewhere very near just around the corner....

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### AU men's soccer team opens season with home games

ALFRED-The Alfred University men's soccer team, coming off a successful 2014 campaign, will start the 2015 season with some home cooking.

The Saxons open their season with six consecutive home games, beginning with Geneva College at Yunevich Stadium at 3 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 1.

AU will have successive home games with Waynesburg at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 5; Pennsylvania College of Technology at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 6; Hilbert College at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 9; Westminster College (PA) at 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 12; and Oswego State at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept.

Second-year Coach Matt Smith, whose Saxons last year pushed eight-time Empire 8 champion Stevens into a penalty kick shootout in the conference semi-finals, look to challenge

#### Recruits to bolster swim program

ALFRED-Alfred State swimming coach RC Weston is pleased to announce his 2015-16 signing class. Weston, entering his second year at the helm of the program, signed six new Pioneers.

Don Piatek – an Automotive Service Technician major from Springville. Piatek swam for Springville-Griffith Institute (NYS Section VI) where he led the team to a 9-1 record in dual meets and were ECIC Division "A" Runners-Up. A fly and backstroke specialist, he placed 3rd in both events at the ECIC Division "A" championships.

Zach Russell – a Construction Engineering Tech major from Macedon. Russell comes in from Pal-Mac High School (NYS Section V) where he placed 4th in both the 100 butterfly and 50 freestyle at the Section V Class-B Championships posting the 15th and 17th fastest times in all

of Section V, respectively. Andrew Callaghan – a Business Administration major from Palmyra. Also from Pal-Mac High School (NYS Section V), Callaghan brings strong leadership abilities to a young program and added depth to the Pioneers. He finished 12th in the 200 IM and 7th in the 100 backstroke at the 2015 Section V Class-B Championship.

Jacob Sitter - an Electrical Construction & Maintenance Electrician major from Geneva. Sitter is a former swimmer of Coach Weston's at Midlakes High School (NYS Section V). After placing 16th in the 200 free and 15th in the 100 free at the 2015 Section V Class-C Championships, Sitter will be an asset to the Pioneer's in the middistance freestyle events.

Alley Sell - a Veterinary Technology major from Hanover, PA. As one of the top student-athletes at South Western High School, Sell was a YAIAA All-Star Honorable Mention who placed 13th in the 100 breast at the 2015 PIAA District 3 Class-AAA Championship Meet.

Megan Hendershot – a Digital Media & Animation major from Brockport. Hendershot is a Brockport High School (NYS Section V) alum who is looking to do great things here at Alfred

The 2015-16 swim season opens Oct. 17 when they compete in the Pitt-Bradford relays.



**ADAM OWLETT** 

the Ducks for the E8 title this season.

The Stevens Institute of Technology men's soccer team is ranked No. 21 in the country according to the National Soccer Coaches Association of America preseason poll.

The ranking is the highest amongst Empire 8 Conference schools, and makes Stevens the

top-ranked team in New Jersey. Tufts University came in at No. 1, while Wheaton College and Messiah College rounded out the top-three.

The Ducks are coming off a season in which they advanced to a 12th straight NCAA Tournament after an eighth consecutive E8 championship.

Owlett joins AU staff Adam Owlett this season joins

Smith as an assistant coach for the AU men's soccer team.

Owlett is a 2000 graduate of SUNY Buffalo, where he played

four seasons on the men's soccer team, twice serving as team captain. While at SUNY Buffalo, he helped lead the Bengals to a berth in the SUNYAC playoffs. He graduated from SUNY Buffalo in 2000 with a bachelor's degree in Social Studies Education and later earned a master's degree in Adult Education and Human Resources.

Owlett has been a teacher in the Canisteo-Greenwood School District for 13 years and has also served as the high school's girls' soccer team during that time,

earning more than 100 coaching victories. His prior coaching experience includes serving as an assistant on the SUNY Buffalo women's soccer team's staff. He is also president of the CG Soccer Club and Co-Director and Founder of the CG Youth Soccer Program.

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The following is a brief summary of the recent baseball trip enjoyed by Roger "Hilly" Moses (A-A) and his son, Max "Marvin' Moses of Holliston, MA.

Friday, August 7: Landed in Chicago at about 9:45am CST. Arrived at hotel at 11:30. Headed to Wrigley area via the subway at about noon. Got some photos outside Wrigley and then walked across the street to the famous Cubby Bear for a little lunch. Got in the stadium when the gates opened at 1:15. Cubs won 7-3. After the game Max got a photo of he and Kyle Schwarber (that I took two summers ago at the Cape League All Star Game) signed.

Saturday August 8: Left for Milwaukee at about 2 PM, arrived for the 6:05 games versus the Cardinals at about 4:00. Got in the park early. Great park. Met with Scott Martens (friend of a work colleague) Direct of Minor League Baseball Operations for the Brewers. Cards won 3-0. Headed back to Chicago after the game.

