

**Alfred Sun making
cameo appearance
in Short Tract Town
Theater production**

In following a long tradition, the *Alfred Sun* once again will appear (shown here with Jeff Babbitt) in a theater production directed by Nic Gunning of Houghton. Gunning is directing Rogers and Hammerstein's forgotten gem, "Allegro," with performances set for 7 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, July 11-12-13, in the Fillmore Central School Auditorium. While the *Sun* has no speaking parts, it has a proven record as an outstanding prop.



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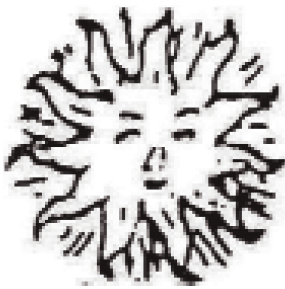
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Allegany County calendar full of summer fun

By DAVID L. SNYDER
Editor, Publisher & Janitor
ALLEGANY COUNTY—As we approach the middle of July, the calendar becomes loaded with festivals and special events that celebrate summer and Allegany County's local history.

Area residents are encouraged to partake of some of the county's offerings, many of which take place during the next week.

Short Tract Town Theater
For starters, the Short Tract Town Theater is staging its annual summer production beginning tonight (Thursday, July 11) with a 7 p.m. performance of Rogers and Hammerstein's forgotten gem "Allegro." It will be staged in the Fillmore Central School Auditorium.

Directed by Nic Gunning, with musical direction by Amanda Cox, and choreography by Sarah Badger of the Houghton Movement and Arts Center, Allegro follows the story of "everyman," Joseph Taylor, Jr. as he makes his way through life, love and business.

"Allegro" continues with 7 p.m. performances on Friday and Saturday, July 12 and 13, also being staged in the Fillmore Central School Auditorium. Tickets will be available at the door.

Alfred Community Theatre
Not to be outdone by the folks in the Houghton area, Alfred Community Theatre is staging "Oil City Symphony" at the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater in Alfred Village Hall at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, July 12 and 13. (See story on Page 5). Tickets (\$5) will be available at the door.

Amity Daze July 13-14
The Town of Amity will host

its 27th Annual Amity Daze in and around the county seat of Belmont this weekend. There will be community yard sales, a car show, a barbecue contest, Chinese auction, chicken barbecue at the "Old Belmont Central School" and many other fun events.

This reporter particularly enjoyed the yard sale last year, where he purchased his current vehicle!

Bare Knuckle Boxing and Belfast Irish Heritage Fest
About ten miles north of Belmont, on Rt. 19 in the Town of Belfast, one can discover the fascinating story of the small town's part in the history of bare-knuckle boxing, long since banned in this country.

It's the 5th Annual Bare Knuckle Boxing Hall of Fame Induction Weekend & Irish Heritage Festival Saturday and Sunday, July 13-14.

If you haven't been there before, don't miss Scott Burt's guided tour of the training barns used by The Great John L. Sullivan to prepare for the last Bare Knuckle Boxing Championship of the World against Jake Kilrain! Sullivan trained in Belfast for the epic 75-round brawl that took place in 1889 in Richburg, Mississippi.

Originally owned by trainer William Muldoon, the barns were the training headquarters for Sullivan who arrived in Belfast not in the best of shape ~ as he states in his autobiography, just 6 months earlier he was extremely sick and couldn't walk without the aid of crutches. This fight proved to be the most important match in his career.



Using training techniques that were ahead of his time, Muldoon, the fitness guru for his generation, helped Sullivan get into the best shape of his life. These barns have been virtually untouched for more than 120 years. They opened in 2009 as The Bare Knuckle Boxing Hall of Fame!

A schedule of the weekend's events can be found online at: <http://www.bareknuckleboxing-halloffame.com/id13.html>

Allegany County Fair opens Monday, July 15
Angelica will take center stage next week as it hosts what is considered the longest continuously running county fair in America, the Allegany County Fair.

"Living your dreams at the Allegany County Fair" is the theme for the 169th Annual Allegany County Fair July 15-20 at the Fairgrounds in Angelica.

For a complete schedule of events that includes horse pulls, boys and bulls rodeo, quads and motocross and a demolition derby, see the schedule on the cultural arts calendar on Page 7 of this newspaper.

