

Garden State...

FRANK SNYDER of Belmont and his daughter, Barb Welch of Arkport, were found reading hometown news April 30, 2011 at Sayen Gardens in Hamilton, NJ where they attended the wedding of Frank's grandson, Tim Meacham and Leah Seiboth of Philadelphia, PA. The gardens in full spring-time bloom.



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Thursday, June 2, 2011

## AU collaborative team performs at Foster Lake

ALFRED--Collaborative team Longva + Carpenter presented "Thirst," a durational performance, Friday, May 27, at Foster Lake, Alfred.

Longva + Carpenter is a collaborative partnership of Terese Longva, a Norwegian video/performance artist, and Laurel Jay Carpenter, a U.S. performance/installation artist. Carpenter is an assistant professor of fine arts in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences at Alfred University. Longva earned a bachelor of fine arts degree from Alfred University's School of Art & Design in 2008.

"Thirst" was inspired and made by water. Two women in matching dress carry a clear glass vessel to the water's edge and fill it. They strain under the weight of the heavy jug, but undeterred, head toward their goal—a small drinking glass on a pedestal. The vessels hold a terrible truth, however: they don't hold much else.

The production was dually inspired by two points of reference related to water: one an ancient myth, the other a current and pressing global concern. Some of the most prominent sufferers in

ancient mythology are The Danaïds who must forever carry water in leaky jars. This is their punishment for killing the men they were forced to marry. By reperforming the punishment of these mythical women, Longva + Carpenter are examining the ceaseless efforts of the labor force in general. The artists are also asking questions particular to women's history and personal narrative: what are the ways we are still forced to make unfulfilling choices, and how are we penalized for taking responsibility for our futures? Is there a way out of this cycle?

In addition, "Thirst" investigates the current global water crisis. With the growing scarcity of usable water and increasing extent of water pollution and groundwater overdrafting, are our personal and political actions enough? Is there a way out of this cycle?

Carpenter teaches in AU's BAFA (bachelor of fine arts) Foundations program. Carpenter earned a bachelor's degree in English literature at Tufts University and a master's of fine arts degree at the University of Connecticut.



**ALFRED—Members of the faculty and staff at Alfred State College were honored recently for their years of service at the college. Those honored for 30 years included Cherylene Furlong, supervising janitor, Facilities Services; Lawrence Perkins, Andover, plumber/steamfitter, Facilities Services; Neil Benedict, Wellsville, associate vice president of student life; Linda Jessup, Alfred Station, keyboard specialist, Library Services; Kathleen Bayus, Alfred Station, secretary I, Commu-**

**nications; Ronald Nichols, Andover, professor, Civil Engineering Technology; and Elizabeth Turner, Canisteo, secretary I, Counseling Services. Honorees received a cer-**

**tificate and college watch to commemorate the occasion. Pictured here, l-r: Dr. John M. Anderson, president, Alfred State College, Benedict, Bayus, and Turner.**



**ALFRED—Members of the faculty and staff at Alfred State College were honored recently for their years of service at the college. Those ASC employees honored for 25 years included Andrew Bayus, Alfred Station, director of college housing, Residential and Business Operations; Patricia Lewis-Brownell, Wellsville, secretary I, Student Services; Larry Drumm, motor equipment mechanic, Facilities Services; Roger Elias, Bolivar, maintenance assistant, Facilities Services; James Jerla, Alma, associate professor and chair, Electrician and Computer Technician Department; Deborah Neu, secretary I, Student Records and Financial Services; and Robert Rees, Almond, SUNY Distinguished Service Professor, Electrical Engineering Technology. Honorees received a college chair and a certificate to commemorate the occasion. Pictured here, l-r: Alfred State College President Dr. John M. Anderson, Bayus, Lewis-Brownell, Neu, Jerla, and Elias.**

## Fun in store at AU

ALFRED— A fun and activity-filled weekend is planned for Alfred University's annual Alumni Reunion Weekend 2011, Friday through Sunday, June 10-12.

The weekend is packed with numerous exciting activities, many of them open to residents and friends in the surrounding community. Here is a sampling of events open to all:

Friday, June 10 —

- Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art 20th Anniversary Celebration, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., top floor, Binns-Merrill Hall
- Flavors of Alfred Alumni/Community Carnival: Picnic-style meal for the entire family (pay as you go), 5-9 p.m., tent at Village Bandstand, 5-9 p.m.
- Welcome Back Party, 9 p.m.-Midnight, DJ Bob Ainsworth '73, PCC Knight Club
- Stull Observatory open, 10 p.m.-Midnight

Saturday, June 11 —

\* Alfred Community Annual 5K Run/Walk, registration begins at 8:15 a.m., race at 9 a.m., at the village bandstand Main Street. All are welcome.

Registration is \$10 before Wednesday, June 1, and \$17 after June 1 and/or on race day beginning at 8:15 a.m. Tee-shirts are guaranteed to the first 50 registrants. Shirts will be distributed on a first-come-first-served basis after that.

- Local Artisans Craft Sale and Show, Carnegie Lawn, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- Bromeley-Daggett Equestrian Center Team Penning, 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Foster Lake Road
- Schein-Joseph Museum of Ceramic Art 20th Anniversary Celebration, 1-3:30 p.m., top floor Binns-Merrill Hall
- Women's Leadership Center 5th Anniversary Open House, 1:30-3:30 p.m., Women's Leadership Center
- Book Reception, 1:30-2:30 p.m., PCC Bookstore
- Career Development Center Open House, 3:30-4:30 p.m., Steinheim
- Herrick Library Open House, 3:30-4:30 p.m.
- Carillon Recital, 4-5 p.m., Laurel Buckwalter '89, carillon-neur, Davis Memorial Carillon



OBITUARIES



EUNICE "JANE" MEACHAM

Salutatorian at Canaseraga ALFRED—Eunice "Jane" Meacham, 81, went to be with her Lord and Savior Monday (May 16, 2011) at McAuley Manor in Hornell following a long illness.

Jane was born Jan. 29, 1930 in Swain, the daughter of LaFayette and Ruth Reynard, and a sister to Keith Reynard of Warsaw, who have predeceased her. Jane was salutatorian of her graduating class of 1947 at Canaseraga Central School.

In her earlier years, Jane worked as a staff member at Alfred-Almond Central School, a records manager for Key Bank in Alfred and Wellsville, and as a secretary for the Allegany County Sheriff's Department. She attended the Alfred-Almond Bible Church. She enjoyed gardening, cooking, family events and especially her yellow labs which she raised for some 25 years.

She is survived by a sister, Jean (Dana) Rice of Baltimore, MD; three sons and a daughter, David (Karen) Meacham of Marlton, N.J., Robert (Diane) Meacham of Bucksport, ME, Jon Meacham of Hornell, Michele (Albert) D'Agostino of Mendon; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

To send a remembrance to the family, please visit [www.brownandpowersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.brownandpowersfuneralhomes.com). The family is being assisted by Gerald R. Brown, director.

The family received friends from 4-6 p.m. Thursday, May 19 at the Bender - Brown & Powers Funeral Home, 354 Canisteo St., Hornell, where funeral services were held immediately following. A private graveside service was held Friday morning, May 20 at Woodlawn Cemetery in Canisteo.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Hornell Area Humane Society, 7649 Industrial Park Rd., Hornell, N.Y. 14843.



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ANNE A. SCHWARTZ  
Hornell native

HORNELL—Anne A. Schwartz of 1190 County Route 66, Hornell, passed away late Friday afternoon (May 13, 2011) at McAuley Manor in North Hornell.

Born in Hornell on May 17, 1939, she was a daughter of the late Michael S. and Anna M. Fedor Horvat. Besides her parents she was also predeceased by her brother, Gerald T. "Gootch" Horvat.

Her family includes her loving husband, Raymond A. Schwartz and their children, Michael (Brenda) Gentile of Walworth, Susan (David) Woolston of Rochester, Catherine (Frank) Balys of Holley, Lisa Schwartz of Almond and Rebecca (Roman) Kowal of Horseheads; her 16 grandchildren; her sister, Mary Jones of Medina; her sisters-in-law, Janice Schwartz and Norma Schwartz both of Hornell; her brother-in-law, Joseph (Joan) Schwartz of Perkinsville; also her aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

There were no calling hours. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated in her memory at 11 a.m. Wednesday (June 1, 2011) at St. Ann's Church in Hornell. Interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Town of Fremont at the convenience of her family.

Those wishing may contribute in her memory to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-1942.

Arrangements are with the Bishop & Johnson Funeral Home, Inc., 285 Main St., Hornell.

Online condolences or remembrances of Anne are welcomed at [www.bishopandjohnsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.bishopandjohnsonfuneralhome.com).



Awarded RIT Innovation and Creativity Awards

ALMOND—Alfred-Almond Central School's Hannah Holmok and Zachary Woughter have been awarded the RIT Innovation and Creativity Award. This is given to one male and one female student who are leaders in their school/community and demonstrate outstanding achievement in innovation, creativity, or entrepreneurship. Each nominee will receive a \$6000 per year scholarship at RIT should they enroll in the fall following graduation from high school. Joining Hannah (left) and Zachary (right) is Guidance Counselor Amy Decker. (A-A Photo)

ASC achieves 99% transfer/placement

ALFRED--Alfred State College's 2010 graduates distinguished themselves again this year by garnering an employment/transfer record of 99 percent.

The employment and transfer figures are based on an annual survey sent to all ASC graduates; 2010's questionnaire netted a 73 percent response rate from surveyed graduates.

Sixty-two percent of the '10 graduates who responded to the survey are employed, while 37 percent opted to continue their education. One percent remain available for employment. Among those employed, 95 percent are working in jobs related to their college field of study.

Coupled with the fact that the College has the highest on-time graduation rate of non-specialized, two-year, post-secondary institutions in New York State, the College's placement and transfer statistics indicate that

Alfred State continued to offer a quality education to all students who have the desire and capability to learn.

Alfred State College graduates are prepared to continue their education or find employ-

ment in a career-related field. The fact that so many of ASC's graduates are finding career-related jobs with excellent salaries indicates that there are outstanding job opportunities available to the person with the right degree.

Red Cross plans area blood drives

WELLSVILLE--The Allegany County District of the Southwestern NY Chapter of the American Red Cross will hold the following blood drives:

- Friday, June 3--Dresser-Rand, Wellsville, 11 a.m.-4 p.m.
- Friday, June 10--Walgreens, Wellsville, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org)

Alfred University Reunion 2011  
Community Events - June 11th



Craft Show & Sale

10 am - 4 pm Carnegie Lawn off Main Street  
Browse area artisans' displays of pottery, jewelry, woodwork, bags & much more.

9 am @ the Village Bandstand  
Main Street & Saxon Drive  
\$17 - Registration begins @ 8:15 am  
T-shirts to first 50 registrants, ribbons to all, medals to place winners / male & female age groups.  
Proceeds to benefit Gary Horowitz Service Learning Program @ AU.



5k Run / Walk



Bromeley-Daggett Equestrian Center  
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ALFRED—Alfred State College President Dr. John M. Anderson, center, congratulates this year's SUNY Chancellor Award winners, Joseph Damrath, Hornell, associate professor, Business Department, for Excellence in Teaching, and April Lawrence, Arkport, a member of the college's secretarial staff, Office of the Vice President for Administration and Enrollment, for Excellence in Classified Service, during the college's annual recognition luncheon.

# Two earn Chancellor Awards from Alfred State College staff

ALFRED—Joseph Damrath, Hornell, associate professor, Business Department, Alfred State College, and April Lawrence, Arkport, a member of the college's secretarial staff, Office of the Vice President for Administration and Enrollment, were honored recently with the SUNY (State University of New York) Chancellor's Award for Excellence this spring. Presentation was made at the college's annual recognition luncheon held at the end of the spring semester.

Damrath and Lawrence are among more than 100 classroom teachers, librarians, and professional service employees in the SUNY system cited for excellence in the performance of their duties. Announcement of the winners was made this spring by SUNY Chancellor Dr. Nancy L. Zimpher. The chancellor noted that the selection of recipients follows the recommendation by the SUNY Advisory Committee on Awards. The committee

reviews nominations from the faculty, students, and colleagues of the recipients throughout the 64-campus system. Each winner receives a cast bronze medallion, suitable to be worn at academic ceremonies, and an inscribed certificate.

Damrath won the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching which has as its primary criterion mastery of teaching techniques and superb skill in teaching. Candidates must evidence flexible and adaptive instruction that takes student needs and interests into consideration in order to maximize student learning. Scholarship, professional growth, and service are also components of the award.

Lawrence won the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Classified Service which was established to give SUNY-wide recognition for superior performance and extraordinary achievement by employees in the Classified Service.

## Scene About Alfred

By SHERRY VOLK

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



Who are these people, and what are they doing? Some faces should look familiar. One fine spring day, we saw these people, measuring and discussing on the corner of Main and Church Streets.



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### PUBLIC NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of the Alfred-Almond Central School District, Allegany County, New York, hereby invites the submission of sealed bids (in accordance with Section 103, Article 5A of the General Municipal Law) for the following items for the 2010-11 school year.

