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Gathered for the 40th reunion of their high school graduation at the home of Roger and Sandy McGraw, the Alfred-Almond Central School Class of 1974 pulled a couple of copies of *The Alfred Sun* out of the trash and pretended to read them just so they could get their picture in this weekly newspaper. It worked.



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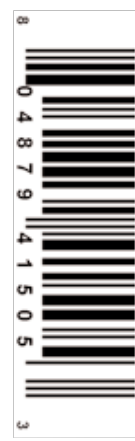
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'Museum Trail' planned Oct. 4 in Allegany County

By DAVID L. SNYDER
Editor, Publisher & Janitor
ALLEGANY COUNTY—
There are sights and sites throughout Allegany County still waiting to be discovered by its residents.

This summer, after a swim and enjoying the sun at "the beach" at Rushford Lake, I decided to explore. I crossed County Rt. 49 and drove along Rush Creek then took a left up a hill, a road I'd never taken before. At the top of the hill, I was richly rewarded with a bird's eye view of Rushford Lake.

Every Allegany County town has its sights, its historic sites and untold stories. Some stories are being told in historic structures that have been preserved for that very purpose. Allegany County's historians—including the Baker's Bridge Historical Association here in the Town of Alfred—are banding together to help each other tell those stories.

A "Museum Trail," coordinated and sponsored by the History Preservation Roundtable of Allegany County, will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 4. At last count, nine museums will be open, offering an opportunity for folks to learn about Allegany County history.

A spokesman for the roundtable group said that members

thought it would be a good thing for the historical societies and museums to get together for an event since many people don't know about the museums.

Nine museums responded to the 20 invitations that were sent.

Purpose of the event is not to raise money for the museums but to raise interest and awareness. Nevertheless the museums won't turn away donations.

Organizations planning to participate to date include:

- Baker's Bridge Meeting House, Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. This renovated building was the original gathering place built by the Seventh Day Baptists for worship in the early 1830s. The historical society has been renovating it since the 1980s.

- Belfast Historical Society, Main Street, Belfast. With its history entwined with the railroad, barge canal and bare-knuckle boxing champion John L. Sullivan, the museum is the repository of the village's historical documents, photos and the letters and diaries of its founders.

- Town of Hume Museum, 10842 Claybed Road, Hume. Not far from where the "Luckey Buck" was taken (Bill Luckey killed a buck in 1939 there that's still the record antler track for

New York State), the Hume Museum houses artifacts from the Village of Fillmore as well as the town of Hume. Genealogists will appreciate their ancestors' well-kept records.

- Independence Historical Society, 540 Main St., Whitesville. Located in the former Catholic church, the museum houses

several artifacts from the village's logging and farming past. Along with the village's original telephone operator's desk, the museum also houses a 200-year-old door carved with the name of the village's namesake.

- Nathaniel Dyke Museum, 118 E. Dyke St., Wellsville. Signs and products of stores and businesses that once thrived in Wellsville are displayed along with genealogical documents. The building is a former fire hall and one of the few remaining whose hose drying tower is still intact. The museum has a complete log of local cemeteries.

- Cuba Historical Society, 16 Genesee St., Cuba. Displays are relevant to the history of Cuba and its claim as the cheese capi-



tal of the world and the home of the fastest-trotting horse in the country.

- Richburg-Wirt Historical Museum, 243 Main St., Richburg. Back in 1881, Richburg became an oil "boom town" after an investor group drilled a well that produced 70 barrels the first day. Within ten months there were 7,000 people living in Richburg. This museum tells of the town's rich past.

- Bolivar-Richburg-Allentown-Genesee (BRAG) Historical Society, Bolivar Free Library, Main Street, Bolivar. Currently housed in the library, the museum has photos, literature and art pertaining to local citizenry.

- Pioneer Oil Museum, Main

Street, Bolivar. The museum is located in what once was the McEwen Brothers Oilfield Supply Store, in the heart of the old "Allegany Oil Field." It houses oil drilling equipment and pays homage to the oilmen who drilled the fields and took the risks of producing some of the finest crude oil ever refined.

The History Preservation Roundtable of Allegany County was formed several years ago for historical society members to discuss local history and inform members of historical discoveries.

The mission statement for HPRAC is to "bring together people who have an interest in Allegany County history, to encourage them to promote an understanding of this history, to discover, collect, preserve and exhibit this history. We especially want to foster an appreciation of the county's historic significance and to promote pride in our heritage."

For more information, contact Donald Donovan at 585-968-2812.

Alfred State names 40 new faculty, staff members

ALFRED—Alfred State proudly welcomed 40 new faculty and staff members recently.

Kristin Poppo is the new vice president for academic affairs. Originally from Belmont, MA., she holds several degrees, including a doctorate in philosophy from the University of North Carolina, a master's degree in divinity from Harvard Divinity School, a master's degree in teaching/environmental communications from Antioch — New England Graduate School, and a bachelor's degree in philosophy and religion from Colgate University, where she graduated cum laude.

Michelle Margeson, of Hornell, joins the Division of Academic Affairs as a keyboard specialist. She graduated from Alfred State with an associate degree in business administration.

The School of Arts and Sciences has five new hires — Kevin Cassell, Barbara Jean Douglass, Sarah Haskins, Bryan Monesson-Olson, and Mary Theresa Gleason.

Kevin Cassell, of Wellsville, joins the college as an assistant professor of English and humanities. He earned his doctorate from Michigan Technological University and his master's degree in

English from Northeastern University.

Barbara Jean Douglass, of Dundee, is now an assistant professor of social and behavioral sciences. She holds a doctorate in education from the University of Rochester and a master's degree in social work from San Francisco State University.

Sarah Haskins, of Caneadea, is now in the position of assistant professor of mathematics and physics. She earned her master's degree in mathematics from the State University of New York at Cortland.

Bryan Monesson-Olson, of Alfred, is a new assistant professor of physical and life sciences. He earned his doctorate in neuroscience from the University of Massachusetts.

Mary Theresa Gleason is as an assistant professor of nursing. She has a master's degree in nursing from Roberts Wesleyan College.

The School of Applied Technology has five new employees — Sean Kelley, Timothy Dickerson, Jeremy Joseph, Vincent LaVerdi, and Darrell Stone.

Sean Kelley, of Almond, is now in the position of instructor of electrical trades. He earned his associate degree in electrical construction and maintenance electri-

cian from Alfred State.

Timothy Dickerson, of Alma, is a new instructor of machine tool. He holds an associate degree in machine tool technology from Alfred State.

Jeremy Joseph, of Cuba, joins the college as an instructor of welding. He has an associate degree in welding technology from Alfred State.

Vincent LaVerdi is now in the position of instructor of automotive technology. He earned his associate degree in automotive technology from Alfred State and his teacher certification through Buffalo State.

Darrell Stone, of Silver Springs, is a new instructor of heavy equipment — truck and diesel. He holds an associate degree in heavy equipment: truck and diesel technician from Alfred State.

The School of Architecture, Management and Engineering Technology also has five new hires — John Ball, Albert Bitterman, Tabitha Sprau-Coulter, Danielle Bond, and Lenwood Fields.

John Ball, of Alfred, joins the college as an assistant professor of architecture and design. He graduated from Arizona State University with a doctorate in design, environment, and art.

Albert Bitterman, of Buffalo, is now in the position of associate professor of architecture and design. He earned his doctorate in American studies from the University of Buffalo.

Tabitha Sprau-Coulter is a new assistant professor of civil engineering. She has a Ph.D. in architectural engineering from Penn State College.

Danielle Bond, of Alfred Station, is now an assistant professor of mechanical and electrical engineering. She earned her doctorate in mechanical engineering from the University of Pittsburgh.

Lenwood Fields is as an assistant professor of mechanical and electrical engineering. He holds a doctorate in electrical and computer engineering from Florida State University College of Engineering.

The Division of Administration and Enrollment has welcomed three new employees — Jessica Parks, Jan Baldwin, and Anna Shutt.

Jessica Parks, of Hornell, is a new keyboard specialist.

Jan Baldwin, of Bolivar, is now in the position of keyboard specialist. She earned a bachelor's degree in business/distributive education from the

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OBITUARIES

Arlene D. Emo had operated dairy farm with husband

ARLENE D. EMO
Enjoyed quilting, flower garden
HORNELL—Arlene D. Emo, 86, of 110 Elizabeth Street, Hornell, passed away peacefully Saturday (Aug. 23, 2014) at St James Mercy Hospital.
Born in Naples, Feb. 6, 1928, she was a longtime area resident. On Aug. 31, 1946 she married Walter Raymond Emo, and was predeceased by him on Aug. 25, 2011, lacking just six days of being married 65 years.
Arlene and Walt owned and operated a dairy farm for many years, and were members of the

Canisteo Grange, as well as several other rural farm organizations and was also a member of the Arkport First Presbyterian Church. Arlene enjoyed quilting, spending countless hours in her expansive flower garden and was an avid reader.
She was predeceased by her husband, Walter; her son, Michael Emo in 1989; and her half brother, Skip Stockweather.
She is survived by her granddaughter, Rachel (Jesse) Kernan of Almond, a grandson, Raymond Emo, and two great-grandchildren, Stuart and

Cameron Kernan.
A funeral service was held at 1:30 p.m. Friday, August 29 at the Arkport Presbyterian Church, with Rev. Steve Jewell officiating. Burial was in Rogersville Forrest Lawn Cemetery.
To send a remembrance visit <http://www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com/>. The family is being assisted by Chester A. Gosper IV director.
Friends may make memorial contributions to: Guiding Eyes for the Blind, or the American Heart Association.

Curtiss was Kappa Sigma Epsilon brother at ASC

CRAIG S. CURTISS
Kappa Sigma Epsilon Brother
WAYLAND—Craig S. Curtiss, 43, passed away Monday afternoon, August 25, 2014 at his home in Rochester following a courageous battle with cancer.
Craig was born Dec. 10, 1970, in Dansville, the son of Ruth LeVesque and Lawrence Curtiss. He grew up in the Wayland area, spent a couple years in Atlanta, GA, and for the last several years in Rochester. He was employed as a heavy equipment operator at Woodstone Construction in Palmyra. He enjoyed operating the heavy equipment, especially the bulldozer. Craig also enjoyed working on his own as he owned a couple of rental properties that often needed his attention. His hobbies included hunting, fishing and snowmobiling.
Craig attended high school at Wayland Central and college at Alfred State. He was a proud and dedicated brother of Kappa Sigma Epsilon. He was involved

with the alumni and assisted and mentored the younger brothers of the fraternity. He will be dearly missed by his brothers of Kappa Sigma Epsilon and sisters of Delta Chi Omega.
Craig's courage, determination and strength throughout his illness were heralded by his family and friends as they were all honored and privileged to call Craig their son, brother and friend.
Craig was predeceased by his maternal grandparents, Addie and Percy LeVesque; and his paternal grandparents, Clarence and Martha Curtiss; along with several aunts and uncles.
He is survived by his mother, Ruth LeVesque (Carl Hoffman) of Piffard; his brothers, Matthew Curtiss of Denver, CO, and Mark Curtiss of Denver, CO; his girlfriend, Gillian Pielow of West Henrietta; his father, Lawrence Curtiss; his uncles and aunts, Carlton LeVesque of Wayland, Robert LeVesque of Atlanta, Milton (Nancy)

LeVesque of Atlanta, Ken LeVesque of Canandaigua, David (Tina) LeVesque of Cohocton, Carol "Cubby" Campbell of Wayland, Judy Gaedeke of Atlanta, Joan LeVesque of Mt. Sherman, KY, Jim Curtiss of Painted Post, Richard Curtiss of Springwater and John (Donna) Curtiss of Wayland; several cousins; and his Sharp'ei dog, "Henry Wrinkler!"
Craig's family and friends called Thursday, August 28 at the St. George-Stanton Funeral Home, 109 West Naples St., Wayland. A funeral service was celebrated for Craig Friday, August 29 at the funeral home. Interment and committal prayers were at Clearview Cemetery in North Cohocton at the convenience of his family. Memorial contributions in Craig S. Curtiss's memory may be made to the Vincent House, 310 Second Ave., Wayland, N.Y. 14572 or to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718.

Etta N. Poyer had served as RN at various facilities

ETTA N. POVER
Former Almond resident, RN
ALMOND—Etta N. Poyer, 93, formerly of 3176 Karr Valley Rd, Almond, passed away peacefully Tuesday (Aug. 26, 2014) at Ira Davenport Hospital in Dansville.
Born in Arkport, July 17, 1921, the daughter of Lloyd and Nettie (Ayers) Shull, she was a lifelong area resident, living in Hornell, Canisteo, Arkport and West Almond. Etta was an RN retiring from Sonyea Mental Hospital, and had also worked at St. James Mercy, the former Bethesda Hospital, and Foote's Nursing Home. She enjoyed cro-

cheting, animals (especially cats), crafts and flowers.
She was predeceased by her parents; her husband, Carl Poyer in 2004; two sisters, Betty Hoad, and Beatrice Vicardi; two brothers, Oakland Roberts and Lloyd Baird, and her daughter-in-law, Pennie Poyer.
She is survived by three sons, Arland (Evelyn) Hanning of Bath, Garold Poyer of Hornell, Philip (Jenny) Poyer of Valdosta, GA; a daughter, Theresa (Vincent) Battaglia of Lebanon, OH; 12 grandchildren, several great-grandchildren, and also great-great-grandchildren.

The family was present Thursday, August 28 at the Bender - Brown & Powers Funeral Home, 354 Canisteo St, in Hornell. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Marys Roman Catholic Church in Bath Friday, August 29 with Father James Jaeger, and Deacon Dave LaFortune as celebrants. A luncheon at the Church followed the Mass. Burial was in Arkport Cemetery.
To send a remembrance visit <http://www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com/>. The family is being assisted by Chester A. Gosper IV director.

Former Andover resident Evelyn Bronson dies at 94

EVELYN J. BRONSON
Former Andover resident
CANANDAIGUA—Evelyn J. (Stowell) Bronson, age 94, formerly of Andover, passed away Sunday (Aug. 24, 2014), at her home.
She is survived by her husband of 71 years, Glenn E. Bronson; four daughters, Patricia (Gary) Woodard, Connie (Alfred) Ward, Gail (Penn) Sheldon and Elaine (Dennis) Burrows; nine grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Alice Peterson and Edna Kornbau; several nieces and nephews; and

many dear friends and neighbors. She was predeceased by two sisters.
Friends called from 6-8 p.m. Wednesday, August 27 at Johnson-Kennedy Funeral Home, Inc., 47 N. Main St., Canandaigua. A funeral service was held at 11 a.m. Thursday, August 28 at the funeral home. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery, Lindley. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Lindley-Presho Volunteer Fire Dept., 9541 Tannery Creek Rd., Lindley, NY 14858. Condolences may be of-

fered at www.johnsonkennedy.com.