Sunday August 9: Hung out in Chicago and did tourist stuff. After having a late dinner we walked back into the hotel and this guy had a dog and we started talking to him. Going up the elevator he said he was just traded to the Cubs. It was Tommy Hunter. He got off the elevator on our floor and talked to Max and me for about 10-15 minutes.

Monday August 10: More tourist stuff during the day. Left for US Cellular Field at about 4. Got there at about 5 for a 7PM game. Tee-shirt night. Copped nice Sox old school logo shirts. Sox beat the Angels 8-2, Chris Sale was outstanding. Drove two plus hours south to Normal, IL (home of Illinois State) after the game.

Tuesday August 11: Headed for Kansas City early. We made a brief stop in Hannibal, MO to see Mark Twain's home. About 400

miles from Normal reached Lenexa, KS to meet up with my buddy Jeff Frederes to get the tick-We were staying right across the KC from Sports Complex. We walked to the game early. Another tee shirt night. Scored another really cool shirt. Met up with



Jeff and his friend Max and Roger Moses in Kansas City.

Steve, who seemed to know everyone in the stadium. Steve's son is a scout for the Padres. Another great park. Avery good Royals team

Wednesday August 12: Headed to St Louis. Met up with my friend Mark Burns at about 2:30 in the famous Hill District to have lunch and get our tickets. We parked and Mark drove us around town for about an hour before dropping us off outside the stadium at about 4:30. We went to Baseball Village across the street. The entire venue was very impressive. Although we had great seats everywhere, these were probably our best. Michael Wacha beat Gerrit Cole as the Cards beat the Pirates 4-2. We then drove 3 plus hours to Brazil, IN

Thursday August 13: After another 350 plus mile drive we arrived at our hotel at about 3:30. We arrived at the Cleveland park at 6:30 for the 7:10 start. The Yankees broke their 5 game losing streak with an 8-6 win. This game also marked the MLB debut of Greg

<u>Friday August 14</u>: We drove to Almond to see family. While eating at Muhlheisen's the one and only Robert H. Torrey walked in the bar. We invited him to join us and we hung out for about 3 hours talking and watching the Bills game.

Saturday August 15: Stayed in Almond until about 5 then left for Geneseo to see friends.

Sunday August 16: Back to Boston. This was truly an outstanding trip. Everything went perfect. Even the weather in KC and St Louis was "only" about 85 with 50% humidity. It was truly a blessing to get to make this trip with Max.

The PGA Championship will be returning to Oak Hill CC in Pittsford in 2023 with a potential return of the LPGA Championship tied in somewhere along the line as well. The famed Oak Hill course has previously hosted the PGA Championship in 1980, 2003 and recently in 2013. Had the opportunity to go to the event in 2003 with Big D and Janis King. Went recently with Jake Taft as we hooked-

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#### The Dugout continued.

up with Roger and Max Moses. Went to a U.S. Open one year it was there with "Hilly" Moses and took in a Ryder Cup practice round at Oak Hill with Stu. Don't remember going to the 1980 PGA ..so guess I didn't! The LPGA was a fixture in Rochester for years at Locust Hill as a regular tour stop and at the end as the Wegman's PGA Championship. That is now the KPMG LPGA Championship and it was held in the NYC area this year. Hard to believe there is no regular LPGA stop in Rochester with the great support for the tourney. Catch bits & pieces of other LPGA events on the tube and the crowds at those tournaments are not even close to what was at Locust Hill

In LPGA action from this past weekend, Lydia Ko won her third Canadian Open in the last four years as she topped Stacy Lewis on the first playoff hole. Ko, the #1-ranked player in the world for the ladies, won this event the first two times out as an amateur. This time she hauled in a check for \$337,500 along with her third trophy. Canadian youngster, Brooke Henderson finished T23. The Solheim Cup will be contested shortly and think Juli Inkster is captain of Team USA.

Tiger Woods stumbled on Sunday in his attempt to win the Wyndham Championship on the PGA Tour and qualify for the lucrative FedEx Playoffs. Woods was right there heading into the final round but holes #11-12 did him in. Good to see him back in the hunt though! And 51-year old Davis Love III emerged victorious as he nipped Jason Gore by one shot. Love now finds himself in the FedEx Cup run instead of heading to the Dick's Open on the Champions Tour this weekend. "Davis Love is no relation to Eddie Davis," noted the once-legendary Kaz.

Fred Couples couldn't pull off a win in the Boeing Classic on the Champions Tour in his hometown of Seattle, WA as he finished T3 at (-7). Billy Andrate won it at (-9) and Bernhard Langer, of course, was right there at (-8). Mark O'Meara (not of Alfred) was tied with Couples. Jeff Sluman of Rochester was four-shots back and Joey Sindelar of Horseheads another four behind Slu. Both of them will be at En Joie this weekend as will Wayne Levi of Utica. Had hoped to see Couples there but didn't see his name on the list of entrants. Langer is the defending champ in Endicott. At the Boeing, Langer is something ridiculous like: 1-T3-T2-2-2 the last five years in the

The victorious Team USA women's soccer squad from the recent World Cup is 2-0 on their "victory tour" thru the states. Have not heard any mention of a game in Rochester which is very odd with Abby Wambach on the roster. Have been to see Team USA twice when they were here, with 3L, and we saw Wambach feed Mia Hamm for her 100st career goal.