One (1) 2011 Ventrac 4231 TD Tractor - Bid opening: June 10, 2011 9:00 AM (Contact the Business Office for specifications of the item to be bid)

Bids will be received until 9:00 AM on Friday, June 10, 2011 at the Alfred-Almond Central School District Central Office, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened. Bids must be in a sealed envelope, properly labeled, indicating item being bid and the date and time of the opening. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in bids.

By: Joanne Demetreu  
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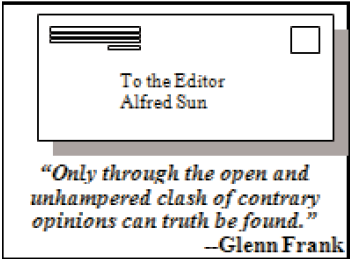
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Matt has many friends

To the Editor:

The tornado which struck my old home town, Joplin, Missouri, on Sunday, May 22, 2011, has led to a startling discovery for me. The responses of others to the event have revealed how very many friends I possess, both nearby and far away. I am grateful for their concern, interest, and affection.

Happily, for my own part I can offer them several points of reassurance.

My mother, Helen Mueller, was the last member of my family to live in Joplin, at 702 North Moffet. She joined me in Alfred in 1984, where she thoroughly enjoyed its offerings for the remaining nine years of her life.

To the best of my knowledge, our north Joplin house was spared by the tornado. Its fury seems to have cut west to east across a wide area which extended south from a point about nineteen blocks away.

I am no longer in touch with any acquaintances in Joplin. However, I still exchange news on birthday cards with my former neighbor, who has lived in Pennsylvania since the 1950's. She joined me in childish conspiracies involving our two pet cocker spaniels. A slack leash once allowed mine to leap into her family's goldfish pond.

Misguidedly, I attended my Joplin High School Class Reunion in 1996. The classmates whom I remembered did not remember me, and vice versa. I concluded that I need not attend

another, such as the one only recently announced for this coming September.

Instead, two summers ago I spent a day exploring greater Joplin by car, and the neighborhood of my youth on foot. Much of the former was scarcely recognizable to me with its then thriving businesses, such as the now destroyed Walmart and The Home Depot.

Surprisingly, I found large portions of my childhood stamping grounds were still there, literally. There were the same cracks in the sidewalks, only worse, on which I had often scraped my knees.

I feel extremely fortunate to still possess memories of my Joplin years spent during more auspicious times than the present, and to frequently have the opportunity to share them. Let us all hope that children there today will, at sometime in the future, be telling tales not only of disaster and despair, but also of friendship, government assistance, charity, hard work, optimism, and recovery.

Martha Ann "Matt" Mueller

Open letter to Cuomo

An open letter to Governor Cuomo:  
Dear Governor Cuomo,

I am 83 years old and I cannot remember a time of such stress and anxiety that we, as citizens of this country, are experiencing.

There is a real breakdown in our society. Our education system is inferior. Larger school complexes are not better than neighborhood schools or small community schools. When a child has an identity and feels he/she is someone, he/she learns.

We do not make a real attempt to educate those who are poor and come from broken homes. We should have day care centers

for families where both parents have to work. We should have community centers where all are welcomed.

We spend more inputting our young people in prisons than in remediation of our youth.

Our industry is essentially gone. There are no jobs. We have to create jobs, maybe even bring back our factories.

We no longer have hospitals that serve the communities - they are now part of the Medical Industry. The Insurance companies control the nature of treatments people can receive.

In rural communities, where people could augment their incomes by growing their own foods, we are now being threatened by the power of the big oil companies who wish to continue their horizontal hydrofracturing of the Marcellus Shale in New York state.

With the advent of this process, we would no longer have clean water - the aquifers

would be compromised, our streams and rivers would be polluted. The quality of life that we now enjoy would be gone - maybe forever.

What, then do we have to offer our children and our grandchildren?

Allegany County, where I live, has been ranked as the 2nd or 3rd poorest county in the state. BUT, what we have is CLEAN AIR and CLEAN WATER! The University and the College are the largest employers and the local farmers struggle to make a go of it.

There are most likely some who feel that they will make a lot of money leasing their land but what they do not realize is that their land will no longer be as it is now. They seem to think that those of us who are against allowing the oil companies to begin this process are only preventing them from being able to realize a financial gain. They do not realize that it will all become

as a nightmare.

Because most of our legislators are funded by industry's lobbyists, they have been able to prevent serious attempts at alternative energy. If the minds that exist in our institutes of learning were able to go where their inquiries would take them and not be bound by "sponsored" explorations, we would be ahead and there would be discoveries that could help this planet.

We need to end these wars. Then we will have the funds to feed, care and educate our children. They are our future!

Elsie Cushing  
Alfred Station



FROM THE DESK  
OF DAVID PULLEN  
By DAVID PULLEN  
Allegany County Legislator

REMEMBERING MEMORIAL DAY

The May 23rd session of the County Legislature began with the Pledge of Allegiance led by former Air Force Sergeant (and current Under-Sheriff) Kevin Monroe. Two members of the Color Guard team from Wellsville joined him during our recognition of the service rendered by our thousands of military veterans. County Historian Craig Braack spoke about the history of Memorial Day and the establishment of Arlington National Cemetery. He urged that during our celebration of a holiday weekend that we take some time to reflect on the sacrifices of thousands of veterans who made our lives of freedom and prosperity possible. It was a moving and appropriate challenge.

A public hearing was held on a proposal to modify and continue Agricultural District Number 3, which is primarily located in the Towns of Almond, Birdsall, Burns, and Grove and Villages of Almond and Canaseraga. It currently consists of 15,565 acres. The proposed modification would increase its size by 6,251 acres. No action was taken at this time.

Chairman Curt Crandall appointed Joy Woodruff to serve as a member of the County Planning Board. This represents the first time in several years that all vacancies on that important Board have been filled.

There were only four resolutions before the Board of Legislators for consideration at this meeting. Resolution 78-11 set June 13th as the date for a public hearing on the appropriation of \$2.5 million from Solid Waste Repair Reserve Fund for expenses related to closure of the existing County Landfill. Since this money will be coming from a "reserve fund" it will not have any direct impact upon taxes. However, there will be future impacts because final closure will cost considerably more than we have in the reserve fund.

Resolution 79-11 accepted two insurance payments from our insurance carrier for replacement of a broken windshield and repair of damage suffered by a County van. The total amount involved was \$684.80.

Resolution 80-11 reappointed Tinothy LaFever to a six year term on the County Board of Health. His term will commence on July 8, 2011 and will expire on July 7, 2017. The dedicated service of all the members of the Board of Health represents a major contribution of time and expertise that benefits virtually every citizen in the County.

The final resolution considered was No. 81-11 dealing with an agreement with the State Department of Transportation involving repairs on County Road 20 in the hamlet of Friendship. The agreement involved no additional cost, but required transfer of money from a construction account to the Design and Right-Of-Way Acquisition funding for the project. This resolution received unanimous support from the 14 legislators present.

At every regular meeting the Board acts upon an "Audit" of County bills for the previous several weeks. The total audited expenses for May 23rd came to \$3,573,612.96. A significant portion of this funding came from taxes, but a majority actually came from federal and state funding. A small percentage came from fees, borrowing, and charges collected by various agencies. The single largest expense category was for payroll. That charge came to \$1,592,437.24. (Please note that none of the remaining categories include anything for payroll expenses.) Welfare programs for the Department of Social Services represented the second largest category with \$989,259.73. (This included about \$335,000 for Medicaid charges.) The County Road Fund was the third largest expense at \$210,726.05. The Department of Public Works also spent another \$87,423.47 on the Road Machinery Fund, \$23,520.48 on capital expenses for roads and bridges, and \$57,950.66 on the Solid Waste program. The latest payment for the Court Facilities Project was \$315,891.57. The next largest expense was \$113,752.67 for Health Department programs.

There are numerous ways to interpret this data. About 44.5% went towards payroll. Most of those employees work on mandated programs. About 27.6% went for mandated Social Services programs. About 10.5% went for roads. Just think how much we could save without State mandated programs.

Sun Spots



Maine-Stay  
Or,  
We Got Hee-ah From They-ah,  
But We'ah Not Shu-ah 'Bout  
Gettin' Back They-ah From Hee-ah

We'ah vacationin' down east,  
We cussed crittahn from away;  
But if on lobstah we may feast...  
We could be convinced to stay.

—Anon No Moose

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Frank Crumb's Dream  
Campaign Update

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

I, too, set a goal of 1000 subscribers when I joined the paper in 1976. That goal was finally reached in January 1999.

The late Eugene T. Van Horn, who owned the newspaper from 1951 until 1973, told us one time that circulation peaked in the 1960s at 700. It's now over 900. We've added 120 new subscribers since Jan. 1, 2009.

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--David L. Snyder  
Editor, Publisher & Janitor



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## Corning's Museum of Glass 60 years old

By **ELAINE HARDMAN**  
*Alfred Sun Reporter*  
CORNING--The Corning Museum of Glass (CMOG) is 60 years old and is celebrating with 60 favorite things – artists, exhibits, activities or stories sprinkled throughout and labeled with red markers. People with zip codes that begin with 148 can get admission tickets for only \$6 for adults while kids 19 and under are always admitted free. There are kid friendly scavenger hunts

and activities and lots of fun things to do. One of my favorite things is the arrow on the floor in the interactive wing. Following that arrow toward a mirror, or maybe a series of mirrors (I forgot to figure it out.) you'll see yourself reflected upside down. When I walked toward that image it I seemed to flip right side up and walk through myself. Creepy but interesting for sure. It's quite entertaining to watch

other people do this since they hold out their hands as if to protect themselves. From the side, it's clear that nothing is in front of them but while walking on the line, it's a different story. The "play" area is large, noisy and hard to leave but another personal favorite of mine is a serious piece of Pyrex glass – the failed lens of the Mt. Palomar telescope. I first saw that lens when I was about 8 years old and took a photo of it with my little Brownie

camera – back in the days of flash bulbs and rolls of film. I remember sensing that the lens held then, as it does now, an honored place in the museum. I could feel how important it was even if I didn't understand it. It was decades before the launch of Sputnik that made the US rev up science and mathematics education before we were totally knocked out of the technology arena. I remember Sputnik and how everyone on TV and in the papers talked about pulling together and recognizing that being educated in math and science was a patriotic duty



**"Lynx" in glass. (Elaine Hardman Photo)**

In the same way that the country was focused on the importance of math and science in the 50s they had been focused on the need for scientific research in the 30s and 40s. In 1934 the largest telescope around was at the Mount Wilson Observatory. That 100-inch mirror frustrated and limited researchers. Papers carried the story of how scientists needed a larger telescope – a 200 inch perfectly ground mirror to see further into the sky.

People got behind the project. It was a hopeful story bumping out from the Great Depression and The Rockefeller Foundation agreed to fund the construction of the lens. Corning Glass said they'd make it. Then they had to figure out how.

It was a big deal. Corning scientists started by casting some smaller test mirrors. Then they cast a 40,000 pound lens. An unwelcomed headline disappointed many when the mold cracked during the process. Scientists started over and, after 8 months of cooling, the second lens was celebrated. People held their breath while the lens was

shipped cross country to California to be polished smooth. Then, the lens was pulled and pushed up the mountain to the observatory by 3 tractor trailers and an army of very careful workers.

The production of the largest piece of glass ever made held the attention of the American public for years. The first pour was in 1934. By the time the second lens annealed, was shipped to California to have 10,000 pounds of glass ground off in the year-long polishing process and finally put in place 14 years passed. That's a worthy attention span for any country.

It's hard to cut the experience of CMOG to a few words. The contemporary art glass is a collection of shapes, colors, textures and ideas expressed in glass, each worthy of a conversation. There are 4,000 year old works of art and brilliant thought put into glass shapes.

Across the parking lot from CMOG, The Studio offers walk-in glass experiences in sand blasting for little ones, glass fusing and hot glass for older guests. (If you choose to work

in hot glass note that you must wait for the glass to cool, anneal, overnight or pay to have it shipped the next day.) You can make a flower or a Christmas ornament or fancy up a night light or drinking glass.