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Everyone from New York who joins the Arbor Day Foundation in September will receive 10 free trees as part of the Foundation's Trees for America program. The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between October 15 and December 10. The 6- to 12-inch trees are guaranteed to

grow or they will be replaced free of charge. Easy-to-follow planting instructions are enclosed with each shipment of trees. New members of the Arbor Day Foundation will also receive The Tree Book, which includes information about tree planting and care. To receive the 10 free trees, send a \$10 membership contribution to Ten Trees, Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, NE 68410, by September 30, 2014, or join online at arbor-day.org/september.


Beginning Oct. 1, Jones Memorial Hospital and the UR Medicine are collaborating on an Ear, Nose, and Throat (ENT) Clinic in Wellsville. Dr. Brendan O'Brien, a physician in the Department of Otolaryngology at UR Medicine, will consult and treat patients at JMH on a regular basis. He will see patients in his office at Jones Memorial Hospital every Tuesday and surgeries will be scheduled for every other Monday. A graduate of Stony Brook University School of Medicine, Dr. O'Brien completed his residency at the University of Rochester Medical Center before joining the Otolaryngology Department. To find out if Dr. O'Brien can help you, talk to your provider or call 585.596.2041 to make an appointment.


ALFRED
Weather for the Week
August 26-Sept. 1

August	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
26	76	49	0	
27	82	51	0	
28	80	55	0	
29	67	42	0	
30	73	43	0	
31	83	52	0.15"	
Sept. 1	70	60	0.30"	

August Summary
Average High: 74
Average Low: 50
Highest: 83 (Aug. 31)
Lowest: 42 (Aug. 16 and 29)
Total Precipitation: 3.41 inches
By JOHN BUCKWALTER
Alfred Area Weather Recorder

Not Your Usual Yard Sale
Vintage 30s chair, wicker table, wicker side board, portable kitchen island w/drop leafs and wheels, mid-century vanity dresser, 1920s hand painted buffet, wicker chair, wicker rocker, lamps, small desk, doll house, board games, carpenters chest, bench, Portrait by Robert Turner, large prints, Weller potter, Vintage look Crosley stereo system with record player, CD, cassette player and radio, misc. and much more.
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Baker's Bridge talk on 'Eva Champlin'

ALFRED STATION—The first fall meeting of the Baker's Bridge Historical Society will begin at 7:30 pm on Monday, Sept. 15 at the "Meeting House" which is located at 5971 Hamilton Hill Road in Alfred Station.

When most Alfredians hear the name Champlin, the first thing that comes to mind is the former Champlin House on Church Street in Alfred. Our presenter on Sept. 15 is Amie Acton who will not however be speak-

ing about this house. Instead she will be focusing her talk on a woman who lived in Alfred named Evangeline (Eva) St. Clair Champlin. Amie will present facts about this woman who took what might have been an ordinary little life and created and contributed to ideas much larger than herself. Both then and now Eva St. Clair Champlin can be considered an extraordinary woman and someone we in this area can proudly call "Ours".

Other topics for the coming months include Quest Farms, local food movement, Wee Playhouse History, Timber Framing, Arlington Cemetery, The Bolivar Oil Museum and Fabrics and Textiles. Our meetings are usually held on the the third Monday of the month. All those interested in the history of the area are invited to attend. For more information about our Association please refer to www.bakers-bridge.org.

Almond Community Day set for Saturday

ALMOND— Plans are being finalized for this year's Almond Community Day that will be held Saturday, Sept. 6 in Almond.

The day starts with vendors in the village park beginning at 8 a.m. The parade is scheduled to step off from Karndale Avenue down Main Street at 10 a.m. Other events include a chicken barbecue at 12 noon and a children's pedal tractor pull at 12:30 p.m. The fire department will also hold a boot drive following the parade.

Hornell native Eric Carlin will

provide vocal and instrumental entertainment in the park gazebo from 1 to 4 p.m. Eric is a talented and seasoned performer, an Eastman School of Music graduate and currently teaches music. There will also be children's games and activities in the park.

This is a community event with civic groups offering a variety of food options for sale including coffee and donuts, hot dogs and Italian sausage sandwiches, pulled pork sandwiches, nachos, ice cream sundaes, snow cones and chicken BBQ and

baked goods. Other food items will also be available including french fries.

There will undoubtedly be yard sales throughout the village and a book sale is planned at the Almond Library.

Vendor space is still available by contacting Julie Ormsby at 607-382-5097. Those interested in participating in the parade should contact Brian McCaffrey at 607-382-5533. Marching groups, floats, bicycles, classic and antique cars, etc. are welcome.

General information can also be obtained by contacting co-chairmen Emily Ormsby (607-587-8747) or Andy Hulbert (607-382-6340). Plan now to come and enjoy the day.

'Ask a Lawyer Day' planned at OFA

BELMONT--Are you over 60 years of age and need legal advice? The Allegany County Office for the Aging will hold an "Ask a Lawyer Day" on Thursday, Sept. 18 and Thursday, Sept. 25. Joseph Miller, Attorney at Law, will be available at the Office for the Aging for 30 minute appointments to discuss any legal issues you may have. Please call the Office for the Aging at 585-268-9390 to make an appointment. In order to assist Mr. Miller in preparing for these appointments, callers will be asked for the reason for their visit.

SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ
Alfred Sun Columnist

Grill those hidden extra large zucchini

Here is a good recipe for using up the zucchini that grow extra large while hiding under the leaves in the garden. They should not be peeled and should be cut lengthwise in long slices.

The recipe is from a tiny 1995 cookbook from Bon Appetit called *Fast and Easy-Quick Recipes For Busy Cooks*. It makes four servings.

Grilled Zucchini

- 3 large zucchini cut into 1/2 inch thick slices
- 3 T. olive oil
- 2 T. chopped fresh oregano
- 2 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 tsp. chopped fresh rosemary
- salt and pepper

Prepare barbecue (med.-high heat). Brush zucchini slices with oil. Sprinkle both sides of slice with oregano, garlic and rosemary. Season slices generously with salt and pepper. Grill until zucchini is tender, about 4 minutes per side.

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And autumn's best of cheer."
— Helen Hunt Jackson

Thursday Sept. 4
SUNNY
(HIGH 80 – LOW 57)
Chance of precipitation.....10%

Friday Sept. 5
PM SHOWERS
(HIGH 80– LOW 59)
Chance of precipitation.....30%

Saturday Sept. 6
AM SHOWERS
(HIGH 77 – LOW 58)
Chance of precipitation.....40%

Sunday Sept. 7
PM SHOWERS
(HIGH 69 - LOW 53)
Chance of precipitation.....50%

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Scene About Alfred

A weekly photo feature
By SHERRY VOLK
Alfred Sun Columnist



They're baaaaack! Alfred is buzzing with the wonderful vibes and energy of a new school year. This colorful scene featured large beach towels and a wilting palm tree (far right on the balcony) on the beautiful old Savings and Loan building on Main Street, Alfred.

OES to meet Sept. 10, plan pan steak dinner

ALMOND—Summer is over and it is time for meetings and fellowship to resume. The first regular meeting of this fall for Kanakadea-McArthur Chapter #242, Order of the Eastern Star, will be held at Fraternities Hall on Karr Valley Road, Almond on Wednesday, Sept. 10.

Preceding the meeting will be a dish-to-pass dinner at 6:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring a dish-to-share. Dinner ware, beverages and dessert will be provided by Gloria Griffin and

her committee.

The meeting will start at 7:30 p.m. with several items of business and summer activities to be discussed.

All Eastern Star and Masonic members of good standing are invited to attend and help make plans for the upcoming public dinner.

The Alfred Fraternal Association of Kanakadea-McArthur Chapter #242, OES and University Lodge #230 will serve a public Pan Steak Dinner Friday,

Sept. 12 at the Lodge building, Karr Valley Road, Almond. Dinners include pan steak and gravy, real mashed potatoes, vegetable, roll, dessert and beverage. Prices for adults are \$8 while children under 12 are \$4. Serving starts at 4:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. or all is gone. Proceeds go towards upkeep of Fraternities Hall. There is plenty of parking in the rear of the building. For direction or more information, call Mary-Lou Cartledge, 587-8071.

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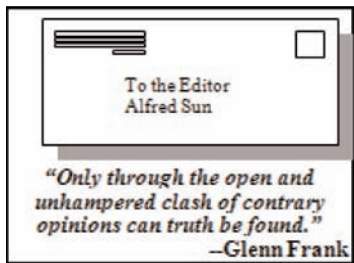
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Medicare coverage

To the Editor:

Today, for the third time I am receiving a flier in the mail from our current Congressman Tom Reed where he again recommends to seniors the managed care service called "Medicare Advantage"-- nice name- but not chosen by many of us seniors for good reason.

The managed care options may provide small benefits like glasses but it will not permit the choosing of a hospital or a spe-

cialist by the patient. In managed care those decisions are made by the primary doctor using the specific specialists and hospitals that are signed up with each particular managed care plan. This is ok for patients who do not want to control their own medical care and totally trust the primary doctor.

However, if the patient for example has relatives in Buffalo but not in Rochester, they might prefer to go to a hospital where their friends live and can offer a room for relatives. Or they might want to go to a specialist who is accepting Medicare (which most doctors do) and who is recommended by a trusted friend or has been researched by the patient on the internet.

Last December, I personally chose to have a cancer surgery at

the Sloan Kettering Institute in NYC because it is ranked the best in the country as well as the best in the world. I was accepted there with Medicare no matter what state I live in. However, I received a letter from Sloan Kettering that they would not be able to treat me if I signed up for Medicare Advantage or any other managed care option-- just Medicare.

I ended up paying \$26 dollars for biopsy, pathology, surgery everything else was paid by Medicare. I am very satisfied with plain Medicare and I also pay for AARP Supplemental Insurance as Medicare only pays 80%. Of course I had to pay for transportation and staying overnight in NYC and I was helped by the hospital social worker to find an inexpensive but acceptable lodging and the peace of mind that I was treated by the top doctors was worth it.

Managed Care plans, including Medicare Advantage are designed to make a profit and they do that by billing more to the US government than Medicare costs. That is why the government is trying to reduce the money going to these plans as they add to the government deficit and do not offer the flexibility of Medicare.

Sincerely

Gudrun Scott RN

We welcome letters!

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Sun Spots



The Deep-Sea Acorn Worm: Not Just Another Pretty Face at the Bottom of the Ocean

It glides along the bottom of the deepest, darkest seas,
Dining on detritus drifting down -- rich potpourris
Of silt and mud and engine sludge and maybe bits of cheese --
Not caring if it's sterile or it's full of dread disease,
And which comes to them despite a lack of "thank you" and of "please".

The female of this critter wears its ovaries outside --
Where by all potential suitors they are sure to be espied --
A condition more advanced girl-species never would abide,
Their derrieres and waists and hips already plenty wide...
But you didn't hear ME say that -- if I did, well then you lied.

Imagine all the teasing teenage acorn girl-worms face
From teenage acorn boy-worms (such as acorn girl-worms chase --
Though out loud they claim the boy-worms are a deep-sea alien race):
The acorn boys low-five while making cracks vile, crude, and base --
"Check the ovaries on THAT one!" -- with a smirk on each one's face.

So I guess that you could say the acorn worm's like reg'lar folk:
They slave all day, come home, sit down, and grab themselves a coke,
And gripe about the worm-race, and 'bout how they're always broke.
But...the deep-sea acorn worm's the only answer to the joke,
"What acorn's mating ritual does not produce an oak?"

—Acorn A. Mouse



Snyde remarks

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Where did August go?

Football season is upon us. A lot has changed in Alfred over the past fifty years. But I still remember, like it was yesterday, the "Miracle at Merrill."

You see, Coach Alex Yunevich's boys had suffered their greatest loss on Nov. 4, 1963 on University Field in Selinsgrove, PA. A vaunted Susquehanna University Crusaders football team, coached by 30-year-old Jim Garrett, was rolling. An ambitious SU president vowed to double the small college's enrollment and take its athletic teams to the big-time.

The Saxons, meanwhile, after opening with two wins over up-state rivals, fell on hard times with injuries decimating Yuni's squad. The Saxons fought admirably at the start, trailing just 8-0 after the opening quarter. But by halftime, the Crusaders were up 30-0. And Alex, realizing his boys still had another game to play, fielded his younger players in the second half. With each score, a cannon was fired and by the end of the game, the AU squad and its fans felt as if they'd taken a wrong turn on those Pennsylvania roads and ended up in Gettysburg. Final score: Susquehanna 68, Alfred 0.

Coach Garrett apologized to Alex after the game but Yunie assured the young coach, "Don't worry about it, we'll see you next year in Alfred."

Fast forward a year. It's Oct. 31, 1964. Merrill Field, with a vocal crowd of more than 3,000 gathered, watched as Susquehanna, like the year before, marched down the field to take an 8-0 first quarter lead. The Saxons stumbled and failed to move the ball. Déjà vu? But a turnover or two and the Saxons began to gain confidence and by halftime, punched in a score to pull to within 8-6.

At the start of the second half, students formed a funnel from the fieldhouse at the north end of the field and cheered the Saxons as they came out for the second half. They responded by outplaying the Crusaders and when all was said and done, the scoreboard read: Alfred 18, Susquehanna 16.

The 1963 and 1964 Alfred University football teams will be honored at Homecoming on Saturday, Oct. 18 on Merrill Field at Yunevich Stadium. A good number of the players plan to return and I, for one, will join in the cheers for those Saxons who performed the "Miracle at Merrill!"



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FROM THE DESK OF DAVID PULLEN

By DAVID PULLEN
Allegany County Legislator



A WHOLE LOT GOING ON

The August 25th meeting of the Allegany County Legislature was loaded with information and issues. After several "light" agendas and short meetings, we had a loaded agenda and lengthy meeting. Former Marine Corporal Walter Berry opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Since his active duty service in the early 1970s he has remained active in the American Legion at several levels. He remains a dedicated volunteer.

The Board considered 18 different resolutions. Resolution #143-14 authorized refunding bonds originally issued to pay for the Public Safety Building (Jail). The County originally issued \$23.170 million of bonds in 2006, but has paid them down to approximately \$17.485 million. Since 2006 interest rates have declined and the County's bond rating has improved significantly. Those two factors allowed us to seek bids for new bonds to refund the balance due on the original bonds. The bid that was accepted will save the County more than \$900,000 over the next 15 years. I applaud County Treasurer Terri Ross and Administrator Mitch Alger for their efforts in locking in these significant savings for the County and taxpayers.

Resolution #144-14 approved the sale of 12 different tax parcels through the tax foreclosure process. Resolution #145-14 approved the sale of old County Road #30 to Ravyn & Robyn Vineyards, LLC. Resolution #146-14 changed the regular Board meeting date from September 22nd to September 25th. The change was made to allow several legislators to attend a NYSAC Conference being held in Buffalo on September 22nd through 24th. Resolution #147-14 created the position of Assistant to the County Administrator and set the salary grade for that position. Resolution #148-14 created one full-time position of Aging Services Technician in the Office For the Aging ("OFA"). This was needed to deal with increased caseload and more burdensome state regulations. Resolution #149-14 approved the purchase of a parcel of land in Rushford, for \$4,000, adjacent to the County Highway Department facility.