38th Annual Great Wellsville Balloon Rally

On the heels of the Allegany County Fair, there's Wellsville's 38th annual encounter with a lot of hot air—in the form of the Great Wellsville Balloon Rally, with launches at 6 p.m. Friday and Saturday, July 19 and 20, and at 6 a.m. Saturday and Sunday, July 20 and 21, from Island Park just off Rt. 19 in Wellsville.

For more information about the festival surrounding the hot air balloons, readers are invited to visit: www.wellsvilleballoon-rally.com

The Wellsville Main Street Festival will be held in conjunction with the rally, with nearly 100 vendors set up along Main Street.

Friendship Freedom Fair
Not to be left out of all the festival fun, the Town of Friendship will host its annual Freedom Fair the weekend of July 26-27-28, now in its 26th year.

Andover Tough Mudder

Kent Farms and Tall Pines ATV Park in Andover will host nearly 15,000 participants in the internationally acclaimed "Tough Mudder Saturday and Sunday, July 27-28. A 10 to 12 mile obstacle course that takes an average of 3.5 hours to complete, the event tests the camaraderie of teams working to complete the course together.

For more information, visit: <http://toughmudder.com/events/new-york-buffalo-sat-jul-27-sun-jul-28-2013/>

A-A Alumni Banquet
Hotel rooms in the Alfred-Almond area will be difficult to find with A-A alumni competing with "Tough Mudders" for rooms as A-A marks its 53rd annual alumni banquet and associated class reunions. The banquet will be held Saturday, July 27 at Central Dining Hall on the Alfred State College campus.

Banquet registration (\$18) was

due by Wednesday, July 10. After that date, cost of banquet registration is \$23.00 per person. Reservations may be made to: AACS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, PO Box 1134 - Alfred, NY 14802.

Angelica Heritage Days
Angelica will host its 44th Annual Heritage Days from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, August 3-4.

For the complete schedule of activities, visit the website: www.angelicaheritagedays.com

Rushford Labor Days Fest
Last but not least of Allegany County's festivals is the Rushford Labor Days Festival featuring the Rushford Concert Band, lawn tractor pull, live music, a car show, a midway, a demolition derby, parade, fireworks and historical tours. For more information, call 585-437-2206 or for the schedule, visit the website: www.rushfordlaborday.com

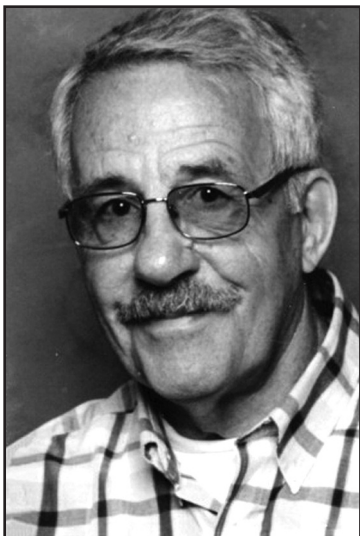


The Bare Knuckle Boxing Hall of Fame in Belfast is hosting its Induction Weekend and Irish Heritage Festival July 13-14.



The 38th Annual Great Wellsville Balloon Rally will be held Friday through Sunday, July 19-21 at Island Park in Wellsville.

OBITUARIES



DUANE A. GREEN

NY Yankees, NY Giants fan

ALFRED STATION--Duane A. Green, 80, of 1905 Hanne-man Rd., Alfred Station, a 1951 Alfred-Almond Central School grad who served in the U.S. Army from 1951-53 and worked some 35 years as a technical specialist at the NYS College of Ceramics at Alfred University, died Thursday evening (July 4, 2013) at the Hart Comfort House in Wellsville, following a long illness.

Born in Hornell on October 8, 1932, he was the son of Harold and Mary (Allen) Green.

Duane resided in the Alfred / Alfred Station area for most of his life and was a graduate of Alfred Almond Central School (class of 1951). He was a Veteran of the US Army, serving his country from 1951-1953.

He was employed for several years as a machinist at Foster Wheeler Corporation in Dansville and for about 35 years was employed as a technical specialist at the New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University, retiring in 1994. Following his retirement, Duane worked for several years at Jefferds Construction Company of Alfred Station.

Duane was an active member of the Almond Union of Churches, serving on several committees. He was an avid New York Yankees baseball fan and a New York Giants football fan. He also enjoyed bowling and was an avid golfer. Duane enjoyed attending youth, high school and college sporting events and also enjoyed his visits to OTB.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Genevieve Simms.