**An outside "Hot Glass" show draws the attention of museum visitors. (Elaine Hardman Photo)**

## 'Baby Gramps' to perform

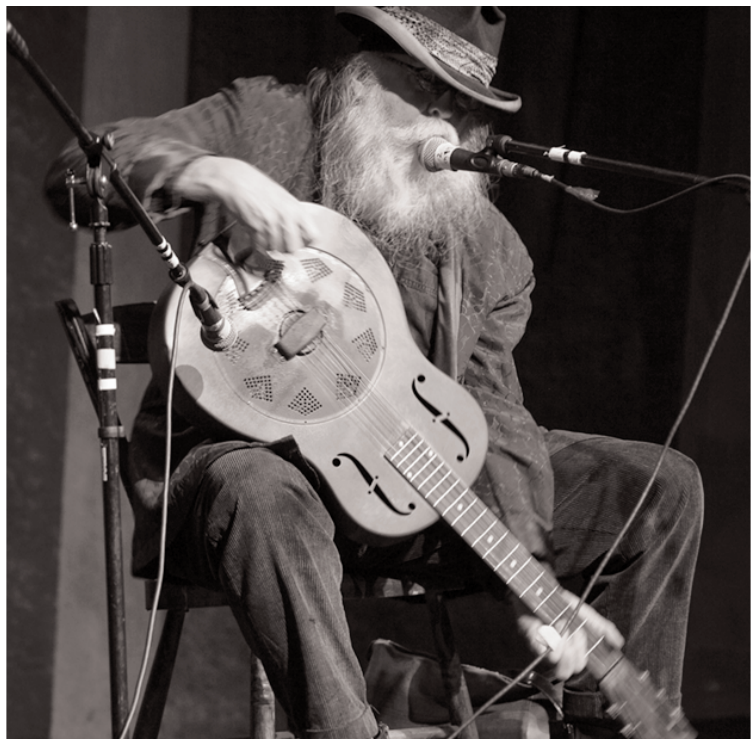
WELLSVILLE -- Baby Gramps will be performing on Friday, June 10th, at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. Show starts at 8:00pm. Tickets are \$14. Member tickets are \$12. Tickets may be purchased online at [www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com](http://www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com) or at the Arts Center Coffee House. For

more information visit the website or call 585-593-3000. Baby Gramps is a high energy humorously entertaining performer with an endless repertoire. He plays acoustic antique resonator National Steel guitars, and sings his own unique arrangements of rags, jazz, & blues songs from the 20's & 30's,

folksongs, and many originals with wordplay, humor, and throat singing. He appeals to a wide range of audiences from folk to jamband to punk to old timey traditional and to kids of all ages. Venues he performs at vary from intimate coffeehouses and pubs, to large concert halls, theaters, and festivals across the States, Canada, Europe, and Australia. He's been called "The Salvadore Dali of Folk Music."

Baby Gramps toured Australia, England, and Ireland as part of the Rogues Gallery: Pirate Ballads, Sea Songs, and Chanteys CD Concert Tour with Tim Robbins (actor), Marianne Faithful, Martha and Rufus Wainright, Jenny Muldaur, Lou Reed, The Watsons, Martin Carthy and Eliza, Suzanne Vega, Ralph Steadman, and many other internationally know performers. The Rogues Gallery CD, produced by Johnny Depp and Hal Wilner in connection with The Pirates of the Caribbean film, landed Baby Gramps on the David Letterman Show. "A deep original with a rooting in blues...If you have never caught Baby Gramps live, this is your chance--he's a performer with a style so distinct you'll never forget it." -Robert Christgau, VILLAGE VOICE

"One of the top 50 influential musicians in the last 100 years." -Seattle Metropolitan Magazine



**BABY GRAMPS will perform at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center at 8 p.m. Friday, June 10.**



**Glass pitcher.**

**night light or drinking glass.**

### If you should want to go....

From Alfred, the trip to Corning takes about 55 minutes. Find accommodation deals at [www.FingerLakesWineCountry.com](http://www.FingerLakesWineCountry.com). Visit the Rockwell Museum of Western Art and get a combination ticket to save on both. Eat at the Café at CMOG for really good food at very reasonable prices. Investigate The Studio for birthday parties. Have lunch in the café and then go to The Studio in a group to experience glass making for a memorable experience but be sure to make reservations for a group. Regular admission for adults is \$14 but if you live in the Southern Tier, get tickets for \$6, children free.



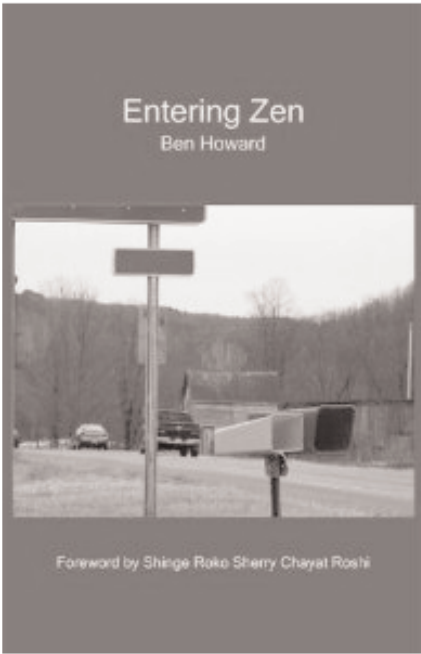
# ‘More Than a Slice of Time’: a review of ‘Entering Zen’

By **TIM BANCROFT**  
*Special to the Alfred Sun*  
Ben Howard has written a down-to-earth ‘grass roots’ introduction to Zen.

One could have expected such an introduction would consist of history and definitions. If he had started with history and definitions, many readers would have been bored and the essence of the way Zen can engage each of us in our human condition would have been lost.

Instead, he presents us with seventy-five brief and enticing articles that were written out of more than twenty years of meditation, reflecting on that experience and then applying that same focus to the experiences of day-to-day living. Each of the articles have previously appeared in the weekly column, “One Time, One Meeting,” of the community newspaper of Alfred, New York – *The Alfred Sun*.

Each topic seeks to evoke the



**COVER of Ben Howard’s book, “Entering Zen.”**

reader’s interest through an everyday experience, such as reading *The Classifieds*, using *The Tow Rope* and walking on

Stepping Stones. Or one’s curiosity is aroused with brief statements and questions, such as *Just This*, *Being with Dying* and *What Were You Thinking?* With each article the reader is shown that the Zen experience takes one more deeply into everyday experience, and not into some strange and unfamiliar mental state.

Many might respond that exploring our experience is interesting, yet they cannot see sitting on a cushion and meditating. Others would protest in frustration that meditation skills are not necessary. Even more might say in despair that exploring the depth and unity of everyday experience is an impractical luxury in our busy, if not frenzied world.

In response, it is important to note that all of us who live in the western world, whether an average citizen or esteemed leader, are living in the shadow of the Christian philosopher and theologian, Augustine (Fifth Century C.E.). In his *Confessions*, Augustine asked the question, when is the present? His answer was that the present is at the instant between the past and the future. The present is a slice in time without length or duration. As soon as we name it, the present is gone.

Yet if the present has no length or duration, when do we get to live? When can we affirm meaning, find happiness, experience relationships, enjoy or express beauty, or celebrate pleasure? Our western secular and religious heritage has bequeathed to us a way of life that leaves no time for things that matter. Everything is either past or future.

The wisdom of Zen, and Ben’s ‘grass roots’ presentation of it, stands outside of the shadow of Augustine’s understanding of time. Zen awakens our perception of the present as a many-sided and unified experience of each moment. Authentic spirituality is discovered in between our experiences and our choice of words to describe our experiences.

This truth can apply to all faiths and philosophies.

Are you ready to leave aside your frenzy of busyness, and your sense of being psychologically manipulated by an advertising culture that seeks to satisfy needs it created amidst a culture with a present tense of time that does not exist but for a fleeting moment?

Then, it is time you learn the skill and wisdom of living out of the gap between your experiences and your choice of words to describe it. Know that as you explore this wisdom by reading and reflecting on the articles in Ben’s book, you will be following the path of his suggestive book title – *Entering Zen*!

**Tim Bancroft, D.Min., SPHR**

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## One Time, One Meeting

*The Practice of Zen Meditation*

By **BEN HOWARD**



“Whoops!” wrote a friend the other day, having just sent me an e-mail message intended for someone else. Studying that word on my screen, I was reminded of an experience that occurred some fifty years ago.

At the time, I was splayed face-down on a sweat-scented wrestling mat. Straddling me was Grant Wilke, a tough competitor whose strength and wrestling skills far surpassed my own. With my belly squashed against the mat and Grant’s weight pressing firmly into my lower back, I attempted what high-school wrestlers call an “escape.” Rising like a cobra and twisting backward, I inadvertently gave Grant a sharp elbow in the ribs.

“Oops!” said I.

“Don’t say ‘oops’, Ben,” Grant replied, casting a disdainful look in my direction. Not only had my clumsy move failed of its purpose. I had also offended Grant’s sense of what a wrestler is supposed to be thinking, feeling, and saying. “Take that!” might have been more to the point. “Oops!” was not in the protocol.

Had I looked into my experience that afternoon, I might have divined that I was not cut out to be a wrestler. And had I looked into my offending word, I might also have made a few discoveries. “Oops” and its variant “Whoops” are words of unknown origin. They became current in American English in the 1920s. “Whoops” may allude to “whoop,” as in “war whoop,” and “Oops” may be its contraction. In any event, both words contain a long, low vowel, a plosive consonant (“p”), and a terminal sibilant (“s”), which together create a sound not unlike that of a tire being punctured. Or one’s pride, or poise, or public image.

To grammarians “Oops” is known as an interjection. Expressive, colorful, and often illogical in context, interjections reveal much about those who use them. If you say “Stone the crows!” when surprised, you are probably British and not as young as you used to be. Likewise “Holy mackerel, Andy!” which Kingfish frequently exclaimed on the Amos ‘n’ Andy Show, but only people of a certain age would say today. “Jeepers creepers!” my wife, Robin, likes to say, despite my telling her that no one says “Jeepers creepers” anymore. “Jeepers,” she said last week, employing the shorter form.

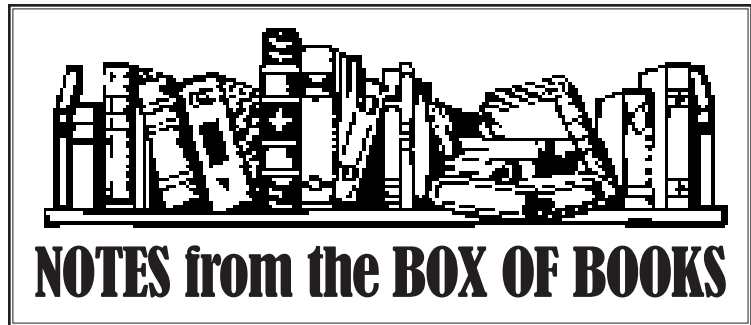
Beyond the age and social background of the user, interjections also reveal the speaker’s present state of mind. In the case of “oops,” that state might be described as embarrassed, apologetic, and desirous of atonement. By contrast, “Uh-oh” connotes mild apprehension, “Yikes” astonishment, and “Ugh” disgust. Whatever the state being disclosed, however, interjections disclose it before we’ve had time to think about it, or modify it with thought, or disguise it with discursive language. At any given moment, our interjections may be no more than habitual verbal reflexes or escape valves for powerful feelings. But for those of us inclined to introspection, they can also provide clues to our ever-changing mental states and the causes that engender them. Rents, as it were, in the curtain of language, they can show us to ourselves.

In this respect, as in their spontaneous nature, interjections have a part to play in Zen practice. In his book *Zen Action, Zen Person*, the philosopher T.P. Kasulis describes Zen as a “prereflective” practice, by which he means a practice whose locus is the moment, prior to reflection, when a mental event occurs. That event might be a sensation, a passing thought, or an image from the past. Whatever it is, we experience it directly, without the mediation of conceptual thought. If we are diligent in the practice, we learn to experience ourselves and the world in this way, whether we are sitting on our cushions or going about our daily business. And interjections can help us, insofar as they constitute a direct, unmediated response to our experience. Knowing as much, Japanese Zen teachers have sometimes used interjections as wake-up calls, one of their favorites being the word kwatz, which has no extractable meaning. Uttered forcefully in a samurai’s basso profundo, that bizarre word can restore the sleepest practitioner to the here and now.

Of course it is often more pleasant to live in a dream of the past, a dream in which nothing has changed, and we are the same, unchanging selves that we were at the time. So it was one evening a few months back, when Robin and I sat on our couch, looking at my high-school yearbook. Arriving at the Sports section, we found black-and-white photos of my wrestling team. There, in his River Kings wrestling uniform, was Grant Wilke, who would go on to become a Marine Sergeant Major, a fire marshal, and a respected community leader. And there was I, an athletic-looking lad with conspicuous biceps, respectable pecs, and a calm, determined mien. No Adonis, to be sure, but a force to be reckoned with.

“You had a good build then,” said Robin.

Oops.



## NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS

By **RIMA O’CONNOR**  
*of the Box of Books staff*

What’s new at the Box of Books ePLACE (Public Library and Computer Education): Your Technology tool Box!

### June Classes

**Introduction to Microsoft Excel**  
**Wednesday June 8, 3:00 – 5:00**

Use Microsoft Excel in a small business setting, create a personal budget, organize your personal or business contacts (including addresses and birthdays), and more! In this class you will learn some of the basic features of this popular computer program including: How to create, edit and format a simple spreadsheet, creating and using basic formulas, and how to save and print your worksheet. Basic computer skills are a pre-requisite for this class.

**How to use the Library’s StarCat**  
**Saturday June 11, 11:00 – 12:00**

StarCat is the Library’s online catalog. In this class you will learn how to use it to find materials that are owned by any of the libraries in the Southern Tier Library System. You can also renew your items and place holds using a computer. Basic computer skills are a pre-requisite for this class.

**Introduction to Computers**  
**Thursday June 16, 11:00 – 12:30**

Here is your opportunity to become acquainted with the exciting world of computers! This class will teach you how to use a mouse and computer icons, basic organization of your files and folders, and beginning computer vocabulary.