Resolution #150-14 established maximum rates for the Department of Social Services ("DSS") for burials and cremations of persons who die after August 31, 2014. The DSS Commissioner

and County Administrator had negotiated rates that are significantly under market rates. Also, the County will only cover the cost of cremation. If families or friends wish to have a burial (more expensive) they must cover the difference on their own. Numerous resolutions accepted and appropriated funds for various county offices and programs. They included the following:

- #151-14 accepted and appropriated an insurance payment of \$506.85 from NYMIR for damage to an OFA van;
- #152-14 accepted and appropriated additional TANF Summer Youth Funding in the amount of \$9,074;
- #153-14 accepted and appropriated \$59,035 in grant funds for the Public Defender's Office. Those funds will be used to pay for a Third Assistant Public Defender position;
- #154-14 accepted and appropriated \$8,339.65 in grant funds for the Sheriff's Department to purchase new and replacement body armor vests for law enforcement personnel;
- #155-14 accepted and appropriated \$2,866 in federal funds for the OFA Ombudsman Program;
- #156-14 accepted and appropriated \$17,179 in grant funds for the OFA Transportation and Wellness in Nutrition program;
- #157-14 accepted a Probation State Aid Block Grant of \$151,101 for the Probation Department, representing funds that were expected and already included in the 2014 budget;
- #158-14 accepted and appropriated \$5,998 in State funds for the Probation Department Alternatives to Incarceration program.

Resolution #159-14 approved an amendment to the Agreement between the County Fair and County for storage and display of County Museum holdings. Resolution #160-14 approved an agreement with the State Department of Agriculture and Markets that will pay us \$4,480 to administer the State Petroleum Product Quality Program. Resolution #161-14 approved the Local Plan for the Cattaraugus-Allegany Workforce Investment Board for 2014-2015.

Clearly a lot is going on. Fortunately most of it is beneficial to Allegany County. We continue our efforts to save money wherever and however we can. After all, that's our job.

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'Exploring Equality Through Art' to kick off

ALFRED—Alfred University's (AU) Drawn to Diversity 2014-15 Activist-Artist Series – "Exploring Equality Through Art" – kicks off Wednesday, Sept. 17, with illustrator/activist Vishavjit Singh. His talk, open to the public, begins at 8:20 a.m. in Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center.

At 12:20 p.m., the public is invited to join in on a career talk, also in Nevins Theater. This will be an interview-style conversation about career choices, logistics, funding, and the education recommended for success as an artist and activist.

Later in the day, at 3:20 p.m. the University's Drawn to Diversity Class and Club will be in Nevins Theater for a hands-on activity inspired by the visiting artist's work. All are welcome.

All of the sessions with Singh are free of charge.

Singh, a survivor of the 1984 genocidal killings of Sikhs in India, creates political cartoons that focus on the latest social, economic, and religious developments within the Sikh community and around the world. He also uses CosPlay,

or costume role playing, to engage audiences in his lively presentations. His cartoons are created weekly and appear on his website, www.Sikhtoons.com.

Singh studied biological sciences at the University of California-Santa Barbara and earned a master's degree in biostatistics/epidemiology from the University of California-Berkeley. He currently resides in New York.

The "Exploring Equality Through Art" series will feature artists throughout the academic year, including Dr. Ian Wilson, radiologist and activist, in November 2014; Jeff Shang, photographer and activist, in January 2015; and Luana Génot, fashion designer and activist, in March 2015. The series is co-sponsored by the AU Student Senate and the School of Art and Design.

Drawn to Diversity was founded in 2006 at AU with the mission to combine creativity and social justice to promote equality, reduce violence, and strengthen communities. The group, known as the Art Force Five, leads community-based art projects, creativity workshops, and engaging history exhibits.



Vishavjit Singh, illustrator/activist, is a survivor of the 1984 genocidal killings of Sikhs in India. He will be spending Wednesday, Sept. 17 on the Alfred University campus presenting three sessions related to his work as an activist and artist. All sessions are open to the public free of charge. (Photo provided)

'Art of High Chair Fine Dining' exhibit in Michigan

The Dinnerware Museum, located in Ann Arbor, will present the exhibition The Art of High Chair Fine Dining from Sept. 2-29, 2014 at the Ladies' Literary Club at 218 N. Washington Street in Ypsilanti, Michigan. Daily hours are 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Admission is free and tours are welcome. A public reception will be held Saturday, Sept. 6, 2-4 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

This special exhibition offers three perspectives on how babies and small children dined in the past and how they could dine in the future. Although there has been dinnerware for thousands of years, and babies and museums for a long time, this is possibly the first exhibition of its type featuring dinnerware created specifically for the high chair or booster chair diner.

The exhibition is both historic and contemporary in character. Historical and vintage baby food warmers, dish sets, cups, and implements will be displayed. Materials represented in the exhibition include work created from ceramic, metal, plastic, paper, vinyl, and glass. Some of the leading designers of the 20th century are represented as well as some items that can best be described as "fun" or "kitsch." Creations by noted designer Eva Zeisel will be featured including a child's plate from her Wee Modern set produced in 1953, but originally designed for her own children in the late 1940s. Some of



Linn Phelan (1906-1992), baby bowl and cup, 1932, earthenware, painted and glazed. On loan from Baggs Memorial Library, the Ohio State University

the work is beautiful, some of it involves great design and some vintage dish decorative motifs might be considered "politically incorrect" by 2014 standards.

Baby dinnerware that is sure to evoke some memories,

is a chrome cereal bowl issued by Quaker Oats in celebration of the birth in 1934 of the first ever surviving set of quintuplets—the Dionne babies born in Ontario, Canada. A complete set of five silver plate commemorative spoons is also included with the names of the Dionne quintuplets – Yvonne, Marie, Cecile, Annette, and Emilie. Two of the quintuplets survive today.

The contemporary portion of the exhibition includes work by leading contemporary artists in the U.S., Canada, and Australia, who were invited to exhibit their own baby ware creations for this special exhibition. Artists include Léopold Foulem, Val Cushing, Linn Phelan, Rebecca Harvey, Mark Burns, Frank Martin, John Neely, Josh DeWeese, Janet DeBoos, Linda Sikora, Ayumi Horie, John Glick, and Julia Galloway. These notable artists have created baby place settings, tea sets, cups and bowls, as well as thought-provoking sculpture relating to babies and their dining implements.

The third portion of the exhibition is an open juried section.

Refreshments for the reception were funded in part by Plum Market and Trader Joe's of Ann Arbor. Raffle prizes were furnished by Elephant Ears in Ann Arbor. The Dinnerware Museum, founded in 2012 in Ann Arbor, remains a pop-up phenomena in the region while it searches for permanent exhibition space. For more information or to schedule a tour visit www.dinnerwaremuseum.org or 734-780-7323 (cell 607-382-1415).



Val Cushing (1931-2013), child's dinnerware set, ca. 2011-2012, porcelain, glazed, on loan from Elsie Cushing. (Photo provided)



Andover China, Andover, NY, decorated by M.J. Estes, baby cup, china, glazed and hand-painted. The Dinnerware Museum 2014.95, Gift of Mary Beth Sootheran of Andover House.

Cultural Arts Calendar



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. Concerts for 2014 include July 9, July 16, July 23 and July 30. The band is directed by Dr. Christopher Foster. Come and bring a friend and enjoy an evening of music on the Alfred Village Green.

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. Café opens early for dinner, espresso, wine & beer, Scrabble & chess. **Music Schedule:** Thursday, July 3—Acoustic Open Mic Night; Friday, July 4—Closed for Independence Day; Saturday, July 5—Miche Fambro, songwriter; July 11—Michael Lorow; July 12—Joe Bellanti; July 18—Jeff Varga; July 19—Diana Braithwaite and Chris Whiteley; July 25—Jose Jogo Gomez; July 26—Nikki Talley & Jason Sharp. Music begins at 7:30 p.m. Café open 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. for meals, espresso, beer, wine, desserts. **Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe**, 22 W. Main St., Angelica. Call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

Hornell Area Wind Ensemble Rehearsals Tuesday evenings at Hornell Intermediate School. New members are always welcomed. For further information, call Nancy Luger at 587-9449 or 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.maplecitybowl.net Or call 607-324-1011.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers live music most Saturday evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 5:30 p.m. For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

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

Maple City (Barbershoppers) Chorus Meetings 7:30 p.m. Mondays at United Methodist Church of Hornell, 7528 North Main St Ext., Hornell. New members welcome. Call 276-6835 for info.

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

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

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers Coffee Houses nightly Monday-Thursday 7:30-10:30 p.m. with Movies on Mondays, Acoustic Campfire on Tuesdays, Open Mic Night every Wednesday 7 to 9:30 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 Carillonneur.

Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series at Davis Memorial

Carillon, AU campus. Free concerts on the lawn 7-8 p.m. Tuesday evenings in July. Guest carillonists include:
--Tuesday, July 8 from 7-8 p.m., Vera Wuensche
--Tuesday, July 15 from 7-8 p.m., Tin-shi Tam
--Tuesday, July 22 from 7-8 p.m., Laura Ellis
--Tuesday, July 29 from 7-8 p.m., Klaas RR de Haan
Area residents are invited to bring chairs and sit on the lawn near the carillon. The Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series honors Dr. Ray Winthrop Wingate, who was a professor of music at Alfred University for 56 years. After the installation of the bells in 1937, he was appointed the university carillonneur and continued in the position until his death. He arranged more than 5,000 selections for the carillon and composed nine suites. The recital series is funded by the Margaret Merrill and Ray W. Wingate Memorial Carillon Foundation.



Theater & Dance

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

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

5821.

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

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

PERFORMANCES
Alfred Community Theatre will present **PASTRIES AND PASTICHE:** "A Smorgasbord of Sweets, a Medley of Mousse and a Salute to the US of A" at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, July 20 and 7:30 p.m. Monday, July 21 at the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater in Alfred Village Hall. Next meeting of ACT will be held at 5 p.m. Wednesday, June 18 in the Alfred Station SDB Church Christian Education Building, Main Street, Alfred Station. If you'd like to participate, contact Janna Buckwalter at 607-382-0524 or email her at janna.buckwalter@gmail.com



Art/Galleries

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

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

Artist Knot. 36 Main Street, An-

dover. Gallery Hours by appointment. (607) 478-5100.

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

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

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

MUSEUMS/EXHIBITS
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. Exhibit hours are Mon., Tues., Fri. from 10 a.m.-12 noon and 2-4 p.m. or by appointment. For info or group arrangements, call 585-268-5951 or visit our website at: www.thefountainartscenter.org

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. Open daily 9-5.

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

Glenn H. Curtiss Museum 8419

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

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

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

Hinkle Memorial Library Gallery. Alfred State College Campus. Open during library hours, 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Fridays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturdays and 3-9 p.m. Sundays.

Inamori Kiyocera Museum of Fine Ceramics. The newly constructed museum focuses on fine ceramics used in technical and bio-medical applications. Open 10-4 Wed.-Fri. Free admission.

The Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art at Alfred. Located on the top floor of Binns-Merrill Hall, AU campus, Alfred. Open 10-4 Wed. thru Fri. Free Admission. For information call the Museum at 607-871-2421; or visit the museum website: www.ceramicsmuseum.alfred.edu.

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

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

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

Children's Park renovations planned

Mike Kenyon Children's Park Renovations will take place on Sept 13-14, and 20-21 or 27-28.

Details for volunteer needs along with equipment requests can be found on our Mike Kenyon Children's Park Facebook Page (<https://www.facebook.com/mikekenyonchildrenspark>) or feel free to email the organizers at: mikekenyonchildrenspark@gmail.com.



Almond 20th Century Club Library

What's Happening at Almond Library

By SANDRA ROBINSON

Almond Twentieth Century Club Library Director

Meet us at Almond Community Day! The fun begins with the parade at 10 am; then be sure to try your chances at our Quilt Raffle booth where our beautiful hand-made quilt will be on display. Tickets for the raffle to be held on Election Day are only \$1 each; or 6 tickets for \$5. Your mouth will water all the way to our Sausage Stand where we'll be selling our famously delicious sausages with peppers and onions! Finally, stop by the library for our Book Sale; a good, fairly current selection of books at rock-bottom prices. And, of course, just relax and enjoy all the other booths and activities here in our fair community of Almond!

Mondays 10 am: Preschool Storytime. Stories, songs, and a craft.

Look for our calendar on Facebook or at almondlibrary.org. Library Hours: M, W, Sat 9:30am-1pm. Tu, Th 1-7pm. We geek libraries!

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Cuba First Baptist Church to host Fall Market Sept. 13

CUBA--Get ready... Get set... SHOP! The Cuba First Baptist Church on South Street in Cuba is hosting the 3rd Annual Fall Market from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 13.

With the holiday season fast approaching, what better way to get in the spirit than with a little shopping? The Fall Market is designed to inspire everyone with innovative art, clothing, handmade goods, scrapbooking, and unique gift ideas.

With a wide array of crafts and exciting ideas, visitors can look forward to giving their favorite person a wonderful gift with a very personal touch! Whether it's handcrafted decorations or personalized gifts and keepsakes, shopping for a one of a kind gift is a fun way to spend the day!

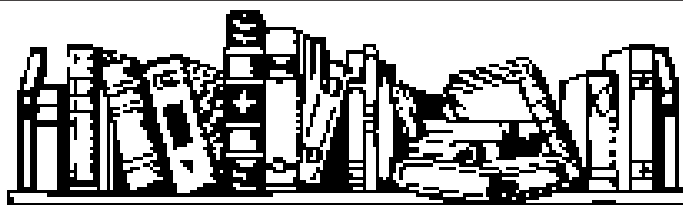
Soup & Sandwich lunch will be available from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Just \$5 gets you a bowl of

homemade soup, sandwich and a drink. No time to stay and eat? Take-outs are available for \$6!

Still looking for something to snack on? Stop at our 'Not Your Everyday Bake Sale.' You are sure to find just the right treat for your sweet tooth! But don't forget the homemade breads, pies, and heat and eat entrees that will

also be available.

Sponsored by the Cuba First Baptist Church's American Baptist Women, this is an indoor event with free admission and plenty of parking. All proceeds benefit ABW programming at Cuba First Baptist Church. For more info, call Lori at 585-307-7064 or lori.e.little@gmail.com.



NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS

By ELIZA ORDWAY

Box of Books Library Director

As you are reading this article I am in Tacoma, Washington getting ready to present at the Association for Rural and Small Libraries Conference. I would like to take a minute to thank all of you who have showed your support of me in the adventure. I am excited to tell the world (literally, there are libraries from around the world attending this conference) about the Alfred Box of Books and the amazing community we are able to serve. The kind words of encouragement and support have helped me push myself to do this.