Duane was married on July 27, 1957 to the former Shirley Nye who survives. Also surviving are three sons, Matthew Green of Alfred Station, Michael Green of Alfred Station and

Mark Green of Alfred Station; two brothers, Francis (Thelma) Green of Clarksville, VA and Harold (Sam) Green of Unionville, VA; two sisters, Mary (Rex) Stearns of Holly Hill, FL and Donna Riley of Fishers, IN; four grandchildren, Elizabeth Shepard, Bryce Green, Sarah Green and Eric Green; two great-grandchildren, Dewey and Clementine; several nieces and nephews.

At Duane's request there were no calling hours. Family and friends are invited to attend a Memorial Service at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 13 at the Almond Union of Churches in Almond with Pastor Steven Dygert officiating. Funeral arrangements were in care of the Dagon Funeral Home, 38 Church St., Hornell.

Duane's family request that memorial contributions in his name be made to the Hart Comfort Care Facility, 141 East State St., Wellsville, NY 14895 or to the Almond Union of Churches, Main St., Almond, NY 14804.

To leave an online condolence or share a memory, visit www.dagonfuneralhome.com

OBITUARY POLICY

The Alfred Sun does NOT charge to publish obituaries. It never has; so long as the janitor has his say, it never will.

ALFRED Weather for the Week July 2-July 8

July	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
2	67	58	0.47"	
3	82	59	Trace	
4	87	65	Trace	
5	83	62	0	
6	85	62	Trace	
7	82	65	0.14"	
8	82	61	Trace	

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A-A Alumni Association awards \$45,000 in scholarships to grads

ALMOND--A total of \$45,000 in scholarship awards was given by the Alfred Almond Alumni Association to 17 AACS seniors at the June commencement exercises. Lee A. Ryan, AAAA president and 1955 A-A graduate, was assisted by Kathy Curran Snyder, (AA '68), in presenting the awards to the following:

Kristi Williams, daughter of Andrew and Teresa Williams, was the recipient of the Juanita Whitaker Pulos Fine Arts Scholarship in the amount of \$5000. Mrs. Pulos' sons, Bill, (AA '73), and Robert, (AA '75), set up this scholarship in 2006 by to honor their mother, a 1948 graduate of Anderson University, Anderson, IN, for her outstanding contributions to music education and enjoyment in this area for decades.

The \$2500 Greg Norton Memorial Scholarship, initiated last year by Scott Yelle, (AA '86), to remember his classmate's sportsmanship, integrity and character, was given to Shelby Allen, daughter of Amy Padden and Larry Allen, (AA '68).

The Rachael Amato Baldo/Tom Murphy Memorial Scholarship was established by Dr. Glen Feltham to honor two of his Class of 1984 classmates and is given to a senior who is entering the health care field. This year's winner of the \$2500 award is Pooja Patel, daughter of Piyush and Jigisha Patel.

Fourteen other seniors received Jean Palmiter/Dale Lorow Alumni Scholarships in the amounts of \$2500. They are: Jenny Acker, daughter of Gary and Phyllis Acker; Chris Charles, son of Steven Charles and Amanda Charles; Chris Cook, son of Dan, (AA '81), and Ann Cook; Kaitlyn Flaitz, daughter of Kevin Flaitz and Tammy Charles; Allie Henry, daughter of David, (AA '75), and Shaune Burdick Henry, (AA '80); Cassie Ingalls, daughter of Dean and Shelly Freeland Ingalls, (AA '85); Kaleigh Kenney, daughter of Tom and Debi Schwartz Kenney, (AA '83); Stacy Mayes, daughter of John and Debra Mayes; Pramod Rao, son of Mohan and Prabha Rao; Allie VanStackelberg, daughter of Peter VanStackelberg and Karla Back; Brittany Washburn, daughter of David and Sandra Law Washburn, (AA '88); Marah Watson, daughter of Dale, (AA '77), and Tiersa Watson; Julie Wilcox, a daughter of Timothy and Traci Wilcox; Jessie Woughter daughter of Paul, (AA '80), and Lisa Woughter.

The scholarship winners and their parents have been invited to the 53rd annual AAAA banquet to be held on Saturday, July 27, at Alfred State College Central Dining Hall.