**Microsoft Windows 7**  
**Saturday June 18, 12:30 – 2:00**

Microsoft has made some changes in their latest operating system, and some of those changes can be confusing if you’re used to older versions! Come to this class to catch up, and bring any questions you might have about Windows 7. Basic computer skills are a pre-requisite for this class.

**Writing a Super Resume**  
**Wednesday June 22, 4:00 – 6:00**

The ePLACE is proud and excited to offer this class on resume writing, taught by Mark McFadden of the Alfred University Career Development Center! If you are returning to the work force, or have never written a resume before, or just want to improve the resume you have, this class will help you create a resume that shows you to your best advantage. Use one of the library’s computers, or bring your own. Basic computer skills are a pre-requisite for this class. Pre-registration is required for all these classes. Please send an email to [burnsa@stls.org](mailto:burnsa@stls.org), or call the Alfred Box of Books Library at 607-587-9290, and leave your name, contact information (email or phone number), and the name of the class you wish to attend. You may also stop by the library when it is open and sign up in person.

**Drop-In Computer Lab Time at the ePLACE:**  
**Tuesdays 4–8; Wednesdays 12–4; Saturdays 10–2**

Use our computers to create documents, presentations, spreadsheets, flyers, newsletters, and more! Surf the Internet on our super-fast Internet connection! A member of the ePLACE Training Team will be available to answer your computing questions, all in a comfortable, relaxed atmosphere. Bring a flash drive if you plan to save and store information.

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# Black-Eyed Susan presents Mike Lorow, Jeff Riales in concert

ANGELICA—Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café (22 W. Main St., Angelica) presents crooner Mike Lorow of Angelica performing an evening of standards from the jazz and swing era on Friday, June 3. On Saturday, June 4 its blues and gospel music with Memphis-born Jeff Riales. Both musicians will perform from 7:30–9:30 p.m. There is no cover charge, but guests are expected to contribute to the musician’s tip jar. Reservations for dinner are strongly suggested.

Friday’s musician, Mike Lorow, has been playing guitar for more than 35 years. A few years ago he met and began performing with Gary Barteau in the duo ‘Retrofit’. Mike credits Gary with introducing him to the standards and pre-war tunes he performs as a solo act on acoustic guitar and vocals.

Mike says, “The music of this era is intriguing, and sort of eternal. There doesn’t seem to be a clock ticking with this music.... our parents and grandparents enjoyed it, and now it’s being appreciated by yet another generation.”

Mike has given a number of



MIKE LOROW

performances for the Allegany County Office for the Aging. He says, “Audiences thank me for playing music from the era because they say they haven’t heard it in years.”

On Saturday, June 4 Black-eyed Susan welcomes blues and gospel musician Jeff Riales on acoustic guitar and slide acoustic guitar. Jeff has a great voice--a polished baritone reminiscent of Waylon Jennings and Johnny Cash. He performs songs that can



JEFF RIALES (Photo by Dave Durr)

rock, or be relaxed and thoughtful. His music is rooted in red clay and the type of sentimentality that can’t be faked.

Riales has performed at the Corn Hill Festival, Naples Grape Festival, and many other Rochester clubs and venues. The title song of his recent CD, “The Ticket”, was a first place winner in Country Division, 2008 Upstate NY Songwriting Contest. He has opened for John Hiatt and Chris Smither, and his

recordings can be heard on radio stations around the world. Learn more at [www.jeffriales.com](http://www.jeffriales.com)

**Coming Events at**

**Black-Eyed Susan:**  
FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 2011  
Bluegrass-tinged ABE’s LILY returns to Black-Eyed Susan with their eclectic selection of Old-time-Celtic-Indian-Jazz-Blues-Fusion music. A more interested collection of instruments and sounds will be difficult to find. [www.laurence-sugarman.com/abeslily/](http://www.laurence-sugarman.com/abeslily/)

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café serves lunch Monday through Saturday and dinner with live music every Friday and Saturday evening. Located at 22 West Main Street in Angelica’s Park Circle National Historic District, the café seats 90 and is fully handicap-accessible. Food and beverage menus, wine lists and music schedules are posted on-line. For more information call 585-466-3399 or visit [www.black-eyed-susan.com](http://www.black-eyed-susan.com).



## Inamori Kyocera Museum of Fine Ceramics opens at AU

MUSEUM OPENS--Dr. Kazuo Inamori, founder and chairman emeritus of Kyocera Corp., left, and Alfred University President Charles M. Edmondson, right, cut the ribbon at the dedication of the Inamori Kyocera Museum of Fine Ceramics at Alfred University. Located in Binns-Merrill Hall, the new museum showcases the role engineered ceramics have played in nearly every aspect of life today. The museum is open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday.



TODD SNIDER will perform Saturday, June 4 at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. The band, Leland Sundries, will open the show beginning at 8 p.m.

## Story-teller to perform

WELLSVILLE-Todd Snider will perform Saturday, June 4 at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. The band Leland Sundries will be the opening act with the show starting at 8 p.m.. Tickets are \$28. Member tickets are \$25. Tickets may be purchased online at [www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com](http://www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com) or at the Arts Center Coffee House. For more information visit the website or call 585-593-3000.

Todd Snider has been on the road doing the gypsy troubadour thing for nearly 20 years. While his audiences are full of folkies and singer-songwriter fans that listen to the likes of John Prine and Steve Earle, Snider’s shows

attract the gamut, from country music fans to frat boys.

Like Jon Stewart, he goes from silly and sarcastic to political and poignant in two seconds flat. Check out a Todd Snider show and you’ll get the feeling he’s flying a flag few other artists care to wave with conviction anymore—that of a critical observer who has something to say about the human condition as it plays out in America.

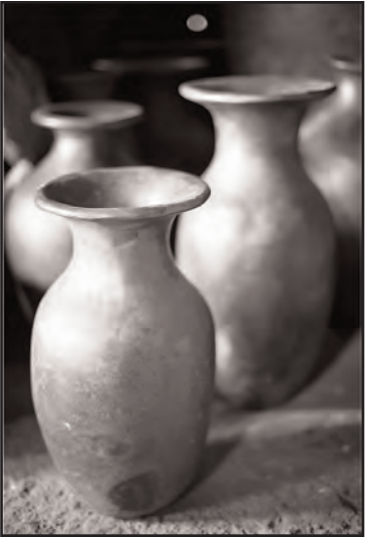
Snider’s new live album, Todd Snider Live: The Storyteller, is the first recording that truly represents what he is doing across America almost every night—it commands your attention and takes you for a ride.

## Ceramics classes start June 14 at Wellsville Creative Arts Center

WELLSVILLE-A new session of ceramics classes at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center will start June 14th and run until August 6th. If you’ve ever wanted to get creative with clay, this is a perfect time to start as the studio is downstairs and stays nice and cool all summer!

The Arts Center is offering a variety of classes with something to interest everyone. There are handbuilding, wheel throwing and sculpting classes, even one class that incorporates all of the aforementioned techniques. Classes are held once a week in the afternoon or in the evening. A new addition to the lineup is Thrown and Altered Forms on Saturdays from 11 am to 1 pm.

Pre-registration is required. Price includes free glaze and firings, as well as open studio hours for the duration of the session. To register for classes or for more information go to [www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com](http://www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com), call 585.593.3000 or stop in at the Arts Center at 124 North Main Street, Wellsville.



## Bethany Stiller to offer voice recital Sunday, June 12

ALFRED--Bethany Stiller will be presenting her Senior Voice Recital at Howell Hall on the Alfred University campus at 3 p.m. Sunday, June 12.

While Bethany has been attending Crown College in St. Bonifacius, Minnesota, her teacher has been Ericka Forsberg, Adjunct Professor of Voice. When residing in the Alfred area prior to that, she was a student of Mrs. Betty Giles.

Sarah Stiller will be accompanying her sister on the piano. She recently performed at a farewell recital given by Alfred piano teacher Savithri Amarakoon and her students.

Bethany and Sarah are the daughters of Sharon Higgins Stiller, and granddaughters of Wallace and Norma Higgins, all local residents.

Along with their friends, music loving members of the general public are invited to enjoy this treat.

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

**Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe** 22 West Main St., Angelica. Open Mon.-Thurs. 11-2 for lunch, parties, espresso, desserts; Fridays-Saturdays 11-4:30 for lunch, 4:30-11 pm with music, dinner, espresso, legal beverages & desserts. **Acoustic Open Mic Night** 1st Thursday of every month from 7-10 pm; Cafe opens for light meals at 6 pm). **Music Schedule:** May 20--Jed Curran; May 21--Gordon Munding; May 27--Jim Paradis; May 28--Ed Hart; June 3--Mike Lorow; June 4--Jeff Riales; June 10--Abe's Lily; June 11--Java; June 17--Jim Clare and Allen Hopkins; June 18--Marty Loose and Mike Brady; June 24--Chris Bell; June 25--Dallas LucoreFor more info, call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

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

**Maple City Bowl**, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every Friday Night 9 pm-1 a.m.; Satur-

day 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. Saturday, May 21--Tom Stahl; Saturday, June 4--Todd Snider, The Story Teller; Friday, June 10--Baby Gramps; Friday, June 17--Lakeshore Songwriters Showcase; Friday, June 24--The Glengarry Bhoys; Friday, July 8--Dee Adams; Saturday, July 16--Leroy Townes; Friday, July 22--Little Mountain Band; Saturday, Sept. 10--Mosaic Foundation; Friday, Sept. 16--The Honey Dewdrops. For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

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

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

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

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

Saturday, April 23--Wiry, Folk Tangents of Paleo (9 pm). Open Mic Night Wednesdays.

**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.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.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. July 5 - Monika Kazmierczak from Gdansk, Poland July 12 - Toru Takao from Dusseldorf, Germany July 19 - Karel Keldermans from Springfield, Ill July 26 - Gordon Slater from Ottowa, Canada Aug. 2 - Sharon Hettinger from Lawrence, Kansas All performances are free for listening.



Theater & Dance

**COMEDY**  
**Friday Night Live.** AU student comedy troupe. Watch for spring schedule. Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. Call 871-2175 for further info.

**Pirate Theater.** AU student comedy troupe. Watch for spring schedule. Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. Call 871-2175 for further info.

**DANCE**  
**Alfred Dance Academy,** N. Main St., Alfred. Katherine Lang, artistic director. For further information, phone 607-661-0952.

**Alfred Swing Dance Network** holds dances periodically in the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater located in Alfred Village Hall. For more information, contact Graham Marks/Megan Staffel at evalley@frontiernet.net or call 607-478-8178.

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

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

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

**PERFORMANCES**  
**The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged)** will be staged by Alfred Community Theatre at 7:30 p.m. Friday, July 22 and Saturday, July 23 and at 3 p.m. Sunday, July 24 at the Alfred Village Hall Theater. West University Street, Alfred. Admission is free to all. ACT offers this free performance in appreciation of the continued support of the community of ACT productions over the past decade.

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.

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

**Angelica Sweet Shop** 44 West Main St., Angelica. Angelica Sweet Shop open Mon.-Wed. 10-2, Thurs-Fri. 10 a.m.-9 pm; Sat.-Sun. 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Scrabble played Thurs. evenings 6-9 p.m. Closing April 10: Watercolors by Louise Woodard and "The Kiss: Black & White Prints by Various Photographers." Beginning April 14: "The Painted Ladies: Selected Works of Four Friends." For more info, call 585-466-7070 or e-mail info@angelicasweet-shop.com

**Artist Knot.** 36 Main Street, Andover. Current Exhibit: "Unknown, Unnamed, Unfinished," ends April 8. "H'Art and Sole," Annual Members Show (April 22-May 28). Opening reception 5-7 p.m. Saturday, April 23. Free Admission. Gallery Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 10 am -5 pm, Thursday 10am - 7 pm & Saturday 10 am -3 pm Closed Sundays, Mondays and Holidays. (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.

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

Wood at 607-587-9519 or T.C. Gary at 585-593-4799.

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

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

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

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

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

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

**Call Homestead Museum,** Wellsville, 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.

Programs at the Nancy Howe Auditorium at the David A. Howe Public Library for May 31 – June 8, 2011

**Classic Movie: The Bridge on the River Kwai (1957) Tuesday, May 31 at 6:45 p.m.**  
A seven time Oscar winner, British soldiers in a Japanese prison camp build a bridge as a morale exercise under the command of a single-minded British Colonel. This psychological battle of wills combined with high-powered action sequences makes this a movie classic. Actors include Alec Guinness, William Holden, Jack Hawkins, and Sessue Hayakawa. This library-sponsored movie on Tuesday, May 31st at 6:45 pm is free and open to the general public at the Nancy Howe Auditorium in Wellsville.

**Concert: Laurence Juber – Fingerstyle Acoustic Guitar Wednesday, June 8th at 7:00 pm**  
Laurence Juber is a two-time Grammy award-winning fingerstyle acoustic guitarist, also known for his electric work as lead guitarist in Paul McCartney's Wings. Juber has released 15 critically acclaimed solo albums which feature his celebrated arrangements of popular tunes and genre-crossing compositions. A highly celebrated guitarist, he was voted "Guitarist of the Year" by the readers of Fingerstyle Guitar Magazine and named one of the top acoustic guitar players of all time by Acoustic Guitar Magazine. In the fall of 2010, he released the highly anticipated "LJ Plays the Beatles Vol. 2".