The library is excited that our new sidewalk has been poured and that our door opener is working as well. We are waiting to get the pavers releveled so we are asking people to execute caution when entering the library.

Coming events at the Box of Books:

September 10th at 2-4 pm Downloading eBooks and Audio Books. Join a class on how to borrow and download FREE library eBooks and Audiobooks! If you have a tablet, like a Kindle Fire, Nook HD, iPad, etc., all you need to bring to class is that device. If you have an eReader such as a Nook Simple Touch, a Kindle Paperwhite, or a Sony eReader, bring it and your laptop. You'll also find out how you can acquire free eBooks that are no longer copyrighted; meaning you can keep them forever! Please give us a call to pre-register, at 607-587-9290, or email oonorr@stls.org. You can also stop by the library and sign up in person.

September 11th at 4:30 BoB's Wise Ol' Owls will kick off the school year by reading *Hoot* by Carl Hiaasen and making duct tape book covers for notebooks. Bring a notebook that you would like to add new life to or use one of ours. Registration is required for this event so we can ensure supplies.

September 13th at 10 As Seen on Pinterest - Cork Crafts

September 14th at 12:30 is Tree S.I. (think CSI) with master gardener Mary Harris

Mark your calendars: The Alfred Box of Books Library will be hosting its Annual Book Sale on September 20th, from 10 am to 3 pm on the Bandstand Lawn across the street from the library. Donations are being accepted for this book sale, please contact the library if you are interested in donating. There will be a Bake Sale hosted by the Friends of the Box of Books that will run through the sale as well. Please contact the library with any questions at 607.587.9290.



Lectures/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 campus.

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.

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. 2014-15 Programs: Sept. 15—"Eva St. Clair Champlin" presented by Arnie Acton; Oct. 20—"Quest Farms & The Local Food Movement," presented by Denny Reynolds; Nov. 17—"Arlington Cemetery" presented by Allegany County Historian Craig Braack; Dec. 8—"Wee Playhouse History" & Dish-to-Pass Dinner at Alfred Station SDB Church; Jan. 19—"Timber Framing History & Practice" presented by Sean Hyland; Feb. 16—"Bolivar Oil History & Museum" presented by Kelly Lounsberry; March 16—"The Stories Fabrics & Textiles Tell" presented by Susan Greene; April 20—"History of the KKK in Alfred" presented by Laurie McFadden. For more information, call President Laurie McFadden, 587-9493. To tour building and/or view exhibits, call Collections Manager Arnie Acton at 587-9119. Visit: www.bakersbridge.org

Bergren Forum. 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Cam-

pus Center, AU campus. Sept. 4—Laurel and John Buckwalter, "What We Learned in a Year About Chinese Higher Education"; Sept. 11—Nancy Furlong, "My Life as an Emergency Medical Technician"; Sept. 18—John Wear, "Using College Centers to Shift Communities and Educate Students"; Sept. 25—Susan Greene, "Calico and the Sturdy Pioneer"; Oct. 2—Laurel Jay Carpenter, "Performance To Go"; Oct. 9—Bill Dibrell, "Intoxications, Altered States, and Flow Experiences"; Oct. 16—Emily Tucker, "Alumni Connections: Emily Tucker '02 and Her Band 'After Jack'"; Oct. 23—Bruce Rosenthal, "Is It Safe To Come Out Yet? The Japanese Ministry of Health's Response to the Hikikomori Syndrome"; Oct. 30—Bob Stein, "Individualism and Race in Peter Matthiessen's *Shadow Country*"; Nov. 6—Ben Howard, "Firewood and Ashes: New and Selected Poems"; Nov. 13—To be announced; Nov. 20—S.K. Sundaram, "Multiphase Ceramics for Nuclear Energy"; Nov. 27—Thanksgiving, Dec. 4—Eva Scilippa, "Saints Inside Dragons: The Bizarre World in the Margins of the Luttrell Psalter." Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available.

Hornell Fortnightly Club. 7:30 p.m. 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 (unless otherwise noted) at 12 noon. For info, call Zoë Coombs at 587-8031.

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



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

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 p.m. on the 8s at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, Main St., Alfred. Tournaments set for 8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 8... you get the idea. To learn more about the card game invented in Alfred, NY, visit: www.str-eight.com



Special Events

Angelica Heritage Days Saturday & Sunday - August 2 & 3 Park Circle - Angelica
Portrayal of Revolutionary soldier & pioneer settler Moses Van Campen. Memorabilia exhibit. Roque (croquet) tournament. Live music. Theme basket auction. Art-

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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 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 Educator Brenda Torrey 585-596-4035.

The Fibromyalgia Support Group

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

Gastric Bypass Support Group. Third 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 McAuley Manor Chapel on the 2nd floor. For info, Chaplain Astuti Bijfeldt 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 bmcormick@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's. For more info, contact Roberta Staub at 607-545-6404 or Donna Boag at 607-295-9852.

OLD SALTS BREAKFAST CLUB, a gathering of veterans, meets every 2nd Tuesday of the month at 8 a.m. at JC's Cafe at the corner of Canisteo and Crosby Streets, Hornell. ALI Navy vets and Marines are invited, plus any others who can tell stories about their services, from World War II until the present time. We have vets from all over the area. For more info, call "Old

Navy" Bob Tripp at 607-295-7753.

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.

Etcetera

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

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

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

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

Deadline

To include your event in this calendar, send information to: Calendar, ALFRED SUN, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802 or e-mail: alfredsnews@gmail.com no later than 5 p.m. Friday.

Event listings should be sent two weeks prior to ensure sufficient notice.

WHAT'S COOKIN'?

Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu Monday, Sept. 8

Three Bean Salad, Chicken Fillet, Baked Potato w/ Sour Cream, Mixed Vegetables, Wheat Bread, Fresh Fruit. Diabetic- Fresh Fruit.

Tuesday, Sept. 9

Lemon Lime Salad, Roast Turkey w/ Gravy, Stuffing, Squash, Dinner Roll, Frosted Pumpkin Bars. Diabetic- Pumpkin Pudding.

Wednesday, Sept. 10

Peaches, Sloppy Joes on a Bun, Broccoli Cheese Soup, Carrots, Gingerbread w/ Lemon Sauce. Diabetic- Apple-sauce.

Thursday, Sept. 11

Pineapple Juice, Baked Ham, Mashed Sweet Potatoes, Peas, Rye Bread, Blueberry Crisp. Diabetic- Pears.

Friday, Sept. 12

Cinnamon Applesauce, Shepard's Pie, California Blend, Corn Bread, Butter-scotch Pudding, Diabetic- Pudding. For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or (toll free 1-866-268-9390) by 2 p.m. on previous day.

ALFRED NUTRITION SITE

Union University Church Center, 12 noon Call Cindy Berry at 607-281-8794.

Monday—10:30-11:30 a.m. Exercises w/ Mary Lou Maxon, lunch at 12 noon.

Wednesday—Exercises w/Mary Lou Maxon 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m., lunch 12 noon.

Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon.

BELMONT NUTRITION SITE

American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m. Call Lila Johnson at 585-268-5380.

Tuesday—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Grandkids." "Show & Tell."

Thursday—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Identity." "Patriots Day."

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE

Fire Hall 12 noon

Call Rita Morris at 585-928-2278
Monday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon.

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

Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon.

CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE

Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon

Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301.

Tuesday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "Bingo." Exercises at 1 p.m.

Thursday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "Buddy Holly's Birthday." Exercises at 1 p.m.

CUBA NUTRITION SITE

AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon

Call Linda Nelson at 585-968-2397

Monday—10:30 "Growing Stronger" Exercises, Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "Buddy Holly's Birth Anniversary." "Call in reservations for evening meal."

Tuesday—Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon.

"Greetings from the Big Grandkids."

Wednesday—Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon.

"Current Topics."

Thursday—10:30 "Growing Stronger" Exercises, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon. "Senior Citizens Meeting."

FILLMORE NUTRITION SITE

Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon

Call Maggie Brown at 585-737-5609

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

Thursday—10:30 "Growing Stronger" Exercises, Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre.

FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE

Community Center, 12 noon

Call Vivian Howell 585-973-2650

Tuesday—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m.

Thursday—10:45 "Growing Stronger" Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Crafts at 1 p.m.

WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE

Community Center, 12 noon

Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.

Monday—Bingo 10:30 am, Lunch 12 noon, Euchre 1 p.m.

Wednesday—Games at 10 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at noon, Euchre at 1 p.m.

Thursday—Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at noon, Canasta at 1 p.m.

Friday—Bingo at 10:30, Lunch at 12 noon, Canasta at 1 p.m.

WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE

Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon

Call Becky Mattison at 607-356-3571.

Monday—10:45 Growing Stronger Exercises, Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Nursery Rhyme Characters," "Greetings from the Big Grandkids."

Tuesday—Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. Game Day. "Wizard Works Word Search." Election Day.

Wednesday—10:45 "Growing Stronger" Exercises. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Remember When Typing Had Sound?"



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A weekly fall feature in which *Alfred Sun* readers attempt to pick the winners of ten small college (Division III) games and ten NFL games each week for 13 weeks during football season.

Also featuring the D3football.com weekly Top 25 and *Alfred Sun* sports columnist and sports authority Doug Lorow's weekly NFL "almost perfect" prognostications.

Doug's NFL Picks

WEEK ONE THURSDAY	
SEAHAWKS	27 Green Bay
SUNDAY	
BEARS	40 Buffalo
RAVENS	17 Cincinnati
STEELERS	24 Cleveland
TEXANS	21 Washington
EAGLES	33 Jacksonville
CHIEFS	24 Tennessee
New England	27 DOLPHINS
JETS	21 Oakland (sadly)
New Orleans	30 FALCONS
BUCS	27 Carolina
San Francisco	33 COWBOYS
RAMS	17 Minnesota
BRONCOS	34 Indianapolis
MONDAY	
CARDINALS	30 San Diego
LIONS	27 NJ Giants

D3football.com Preseason Top 25, 2014

#	School (1st votes)	Rec	Pts	Prev.	Pat Coleman and Keith McMillan will rank all 244 teams in Kickoff 2014! Find out how you can subscribe.
1	UW-Whitewater (25)	15-0	625	1	
2	Mary Hardin-Baylor	13-1	583	2	
3	Mount Union	14-1	580	3	
4	Linfield	11-1	510	4	
5	Wesley	10-3	505	7	
6	North Central (Ill.)	13-1	500	5	
7	Bethel	12-1	491	6	
8	UW-Platteville	10-2	434	9	
9	St. John Fisher	10-3	376	8	
10	John Carroll	9-2	330	13	
11	St. Thomas	8-2	316	20	
12	Hobart	10-1	294	14	
13	Wittenberg	10-2	244	10	
14	Johns Hopkins	10-1	226	12	
15	Rowan	9-3	201	23	
16	Wabash	9-1	191	22	
17	Wartburg	9-3	175	15	
18	UW-Oshkosh	8-2	171	11	
19	Pacific Lutheran	8-2	169	17	
20	Heidelberg	8-2	165	21	
21	Hampden-Sydney	9-3	164	18	
22	Thomas More	9-1	145	25	
23	Ithaca	9-3	140	16	
24	Wheaton (Ill.)	8-2	139	--	
25	Franklin	8-4	75	19	

Others receiving votes: Millsaps 47; Illinois Wesleyan 43; Maryville 35; Lycoming 34; Concordia-Moorhead 32; Redlands 29; Washington and Jefferson 23; St. John's 21; Salisbury 21; Chapman 20; Texas Lutheran 18; Willamette 16; Cortland State 15; Cal Lutheran 9; Guilford 5; Framingham State 2; Muhlenberg 2; Louisiana College 2; Washington U. 1; Wesleyan 1.

The D3football.com Top 25 is voted on by a panel of 25 coaches, Sports Information Directors and media members from across the country, and is published weekly.

Pigskin Picks Football Contest

PIGSKIN PICKS begins once again!

In what has become an *Alfred Sun* tradition, this newspaper is sponsoring the Pigskin Picks Football Contest where readers each week are invited to pick the winners of ten small college (Division III) football and ten NFL games and send them in to join in the competition. It's all for fun. The winner each week is awarded a nominal prize of \$10 but with it go bragging rights.

It's a fun family activity as well...make copies of the entry forms so everyone can participate! Then keep track to see how well everyone's doing.

It's easy to participate! Enter your guesses of winners of 10 college and 10 pro football games

(found in the ads of our sponsors on these pages) and predict the score of the Monday Night Football game as the tiebreaker in the form below. Enter today! Winners are announced each week right here on this page. Don't forget to guess the score for the tiebreaker, the NFL's Monday Night Football game as it many times takes the tiebreaker to declare a champion. The entry form below is due by **5 p.m. Friday, SEPT. 12**. Send entries to: **Pigskin Picks, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802** or take them to the ALFRED SUN mailbox on the porch of the home office located at 764 Route 244. Good luck, all!

Pigskin Picks Entry Form

College Picks Sept. 13 Games

1. _____
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Pigskin Picks Contest Rules

1. Entries must be postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday week of the games.
2. One entry per person on official entry form or facsimile of same.
3. Write team next to number corresponding with games in ads on this form.
4. The person who picks the most games correctly wins. Tiebreaker determined by 1) best point spread; 2) closest total points scored.
5. Weekly winner will be awarded \$10 and bragging rights.
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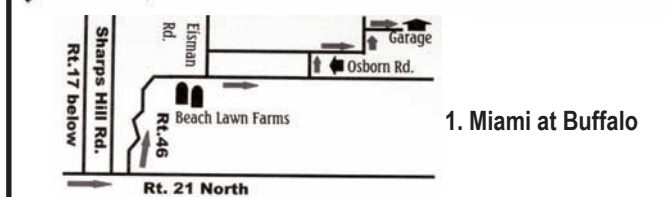
Pro Picks Sept. 14 Games

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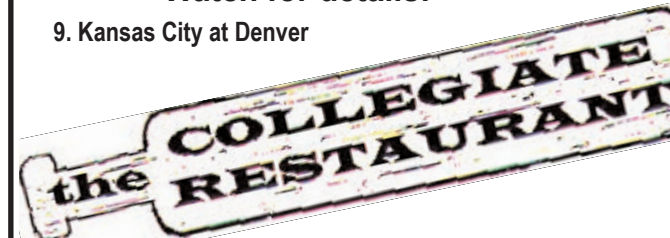
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'Ecstatically Quiet' exhibition featured at Fosdick-Nelson

ALFRED—The Fosdick-Nelson Gallery in the School of Art and Design at Alfred University is proud to present *Ecstatically Quiet* featuring the work of Ron Lambert, Derek Larson and Nikki Painter.

The exhibition includes multiple installations that incorporate a range of media: constructed paintings, animated video projections on shaped screens and architectural components with floral wallpaper. Subtle signs of discontent appear throughout the exhibition in the guise of color and pattern.