In addition, the AA Alumni Association has awarded nearly \$5000 in sports and fine arts camp scholarships to underclassmen who will be studying in various fields this summer.

Sunbeams



You know it's a small town when...It is normal to see an old man riding through town on a riding lawn mower.

Dan and Arlene McMahon, Bonnie (McMahon) Wilkins, Dan, Marie, Rachel and Daniel McMahon, Joe, Jen and Kylie McMahon, Richard and Jennifer (McMahon) Warren, and Caitlin Coleman, all of Almond, attended the graduation celebration for Lauren Allen, daughter of Troy and Diane (McMahon) Allen on June 29 in Saugerties, NY.

The Allegany County Board of Legislators' Clambake will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, July 26 at Island Park, Wellsville. Tickets are \$35 and checks may be made payable to Brenda Rigby Riehle, Clerk of the Board. Tickets will NOT be available at the gate this year. All tickets must be prepaid, and all requests must be postmarked by July 15, 2013. Legislators will hold 50/50 raffles during the event to benefit the Allegany Senior Foundation, the Allegany Area Foundation and the Allegany County Cancer Services. For further information, call 585-268-9222.

Kay Chapman of Alfred Station was in Rochester May 11-12 to attend the graduation of Sarah Mix from Roberts Wesleyan College and Ethan Mix from Nazareth College. Sarah received her master of science degree and Ethan received a bachelor of science degree. Sarah and Ethan are the daughter and son, respectively, of Craig and Diane Mix of Almond.

The special speaker at the 21st Annual Allegany County High School Equivalency Graduation, held Tuesday, July 9 at Friendship Central School, was Joshua Altemoos, a senior in the Alfred State College Information Technology-Network Administration program. The Buffalo resident was elected Student Senate President for 2013-2014 at Alfred State. The graduation was held in honor of all high school equivalency diploma recipients living in Allegany County.

The Alfred-Almond Central School District is pleased to announce the opening of the fitness center for community use. A registration and a mandatory training session will take place on Thursday, July 11 for community members who are interested in utilizing this facility. This training will take place from 6-8 pm in the fitness center. The registration fee for the use of the center is \$20 per year. To sign up for this training, please contact the district office at 276-6501, or email Mr. Calkins at rcalkins@aac.swnyric.org. For the summer session, the fitness center will be open from 5 a.m.-9 p.m. Please Contact Rich Calkins for further information.

Jordan and Lauren Snyder of Arlington, VA were visiting his parents, David and Beverly Snyder of Tinkertown on Saturday, June 29.

Susan Meacham of Alfred and her father, Frank Snyder, of Belmont, visited her son, Tim Meacham and his wife Leah in the Philadelphia, PA area over the June 29 weekend.

The July meeting for the Catherine Schuyler Chapter, NSDAR, will be held Thursday July 18 at the Fountain Bistro in Belmont. We'll gather between 12:30 and 1 p.m. with plans to begin the meeting with the ritual and lunch promptly at 1 p.m. In addition to recognizing faithful members for their years of service, the DAR will also hear Dr. John O. Hunter, former president of Alfred State College, speak on his recently published book, *Chasing Crazy Horse*. Hostesses for this meeting are Glenda Hooker and Virginia Babbitt.

The Houghton College Board of Trustees has given the go-ahead to begin construction on the third and final phase of a \$26 million athletics complex. A groundbreaking ceremony is set for Friday, August 30 at 12:45 p.m. on the 107,000-square-foot field house that is expected to be completed in late spring 2014.

Average retail gasoline prices in Rochester have fallen 1.1 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.64/g Sunday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 319 gas outlets in Rochester. This compares with the national average that has fallen 0.5 cents per gallon in the last week to \$3.49/g. Including the change in gas prices in Rochester during the past week, prices yesterday were 12.4 cents per gallon higher than the same day one year ago and are 3.7 cents per gallon lower than a month ago.

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Carol Sitarski's Southwest/Prairie Garden. (Photo provided)

Create a SW/Prairie Garden here in NY

By CAROL SITARSKI

Cornell University Cooperative
Extension Master Gardener

Tired of the same old gardens with flowers, bushes, and mulch?

Why not create a Southwestern/Prairie garden? It takes some work initially, but it is well worth it in the end as you will have something totally different from your neighbors and a garden that won't require weeding if done properly. Using xeric plants (plants that require little water) will keep watering down to a minimum.