**Cinderella Waltz presented by The Players of Allegany County Friday, June 3rd and Saturday, June 4th 7:00 pm**  
Tickets \$8.00  
Join The Players of Allegany County at the Nancy Howe Auditorium in Wellsville for their spring presentation of Cinderella Waltz. Rosey Snow is trapped in a fairy tale world that is by turns funny and a little frightening with the stepsisters Goneril and Regan, her demented stepmother, her lecherous father, a bewildered Prince, a fairy Godmother who sings salty old sailor songs, a troll and a misunderstood idiot. This play investigates the archetypal origins of the world's most popular fairy tale, contrasting the familiar and charming Perrault version with the darker, more ancient and disturbing tale recorded by the brothers Grimm. Grotesque farce and romantic fantasy blend in a fairy tale for adults. It is considered PG – 13. Cinderella Waltz, a play by Don Nigro is produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc.  
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**Mather Homestead Museum.** 343 Main St., Wellsville. Open 2-5 pm Wed. & Sat. or by appt. (Free) Call 716-593-1636.

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

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

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



## Lectures/Readings

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

**AU Environmental Studies Speakers Series.** Held at 12:10

p.m. Fridays in Roon Lecture Hall of Science Center, AU campus, during fall semester when classes are in session.

**AU Women's Leadership Center Lectures.** May 5--Learn 2 Lead Workshop, "Salary Negotiation," 5 p.m. at the WLC.

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

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

**Baker's Bridge Historical Association.** Meets 7:30 p.m. third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. 2010-11 Programs concluded. For more information, call President Laurie McFadden, 587-9493. To tour building and/or view exhibits, call Historian Susan Greene at 587-9488. Visit: [www.bakersbridge.org](http://www.bakersbridge.org)

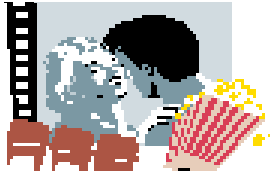
**Bergren Forum.** 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus, when classes in session. Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available.

**Hornell Fortnightly Club.** 7:30 pm second Thursday of each month during academic year, Hornell High School Library. Membership dues \$12/single, \$18/family. Mail to: Donald Doster, 191 Hornell St., Hornell, NY 14843.

**Maple City Garden Club.** Monthly potluck lunch second Wednesday at Sawyer St. Court, Hornell (unless otherwise noted) at 12 noon. Program follows: May 11--Field trip to Almond with noon lunch at Muhleisen's followed by a visit to Living Acre Farm (CSA). June 8--Plant auction and planning the 2011-2012 program. For info, call Zoë Coombs at 587-8031.

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

For info, 716-466-8524.



## Films

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

**AU Alternative Cinema**—7 p.m. Thursdays when college is in session, Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. 7 p.m.

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## Fun-n-Games

### STAR GAZING

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

**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.

**Allegany County Fair.** July 17-23 at Fairgrounds, Angelica. Monday,

July 18--WNY Pro Farm Pullers; Tuesday, July 19--Lightweight NYS Champion Horse Pull; Wednesday/ July 20--Children's Tractor Pull, Fair on Parade, 4-H Market Animal Sale, Tonny Petersen's Hell Drivers; Thursday, July 21--Boys-n-Bulls Bull Riding Event; Friday, July 22--Mark Lowry/Chonda Pierce from Gaither Music Hour on RFDTV; Saturday, July 23--Demolition Derby. Gate admission of \$8 includes all exhibits, rides, grandstand features, except Friday night concert.

**Alfred Thunder Athletes-in-Action Baseball Team Summer 2011 Schedule:** (Home games played at Alfred State College field.)

Sunday, June 5--Niagara, 5 pm Monday, June 6--Allegany County, 5 pm Tuesday, June 7--at Niagara, 7 pm Wednesday, June 8--at Allegany (Scio H.S.), 7 pm Sunday, June 12--at Webster, 3 pm Tuesday, June 14--at Hornell, 11 a.m. Wednesday, June 15--at Webster, 7 pm Sunday, June 19--Hornell, 5 pm Tuesday, June 21--Allegany County, 5 pm Wednesday, June 22--Niagara, 5 pm Thursday, June 23--Geneva, 5 pm Monday, June 27--at Geneva, 7 pm Tuesday, June 28--at Niagara, 7pm Wednesday, June 29--Allegany County, 5 pm Tuesday, July 5--at Geneva, 7 pm Wednesday, July 6--at Webster, 7 pm Thursday, July 7--at Allegany County (Scio H.S.), 7 pm Sunday, July 10--at Hornell, 3 pm Wednesday, July 13--at Niagara, 7 pm Thursday, July 14--Hornell, 5 pm Sunday, July 17--Geneva, 5 pm Tuesday, July 19--Hornell, 5 pm Wednesday, July 20--at Webster, 7 pm Thursday, July 21--Webster, 5 pm Sunday, July 24--Allegany County, 5 pm Monday, July 25--at Allegany County (Scio H.S.), 7 pm ALFRED THUNDER competes in the Western Division of the New York State Collegiate Baseball League with Allegany County Nitros, Hornell Dodgers, Webster Yankees, Niagara Power and

Geneva Red Wings.

## Support Groups

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

**Alcoholics Anonymous.** 7 pm & 8:30 pm Fridays at Union University Church Center in Alfred. Call 607-276-8588 for help or information.

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

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

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

**Diabetes Support Group.** Meets fourth Tuesday of the month. Meetings from 3-4:30 p.m. and 6:30-8 p.m. in the meeting room at Mercy-care, Bethesda Drive, North Hornell. For more info, call Judy Griffith at 324-8139.

**JMH Diabetes Support Group** meets monthly on the third Wednesday Sept.-May. 7 p.m. in Walchli Room, (unless otherwise noted), Jones Memorial Hospital, Wellsville. For more information, call the JMH Diabetes Nurse Educator Brenda Torrey 585-596-4035. **The Fibromyalgia Support Group** meets on the second Thursday of each month 6-7 p.m. at JMH. For more information, please contact the group facilitators Iris Bahamonde (585-593-1910).

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

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

(Loving Education at Home) meets at 7 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month at the Steere home in Almond. 276-6380. **LaLeche League.** Mother-to-Mother Breastfeeding Support. Hornell group meets third Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at Christ Episcopal Church, corner of Main and Center Streets, Hornell. For more info, call 324-6266. **Multiple Sclerosis Support Group.** Meets third Tuesday of each month from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the Adult Day Care room at Mercy-care, Bethesda Drive, Hornell. For more info, call St. James Mercy Health at 324-8147. **Pulmonary Support Group** of Jones Memorial Hospital meets from 1 to 3 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the Walchli Education Room at the hospital. For more information, call Group Facilitator Mona Carbone at (585) 596-4114.

## Etcetera

**Creative Writers of the Southern Tier.** Meets 1:30-4 p.m. second Saturday of each month March through November at site to be determined. For further information, call 716-593-0820 or 716-593-2324.

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

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

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

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

## Deadline

To include your event in this calendar, send information to: Calendar, ALFRED SUN, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802 or e-mail: [alfredsun.news@gmail.com](mailto:alfredsun.news@gmail.com) no later than 5 p.m. Friday. Event listings should be sent two weeks prior to ensure sufficient notice.

## WHAT'S COOKIN'?

**Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu** Monday, June 6

Orange juice, Scalloped Potatoes & Ham, Beets, Carrot Raisin Bread, Fruited Gelatin, Diabetic-Fruited Gelatin.

**Tuesday, June 7** Coleslaw, Breaded Fish w/Tarter Sauce, Baked Potato, Sour Cream, Mixed Vegetables, Wheat Bread, Lemon Mousse, Diabetic-Lemon Mousse.

**Wednesday, June 8** Chilled Pears, Swedish Meatballs, Buttered Noodles, Spinach, Italian Bread, Pudding, Diabetic-Pudding.

**Thursday, June 9** Tropical Fruit Salad, Roast Pork, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Green Beans, Rye Bread, Applesauce Cake, Diabetic-Applesauce.

**Friday, June 10** Strawberry Yogurt Salad, Chicken Salad on a Bun, Italian Pasta Salad, Lettuce & Tomato, Butterscotch Squares, Diabetic-Peaches. *For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or (toll free 1-866-268-9390) by 2 p.m. on previous day.*

**ALFRED NUTRITION SITE** Union University Church Center, 12 noon Call Cindy Berry at 607-382-4918.

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

**Wednesday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon. Blood Pressure Clinic. Lisa Brulotte, Issues & Answers.

**Thursday**—Lunch at noon.

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

**Tuesday**—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Trivia Day," "Drive In Movies."

**Thursday**—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Lilac Festival," "Things Not Seen Anywhere," Cheryl Czworka: "Is That Still Good?"

**BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE** Fire Hall 12 noon

Call Carolyn Hackett at 585-928-2672 **Monday**—Exercises at 11 a.m., lunch at 12 noon.

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

**Thursday**—Lunch at 12 noon.

**CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE** Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301.

**Tuesday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m., "Two for the Show."

**Thursday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Craig Braack: "Barns, Silos & Outhouses."

**CUBA NUTRITION SITE** AAArnold Community Center, 12 noon Call Linda Nelson at 585-968-2397

**Monday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 11 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. "Drive-In Movie Day." "Call in reservations for Sr. Citizens Meeting."

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

**Wednesday**—Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at noon. "Current Topics."

**Thursday**—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., Senior Citizens Meeting at 11 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon.

**FILLMORE NUTRITION SITE** Fillmore Fire Hall., 12 noon

Call Maggie Brown at 585-737-5609

**Monday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.

**Thursday**—Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon. Blood Pressure Clinic. Lisa Brulotte, Issues & Answers.

**FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE** Community Center, 12 noon Call Office for the Aging 585-268-9390

**Tuesday**—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m. Cheryl Czworka: "Is That Still Good?"

**Thursday**—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Crafts at 1 p.m.

**WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE** Community Center, 12 noon

Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.

**Monday**—Stretch at 9 a.m., Walking at 9:30 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Euchre at 1 p.m., Exercise at 1:30 p.m.

**Wednesday**—Walking at 9:30 a.m., Games 10 a.m.,Lunch at noon, Euchre 1 p.m. Exercise at 1:30 p.m.

**Thursday**—Stretch at 9 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Bridge at 1 p.m., Exercise at 1:30 p.m.

**Friday**—Walking at 9:30 a.m., Bingo 10:30 a.m., Lunch noon, Pinochle 12:30 p.m. Exercise at 1:30 p.m.

**WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE** Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon

Call Voni Mattison at 315-878-2507.

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

**Tuesday**—Lunch at noon. "Sporcle Fun."

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



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# Alfred-Almond holds 22nd annual Literary Festival

By **KIM DONIUS**  
*Special to the Alfred Sun*

ALMOND--Twenty-one students presented winning literary entries May 5 at the High School auditorium. Their entries included stories, poems, and personal narratives for various grade divisions.

Poetry entries dominated the 2011 literary festival. Students submitted free verse, rhyme, haiku, concrete, limericks, re-verso, color, and found poems. Interestingly, free verse poems were prevalent.

The literary festival provides a forum for the presentation of original work, fosters student creativity, and encourages excellence in writing. Teachers or individual can submit their best work. Any writing written after May 5, 2011 is eligible for the 2012 Literary Festival!

This year’s district winners included Cheryl Kress’s middle school students, Jesse Crosby (*Cabbage Catastrophe*) and Jules Call (*Zombies at the Jersey Shore*). Their work was read by the Interim Elementary Principal, Mr. Todd Goho, and our recently hired secondary principal, Mrs. Sue Bain Lucey.

In the Kindergarten story-books category, Julian Harris Petrillo (*The Dunos’ Adventure*--Mrs. Dwyer) and Athena Cushing (*Pizza Man!*--Mrs. Kinnerney) were winners.

In the first and second grade division, Casey Racho (“Friends” – Mr. Weller) and Nicholas Robertshaw (“I’d Like to Be a Motorboat”—Mrs. Hoffner) read poems; Story entries at that same level included: Isabella Powell (*Sage!* --Mr. Weller), Garrett Paine (*The Se-*

*cret Agent* -- Mrs. Cady), Aquila Cushing (*One-to-One Battle*--Mr. Link).

The Fourth and Sixth grade division selected material included Maya Racho (My Great Grandma – (Mr. Statt/Ms Lacy), Hanna Tormey, (A Sad Surprise- Mrs Kenney/Ms. Lacy); Kaitlyn Cook, (*What Happens When You Don’t Add Water*-- Mr. Statt/Ms. Lacy), Attilo Cushing (*Baseball* --Mr. Mix/Mrs. Agnello), Vianna Koegel (*Santa’s Stuck*--Mr. Mix/Mrs. Agnello).