There will be an opening reception from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5. The exhibition will continue through Oct. 11. Located on the 3rd floor of Harder Hall, the gallery is open 11 a.m.-4 p.m. weekdays and 1-3 p.m. weekends. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.

For more information contact Sharon McConnell at mcconnells@alfred.edu or visit the gallery website at fosdicknelson.alfred.edu

Ron Lambert received his MFA from the School of Art and Design at Alfred University and is currently an assistant professor at Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA.

Working mainly in video and sculpture, Lambert investigates the intersection between psychology and the environment. He has exhibited his work nationally including shows at the Urban Institute for Contemporary Art, Grand Rapids, MI, the Attleboro Arts Museum, Attleboro, MA, Center on Contemporary Art in Seattle, WA and the Housatonic Museum of Art, Bridgeport, CT.

Derek Larson received his MFA from the Yale School of Art and currently lives and works in Atlanta, GA. He combines digital media with painting, lights, motors, and projected animations on freestanding screens.

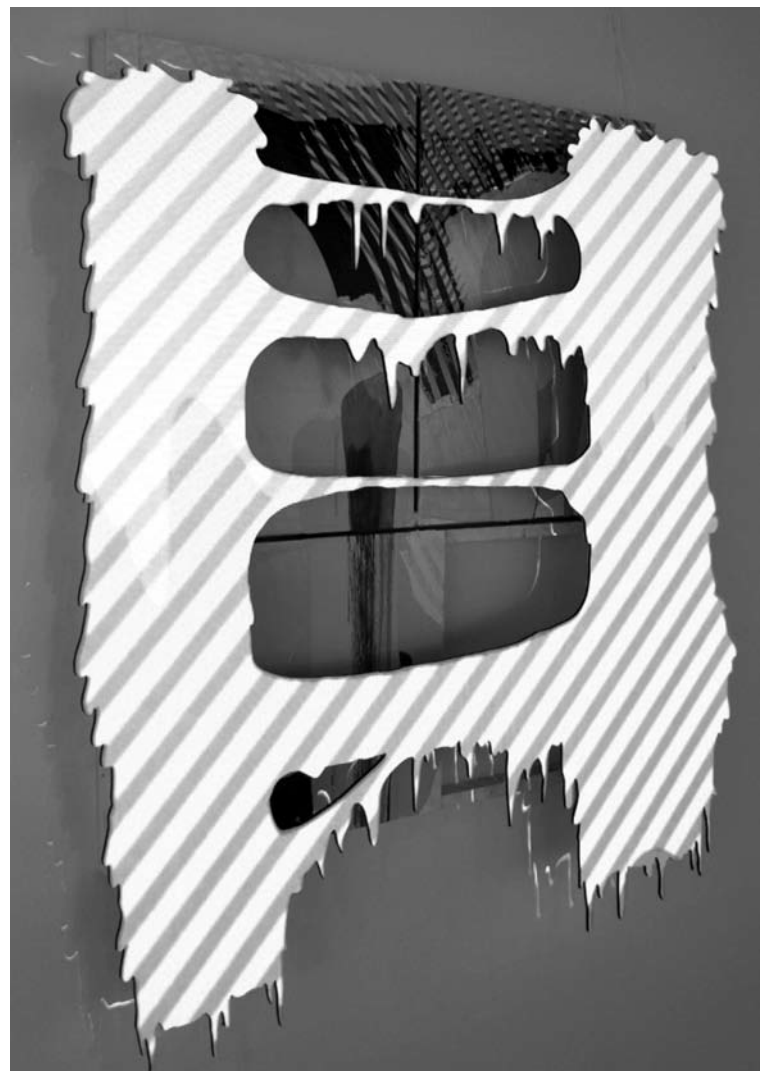
Derek has participated in a number of national and international shows and residencies, with recent exhibitions at Mul-

herin+Pollard (New York City NY), May Gallery, New Orleans, LA, NURTUREart, Brooklyn, and Vox Populi, Philadelphia, PA. His work is featured in the summer issue of *New American Paintings*.

Nikki Painter received her BFA from Virginia Commonwealth University with a concentration in Painting and Printmaking in 2002 and her MFA from American University in 2009. She currently lives and works in Richmond, VA.

Painter is represented by Civilian Art Projects in Washington, D.C. Her work has been shown at COOP, in Nashville, Tennessee, SCOPE in Miami, Florida and at the Museum of Contemporary Art in Virginia Beach, Virginia. Her work was recently featured in the periodical *New American Paintings*.

AT RIGHT: Derek Larson, Beta, 2013, 4'x4'x1', projected animation, aluminum, wood, epoxy, string, acrylic, enamel



Caregivers workshop offered Sept. 4-Oct. 9

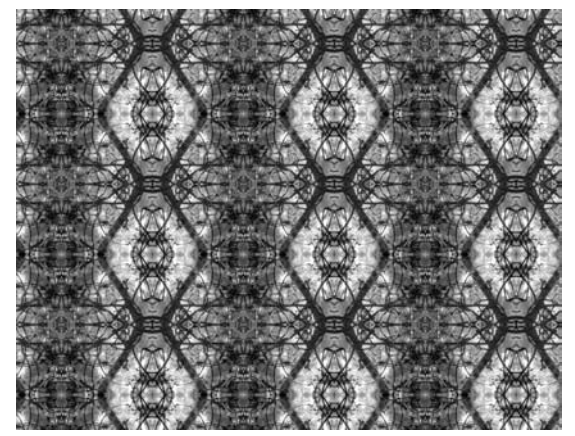
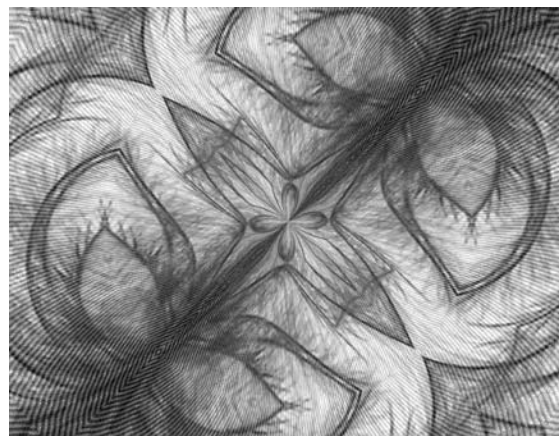
BELMONT--Are you caring for an older person? Are you looking for skills to help you cope? The Allegany County Office for the Aging is offering a free Caregivers Workshop one evening a week starting September 4th and continuing to October 9th. These sessions will give caregivers the tools they need to make their jobs easier and are open to caregivers of all ages.

Topics covered include Estate Planning with Joe Miller, Attorney at Law, Sept. 4; Funeral Planning with John Embser, Funeral Director, Sept. 11; Understanding Alzheimer's & Dementia with Meghan Fadel of the Alzheimer's Association of WNY Sept. 18; Health Care

Proxy vs. MOLST with Tobi Nickerson of OFA and Betty Guinnip of JMH Sept. 25; Scams & Frauds - Don't be Duped! Oct. 2 and Navigating the Financial Waters - Financial Resources & Responsibilities for Seniors Oct. 9 with Jose Soto of AmeriCorps.

All classes will be held from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm at the Allegany County Office for the Aging at 6085 State Route 19N, Belmont.

Area residents may attend any of the sessions that are of interest. A light dinner will be provided, so registration is required. Please contact the Office for the Aging at 585-268-9390 for more information or to register.



Left, Blue Feather and, at right, Geo Pattern.

Photographer displays 'Endpapers' at Hinkle Memorial Library Gallery

ALFRED—Photographer Ann Parker, of Machias, will display a collection titled "Endpapers" from Sept. 3 through Oct. 4 at Alfred State's Hinkle Memorial Library.

According to Parker's exhibition statement, bookmakers in the 1800s employed artists to create patterned pages for the front and back of books, which were called "endpapers." These pages then became works of art themselves, Parker's statement continues, as swirling multi-colored patterns and hand-drawn designs evolved from various techniques used by artists.

"I was inspired by these endpapers and began taking photos of them," Parker said. "I gradually added three-dimensional objects that mimicked the colors and patterns, or in some cases added opposite elements to the patterns and photographed the endpapers with these additions."

Parker said she employed photo-editing techniques and software effects to create unique designs in her endpaper displays.

"The endpapers metamorphosed into patterns that contain blocks of colors with leaves, feathers

and stones; others are bursts of kaleidoscopes with such varied objects as a clock face, prism, flowers, and wood shavings," Parker said. "Other endpapers, with their added elements, are shaped into circles, hexagons, and waves. The endpapers generate compositional energy to keep the viewer's eye moving, while the repetition creates harmony and balance, which in turn adds structure and order."

For exhibition purposes, the endpapers are displayed on pieces of reclaimed wood from farm implements and household items such as wagons, jelly cupboards, barn boards, and dressers. Parker said she also framed the endpapers in "floating frames" - sandwiched between two pieces of glass - so "when illuminated from the back, they glow with subdued color and light." Some endpapers are mounted on gatorboard and imprinted on a metal plate.

The "Endpapers" exhibit will be open for viewing during normal library hours. To inquire about exhibiting work in Hinkle Gallery, email library@alfredstate.edu or call 607-587-4313.

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Allegany Artisans met this summer to prepare for the 27th Annual Studio Tour. This year's Tour will be on the weekend of Oct. 18 and 19, from 10-5 and features over 40 artisans in 36 working studios. Pictured from left are Stephen Walker, President, HM Bateman, Publicity Chair, Betsy Orlando, Secretary and Elaine Hardman, Vice-President and Studio Tour Chair. (photo provided)

Primary Election Sept. 9 throughout Allegany Co.

NOTICE OF DEMOCRAT, INDEPENDENCE & REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION ALLEGANY COUNTY

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Art 4 Sec 118 of the New York State Election Law that there is a Democrat, Independence & Republican Primary election to be held on September 9, 2014 between the hours of 12:00 noon and 9 p.m. in ALL Districts. The offices to vote on are as follows:

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Alternate Delegates to the 8th Judicial District Convention
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Town of Allen ~ Democrat

Councilman TFV (Vote for 1)
Judith A. Allen
Bonnie Leigh
Eugene McCarthy

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Info sessions set on Obamacare

WELLSVILLE—If you have questions or want more information about the Affordable Care Act, AIM Independent Living Center is presenting two free community information sessions on Wednesday, Sept. 17 at Jones Memorial Hospital.

The result of collaboration between AIM and JMH, the sessions will be held in the hospital's Walchli Education Center from noon-2 pm and from 5 to 7 pm. Seating is limited so reservations are recommended, but not required. Refreshments will be provided at both sessions. There will also be a special information session for small businesses held on Wednesday, Oct. 1 from noon to 2 pm and from 5 to 7 pm.

The topics to be discussed include highlights from the Affordable Care Act, an explanation of the Marketplace Health Exchange tax credits, when the special enrollment and open enrollment periods are, what the navigator program involves and identifying your

community health advocates. The guest speaker is from SAY2 Rural Health Network.

For more information or to reserve your seat, please contact Katherine Reynolds at (888) 962-8244 or email kreyolds@aimcil.com.

Fiber Mill sold, will relocate

ALFRED STATION—The Fiber Factory, which is currently located on Clark Rd. in Alfred Station, has been sold and will soon relocate to Hamlin, NY, west of Rochester. New owners will be working with the present owner Wendy Dailey for several weeks as they learn about fiber processing and the business transitions to its new location.

The Daileys, who will continue to reside at their farm on East Valley Road with the alpacas and horses, are especially grateful to the community for all the support they have received during the past 8 years of operation of the fiber mill and store.

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NOTICE TAX COLLECTION

I, Becky Graves, Collector of Taxes for the Alfred-Almond Central School District, have duly received the tax roll and warrant for the collection of taxes. Such taxes may be paid in person at the Alfred-Almond Business Office located at 6795 State Route 21, Almond NY 14804, between 8 AM and 3:30 PM, or by mail to Tax Collector, Alfred-Almond Central School District, 6795 State Route 21, Almond NY 14804.

Taxes may be paid on or before September 30, 2014 without penalty. On all taxes received from October 1 through October 31, 2014 there will be added a 2% penalty. No taxes will be received after October 31, 2014 for parcels in our district located in Steuben County. Allegany County Treasurer will receive taxes from November 1 through November 15, 2014 with a 3% penalty added for the parcels in our district located in Allegany County. Unpaid school taxes will be relieved with your Town and County taxes in January 2015 with an additional 7% relevy penalty.

Becky Graves
School Tax Collector
Dated: August 30, 201433-1b

NOTICE OF AUDIT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the fiscal affairs of the Village of Alfred for the period beginning on June 1, 2013 and ending on May 31, 2014, have been examined by an independent public accountant, and that the report of the external audit and management letter by the independent public accountant have been filed in my office where they are available as public records for inspection by all interested persons. Pursuant to §35 of the General Municipal Law, the governing board of the Village of Alfred may, in its discretion, prepare a written response to the report of external audit and management letter by independent public accountant and file any such response in my office as a public record for inspection by all interested persons not later than December 8, 2014.

Dated: August 21, 2014
KATHRYN L. KOEGEL
Village Clerk-Treasurer

In The Alfred Sun 50, 25 and 10 Years Ago

Compiled By DAVID L. SNYDER

Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher

FIFTY YEARS AGO, SEPTEMBER 3, 1964

Officials at the State University Agricultural and Technical Institute here expect the fall 1964 enrollment at the two-year college to reach a record high of approximately 1630 students when classes begin on September 23. Alfred Tech returning students will number approximately 630 students and incoming freshmen will total nearly 1,000 according to the latest figures...

Although the new elementary building has not been entirely completed, Alfred-Almond Central School supervising principal Kenneth R. Clicquenoit today announced that all grades will begin school on Wednesday, September 9, with a full day's session planned. Grades 1-5 will start classes in the new building. The kindergarten rooms are not completed in the new building, and are not expected to be for next week. Consequently, the three kindergartens will be housed in their former rooms in the original building until their new rooms are done.

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Gary Kellogg of Almond, running in the Junior Division of the 2nd Annual Colgate Cross Country Run at Hamilton last Saturday, placed fifth. The junior division was for runners under 19 years of age. His time in the two-mile event was 10:39...

Almond—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ryan Sr. spent Sunday at Newark with Mr. Ryan's mother, Mrs. Ann Getchall, to celebrate her birthday...Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Dexter were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and family at Dalton...More than 175 persons attended church Sunday at the Union of Churches, making a record figure for attendance during the summertime. Guest speaker was the Rev. Arthur O. Guild, former pastor here for seven years....Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hardy were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hardy of Almond, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Hardy and sons of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hardy and sons of Alfred Station, and Mrs. Arthur Carnes and children of Garwoods...Miss Audrey Hardy returned home Tuesday after spending the summer at Chautauqua Lake...Mrs. David Bordeaux and Jane and Miss Florence Dixon were in Delevan Sunday to attend the 25th anniversary ceremonies of formation of the Missionary Apostolate...