How can you create this in your backyard?

- Start by surveying your yard for a sunny spot, one with at least 7 to 10+ hours of sunlight is best.

- Once you find the perfect sunny spot, use a garden hose, rope or spray marking paint to layout your shape and size. (Hint, a curved design mimics nature.)

- When you are happy with your design, thoroughly remove all grass and weeds from this area. This is the most important part; if not done properly you will have weeds or grass popping up and trust me you don't want that! I know from experience; it cost me a lot of extra work. There are several ways to accomplish grass/weed removal:

- manually remove the grass (too much work for me),

- place cardboard, dark plastic or landscape fabric over the area; be sure to anchor it down so the wind won't blow it away. This method takes the longest; you will need to leave your material in place for almost a year to kill off the grass or weeds,

- the easiest way is to use a

vegetation killer that can be purchased at any garden or home improvement store. Follow the label directions carefully to protect you and the environment.

- Now that all the vegetation is dead within your design area, you put a garden edge around the area and lay down a good weed barrier, plastic is a good choice. I find the best garden edge is one that sits on top of the ground and uses stakes to hold it in place. This is less work as you don't have to dig and is easy to install, especially on curves.

- It is time to pick out the type of stone you want to use for the garden bed. You can go to a garden store to see what they have available or go online to look at choices. You will want a smaller size of stone or you can even use sand/gravel. If you are not sure how much stone you will need, you can ask the stone company; just provide them with the size of your garden and the depth of no less than two inches, (more is better) and they can give you an amount. Spreading the stone is the hardest part of this garden, get some friends to help and have a cookout afterwards!

- The fun part, finally! Picking out your plants. Remember, you will need to get plants suitable for this type of micro climate as the stones create a hot, dry area. Select a few ornamental grasses of varying sizes and colors. Diversify this with other plants suited for this type of garden; some even resemble cactus plants. You might like eryngium (sea holly) which is a lovely shade of blue with stiff branching stems and thistle type flower heads. Another plant is semper-

vivum (hens and chicks or stone crop), these come in various colors and shapes resembling cactus. You could even add some flowering plants such as rudbeckia, but you don't want them in large clumps as you want a wildflower effect. The list goes on and on, but a good place to start is a nursery garden center where you can ask if specific plants they have can tolerate heat and dryness. There are quite a few local garden & nursery centers that have an excellent selection of xeric plants in Western New York and the Southern Tier area. Want some ideas, go online or look through catalogs that specialize in xeric plants for inspiration.

- Once you have your plants placed in their new setting, you can add other touches such as various size/shape rocks (make sure you dig them in slightly to give a natural look), or you can take a trip to the lake and pick up some driftwood. I added a small water bath for birds as they will be attracted to this area.

Sit back with a glass of herbal tea and admire your handiwork, you will have earned a rest. Remember this garden only requires watering during dry spells, there is no weeding required and another bonus is leaving the grasses will provide winter interest in your landscape.

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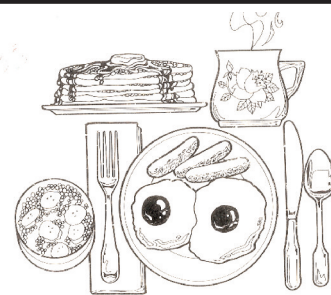
A weekly photo feature
By SHERRY VOLK
Alfred Sun Columnist



Curtis and Peg Eisehardt, staunchly supported by Robin Kellogg, all of Hedgerow Farm Bakery, purvey their delicious goodies at other times of the week, but a truly lovely treat was finding them in the open space formerly occupied by the Alfred Sports Center, on a brilliant Wednesday evening. This is a special service to the community in honor of the Band Concerts being held at 7:15 p.m. diagonally across the street. The public is invited, free of charge, to this long-standing tradition of summer music in the park, and feel free to picnic as you listen.

SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ
Alfred Sun Columnist



A refreshing treat for grandchildren

Thinking this week about my grandchildren coming to visit for a while, I was trying to remember some summer treats that I have made in the past. This one, given to me by Luan Ellis, came to mind immediately. It was a recipe from her mother, Madge Sutton Van Horn who moved to Alfred Station in 1942. She was an active member of the Alfred Station SDB Church and a tireless worker at Camp Harley Sutton. This recipe was a favorite of her children and grandchildren and I'll make it for mine.