The individual poetry winners for 4th-6th grades selected included; Nathan Grove (“Cozy,” Reverso Poem--Mrs. Forshee /Ms. Lacy), Nora Looney (“What is Pink?”Color poem--Mrs. Kenney), Katlyn Ann Guild (“The Desk Poem,” Rhymed Verse -- Mrs. Agnello), Chloe Muhleisen “The Wacky Pig”, Limerick-- Mr. Statt/Ms Lacy), Ellen Silva Drach McInnes (“Sunbeams”, (Free Verse --Mr. Mix/Mrs. Agnello), Alex DeGraff (“My After School Greeting,” Free Verse -- Mr. Woughter/Mrs. Agnello), and Lukas Gray (“Lone Corn Stalk”, Concrete Poem--Ms. Baker/Mrs. Agnello).

The work of these students is bound into a book and cataloged for library use. In addition, when time allows, the annual literary festival is posted to the library’s web page. Currently, Literary Festivals 2001 to 2007 are mounted on the web page at <http://www.aacs.wnyric.org/donius/litfest/literaryfestindex.htm>. Parents who have not filed a parental consent form to place their child’s work online should do so as soon as possible.

The judges of the competition

included: former teachers, student teachers, english majors , seasoned committee members acted as judges. Special assistance from Kathi Chambliss, Shelia Flint, and Joanne George

enhanced the evening’s presentation.

Historically, the Literary Festival winners would continue the competition to the Board of Co-operative Education Services

Regional level. Boces initiated the idea of the literary festival over 25 years ago, but canceled the project in 1997-98 when the time constraints became too great.



A-A LITERARY FESTIVAL WINNERS--Displaying their Literary Festival Awards are (front from left) Julian Petrillo, Garrett Paine, Athena and Aquila Cushing; and, center from left, Isabella Powell, Hanna Tormey, Ellen McInnes, Casey Racho, Nathan Grove, Maya Racho; and, back from left, Lukas Gray, Attilo Cushing, Alex DeGraff, Nora Looney, Vianna Koegel, Kaitlyn Cook and Chloe Mulheissen. Not pictured are award winners Jesse Crosby, Jules Call, Katlyn Guild, and Nicholas Robertshaw. (Photo by Kathi Chambliss)

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

Compiled By DAVID L. SNYDER  
*Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher*  
FIFTY YEARS AGO, JUNE 1, 1961

**Mrs. Mary Ross Davis**, wife of the Rev. Dr. H. Eugene Davis, formerly of Alfred, died Wednesday, May 24, 1961, at the home of her daughters, Mrs. Burton B. Crandall of Fayetteville. She was 81 years old. She and Mr. Davis served more than 37 years as Seventh Day Baptist missionaries in Shanghai, China, returning to the United States in 1943 on the wartime mercy ship "Gripsholm." They moved to Alfred and lived here until two years ago when they moved to the home of their daughter. Born in South Boundbrook, N.J., Mrs. Davis was a 1904 graduate of Alfred University...

**Miss Louise Ann Newman** and Robert Clifford Schwartz, both of Almond, were married Saturday afternoon, May 27, 1961, at the South Side Baptist Church, at Hornell. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Newman and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Schwartz, all of Almond. The bride's brother, the Rev. Robert C. Newman of Angelica, officiated at the double ring ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Douglas E. Christen... Soloists were Miss Amanda Stevens and Paul Ritenburg. Miss Joyce Hurne, organist, played traditional wedding music. The bride's attendants were her sister-in-law Mrs. Robert Newman, matron of honor; Miss Darleene Peake of Almond and Miss Janice Hurne of Hornell, bridesmaids; and her sister, Miss Carolyn Newman, junior bridesmaid. Clifford Patrick acted as best man for his cousin. Ushers were the bridegroom's brothers, Fred C. and Francis Schwartz of Almond and Donald Jenkins of Arkport. Master Donald Schwartz of Almond was ring bearer... Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz are graduates of Alfred-Almond Central School. He is also a graduate of the National School of Meat Cutting in Toledo, Ohio, and is employed by the Victory Stores in Binghamton, as a meat cutter. Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz will make their home in Binghamton.

**Weather statistics** for the month of April recorded by Wesley H. Parish and Dr. Paul C. Saunders list that month as the second wettest month on record in 47 years. A total precipitation of 6.22 inches was recorded...

**Alfredians**—Mrs. John W. Jacox is spending a few days in Cleveland Heights with Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. Burdick and family... Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dudley and family of Ontario were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Place, and Mr. and Mrs. John Gorton. The Dudley and Place families attended the Young family reunion at Scio, Sunday... Mr. and Mrs. Richard West were in Meadville, Pa. Memorial Day to bring their daughter Sally home from Allegheny College... Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Glover were Friday night and Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kukuvka and family at Cortland... M.E. Kenyon, Clifford Potter, DeForest W. Truman and George A. Place attended the meeting of the Central New York Savings and Loan Association League, held at Auburn, last Thursday...

**Alfred Station**—Twelve little friends of Linda Perry helped her celebrate her fourth birthday, Friday... Mrs. R.K. Ormsby was an overnight guest Friday of her mother, Mrs. A.D. Wilcox, at Hornell... Dr. Mildred Landis of Miami, Fla., is spending a few days at her summer home on Hartsville Hill... Mr. and Mrs. Burr Woodruff and family of Canton, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Austin and Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Woodruff... Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kreiser of Penfield called on Dean and Mrs. Albert Rogers, Sunday afternoon... Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lewis were recent callers of Mrs. Ella Clarke... Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jacox attended the funeral of Mr. Jacox's niece, Mrs. Veola Probasco, at Whitesville, Sunday afternoon... Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burdick and Norma, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Burke and children picnicked at Lake Demmon Sunday... Mrs. Ethel White of Little Valley recently spent a few days with her niece, Mrs. Fred Palmer...

**Almond**—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dungan spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dungan at Buffalo. Sunday they called on Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dungan and Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Dungan at Arkport... Davie Decker spent the weekend with his grandparents at Phillips Creek... William Snyder, Bill Jr., Max Marvin and Larry Perry spent the weekend at Lake Ontario, fishing... Mr. and Mrs. Richard Giles and son of Rochester were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bey... Mr. and Mrs. Duane Dennison and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carl

Rigby and Debbie attended Lilac Sunday at Rochester last weekend... Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gillette entertained at a family picnic last Wednesday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gillette and Carleton Gillette of Middletown, Mrs. Fay Whitney and daughters of Hornell, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gillette and family... The Glenn Leathersich family was host to a family gathering Saturday, May 27. The guests included three generations of the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell Church of Wellsville: Mr. and Mrs. Maynard D. Church, Mt. Dora, Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Church, Elm Valley; Mrs. Benjamin Russell and Mrs. Raymond Goff of Worcester; Mrs. Wendell T. Applebee of Lockport; Mrs. John Church and Anabelle of Wellsville; Mrs. Wilbur Wagner and Ann Mitchell of Ulysses, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Loomis and Cynthia and Warren of Williamsville; and Mrs. Moises Zarkin and sons David and Paul of Mexico City...

**Steve Crossman**—Alfred University's champion hurdler—closed out an undefeated season on Saturday when he broke two records in the Atlantic Coast NCAA track and field meet at Corltnad. Crossman won the high hurdles in 14.7 and the lows in 24.5. Larrie Sweet of Alfred won the mile in 4:19.5 and the Alfred mile relay team of Crossman, Sweet, Dave Henry and Jimmy Scott won the title in 3:24.4...

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, MAY 29, 1986**  
**(Photo) Dr. David H. Huntington** gets some help from Professor Gertrude Butera as he opens one of his gifts during a May 17 "appreciation banquet." Some 350 friends attended the event at which the Alfred State College president, who will retire this summer, was honored for 22 years as the college's chief executive officer. Professor Butera was chairman of the banquet committee.

**Alfred-Almond Central** School District residents will vote on a \$3.5 million spending plan, the purchase of two school buses and elect a member of the Board of Education during the district election, to be held from 1 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, June 4, in the school auditorium... Harry Hurd is unopposed in his bid for a five-year term on the school board. He is currently completing a term that had been left vacant by a resignation...

**(Photo) Choral** Concert Tonight--The Junior/Senior High School Chorus of Alfred-Almond Central School will perform at 7:30 p.m. Thursdasy, May 29 in the school auditorium, under the direction of Mrs. Linda Staiger. Rehearsing are Susan Copenheaver, Kirk Fox, John Ormsby and Jacque Kenyon.

**Alfredians**--Stefan Giles, son of Betty and Paul Giles, will graduate from Cornell University with a B.S. in animal science degree on June 1... Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Edwards have recently purchased the W.B. Harrison home on Hillcrest Drive. They are former residents of Denver, CO... Rev. and Mrs. Russell Johnson and children were in Alfred over the May 16 weekend. Rev. Johnson is General Conference President and gave the pastoral message for the Allegheny Association meetings held at the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church... Mrs. Jane LeMon has returned to Alfred after spending two of the winter months caring for her sister in Westerville, OH and 3 1/2 months in a rental home in Venice, FL... Jean Clinger received a B.A. from the College of Liberal Arts and Mary Beth Clinger received a B.S. from the College of Business and Administration at Alfred University May 10. They are twin daughters of former Alfredians Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clinger, now of Pittsford... Richard Prisco, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mario Prisco of Alfred, graduated May 11 from the University of Bridgeport, CT with a Bachelor of Science degree *cum laude* from the College of Arts and Humanities with a major in industrial design... James Palmer of Alfred Station, Ward Votava of Alfred Station, Charles Davis of Hornell and Robert Dodge of Alfred Station comprised a barbershop quartet that entertained at the Alfred Older Americans Week dinner on May 21, at the Union University Church Center... William B. Turck of Taylor, MI will be honored May 30 for his 35 years as an employee of Ford Company. A 35th anniversary clock will be presented. He grew up in Alfred and is married to the former Lura Polan. They have 3 children and 3 grandchildren...

**James R. Tinklepaugh**, 65, of 22 Park Street, Alfred, professor emeritus of ceramic engineering at the NYS College of Ceramics at Alfred University, died Tuesday, May 20, 1986, at the university. Born July 18, 1920 in Hornell, he was a son of William and Cora Root

Tinklepaugh. he was married to the former Dorothy Galutia, who survives. he was a World War II veteran... An Alfred faculty member of 39 years, until his retirement in 1985, he served from 1946-68 as director of the Air Force Laboratory on campus which became known for its development work on rocket nozzle materials, ceramics and ceramic composite materials... Professor Tinklepaugh was a member of the Union University Church, served on the baord of trustees, the board of elders and taught the Senior High Sunday School class. He was an Eagle Scout, the recipient of a Silver Beaver Award, was a quartermaster in Sea Scouts and was a member of the Executive Committee for the Steuben Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, for many years... Survivors include his wife ,Dorothy Tinklepaugh; two daughters, Joanne Burdick of Allegany and Lois Cornell of Alfred Station; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews...

**TEN YEARS AGO, MAY 31, 2001**  
**Alfred University** will offer its alumni and residents of the area an opportunity to sample the fare from local restaurants during Friday evening's Community Carnival, "A Taste of Alfred," the opening event of Reunion 2001. The three-day Reunion is expected to attract more than 400 visitors to Alfred and the surrounding area...

**Dismal damp weather** and even an automobile accident could not deter a crowd of more than 100 area residents determined to pause to remember those who had served our country in the armed forces. The service continued a tradition maintained faithfully through the years by trumpeter Barrett Potter of Alfred, who visits Alfred Rural Cemetery each memorial Day and plays "Taps." The Memorial Day observance, coordinated by Rev. Ken Chroniger, pastor of the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church, opened with a call to remembrance by Justice William MacCrea...

**(Photo) Retirees** of Alfred State College were honored recently at the school's annual recognition luncheon. Pictured are Richard Hoffman, Alfred Station, professor, Agriculture and Horticulture; Barbara Fletcher, Alfred, staff associate, Counseling and Career Planning Services; and Raymond Yelle, Alfred Station, associate professor, Agriculture and Horticulture. Retirees not pictured included Dennis Butts, Andover, professor, Mechanical Engineering Technology; Carolyn Clapp-Sutley, Allegany, associate professor, Nursing; Stephen Hunt, Wellsville, associate professor, Information Technology; George Keesbury, Almond, associate professor, Business Technologies; James Leonard, Little Genesee, maintenance assistant, Physical Plant; George Marlatt, Almond, supervisor of grounds, Physical Plant; Marilyn Padden, Hornell, clerk, Student Accounts; and Dean Wildrick, Cuba, associate professor, Engineering Technology...

**Rachel Lash** graduated summa cum laude from Alfred University May 12, with a Bachelor of Science degree in mathematics. She is ranked first in her class in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, with the highest cumulative average of 3.99...

**Just as a crowd** of more than 100 persons gathered for a Memorial Day service of remembrance at the center flagpole at Alfred Rural Cemetery at 11 a.m. Monday, a two-car crash occurred near the cemetery entrance. Injured in the crash were Peter Stull, 45, and his wife, Lidna Stull, 41, both of Alfred Station, whose north-bound vehicle was rear-ended by a vehicle driven by Joshua C. Dunn, 21, of Alfred. Police ticketed Dunn with following too closely after his vehicle rear-ended the Stull vehicle, causing the Stull vehicle to cross the road and hit a fire hydrant. The Stull vehicle came to rest with the front wheels off the ground with the hydrant still upright but broken off in the ground. The Stulls were taken by Alfred Ambulance St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell where they were treated and released...