Descendants of Henry and Flora Allen held their first annual reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stewart, Knoxville, Pa., August 23, 1964. Fifty-three members were present for the picnic lunch. John Allen of Almond presided at the business meeting. The group voted to hold the reunion on the third Sunday of August in succeeding years. Mrs. Amanda Snyder was elected secretary-treasurer. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Green and family traveled the farthest, coming from Silver Springs, Md. The most recently married couple was Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stevens. Oldest member present was John Allen of Almond and the youngest member was Melissa Ann Snyder. The next meeting will be held August 15, 1965.

Alfred Station—Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Palmiter, Terry and Pamela returned last week after a camping trip at Cape Hattaras, N.C. for two weeks...Mr. and Mrs. Judson Stearns and family spent last week at Keuka Lake...Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Austin and family accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Burr Woodruff and family of Medina enjoyed a picnic Sunday at Hamilton Beach, Rochester...Master Todd Palmer of Wellsville was a guest last week of his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. F.M. Palmer while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Palmer, were vacationing...Mrs. Marguerite Palmiter accompanied by Terry and Fred Palmiter and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Palmiter and family were among those who were in attendance at the Goodwin Marvin family reunion held Sunday at the Otto Goodwin cottage at Lake Demmon...Mrs. Lee Darling and family of St. Marys W.Va. spent from Monday until Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pierce...Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Higgins and family, who spent two weeks on a camping trip to Nova Scotia, returned home Friday...

Alfredians—Mr. and Mrs. Price Llewellyn of Frostburg, Md., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard West. Their Monday overnight guests were their nephews, Jimmy and David Monroe of Canton...John W. Jacox was a guest of his son, Dr. Ralph Jacox and family at their North Lake Camp in the Adirondacks from Friday to Sunday of last week...Mrs. LaVern Kenyon, Mrs. Charles Smith and daughter, Carol, called on Mrs. Evea Potter Monday at Roswell Park Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Potter is progressing satisfactorily, following surgery last Friday...Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Slack and sons Bryan and Aaron spent the weekend in Lockport with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Slack and sons...Mr. and Mrs. Luke Washburn and family of Almond, Mrs. A.

Burdet Crofoot, and the Rev. and Mrs. David S. Clarke, all of Alfred, attended the memorial service Sunday in Ovid for Mrs. Errington Clarke...Mrs. A. Burdet Crofoot is in Cleveland, Ohio, assisting Dr. and Mrs. L. Stanley Harris in moving to a new location in Cleveland Heights...

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, SEPT. 7, 1989

(Photo) Rural Services Institutes—It's Official! Representatives of Alfred State College and Alfred University join Joseph Gerace, director of the NYS Office of Rural Affairs, at a press conference to formally announce that Rural Services Institutes (RSI) are now "open for business" at the neighboring institutions. From left are Dr. Rolf Zerges, vice president for academic affairs at ASC; Dr. James Thompson, dean of the School of Agriculture and Allied Health Technologies at ASC; Mr. Gerace; Dr. David Szczerbacki, associate professor of management in the College of Business and Administration at AU. Dr. Thompson and Dr. Szczerbacki are RSI coordinators on their respective campuses.

The Village of Alfred's waste water treatment plant's anaerobic digester is without a cover. Following the removal of nearly 300,000 gallons of sludge and grit, the empty digester was inspected by plant operators and the Village's engineer. More than 35 years of service have taken their toll on the cover and associated piping. Portions of the mixing system, which was added in 1972, were found at the digester bottom as a result of corrosion. Village officials agreed that the urgency of the situation dictates that what was to be a two-year program to clean, evaluate, repair and paint the digester must be completed this fall. During this cleaning and rehabilitation period, the sludge is being processed using aerobic digestion. According to the engineer, while this temporary process has worked well during the summer's reduced flow, the higher flows due to college opening may well cause odor problems at the treatment plant. These odors may continue until the digester cover is replaced and the Anerobic Digestion System becomes operative. Cover installation is scheduled the end of September, with project completion by Thanksgiving.

(Photo) Hinkle Hosts Reception—Director of Libraries Barry Lash presides at the punch bowl at the opening reception for the current exhibit in Alfred State College's Hinkle Memorial Library gallery. The exhibit, titled "Faculty Creations," was arranged by Jean Lang and Suzanne Wood, here enjoying a respite from their labors. On display through September, the exhibit features poetry, art, writings and assorted publications by members of the ASC faculty and staff.

Alfredians—Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Fuchs have returned to their New York City residence. They remained in Alfred following the conclusion of the Chamber Music Institute, of which Dr. Fuchs is the director...On Aug. 25, Frances and David Clarke of Alfred and Richard Burdick of Almond spent the day at the home of Richard Brow in Dresden on Seneca Lake. They were together with the children of the late Spicer and Mike Kenyon...Dorothy and Warren Bouck have returned home after having spent two weeks on Martha's Vineyard Island visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lynn Bouck, and Elizabeth May and David Lowe. Accompanying them were their daughter and son-in-law, Sharon and Roger Smith of Alfred and their friend, Anna Staundacher of Milan, Italy...Rain or shine, they jog—William Hall, Donald King and Roger Moritz...Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riber spent from Aug. 10-28 with Julia (Riber) and Eric Johnston in Thorne Bay, Alaska (on Prince of Wales Island). The Johnstons both work for the U.S. Forest Service. Dennis Riber and David Riber joined the group Aug. 17. They enjoyed canoeing, camping and fishing in this remote area, where the major industries are logging and commercial fishing...

The Almond Union of Churches, a fellowship of American Baptists and United Presbyterians, will put into practice that which is preached. Following Jesus' teaching in the parable of the Good Samaritan, the church is providing a temporary shelter to ease the housing crises that arise in any community. "What we're trying to develop is emergency shelter for homeless people" said Rev. Benjamin Keene, pastor of the church. "We want to provide people with shelter when they are in-between something." The church is converting the second floor of its office building at 4 Karrdale Ave. to a three-room apartment with a bath, to be used for temporary emergency housing. They will call it "Samaritan's Loft" and expect it will be available within the next two months...

The Harvey Grammar School boys soccer team of Folkestone, England enjoyed a ten-day stay in Alfred Aug. 18-27, during which the team trained and com-

peted with area teams. The 16 boys, accompanied by chaperones Alan and Ann Philpott, Chris and Mabel Shipley, Philip Harding and Martin Hyde, toured some of the Western New York attractions during their visit... The team did find time for training as well, playing five matches during the ten days, in addition to practice sessions...

TEN YEARS AGO, SEPTEMBER 2, 2004

Sunbeams—Dorothy and Lyn Goodridge of Dover, NH and Jenny and David Squier with son Jake, were guests of Nelson and Amanda Snyder July 8-11 and attended the wedding of Summer McGraw and Jason Tutak on July 10 in Scio...Editor David Snyder was in Toledo, OH to attend "Dana Day," the centennial celebration of the Dana Corporation on Saturday, August 28, a guest of the firm. During the festivities, he gave a brief talk on "The Life of Clarence W. Spicer" and had occasion to visit with descendants of Spicer and Charles A. Dana...Joan Burdick Goff, who has summered in Alfred, has returned to her home in Harbour Heights, FL to assess the damage that her home sustained during Hurricane Charley...Thelma and Lyle Palmiter of Alfred Station recently spent some time with their daughter Pam and Randy Thomas at Edisto Beach, NC. Pam and Marilyn (Cameron) Merritt and husband were guests of the Palmiters on the weekend of the A-A Alumni Banquet...MGYSGT Frank R. Cartledge and friend, Jennifer Stevens of Sierra Vista, AZ were guests of Mary-Lou and Jerry Cartledge for a week in August while Frank was on leave between Marine base assignments. During his visit, all visited Ellen and Dan Boldt and family in Orchard Park, Niagara Falls, Alfred University, Schein-Joseph Ceramic Museum, Corning Glass Museum and attended the Cooper-Lyon-Cartledge family reunion August 14 in Horseheads...Jeni and Michael Peters and daughters Grace and Emma from Sutton, MA were recent guests of her parents, Keith and Donna Rogers of Alfred Station. Cindy Rogers Rudolph was a weekend guest of Keith and Donna while attending her Class of 1964 reunion and the A-A Alumni Banquet...

With her natural enthusiasm and energy, Alfred State College's new vice president for academic affairs, Dr. Karla M. Back, exudes and exemplifies the new vitality which is infusing the college these days. Back, who assumed her duties in May, is feeling at home at the college and in the community...

Paintings and works on paper by Richard Thompson, former dean of the School of Art and Design, New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University, will be on view at the Fosdick-Nelson Gallery Sept. 10-Oct. 8. The exhibition will include new works from the series "My Nature..."

Wayne Higby, professor of ceramic art in the School of Art and Design at Alfred University, will be among the featured guests when the International Academy of Ceramics holds its general assembly Aug. 26-Sept. 4 in Seoul and Icheon, Gyeonggi Province, Korea...

Alfred University welcomed a near-record number of freshmen and transfer students to campus last week for the start of orientation. Most returning students came back to campus over the weekend for the start of classes Monday. The 532 freshmen and 95 transfer students are a near-record," President Charles M. Edmondson told faculty and staff gathered Tuesday, Aug. 24 for the annual breakfast that marks the beginning of each academic year. The freshman class is 10.8 percent higher than last year's and the number of transfer students is 20 percent more than last year...He also cited the University's fund-raising successes over the past year. Among the highlights was the announcement of the University's largest gift to date, an estimated \$10 million from Trustee Marlin Miller Jr., a 1954 alumnus, to build a 500-seat proscenium theater adjacent to the Miller Performing Arts Center. Another highlight was a donation from the Bromely-Daggett family to build a new equestrian center, to be located about a mile from campus, which Edmondson said will help the University attract prospective students. The facility is scheduled open in the fall of 2005...

Dr. Robyn Goodman, associate professor of communication studies at Alfred University, was named the head of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication's international division at the association's meeting in Toronto earlier this month...

First-year Alfred University men's soccer coach Scott Miller has high hopes for the Saxons, and rightly so. All starters return from the 2003 squad, which earned Alfred's first NCAA tournament berth in 15 years. They'll be joined by a group of promising freshmen to give the Saxons the depth, experience and talent needed

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Centenarian in Alfred...

GLADYS PECKHAM, a resident of Alfred for the past 20 years, celebrated her 100th birthday on Sunday, August 25 with a gathering at the home of her daughter and husband, Toni and Marc Olshan. Pictured with Gladys are great-grandchildren, Willa and Ed. (Photo provided)

Sabbath School Rally Day set Sept. 6

ALFRED STATION—The last hurrah of summer happened with the Labor Day holiday behind us. The colleges and universities are in session. The elementary, middle, and high schools have just opened. Your friends and neighbors at the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church, "A 3 C church" Connect-Care-Community," invite you to celebrate Sabbath School Rally Day. This Sabbath, Sept. 6 the focus will be on the primary Christian educational arm of the church, Sabbath School.

The day begins at 9:35 a.m. with a "Fellowship Gathering" in the meetinghouse Social Rooms. The classes gather at 10 a.m. There is a place for you and yours: Nursery through 3 years, Pre-K through 2nd grade, 3rd-6th grade, Youth class for those 7th-12th grade, four adult classes, Food for Thought, Bible

from the Backside, Bible for Blockheads, and a New Couple's Class. At 11 a.m. is the Sabbath Worship Hour. During the Worship Hour those who completed the General Conference's 2013-14 Scripture Memorization Program will be recognized and Sabbath School Officers and Teachers will be installed. Pastor Ken's sermon is titled "How Do They Know?" from Deuteronomy 6:4-9. At 12:30 p.m. you are invited to join in Sabbath School Round-Up and enjoy some family games.

Join your friends and neighbors in celebrating Sabbath School. The Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church meeting house is the big white building located at 587 Route 244 in Alfred Station. If you would like more information about Sabbath Salvation or Sev-

enth Day Baptist you are welcomed to call the church office at 607-587-9176.

Reception planned for new pastor, family

ALFRED—Alfred-Almond area residents are cordially invited to a reception at the Alfred United Methodist Church, Moland Road in Alfred from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 28, to welcome Reverend Stephen Crowell and family.

Reverend Crowell became the pastor of the Alfred United Methodist Church effective July 1, 2014. Come meet the Crowells and help make them feel welcome in their new home. Light refreshments will be served.

For further information or to indicate your plans to attend, please call (607) 587-8805 by Sept. 20.

40 join Alfred State College staff

(Continued from front page)

State University of New York Institute of Technology at Utica/Rome.

Anna Shutt, of Wellsville, is as a keyboard specialist. She graduated from Alfred State with an associate degree in human services.

In the Marketing and Communications Department, **Jeff Cole**, of Belfast, is the new public relations writer. He earned his bachelor's degree in journalism and mass communication from St. Bonaventure University and his associate degree in liberal arts and sciences -humanities from Alfred State.

Facilities Services has hired nine new employees — **Daniel Foster**, Rachel Flint, George Grossman, Raymond Mullen, Monroe Bates, Lynda Jones, Brian Magee, Matthew Coulter, and Douglas Butters.

Daniel Foster is a new janitor on the B and C shift.

Rachel Flint is a keyboard specialist.

George Grossman, of Friendship, is now a cleaner in the Student Leadership Center.

Raymond Mullen is a new cleaner in the Engineering Building.

Monroe Bates II, of Wellsville, joins the college as a cleaner in the Engineering Building.

Lynda Jones, of Friendship, is now a cleaner in the Engineering Building.

Brian Magee, of Dansville, is a new cleaner in the Townhouse Commons, Farm, Vet Tech, and Motorsports buildings.

Matthew Coulter is a cleaner in EJ Brown.

Douglas Butters, of Arkport, is now a cleaner in EJ Brown.

In Student Records and Financial Services, **Ryan Maloney**, of Holland, is now in the position of keyboard specialist.

At the **College Farm**, **Derrick Barney**, of Fill-

more, is a new assistant dairy herdsman.

The Office of Health and Wellness Services welcomes three new employees — Daniel Woolston, Erika Alger, and Magan Straight.

Daniel Woolston, of Belmont, is now an assistant director of medical services. He received an associate degree in nursing from Alfred State and a family nurse practitioner certificate through the Community General Nurse Practitioner Program at Community General Hospital in Syracuse.

Erika Alger is a new counselor. She earned her master's degree in education/certificate of advanced studies from Alfred University.

Magan Straight is a new counselor. She earned her master's degree in education/certificate of advanced studies from Alfred University.

The Intercollegiate Athletics/Intramurals and Recreation Department has hired **Kelly Higgins** as the new director of athletics. He earned his doctorate in sports administration from Temple University.

The Office of Residential Life has hired four new employees — Tyler Pundt, Katie Orr, Vincent Gravanda, and Zachary Barbis.

Tyler Pundt, of Syracuse, is a new residence hall director. He graduated from Keuka College with a bachelor's degree in business and marketing.