Orange Cocktail Slush

rind of 1 orange and 1 lemon 2 bananas, mashed
juice of 2 oranges and 2 lemons 1 pint ginger ale
1 sm. can crushed pineapple 1 c. sugar

Grate rinds. Mix all together. Put in small Dixie cups. Freeze. Slightly defrost before serving. (This recipe also appeared in the Alfred Community Cookbook published by Alfred Community Theatre and still available at Hair Care.)

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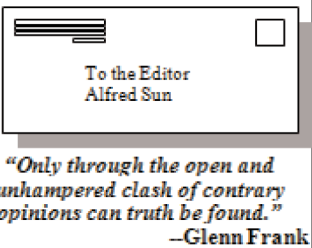
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Definition of marriage

Letter to the Editor:

The rapid unrelenting assaults on the definition of marriage understandably make many concerned. Where and when will it end?

A violent demonstration in the 1960's called Stonewall erupted in New York City marking the dawn of the homosexual movement. Then, after persistent protests, the American Psychiatric Association in 1974 removed homosexuality as a mental disorder. Theologically-liberal seminaries and pastors rationalized and endorsed homosexual behavior.

As the public pushed back, advocates for homosexuality retorted, "It's a private matter. Stay

out of the bedroom."

It wasn't long before the matter went public. They cried, "Discrimination." They demanded government protection on the basis of a special category called "sexual orientation."

Then, they arm-twisted the military to drop "don't ask, don't tell." Their demand was met, but it didn't stop there. They sought official approval of their relationships through civil unions, but even that wasn't enough. So-called "marriage equality" became their new mantra and wormed its way into states for gaining marriage status. Now, their demand of striking down of DOMA is achieved.

Politicians are coming out left and right saying that their position on marriage has evolved. It begs the question: when does marriage stop evolving?

Does it stop evolving when homosexuals go to court to force a church to marry them, since they know that clergy must conduct every ceremony with a license from the state which defines marriage different from God?

Does it stop evolving when bisexuals who seek wedlock with each sex start shouting "marriage equality" like the homosexuals have?

Does the evolution stop when the polyamorous demand marriage? If a consenting group, whatever the size, wants to marry, what's to stop them from mimicking the homosexuals in claiming that it's a relationship of love?

Marriage evolving is nothing new. It started with Lamech in Genesis 4. Today, those siding with the evil of Lamech say marriage evolves.... but into what?

In an 1814 four-volume legal work, Sir John David Michaelis stated, "For if [the vice of homosexuality] once begins to prevail,... it must thus soon lose all its shameful and infamy and become fashionable and the national taste; and then... national weakness... [must] inevitably follow; not perhaps in the very first generation, but certainly in the course of the third or fourth."

On the steps of the Supreme Court, supporting the counterfeit definition of marriage, an advocate dressed as a devil proudly waved a sign saying, "I bet Hell is fabulous."

Yep, that's where this is going and it won't be fabulous either.

Mel McGinnis

Sun Spots



In a Hurry to Get Hitched

Y'know, I know he was in a hurry to get hitched, And to get that Minnesotan's last name switched, So he was driving all the way there in his car – You know it must be love, to go that far.

But then, while he was en route, he felt a bump – A sick'ningly distinctive kind of thump: His bumper bumped a pick-up's trailer hitch, Which crumpled up his bumper just a titch.

It was minor, as these fender-benders go (The fender-bender-fixer told him so), But it still was most upsetting to him, natch... Because that pick-up didn't even get a scratch!

No, he *couldn't* wait to get to Minnesota, And didn't want delays, not one iota; No construction zone or toll booth would slow him – Only bumping into pick-ups who don't know him.

He had hoped to get there quick – without a glitch; But he tried to hitch a ride on someone's hitch. He was in a hurry to get hitched to you-know-who; Bet the pick-up driver picked up on that, too.

—MinnesotA. A. Mouse

Snyde remarks

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Allegany County - A River Runs Through It

Where does one go to cool off and beat the heat these days? I ventured recently with a few friends to the newly opened Genesee River Wilds Access Park at Transit Bridge (pictured below) late afternoon on July 4th to cool off. We thoroughly enjoyed swimming in the river. It was so nice that I returned a few days later with another friend for a dip and enjoyed floating around on a small inner tube.