**(Photo) Among** the dancers featured in Alfred Ballet Academy's 2001 concert "Simple Gifts" are Riha Prophet, Kelsey Heiman, Francesca Ninos and Justine Cassidy.

**Sunbeams**—Alfred's ArrowMart opened its Subway sandwich franchise on Wednesday, May 18 at the former Arby's location... Pauline Perry, after having been discharged from St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell, is now undergoing rehabilitation at Hornell Gardens...

**Last Tuesday** #13 seed Genesee Valley Jaguars traveled to A-A to face the #4 seed Eagles. A-A won, 4-3.

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CAMPUS NEWS

**Dr. Earl Packard**, assistant professor and chair, Mathematics and Physics Department, Alfred State College, has been selected to participate in the annual reading and scoring of the College Board's Advanced Placement Examinations in June. He will be reading the calculus exams for the ninth consecutive year. The College Board's Advanced Placement Program (AP®) gives more than 1.8 million capable high school students an opportunity to take rigorous college-level courses and examinations. Based on their exam performance, successful students can receive credit and/or advanced placement when they enter college.



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Two Alfred State College graduating seniors were named two of 249 State University of New York (SUNY) 2011 Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence winners.

**Andrew Catlin**, Webster, and **Lydia Moore**, Wolcott, were honored at a reception in Albany where they received commemorative certificates and medallions suitable to be worn at



Andover resident gets scholarship

ALFRED--An Andover resident has been awarded a \$1,000 per year "Educational Foundation Academic Distinction" scholarship to attend Alfred State College. **Nichole Castro** of Andover is slated to graduate in 2011 from Andover Central School and intends to enroll in the liberal arts and sciences: social science program. The award, based on scholastic achievement, is from the Educational Foundation of Alfred, Inc.

commencement and other special events. **Catlin**, who will earn his associate's in occupational studies degree in Alfred State's building trades: building construction program, holds and maintains a grade point average (GPA) of 4.0 (out of a possible 4.0). **Moore**, who graduated with her associate's degree in liberal arts and sciences: social sciences, possesses a 3.86 GPA.

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Allegany Arc's Friends Foundation announces that it has funded three \$1,000 scholarships. The \$1,000 scholarship was open to all Allegany County High School students planning to attend college full-time in the fall of 2011. This year's scholarship recipients include **Chelsea Freeman** of Cuba who will be studying Speech Pathology, **Melissa Childs** of Scio who will be studying Occupational Therapy, and **Theresa Falandys** of Cuba who will also be studying Occupational Therapy.



**ALL SMILES**--Smiles were the order of the day recently as **Dr. Dominique Besson**, director of the BBA (bachelor in business administration) program at l'Institut d'Administration des Entreprises de Lille (IAE Lille) France, traveled to Alfred State College to sign a five-year Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Alfred State to offer joint study abroad programs in business. Under the agreement, three (full-time equivalent or FTE) students from each institution may be exchanged for one full academic year or for one semester. ASC students who successfully satisfy courses requisites for either the BBA or IEM will obtain the official French degree. Pictured here seated at the table, from left, Besson; **Dr. John M. Anderson**, president, Alfred State College and co-signer, with Besson of the MOU; and **Dr. Stephen Havlovic**, ASC vice president for Academic Affairs. Standing from left: **Diane Tuzzolino**, ASC associate professor, Business Department; **Kathy Markel**, ASC associate director, Admissions; **Jason White**, ASC staff associate, Student Records and Financial Services; **Marcus Tagliaferri**, Rome, technology management; **Francine Staba**, ASC associate professor and chair, Business Department; **Jacob Willson**, Lee Center, technology management; and **Tricia Herritt**, interim coordinator of International Student Programs.



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Girl Scouts invited to summer camp open houses

HORSEHEADS—The Girl Scouts of NYPENN Pathways, Inc. is inviting parents and girls interested in attending any of the seven area camps this summer, to visit during an open house. Girls do not need to be Girl Scouts to attend camp.

The open houses provide an opportunity to meet the camp directors, tour the facilities, shop at the camp trading posts, enjoy a s'more and see what fun is in store this summer. The open houses are free, but registration is encouraged.

Camp Open House Events:

- June 4, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at Yaiewano Program Center, south of Auburn
- June 7, 6-8 p.m. at Comstock Program Center, north of Ithaca
- June 9, 6- 8 p.m. at Misty Hollow Program Center, south of Corning
- June 11, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at

Amahami Outdoor Center, near Deposit

- June 12, 2-4 p.m. at Camp Hoover, in Tully
- June 12, 2-4 p.m. at Camp Trefoil, in Harrisville
- June 16, 6-8 p.m. at Agaliha (Sitrin) in Frankfort

To receive directions to the camps and to pre-register, contact Rhonda Wright at (315) 539-5085, ext. 2324 or [rwright@gsnypenn.org](mailto:rwright@gsnypenn.org). For more information about the programs, facilities, financial aid, and more for the 2011 camping season, visit [www.gsnypenn.org](http://www.gsnypenn.org). Join the fun and friendship of the Girl Scout Leadership Experience. Contact the Girl Scouts' Horseheads Service Center at (607) 796-6202, visit [www.gsnypenn.org](http://www.gsnypenn.org), become a fan of the Girl Scouts of NYPENN Pathways, Inc. council and camp pages on Face-

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Union University Church completes Lenten project

ALFRED--The Union University Church, with the support of the Alfred community, recently completed a Lenten Project by collecting relief care kits that will be distributed through the Mennonite Central Committee.

MCC is a worldwide ministry of Anabaptist churches which shows God's love and compassion for all in the name of Christ by responding to basic human needs and working for peace and justice. Through the years, MCC has worked to follow the call of Matthew 25: 35-36 to reach out to those who are hungry, thirsty, ill, or in prison and to welcome strangers. Many Mennonites have experienced war, hunger, and refugee flight and feel the need to support people facing crises today. Bins for the care kits were set up in the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church, The Union University Church Center and Tinkertown Hardware. A total of 105 care kits were collected: 46 health kits, 26 school kits, 2 sewing kits, 22 baby kits, 4 relief kits and 5 AIDS kits. At the completion of the project all the care kits were packed in boxes and delivered to the Mennonite Central Committee Material Resources Center in Ephrata, Pa. for distribution.

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ANDOVER AREA

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

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

Churches are asked to please call 587-8110 with additions and updates of information or e-mail same to: [alfredsun.news@gmail.com](mailto:alfredsun.news@gmail.com). Thank you!

Jones Auxiliary plans Golf Tourney

WELLSVILLE--The Jones Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's 7th Annual Celebrate Summer Classic Golf Tournament is set for Friday, July 1, at the Wellsville Country Club. The tournament is a 4-person scramble.

The cost of the tournament and complimentary dinner is \$340 per four-person team or \$85 per person. The fee includes a cart, 18 holes of golf and complimentary dinner. Members of the Wellsville Country Club pay \$70 per golfer and \$280 per team. If you want to come just for the dinner and awards ceremony, the cost is \$15.

Sponsorship opportunities range from the \$2,500 Hole in One Tournament Sponsor, to the Eagle level for \$1000 and the Birdie level for \$500, as well as Par sponsors for \$250 and Tee sponsors for \$100 and a cart sponsorship for \$50.

If you would like a brochure or more information about how you can participate in this event, please contact Jason at 585-596-4060 or Jodi Pearson at 585-593-1100, ext 5333.

‘Sunflower Days’ for HomeCare

WELLSVILLE--HomeCare & Hospice is collaborating with Wilson Farms, Wilson Farms Express and Sugarcreek for the “Sunflower Days” promotion June 2 to July 2.

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Area locations include: 22 Main St. in Almond, 34 Main St. in Canaseraga and 10 W. Main St. in Fillmore.

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*Alfred State's Top Senior Athletes*

**Mo Parks (Avoca) (left) and JP Frey (Erie, PA) have been named the 2011 Alfred State College senior athletes of the year. Parks was a two-year member of the soccer and track & field teams while Frey has been a mainstay on the baseball team the past two years. Parks had a 20-7-4 record in goal for the Lady Pioneers. She made 196 saves and recorded 12 shutouts. For her efforts on the soccer field she was named All-WNYAC twice and All-Region once. In track & field competition Parks earned All-Region honors by winning the hammer throw and helped the Lady Pioneers to the Region III Championship in 2011. She also qualified for the NJCAA Division III National Championships with the 3rd best throw of the year. Frey led the Pioneers with a .379 batting average. He collected eight doubles, two triples, a homer, and 15 RBI. He also stole 16 bases. For his two-year career he started in all 93 games, hit .381 with 46 RBI and 42 stolen bases. He has been named All-WNYAC twice, All-Region once, and was the 2010 ASC freshman athlete of the year. He will continue his collegiate career next year at Delaware State University. Parks and Frey were honored at a ceremony held recently at the Lake Lodge.**

**Woods Walk & Trail Run June 4**

PORTVILLE--Saturday, June 4, is fast approaching, and if you haven't signed up yet for Pfeiffer Nature Center's 5th annual Woods Walk & Trail Run, time's a-wasting! For details and easy online registration, go to their website, [www.woodswalk.net](http://www.woodswalk.net).

Held on National Trails Day, Woods Walk & Trail Run always draws lots of people for their six events. Timed runs include a really rugged 10.3 miles, a difficult 10K, and a moderate 5K.

Not a runner? Not to worry! Choose one of the three walking trails: a challenging 10K, a moderate 5K walk, or a short, guided nature walk.

Woods Walk & Trail Run is limited to 300 runners and walkers. For additional information or to enter (online entry deadline is June 2), go to the Woods Walk website. Call Pfeiffer Nature Center's office at 716-933-0187 for any other details. Hope to see you there!

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***Beverly's Corner***  
By **BEVERLY SNYDER**  
*Alfred Sun Columnist*



The anticipation for the long awaited trip on the train to the Bronx Zoo was almost unbearable. The Camp Fire Girls took their annual voyage to the Zoo in New York City at this time of year, and it was definitely an experience that I looked forward to.

The train always departed from Westerly R.I. early in the morning and obliged us with a return trip much later in the day. I still recall the antiquated seats that the box cars possessed and the large windows that allowed us to peer out of them, enjoying the scenery that seemed to pass by all too quickly.

As a small point of interest, one of our Camp Fire Girl leaders was a lady named Sally Buzzi, sister to the famous stage and film star, Ruth Buzzi who was also a regular on the popular 1960's television series Laugh-In. (She played the part of the old woman who recklessly pummeled unsuspecting onlookers with her tiny, black purse!)

One of the more interesting experiences that I too, took advantage of at the Bronx Zoo that I vividly recall, were the wonderful pony rides. I would wait endlessly it seemed, for my turn to saddle up and be led around a large circle which the ponies all seemed to know by heart, only to return to exactly where I started. Adjacent to this amusement were the Camel rides, which I found almost as fascinating, as the tall, lanky beasts took their turns lumbering around a parameter of about the same size and saddled in much the same way that my pony was, holding riders of all ages and who were doing their best just to hold on.

It is still fascinating to me, that the activity of repeatedly riding those horses and drinking in the atmosphere of that incredulous zoo with its unique and intriguing creatures, held such a fondness for me, as well as the love of horses which I never seemed to outgrow.

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A-A's Cook named 'D' Coach of the Year

**A-A boys take track title, girls 4th**

By **DAVID L. SNYDER**  
*Editor and Publisher*  
WELLSVILLE--Alfred-Almond won its third Section V boys track and field title in four years Saturday and Coach Greg Cook won his fourth straight coach of the year award in Class D.

Coach Cook was pleased with his boys' effort, "This was one of the most frustrating Springs in terms of preparation due to the weather but the boys really dug deep and worked hard the last three weeks of the season to win their third title in four years."

With a solid team effort, the Eagles amassed 103 points to easily outscore runner-up Red Jacket with 88. Notre Dame of Batavia had 86, Keshequa 49.5, Bolivar-Richburg 45, Arkport 36, Wheatland-Chili 33, Bradford 28, Romulus 22, Genesee Valley 20, H-A-C 15, Fillmore 13, Jasper-Troupsburg 8, Hammondsport 6, DeSales 4 and Mt. Morris 2.

Kieth Vosburg took first in the 200 (23.74), second in the 100 in an exciting photo finish (two hundredths of a second) and long jump and was a member of the winning 400 relay (45.87) along with Markus Ernest, Matt Boardman and Brandon Gray.

A-A's 1600 relay team (3:39.01) finished second behind Arkport (3:38.14). Members of the team were Gray, Boardman, Taylor Godshalk and Dan Woughter.

The 3200 relay team (9:13.37) finished third behind Bolivar-Richburg (8:46.6) and Arkport. Members of the relay team were Boardman, Woughter, Carlos McInnes and Mitchell Porter.

Other scorers for A-A included Markus Ernest, 3rd in long jump; Gray, 4th in 200 and 3rd in 400; Dan Woughter, 4th in 400 hurdles and 5th in 110 hurdles; Michael Timbrook, 4th in 110 hurdles; Carlos McInnes, 6th in 3200 and 5th in steeplechase; Mitchell Porter, 3rd in steeplechase; Travis Harvey, 2nd in shot put and 4th in discus; Taylor Godshalk, 4th in high jump; and Sawyer McFadden, 6th in pentathlon.