Katie Orr, of Amherst, is now a residence hall director. She earned her master's degree in education/certificate of advanced study from Niagara University.

Vincent Gravanda, of Alfred, joins the college as a residence hall director. He earned his master's degree in education from Alfred University.

Zachary Barbis, of Alfred, is now in the position of residence hall director. He has a master's degree in educational administration and policy studies from the University at Albany.

THE GLORY OF AMERICA

Thursday, September 4

Like his commander in chief, Robert E. Lee, Stonewall Jackson did all that he could to encourage the work of his chaplains. According to one of them, J. William Jones, he was a regular and deeply interested attendant at religious services, and was instrumental in the organization of the Chaplains' Association. Upon hearing accounts of religious matters in the army which pleased him, he would say:

"That is good--very good--we ought to thank God for that."

JONES, CAMP, 93.

Alfred Area Church Directory

ALFRED-ALMOND AREA

HORNELL ALFRED UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY—Now meeting at 10:30 AM the second and fourth Sundays of each month at 198 Main Street across from Hornell Cinema. The Rev. George Smith leads the group the second Sunday. Call 607-698-4508 or 607-522-7803 for more information.

ALFRED-ALMOND BIBLE CHURCH—Rt. 21, Almond. Pastor John Prince. Sunday School 9:30 am, Sunday Worship 10:30 am. Sunday Evening 6 pm. Midweek Home Groups 7:30 pm. Phone 607-276-6700. www.aabible.org.

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

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

ALFRED SEVENTH DAY BAPTIST CHURCH—5 Church St., Alfred. Adult Sabbath (Saturday) School, 10 a.m. in the SDB Parish House; Sabbath Worship Service at 11 a.m. Church Office: 607-587-9430.

ALFRED STATION SEVENTH -DAY BAPTIST CHURCH "A 3 C church: Connect-Care-Community" Affiliated with the Seventh Day Baptist General Conference USA and Canada INC. Sabbath (Sat.) 9:45 am Sabbath School (8 classes from Nursery-Adult) 11:00 am Sabbath Worship Hour **Youth Program:** Jr. Youth Fellowship (Grades 3-6) 2nd Sabbath of month 2 - 4 pm; Youth Fellowship (Grades 7-12) 3rd Sabbath of month 1pm Sat. - 10 am Sunday overnight at Camp Harley Sutton. **Music Program:** Sanctuary Choir (Grades 9 and up) 1st Sabbath (Sat.) 12:30 pm, 3rd Sabbath (Sat.) 9:00 am: Jr. Choir (Grades 1-8), Instrumentalist 4th Sabbath (Sat.) 9:00 am **Fellowship:** Monthly Dish to Pass Fellowship Meal 2nd Sabbath 12:30 pm; Men's Prayer Meeting 1st Tuesday of the month (Rm 15); Wellsville Bible Study 10 am Tuesday. **Hosting:** Alfred Area Food Pantry 5:30 pm Tuesday and Thursday; Woman, Infant, Children Clinic 1st Thursday of month, Red Cross Blood Drive Monday before Memorial Day, Monday before Labor Day Pastor: Rev. Dr. Kenneth Chroniger **Contact:** pastorken@alfredstationsdb.org, P.O. Box 7777 Alfred Station NY 14803, 607-587-9176 Campus: 587 Route 244 Alfred Station, Remember the Live streaming of the 11:00am Worship Hour www.alfredstationsdb.org

ABUNDANT LIFE MINISTRIES—Rt. 21, Almond. Pastor Everett Hasper. Sunday 10 am & Wednesday at 7:30 pm. 276-6201. www.almcommunity.org

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

ALMOND UNION OF CHURCHES—11 Main St., Almond. Rev. G. Stephen Dygert, Pastor. A joyful, welcoming and compassionate multi-denominational church seeking God's truths for today's world. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Prayer Group Wednesday 9 am at 39 Main St., Almond. Call 276-6151 for more information.

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

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

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

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP—Randolph Road, Alfred. Pastor Roger Gardner. Worship 10 am Sundays. Bible Study 7 pm Tuesdays on AU campus; Bible Study 7 pm Wednesdays on ASC campus. Prayer Meetings at 9 a.m. Saturdays. 607-587-9257.

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

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

ANDOVER AREA

CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE—5 Rochambeau Ave. andoveralliance.com Rev. Philip Barner, Sunday School 9:00 AM, Worship Service 10:00 AM — Worship Team Coffee Fellowship time before and after Worship Service. Wednesday — Bible Study / Prayer Meeting 7:00 PM.

ANDOVER UNITED METHODIST—33 E. Greenwood St. Pastor Anita Youtzy. Worship service 11 am, Sunday School 9:45 am.

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

CHENUNDA CREEK FELLOWSHIP—Mennonite congregation of believers in the Town of Independence, five miles south of Andover. Sunday School 9:30, Worship 10:45 a.m. Pastor Stephen Richard 585-610-0166. Church phone 478-5277.

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

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN—E. Greenwood St., Andover. Worship Service at 10:15 AM, Coffee hour following service. Pastor Christian R. Mattison.

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A-A Class of 1964 celebrates its 50th anniversary

By SUSAN THOMAS
SHAFFER

of the AACS Class of 1964

The Alfred-Almond Central School Class of 1964, celebrating 50 years since graduation, had a picnic on Friday evening, July 25 at David and Janice Stearns Porter's home in Wellsville. There were 16 classmates at the picnic on a beautiful evening, and a good time was had by all.

Those in attendance were: Eileen Bird Turner, Dennis Brutsman, Cynthia Butts Sinesiou, Sherman Clarke, Judy Doty Cornell, Ken Kernan, Alan Mason, Nancy Palmer Brandston, Linda Pierce Adamson, David Porter, Janice Stearns Porter, Cynthia Rogers Rudolph, Donna Rossman Connor, Peg Stevens Jefferds, Susan Thomas Shaffer and Leo Vanderhoef. Sharon Bouck Smith was in attendance to represent her brother, Lynn Bouck who had knee replacement surgery this past week.

Also invited were some who had started school with us but for one reason or another did not graduate with us. Those attending in this category were Susan Gray, Jane Kelleher Ryan, Jim Kelleher and Allen Ormsby. It was great to have these people join us!

Poster boards were available with class pictures from Kindergarten through our Junior Year, and also contained greetings from several of our classmates who were unable to attend: Patricia Richmond Decker, Lorna Rhodes, Mark Potter (currently



MEMBERS OF the Alfred-Almond Central School Class of 1964 gathered at the home of David and Jan (Stearns) Porter.

living in England), Erica Brown Freeman, Jean Carpenter Brown, Bill Langer, Catherine Marshall, Derck Frechette, Judy Bracken Marlatt.

Several attended the tour of the school on Saturday afternoon and were surprised to see all the changes that have been made over the past 50 years.

Those who attended the banquet on Saturday evening included: Eileen Bird Turner, Dennis Brutsman, Sherman Clarke, Judy Doty Cornell, Kenneth Kernan, Alan Mason, Nancy Palmer Brandston,

Martha Parish Kackley, David Porter, Cynthia Rogers Rudolph, Donna Rossman Connor, Janice Stearns Porter, Peg Stevens Jefferds, Susan Thomas Shaffer and Leo Vanderhoef. The class was very pleased to take second place for percentage of the class in attendance with 16 of 66 for a 25% rate. This was due in part to the persistence of the chairpersons for this event Jean Carpenter Brown, Nancy Palmer Brandston, Cynthia Rogers Rudolph, Peg Stevens Jefferds and Susan Thomas Shaffer.

Eileen Bird Turner gave the

Invocation and the Speaker for the class was David Porter who gave a poetic tribute to our accomplishments.

In an effort to honor the deceased members of our class we are taking up a collection for a class gift. To date, we have collected \$1309. In addition, Judy Doty Cornell made a beautiful quilt which was raffled off at the banquet, and this money will be added to our class gift. Net proceeds for the quilt raffle were \$378. We were very pleased to have a former member of our class, Jim Kelleher, win this quilt which will mean more than

to have just anyone win it.

Deceased class members include: Russell Cornell, Dick Davis, Ray Dodge, Dorothy Harris Jardin, Les Kellogg, David Kemp, David North, Donald Ormsby, John Raschiatore, Sharon Smith, Linda Wheaton Stuck, Carol Yunevich Hamilton, Dorothy Burrow, Steve Bey.

The Alumni Association has done a great job over the years in making the reunion weekend a fun time, and increasing the scholarships given out each year. We are very grateful for their diligence.

Noted author to offer reading

WELLSVILLE—New York Times best-selling author Archer Mayor will visit the Nancy Howe Auditorium at the David A. Howe Public Library at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 16. Author of the critically acclaimed series of mysteries starring Joe Gunther, Mayor will do a reading from his latest book and discuss his writing process.

Archer Mayor, of Vermont, has had a fascinating career. His work as a detective for the Windham County Sheriff's Office and a death investigator for the office of Vermont's Chief Medical Examiner helped to add weight and knowledge to his realistic novels prompting The New York Times to dub him "the boss man on procedures." He has also served 25 years as a volunteer firefighter and EMT.

Mayor began his writing career with history books including a fascinating look into the oil and lumber business, Southern Timberman which is still in print. He turned his attention to fiction in 1988 with his well-received introduction to Joe Gunther, Open Season.

In total, 24 Joe Gunther mysteries have been published, all of which are available for checkout at the David A. Howe Public Library. Referred to by the Chicago Tribune as "the best police procedurals being written in America," Mayor's signature series remains popular with readers eagerly awaiting Joe Gunther's return.

Books will be available for purchase and signing Tuesday evening. Mayor's twenty-fifth Joe Gunther mystery, Proof Positive, will be in stores September 30 and you can meet the author in person at the library on Tuesday, Sept. 16 at 7 p.m. The program is free and open to all.

Dixie Road Band - Country
Dixie Road Band, a new



ARCHER MAYOR

group in the area, will perform at 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 18 at the Nancy Howe Auditorium at David A. Howe Public Library, 155 N. Main Street, Wellsville.

This band of three musicians bring in a new wave of today's country and southern rock. Winners of the 2012 Wellsville Texaco Country Showdown at the Howe Auditorium, their music is reminiscent of Jason Aldean and Alan Jackson.

These musicians have a

wealth of experience and their combined talents are a delight. Enjoy this group whose members originally hailed from Georgia and Salamanca, New York. The library-sponsored concert is free and open to the general public at 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 18 at the Nancy Howe Auditorium in Wellsville.

Family Film: The Lion King

A family film, The Lion King (G), will be screened at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 at the Nancy Howe Auditorium at the David A. Howe Public Library, 155 N. Main St., Wellsville.

A lion cub is raised to be the next king of the jungle, but must overcome obstacles to take his rightful place. Oscar winning songs and music score along with spectacular animation and voice work have made this entertaining film one of the most popular movies in twenty years. Voices include Jonathan Taylor Thomas, James Earl, Jones, Moira Kelly, Nathan Lane, and Whoopi Goldberg.

The library-sponsored film is free and open to the general public on at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 at the Nancy Howe Auditorium in Wellsville.



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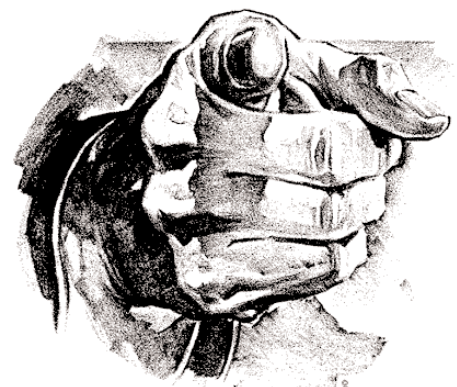
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Saxons picked to finish fourth

E8 coaches say ‘Fisher the team to beat’

ALFRED—The 2014 season opener is right around the corner and the Empire 8 coaches agree that St. John Fisher College is the team to beat, as the Cardinals’ claimed the top spot in the Football Pre-season Coaches’ Poll.

Fisher, coming off a deep run in the NCAA Championship Tournament, received the maximum of eight first-place votes and racked up 64 total points to earn the role of preseason favorite. Salisbury University sits second with 53 points, while defending champion Ithaca College totaled 52 points and one top nod on the way to the third position in the annual coaches’ survey.

D3football.com, a website dedicated to coverage of Division III football, rates the Empire 8 as the second strongest football conference in the nation, right behind the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WIAC).

Cardinal Chatter

Fisher enters the 2014 season ranked No. 9 overall in the D3football.com preseason poll. The Cardinals are coming off one of the most successful seasons in program history marching all the way to the quarterfinals of the NCAA Division III Championships before falling to No. 3 ranked Mary Hardin-Baylor.

Several key players will return from last year’s squad that finished with a 10-3 overall record. Empire 8 Co-Offensive Player of the Year Tyler Fenti returns as the starting quarterback. The signal caller rewrote the single-season record book in 2013 moving into first place in completions (259) and yards (3,215), while also throwing 24 touchdowns. Fenti’s favorite deep ball target, Nathan Nigolian, returns after racking up 64 catches for 898 yards and nine touchdowns in 2013. Defensively, the Cardinals will look to senior linebacker Sean Preish, a preseason All-American. Preish led Fisher with 128 tackles, seven sacks, and three forced fumbles last season.

Sea Gull Spotlight

The Sea Gulls finished the 2013 season with a 7-4 record and won the Eastern College Athletic Conference South Atlantic Bowl.

Salisbury was by far the best rushing team in the Empire 8, putting up 284.6 yards per game, good for 10th in the nation. Running back Jerome Johnson led the Sea Gulls with 627 yards gained on the ground. He had 63 carries for nearly 10 yards per carry, finding the end zone four times during the season.

Punter Kyle Hamby, two-time E8 Special Teams Player of the Year, will once again be a key part in the field-position game. Last year, Hamby was one of the best punters in the nation, ranking 11th in Division III with a 41.1-yard average per kick, with 17 of his 44 punts landing inside the 20-yard line.

Bomber Basics

Ithaca starts the season ranked 23rd nationally after a 9-3 overall record. The Bombers won the Empire 8 Championship in 2013 and advanced to the second round of the NCAA Tournament. Ithaca’s roster returns all-region selection Sam Carney as a return specialist; and all conference honorees offensive guard Andrew Benvenuto, kicker Garrett Nicholson (10 FGs) and defensive tackle Joe Ricotta (8 solo, 22 ast).

Carney, a preseason all-American, ranked seventh in the country in punt returns (15.7 yards/return) and 11th in kick-off returns (30.1 yards/return). Carney also had 33 total tackles including 21 solo stops and had two forced fumbles and two interceptions.

Saxons Side-Notes

The Saxons will feature new leadership on the sidelines as Bob Rankl has been named the head coach. He replaces Dave Murray, who resigned after 16 seasons at the Saxons’ helm to take over the top job at Hamilton College. Rankl has been a member of the AU coaching staff for 15 seasons.