Now I'm a bit embarrassed to say that while I'm a lifelong resident of Allegany County, I had never before gone swimming in the Genesee River. The water level had been somewhat low the one time that I took a canoe down the river from Wellsville to Belmont (and the water was pretty cold then), so I managed to stay in the canoe.

We weren't alone on July 4th or on Sunday afternoon during our swim at Transit Bridge. A young family from Angelica had been fishing upstream on the 4th, while a group of youngsters were enjoying the water Sunday afternoon. There were also two kayakers who had paddled down the Genesee from Belmont for what they said was a three-hour excursion.

It's a wonderful thing to have easy access to the river. I hope others will take the time to enjoy one of the county's greatest resources as well.

There is plenty to do and enjoy right here in Allegany County. See for yourself!



FROM THE DESK OF DAVID PULLEN

By DAVID PULLEN
Allegany County Legislator

POLITICAL REALITY – RESOURCES ARE LIMITED

Whether our top politicians like it or not, the basic reality, both politically and economically, is that our resources are limited, and that they can only be used once. Economists have known this for decades, and have defined economics as "the study of the use of scarce resources which have alternative uses." Unfortunately, most politicians have never experienced a similar epiphany. The resulting political foolishness threatens to destroy nations and societies.

It is a fundamental reality of the human condition that we possess limited resources. There is only so much time, skill, education, money, population, opportunities, and all other resources. Some "utopian" theorists have devised systems that assume that resources are infinite. Such systems always collapse when faced with the inescapable fact that resources are finite. This reality is clearly demonstrated by the fact that gold and sand have vastly different values. If gold was as plentiful as sand, its value would drop immediately. The same is true of the value of water and champagne. This is expressed by the concept of "supply and demand."

The reality of limited resources is further complicated by the fact that in most circumstances available resources can be put to alternative uses. If each resource had only one possible use, there wouldn't be much debate about how to utilize it. However, when time, money or goods can be used in multiple ways, we must decide which use is best. Because individuals have different needs and preferences they want available resources used in different ways. Economies are more or less successful depending on how well they answer such questions.

Unfortunately, many politicians act as though resources (such as tax revenue) are unlimited. They also act as though there is only one possible use for the available resources. This creates numerous problems. Politicians are subject to the same realities as the rest of us. They need to recognize the following "facts of life":

- There will never be enough tax revenue to fund all of the programs that people will demand

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and politicians will want to provide.

- Choices are inevitable and unavoidable. There are numerous worthwhile uses for every single dollar of tax revenue. Should we focus on education? Should we spend money on roads? Should health care be our highest priority? Is national security and the military the most critical need?

- Arguments about how high taxes should be are ultimately debates about how much government should be allowed to take away from each citizen's paycheck. Put another way, should I decide how to spend my earnings, or should the government decide how to spend my earnings? Not surprisingly, individuals disagree vehemently about these issues.

- Individuals with limited resources want the government to give them what they lack. Individuals with greater (or adequate) resources want to keep what they have, and object to the government taking away what they have to give it to others.

- Because resources are limited, it logically follows that the rich don't have enough resources to meet the needs of the poor, as well as their own needs. (Somebody is going to have to go without something.) Taking away from the "rich" may temporarily improve the status of the poor. However, ultimately government cannot eradicate poverty or need.

- The allocation of our limited resources is extremely important, and will have significant consequences. Resources invested in wealth generating ventures will likely generate increased wealth. However, resources invested in social programs may reduce poverty for some, but won't create additional wealth.

America became a wealthy nation by emphasizing wealth creation. For better or worse our focus has changed. We are now focusing (and spending heavily) on social welfare programs. However, we are no longer doing as well at creating new wealth. Is that acceptable? Are we okay with that outcome? Honest political debate needs to begin with the recognition that we cannot do (or have) everything. Only then can we decide how to spend our limited resources.

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FROM '1812 OVERTURE' to 'STARS AND STRIPES FOREVER'

ACT staging 'Oil City Symphony' July 12-13

By DAVID L. SNYDER

Biased Alfred Sun Reporter

ALFRED--Anyone who has followed amateur summer theatre in Allegany County over the past decade will certainly vouch for the quality of Alfred Community Theatre productions.