**Girls finish fourth**

The girls' team scored 68 points to finish fourth in Section V Class D. Sarah Torkaman won the high jump, clearing 4-10, while Corrie Mulligan won the pole vault at 7 feet. Corrie was also 4th in the 100 hurdles and 6th in the 400 hurdles. Other scorers were: Meghan Dio-Guardi, 2nd in the 3000, 3rd in the 1500, 6th in the 800; Brittany Behling, 3rd in pentathlon; Maddie McConnell, 2nd in the 1500, 5th in steeplechase; 3200 relay, 2nd; 1600 relay, 5th

**A-A softball finishes 11-5**

(Continued from back page)

added an insurance run in the sixth on another pair of back to back base hits and one of only two Eagle errors on the day.

The sixth and the seventh innings brought promising Eagle threats again, and a couple of unfortunate breaks eliminated both. In the sixth, Murray reached on a fielding error by the second baseman, and advanced to second on a Cook single. Grace Scherzer took a hit from the pitcher to load the bases with no outs before Rena Henry ripped a hard line drive directly into the third baseman's glove as she hugged third base and caught Murray only two feet off the base in a double play. One inning later, second baseman Gina Surita smacked her second base hit of the day to reach first, bringing the top of the order up with only one out. Muhleisen launched a blooping fly into shallow right field, and Surita took off for second, as it seemed like an impossible catch, but catch it she did, and flipped a short throw to first to pick off the stranded Surita and end a stellar season for the young Eagles at 11-5.

With the stats nearly even in terms of hits, walks, and errors, and the pitching edge clearly going to the Eagles with 10 Ks for Murray and only one for Romulus, it was a good lesson in how sometimes the ball bounces your way and sometimes it doesn't. Congratulations to Coach Carretto and the girls for some fine softball played under the worst weather conditions in memory! With only three seniors departing, and a strong contingent of JV players moving up, the future remains bright for A-A softball fans.



**Farmers' Markets opening soon**

BELMONT--A cool, wet start to spring has put producers a bit behind on planting season however; growers are still planning for a bountiful year. Farmer's Markets are a great place to source products grown in our region. Local foods can be harvested at the peak of ripeness because they do not need to travel as far to the consumer. By working with your local farmer you can fill your refrigerator, pantry and freezer with the freshest products our region has to offer!

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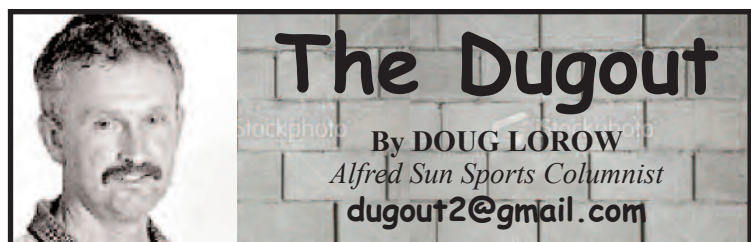
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I had the opportunity a week ago Tuesday evening to attend the 62nd annual "Day of Champions" in Rochester at the Riverside Convention Center. This charity event started out in 1950 with the honored sports individual receiving the prestigious Hickok Belt Award. Famous names galore like Ben Hogan, Willie Mays, Mickey Mantle, Arnold Palmer, Sandy Koufax, Jim Brown, Yaz, Brooks Robinson and Joe Namath are just some of the stars that were in Rochester to receive the "belt." The awarding of the Hickok Belt ended in 1971 and since then others have picked up sponsorship of the gathering of sports stars. Clay Matthews of the Super Bowl champion Green Bay Packers was honored this year.

The main reason I wanted to go this year was to see Raegan Ryan of Canisteo-Greenwood receive the Jerry Flynn Scholarship Award. One of many awards given this evening to local high school and college athletes. Jerry Flynn was a funny guy, a toastmaster and a person I got to know a little bit at the Hornell K of C Sports Night they have each year. He was the "MC" many times and I always made it a point to chat with him either prior to or after the banquet.

Raegan Ryan is the daughter of Jeff (A-A) and Lisa Ryan and a young lady that probably has a separate room at their home in Canisteo just to display her numerous awards ... just from this year! Don't really know her all that well, never saw her play hoops in high school but was very impressed with her when I had the opportunity to talk to the academic/athletic all-star afterwards. Composed, "down to earth," knowledgeable about b-ball but not in a bragging way and very much appeared to be ready for that next step of college. Ryan will play for D2 Cedarville University in Ohio as she begins her collegiate basketball career.

There were others being honored as well that I knew or have heard of. Melissa Alwardt was honored as the Female College Athlete of the Year off her stellar campaign at the UR. Daughter Lauren played against her in youth travel b-ball and later in high school. She can shoot the "rock" from afar! Retiring Geneseo AD, Marilyn Moore was named the winner of the Jean Giambrone Service Award. Casually know her, 3L worked in athletic offices during her four-years at Geneseo so she knows her pretty well and John Baker ... whom I went to banquet with, knows her very well. Many others I had at least heard of with their local accomplishments.

An enjoyable evening. Saw Frank Adonnino from Geneseo, chatted (briefly) with Coach Rod Baker of the RazorSharks and with all the Ryan's gathered. Did not get a chance to talk to Alwardt afterwards at the very busy event. About 1,200 in attendance. Well run ... perhaps a little long, but not much they could do with number of awards to hand out. Stephen Baker (UPenn) along as well and we had chance to catch-up on his soccer exploits.

"Bakes" ... thanks!

#### HITS AND MISSES:

**Starting off this** week with "congrats" to the Alfred-Almond boys track & field team as they won the class "D" sectionals! Bolivar-Richburg was fifth, Arkport sixth and Genesee Valley was 10th. Kieth Vosburg won the 200 and was second in the 100, the 400-relay team was first and the 1600-relay came in second, Vosburg was also second in the long jump and Travis Harvey took second-place in the shot put. Yet another sectional trophy from the stellar A-A track & field program.

**The A-A girls** finished fourth in their "D" sectionals as Red Jacket won it. Hammondsport was fifth, J-T sixth, Genesee Valley was T7 and Arkport came in 10th. Sarah Torkaman was first in the high jump and Corrie Mulligan won the pole vault. Second-place finishes went to Madeline McConnell in the 1500, Meghan DiGuardi (tennis star) in the 3000 and the 800-relay squad!

**Going back over** the years, and only taking four teams, the number of sectional champs at A-A in boys track & field, girls track & field, tennis and swimming is incredible. Back to the days of Coach Jim "Dynasty" McEvoy when he had the boys on the cinders, rattling off titles year-after-year. Likewise for Ernie Moore with the girls in track. Tennis with Dave Brady of late and the awesome

# A-A softball team finishes at 11-5

By **MARCIA LICHTMAN**

*Alfred Sun Sports Reporter*

The Alfred-Almond Eagles embarked on their sectional softball season on Wednesday, facing winless Jasper-Troupsburg in the first round at home. It was a surprisingly tenacious team who stepped up to bat, however, and the relaxed Eagles looked a little casual at the outset, allowing the leadoff runner on with an error. Two batters later, a solid single to center field scored that runner, before starting ace Megan Murray sat the final batter down on strikes.

A-A wasted no time answering back, however, as leadoff hitter Kali Muhleisen laced a double to left field, McKenzie Mills reached on an errant throw to first, and Murray lit up the scoreboard with an RBI double to tie the score. Grace Scherzer drove in the next runner with a routine ground ball to first, and yet another error allowed a third runner to score, and the Eagles never looked back. Over the next five innings, Murray retired a total of nine batters on strikes, allowing no further hits, and walking only one, while the Eagles added two more runs in the fourth.

Still, the Wildcat defense showed much more skill and perseverance than was apparent in the previous meeting, and it was only in the sixth inning that the floodgates opened as their pitcher tired and frustration mounted. The Eagles batted around their order in the sixth, scoring eleven runs on five base hits and as many walks. With two outs, Murray came to bat only a homer short of hitting for the cycle (single, double, triple, home run in one game) and the fans sensed that it could happen as she launched a powerful line drive over the left fielder's head. Since the sixteenth run had already crossed the plate, effectively ending the game under the mercy rule, Coach Carretto did not hold Murray up at third, but let her attempt to leg out the final stretch as the throw headed for the plate. Hats off to the Wildcat defense, who never threw in the towel on what was clearly their final loss of the season, as the relay came cleanly to the plate and the catcher tagged Murray out on the slide.

The second round took the Eagles to Romulus, in what is typically a dangerous matchup between the #4 and #5 seeds. Players and coaches nervously eyed a darkening sky on the two hour drive, and sure enough, as the Eagles took to the field for their pre-game warmup, the skies opened. After the Romulus warmup, the grounds crew added absorbant brick substance to the field and play commenced. Although the Eagle bats have tended to warm up slowly over the course of games this season, they came out blazing in this game, with Muhleisen smacking a base hit to start things off. Coach Carretto tested the catcher's arm, giving the speedy Muhleisen a steal sign, but a perfect throw cut her off at second. JV pullup Marah Watson stepped to the plate next, and powered a line drive into the center-right field gap. Without a fence behind the fielders, it seemed that the ball would carry a long way, but the wet grass slowed its progress, and another perfect relay cut off Watson trying for third. Murray

came up next, and smacked another double into the left field gap, wisely holding up at second, before Courtney Cook launched a towering fly ball into the left fielder's glove to end the threat.

The ensuing innings were a tense back and forth of non-scoring, the most remarkable of which occurred in the third, when the Romulus pitcher got aboard with a base hit, and was replaced with a courtesy runner. The next batter hit back to Murray, who turned to get the runner at second, but the throw was high enough to cause Muhleisen to jump for it, just as the runner reached second. Murray tried for her again on the next comeback, but a slight bobble allowed the speedy runner to beat the throw again, leaving bases loaded with no outs and the top of the order coming to bat. Fans held their breath as Murray calmly retired, the next one, two,

and then three batters to preserve the scoreless tie. A-A again threatened in the top of the fourth with a base hit by Courtney Cook and a rare error by the Romulus shortstop, who did the lion's share of the cleanup of the Eagle offense, but the inning ended with both still on base. The shortstop started the bottom of the fourth with a base hit to left, and the third baseman, who had struck out on her previous at bat, struck gold this time with a long line drive to right that landed just inside the foul line, and got her all the way to third, scoring the first Romulus run in the process, and a blooper to center field that fell into the dangerous 6-4-8 triangle without being claimed allowed a second run to score. That was really all the offense that Romulus would need, but they

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## THE DUGOUT continued

swimming program. Don't have numbers available of how many in each sport, hope they do at AACS, but titles to be proud of and coaches with deserved accolades. Toss in the softball team for a decent stretch, which included a trip to the "Final Four" in class D and the past 20-25 years (or so) has been a great run!

**In high school sectional** softball action the A-A girls lost their quarter-final "D1" game to Romulus, 3-0 and Hornell dropped their B1 contest in the same round to Waterloo.

**In high school baseball** action, all q-final round games, A-A beat Arkport ... Andover topped Whitesville ... Wellsville drilled Greece Odyssey.

**Eric Atwell's** Springfield Catholic baseball team in Missouri is in the Class 3 state "Final Four" as they currently have a slate of (23-4). The son of Pat (Andover) and Lisa (Dansville).

**Coach Josh Rabe's** Quincy Hawks baseball team won the GLVC championship ... in his first year at the helm of his alma mater! Only second time at QU and last was when he was a player in 2000 as Eric Hanson (Wellsville/Alfred State) had a walk-off dinger to clinch crown.

**Josh Kinney** is now pitching for the Charlotte Knights in AAA baseball out of the bullpen and has a 3.27 ERA average as of Sunday past. Team is in Rochester June 20-23. Kinney played his college ball at QU, for Atwell and with Rabe.

**Tom Watson** won the Senior PGA Championship in a playoff on the Champions Tour of golf. Where was Fred Couples?

**Not a good day** on the lacrosse fields for Duke, men and women, over the weekend as Maryland beat them in the NCAA lax semi-finals. Blue Devil men were defending champs.

**Backing up to** the Rochester Lilac 10K of a week ago Sunday, Mark Andrews (5th) and Jim Derick (13th) both ran at Alfred State for "Doc" Moore.

**Alabama A&M** hired Willie Hayes as their new men's basketball coach. Willie "Mays" Hayes?

**LSU is going** to have a statue of Shaq placed outside the Pete Maravich Athletic Center by the next school year. Shaq has basically been a "statue" in the NBA the past 3-years!

**The Rochester Ravens** women's soccer team is (1-1) on the season as the team dropped a game at Aquinas over the weekend. Former Geneseo star, Eileen Coyle plays for the Ravens. Hopefully will make a game this year and hook-up with some "Geneseo people."

**The Wegmans** LPGA Championship will be at Locust Hill CC in Rochester June 23-26. Same weekend that the Champions Tour of golf will be in Endicott for the Dick's Sporting Goods Open. The PGA used to have a stop at the En-Joie CC called the B.C. Open.

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