The Travers at Saratoga Race Course is this Saturday and have not heard yet if triple-crown winner, American Pharoah is running? Expecting a report anytime this week from Coach Beyer as he'll be on-site (at Druthers) this week.

Jarrick Wenslow, the son of Mike (A-A), is back at college at Northern Arizona University and getting ready to run track again this school year. Wenslow made his conference finals in the Steeplechase and 1500m last spring. He spent the summer as an assistant coach with his high school team as they trained at Mammoth Lake for 10days of high altitude workouts. Wonder if he ever crossed paths with Gids (A-A) during his frosh

'Congrats' to Eileen Coyle as she is the new head women's soccer coach at Utica College! The former Herkimer CC and SUNY Geneseo standout takes over duties immediately at the E8 school. Checked her schedule to see when they would be playing Alfred and/or SJ Fisher and, of course, it is the weekend of September 11-12-13 when I am off to see Moses in MA. Coyle was an All-American at Herkimer, maybe even the NJCAA Player of the Year, is in their Hall of Fame and was an assistant coach at St. Lawrence plus Endicott College prior to landing this position. Teammates with daughter Lauren for one season ... an NCAA campaign for Coach Wiley's troops. Ironically, a PK Shootout loss to Endicott at the famed Messiah

Deflategate ... NFL ... Tom Brady ... still

going on? How crazy!

Look alikes: Yankees rookie first sacker Greg Bird and Keegan Bradley of the PGA.

Small World time as I had to drop some glasses off for work at the LensCrafters in Greece Ridge Mall on Sunday past. Wandered over to Dick's Sporting Goods, bought a (much needed) golf shirt and the girl at the checkout counter has on an Alfred State soccer shirt. Kali Muhleisen of Alfred-Almond! Knew of her, obviously, but had never met her and we had a good chat. She headed to college at Brockport now. Her former A-A/ASC teammate, Hannah Holmok now on the move from Mansfield University to Niagara County CC. No soccer for either. Ouch. Mansfield ... A-A baseball/softball legends Z Curran and Gids played ball there and the "Qua" coached women's basketball/softball at the Pennsylvania school

As MLB races head towards Labor Day, the NL could have some interesting runs. The Cardinals, Pirates and Cubs ... yes the Cubbies!, all from the Central Division, have the three-best records in the entire league and three of the four best in all of baseball (KC). Pittsburgh and Chicago could very well meet in a one-game "wild card" playoff and have the 2-3 best records in the whole league. Seems a little unfair. The SF Giants could join that mix or knock off the LA Dodgers to win the West. The Giants who have won the World Series in three of the last five years. And the East is down to the Mets and Nats. Win this division or stay home. A disappointing season in Washington DC with all that talent. In the AL, Kansas City is a lock ... according to "Orville" VanSkiver and Toronto is looking really solid. It'll be a Texas-Shootout in the West and will the Yanks hang on to grab a wild card slot? Maybe a few less K's from A-Rod will

The Dodgers added second-sacker Chase Utley to their roster for the stretch run as they now have a gaudy payroll of \$298 for this year! Looks like your team is trying to buy that pennant ... "Foolish" Farley and Big D.

In "AAA" baseball action the Rochester Red Wings are fading rapidly after being swept by the hard-charging S/WB RailRiders over the weekend past. The Yanks farm club has basically locked up the North Division now, Norfolk is trying to hang on in the South as brother Scott O. Lorow is hoping for a great playoff push and Indy is holding off Columbus at the moment. All those teams will change radically on September 1st call-ups and the "AAA" playoffs will be decided by "AA"

**Daughter Lauren spotted** a pretty neat NYS

vanity plate in her travels: SPRŤCSTR. I spotted one the other day: PINPOINT. "accuracy" of my golf shots!

A couple of "famous"

golfers carded aces in the Rochester area last week. Mitch Miller on #3 at Braemar with a PW on the 140-yard hole and Ken Burns at Mill Creek with a five-iron on #17, 170-yards.

Off to the Champions Tour golf tourney this Saturday with Binghamton native, Leo Nealon. Hopefully hooking up with former AU QB, Paul McDonnell and others? And a potential stop at the famed John Barleycorn in Owego ... (- Marzo).

Just around the corner, the NFL starts as the Buffalo Bills and their three-headed QB monster look to overhaul the New England Patriots, potentially missing

Tom Brady for a stretch.

And possibly, an upc o m i n g interview with Bob Codispoti ... the football "Voice of the Saxons" the radio as he enters his 31st season at the mike Yunevich Stadium.



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