Rankl inherits a team that went 8-3 (5-2 Empire 8) in 2013, capping the year with a victory over Cortland State in the ECAC North Central Bowl Championship game. Tyler Johnson, the 2013 Empire 8 Rookie of the Year, returns as the starting quarterback. He finished the 2013 season with 1,722 yards on 140-of-237 passing with 12 touchdowns. He also ran for 418 yards (second-most on the team) and five TDs. Isiah Young, the team’s backup tight end, saw action in all 11 games and was third on the team in receptions (23) and receiving yards (279).

Corry Wallace, in his first year as a starter, led the team in tackles with 115 (43 solo, 6 ½ for loss, one sack), with four interceptions, four pass breakups and one forced fumble.

Golden Eagle Essentials

Brockport will play its first season with the Empire 8 after an 8-3 overall record and 6-1 mark in the New Jersey Athletic Conference (NJAC). The Golden Eagles won the final seven games of the 2013 season, a share of the NJAC title and won the Eastern College Athletic Conference (ECAC) Northwest Bowl.

Offensively almost all of the weapons are back for 2014 including quarterbacks Wayne Bonsell (95-179, 1262 yds) and Ty Stoldt (92-161, 1169 yds) who shared the starting spot a year ago. Behind the quarterback, the Golden Eagles return all three top rushers from a year ago in Dan Andrews (1274 yds, 11 TD), Tyrone Nichols (449 yds, 5 TD) and Shireem Cobb (303 yds, 8 TD).

On defense, several players that sparked the success of the Golden Eagles return led by defensive end Cortland

Haines. He was third on the team with 66 tackles and led the Golden Eagles with eight sacks. Also returning is linebacker Jake Brickler who recorded 91 tackles in his rookie season.

Bengal Bullets

Buffalo State ended its season 5-5 overall, marking the third-consecutive season with a record of .500 or better.

With the graduation of quarterback Casey Katz, the offensive unit seems to be starting the season with a slight disadvantage. On a bright note, receiver Mike Doherty is back after totaling more than 1,000 receiving yards on 59 catches with six touchdowns. Also aiding the offensive attack will be running back Rich Pete. Pete ran for 767 yards last season, averaging 5.4 yards per-attempt. He also had 25 receptions for 171 yards.

The defensive unit should be well equipped with the return of all-conference honorees Shaq Frederick, Tawone Williams and Anthony Sanders. Frederick led Buffalo State with 78 total tackles, including 8.5 for loss and a sack. He also had two fumble recoveries, with one returned for a touchdown, and had an interception. Williams totaled 36 tackles including 3.0 for loss, while Sanders racked up 27 tackles, including 4.5 tackles for loss and 1.5 sacks.

Pioneer Points

Utica is coming off a 3-7 season and hopes to improve its 1-6 E8 mark. The Pioneers are fortunate to have Anthony Acevedo, reigning E8 Offensive Co-Player of the Year, returning for his season campaign. He finished the 2013 regular season ranked 10th nationally and first in the Empire 8 with an average of 8.0 receptions per game. Acevedo was also 17th in the country and first in the E8 with an average of 106.1 receiving yards per game. He finished the season with 72 catches, 955 yards and six touchdowns.

Offensive tackle Zach Hunnewell anchored a line that allowed less than one sack per contest (0.90), which ranked 27th nationally and first in the conference. Safety James Lenahan ranked 18th nationally with an average of 0.6 interceptions per game. He also recorded a career-best 50 tackles to go along with 11 passes defended.

Hawk Highlights

The Hawks are coming off a 6-4 season with a 3-4 mark in E8 play, but said goodbye to 23 seniors and will have some holes to fill. Hartwick was the only team to defeat eventual league champion Ithaca last year.

At the quarterback position, John Garcia returns after starting every game in 2013. He completed 157 passes for 2,450 yards with 27 touchdown passes. Receiver Tanner Williams will be a target for Garcia as he recorded 56 receptions including seven touchdown catches.

Williams also had 24 kick returns for 437 yards and 18 punt returns for 190 yards to total 1,414 all-purpose yards. On the defensive end, Jarred Morrow and Dante Crump return after totaling 41 and 40 tackles, respectively.

Bobcat Basics

It’s a new beginning for the Frostburg State football team as it heads into 2014 season under the direction of first year head coach DeLane Fitzgerald. With 15 starters returning Fitzgerald is poised to quickly rebuild the Frostburg program.

The Bobcats return almost 65 percent of the receptions and yards hauled in by wide receivers from a year ago. Myles Burgess finished third on the team a year ago with 24 receptions for 390 yards, while Haydan Roberts paced the Bobcats with 37 receptions for 488 yards and two touchdowns. Senior Ken Emmons returns for his final season at quarterback. A year ago, Emmons threw for 1,338 yards, 9 touchdowns and totaled 1,718 yards in total offense with 13 total touchdowns.

The 2014 version of the Bobcat defense possesses talent and depth at every position. Leading the way statistically from last season is Rowan Pinkett who finished fifth in the E8 with 104 tackles. He finished 37th in the country in tackles per game (10.4) and was second in the league with 61 solo stops.

Dates to remember

The 2014 football season begins on Saturday, Sept. 6, with all nine Empire 8 schools taking the field for non-conference action. The path to the 2014 Empire 8 Championship begins on Saturday, Sept. 20 with four conference games set to take place.

Follow Online

If you can’t make it out to the game be sure to check if Live Stats are available or better yet the game may be web streamed courtesy of Volar Video. Be sure to check out the schedule of streamed events by visiting empire8.tv. The Empire 8 scoreboard will have the latest schedule and results as well as media coverage links.

A closer look

For more information, visit any of the participating schools’ websites or go to the Empire 8 home on the Internet at www.empire8.com.

2014 Empire 8 Football Preseason Coaches Poll

1. St. John Fisher (8)	64 points
2. Salisbury University	53
3. Ithaca College (1)	52
4. Alfred University	40
5. College at Brockport	36
6. Buffalo State	32
7. Utica College	21
8. Hartwick College	16
9. Frostburg State	10

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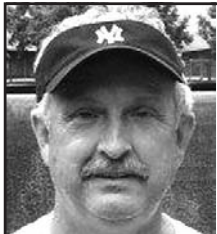
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The Dugout

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HITS AND MISSES:

The Alfred Saxons will host Husson this Saturday at Merrill Field in Yunevich Stadium as the "Bob Rankl Era" begins at Alfred University. Coach Rankl replaces the departed Dave Murray who is now in charge of the Hamilton College program. The Saxons will have home games in order: Husson, Ithaca, Brockport, Frostburg and the season finale versus the SJ Fisher Cardinals. Away contests include: RPI, Buffalo State, Hartwick in Oneonta, Salisbury State and Utica. After five games in the book AU will be "off" between the Hartwick and Brockport contests. It'll be the last season in the E8 for the two Maryland schools, Frostburg and Salisbury. Joining the conference next season to replace them will be Cortland and Morrisville. Back to this year and my "expert" predictions on the Saxons, with my first look at the new program this Saturday, I'll go with a record of (7-3) and an ECAC Bowl berth for Coach Rankl and his troops. Losses to Salisbury and SJ Fisher plus someone like Buffalo State.

Football galore will be in place this week as the NFL kicks into gear on Thursday nite. Seattle is the defending Super Bowl champ and while it is tough picking someone to repeat in this league, just might have to go with them. Anyhow, in the AFC, going with division winners of: New England, Baltimore, Indianapolis and Denver. Cincinnati and San Diego (edging KC) for the wild card playoff berths. Patriots over the Broncos in the AFC Championship game. Over in the extremely tough NFC, will take: Philadelphia, Chicago, New Orleans and Seattle to win their respective divisions. Wild cards to San Fran and Green Bay (Atlanta and Detroit just missing out.) Like a lot of NFC teams, if they stay healthy and with the home field advantage but am going to go with Seattle over Philly in the NFC title contest. Super Bowl (with Katy Perry at halftime) ... Seattle repeats as they stop Tom Brady and the NE Pats.

The Syracuse Orange began their 2014 football campaign at the Carrier Dome on Saturday past as they were taking on a mediocre Villanova program. Syracuse prevailed in OT ... after the 'Nova FG kicker missed a 25-yarder with (0:12) on the clock in regulation ... and after the Wildcats went for a two-point conversion/win in that overtime stanza ... and failed. Syracuse (4-8).

Turning to some college soccer action as the Alfred State and Alfred University women traveled to Potsdam this past weekend and competed in a tournament there. Not against each other on the field, although they did scrimmage prior. The AU ladies tied Potsdam and lost to New England College. Coach Anne Gaisser Holmok's (A-A) Pioneers dropped both games.

Coach Nate Wiley's women at SUNY Geneseo posted two soccer wins over the weekend at PS-Behrend in the Herb Lauffer Memorial tournament as the Knights blanked Baldwin Wallace and Oberlin, both from Ohio.

Stephen Baker began his JV boys soccer career at Harrington HS in Philly last week as his team tied their opener, 1-1 and received a "forfeit" win in game two as the opponent couldn't field a squad. Bad news, Baker lost his starting goalie to an injury in game one and he is done for the season.

Former Alfred-Almond and Alfred State College soccer player, Hannah Holmok is now on the squad at Division II Mansfield.

The Denver Outlaws beat the Rochester Rattlers a week ago Saturday for the championship in the MLL outdoor lax league. Coaching the Denver team was B.J. O'Hara, who coached Rochester to a championship over Denver in 2008, was an All-American at Hobart, coached at Hobart, won Division III titles at Hobart as a player/coach and was the Alfred University men's lax head coach in 1980. The much-traveled O'Hara has also been at NC State, Dartmouth, I believe at RPI and back to his high school for a stint with Jordan-Elbridge in the Syracuse area. Whew.

Todd Montana has been named the head women's basketball coach at Lasell College in MA after a stint as the SID at the school. Montana had previous head coaching experience as he was the men's coach at Green Mountain College in VT and received Coach of the Year honors there! Montana is the son of Linell Soule ('70) of Alfred and former Union men's hoop coach, Bob Montana. "Congrats" to Todd !!

Team USA smoked Finland in the World Basketball Championships before Coach K's (Duke) troops struggled against Turkey in game two, prior to pulling away for the win. The NBA players still have games against New Zealand, the Dominican Republic and the Ukraine this week in pool play. Finals ... still going with Spain and USA to meet.

St. Bonaventure will return the to BCA at the War Memorial in Rochester this upcoming college hoop season as the men will take on George Mason on January 14th. GMU, in Mixer's backyard, is coached by SJ Fisher graduate Paul Hewitt, who was at Georgia Tech in the ACC for a number of years and (I believe) took over for Coach Beyer at Siena College.

Duke at Syracuse ... February 14th ... in case you were wondering when to get me (2) tix ... Coach Wiley!

The Dugout continued...

A-A grads Our Man Frank, Jake Taft and The Scum took in the Boston-Tampa Bay baseball game at The 'Trop in St. Pete's on Friday evening past. Frank (ex-Mets fan) and Jake (ex-Reds) didn't enjoy MLB outing as much as BoSox fan, Scummer.

The Rochester Red Wings and Minnesota Twins have extended their working agreement for two more years, thru the 2016 "AAA" season.

The Rochester Red Wings and Buffalo Bisons have both been eliminated from a post-season berth as Pawtucket clinched the wild card spot. Syracuse, Pawtucket, Rochester and Buffalo all had better records than Durham from the South Division ... despite a tougher schedule (obviously), but only the Chiefs and Red Sox advanced.

The NY Yanks drop 2-of-3 versus Detroit and 2-of-3 against Toronto last week. Good-bye!

Captain Tom Watson will have made his three picks to round out Team USA for the upcoming Ryder Cup matches earlier this week. Not that it much matters as Team Europe will most likely throttle them. Dustin Johnson is MIA, Jason Duffner has a bad neck, Tiger Woods is injured, Phil Mickelson is having an overall down year and it could be a mess in Scotland. My guess on his

three picks: Keegan Bradley, Webb Simpson and Chris Kirk over Bill Haas and Hunter Mahan.

Fred Couples shoot a final-round (61) to win the Shaw Charity Classic on the Champions Tour as Billy Andrade (62) loses in a playoff. Yikes.

So Yeon Ryu, perhaps with putting pointers from Al Ormsby (A-A), continues to roll on the LPGA Tour as she finished T3 in the Portland Classic.

3L in Virginia this past weekend.

Buffalo Bills (6-10) this year.

Busy week of sports potentially on tap this week. Wednesday (9/3) am going to take in the Brockport-Webster Schroeder HS girls soccer game. Have gone to this game often in past few years but no Kristy Sherman at the helm this year of the Brockport squad. On Saturday, off to Alfred with noted area photographer Leo Nealon to see the Saxons in their football opener and at nite, over to SJ Fisher College to see the Geneseo women in action on the soccer field. Hope to be joined by ex-Knight defender, Megan "Pam" Verdino. 3L and Meg roommates/apartment mates/teammates in college. Then on Sunday, hoping to golf Deerfield CC in a tournament with a group of Frito Lay guys.

Alfred State Sports Roundup

ALFRED--Alfred State College Pioneer teams are already in action. Here's an update:

Women's Soccer: 0-2

The Lady Pioneers fell in two tight defensive contests this past weekend at the Potsdam College Cup. Alfred St. lost to tournament champion New England College 2-0 and host Potsdam 1-0.

Allison Danielak (Brockport) made five saves vs. New England College while Morgan Schreiner (Spencerport) made ten saves vs. Potsdam.

Danielle Richardson (Hornell) and Carissa Plesums (Warsaw) were named to the all-tournament team.

Volleyball: 3-2, runner-up at USCAA Tip-off Tournament

The blue & gold finished 3-2 at the USCAA Tip-off Tournament in Monaca, PA over the weekend. The Lady Pioneers were 3-1 in round robin play earning 3-0 victories over Robert Morris - Springfield, Penn State Beaver, and Penn State Greater Allegheny but falling 3-1 to Rochester (MI) College. In a rematch, Rochester College earned a hard fought 3-0 victory in the tournament championship game.

Kay Pflughardt (Tioga) and Lera Braun (Waterloo) led the way for the Lady Pioneers. Pflughardt was named to the all-tournament team after recording 61 kills, 72 digs, and nine aces. Braun passed out 129 assists, had 32 digs, and 27 kills.

Grace Hall (Ellicottville) added 27 kills and 18 service aces while Jess Ramsey (Tioga) led

the team with 92 digs.

Football to open season

The Alfred State Pioneers, following a scrimmage with Brockport State Saturday, will open the 2014 football season at long-time junior college rival Morrisville State. Kickoff will be 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6 at Drake Field.

Morrisville State, on the strength of its 41-20 win over

Rowan in 2013, are ranked in the top 50 of all Division III football by d3football.com. This is the Mustangs' last season competing in the New Jersey Athletic Conference as next year Morrisville State and Cortland State depart the NJAC and will compete in the Empire 8, joining AU and a number of other upstate New York teams.

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