Through the years, area residents have enjoyed locals Craig Mix, Steve Crandall, Brooke Harris and Beverly Snyder in numerous musicals such as "Pump Boys and Dinettes," "The Music Man," "The Plaids," etc. Those local names have become synonymous with lively, comical and aurally pleasing, toe-tapping musical performances that make one wonder why these "amateurs" couldn't make it on Broadway.

Take Craig Mix. He makes music look easy. Is there anything he can't do? Seriously, one should ask his mother whether he was literally born in a theater. As a youngster, he landed the lead role in "Oliver!" under the tutelage of John and Barbara Larsen's outstanding theatre program at Alfred State College and has been rightfully on stage ever since, when he's not making science cool for fourth, fifth and sixth graders at Alfred-Almond Central School.

A-A is where Brooke Harris was discovered by ACT Director Ellen Shultz, retired A-A English teacher and theatre director. When Brooke doesn't have something up his sleeve, he's either got his tongue in his cheek or he's reaching way down for an extremely low note. How low can this guy go?

Then there's this writer's favorite, Beverly Snyder. The first time she was heard singing in Alfred, as a member of the Lightbearers for Christ at a concert at the Alfred S.D.B. Church, this writer told Dorothy Drumm, "I could listen to her for the rest of my life." (And so I am.) Beverly had a role (performing with Ellen Shultz) in the former AU

Summer Theatre Program's one-time staging of "Not Enough Rope" back in July 1979. She can sing.

So add to this trio one Sola Prince, who has produced outstanding Christmas productions at the Alfred-Almond Bible Church where her husband pastors. Her multiple musical abilities including a beautiful voice are just what the director ordered for ACT's inaugural staging of "Oil City Symphony."

Setting the stage for Oil City Symphony:

The auditorium has been swept. The crepe paper has been hung. Four music stands sit on an improvised stage.

In this hit revue from the creators of "Pump Boys and Dinettes," four graduates of Oil City High return to their alma mater for a recital in honor of their beloved music teacher, Miss Reeves.

Proud, eager – not necessarily gifted – and slightly competitive, the four perform a bizarre program that ranges from the "1812 Overture" to "The Stars And Stripes Forever" to rock standards, sentimental favorites and off beat original songs. It's a knee-slapping, sweetly nutty tribute that's an ideal showcase for four charismatic actor-singer-musicians such as Mix, Harris, Prince and Snyder.

"Oil City Symphony" is good old-fashioned fun that even includes an audience-participatory rendition of "The Hokey-Pokey," and punch and cookies served by the cast at the end of the performance.

Be sure to include a performance of "Oil City Symphony" in your plans this weekend. Performances are set for 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, July 12 and 13 in the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater in Alfred Village Hall, 7 West University Street, Alfred. Tickets are \$5 and available at the door.



OIL CITY SYMPHONY--Starring in "Oil City Symphony" are (from left) Craig Mix, Brooke Harris, Sola Prince and Beverly Snyder. (SUN Photo)

Wingate Carillon Recitals continue Tuesday, July 16

ALFRED--Alfred village will be ringing to the tunes of yet another Wingate Memorial Summer Carillon Recital Series hosted by Alfred University (AU) and AU Carillonneur Laurel Buckwalter throughout the month of July.

Admission is free for each performance by a guest carillonneur, beginning Tuesday, July 9 and continuing each Tuesday thereafter from 7 to 8 p.m. The performances will be held rain or shine at the University's Davis Memorial Carillon, located on upper campus between the Steinheim and Susan Howell Hall.

Guests may sit in the lawn adjacent to the carillon and can feel free to bring lawn chairs or blankets to ease their listening experience. If inclement weather

persists, Howell Hall will be open to visitors.

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

- Tuesday, July 16: Sally Harwood, assistant carillonneur, Michigan State University, will perform classics such as "Moonlight Serenade" and "Dancing Queen."

- Tuesday, July 23: Tim Sleep, City Carillonneur, Naperville, IL, will play renowned pieces such as Pachelbel's "Canon in D" and a medley from "Les Miserables."

- Tuesday, July 30: Philippe Beullens, assistant carillonneur, City of Leuven, Belgium, will offer pieces by Bach, Borodin, and Rachmaninov.

The Wingate Memorial Caril-



DAVIS MEMORIAL CARILLON at Alfred University.

lon Recital Series honors Dr. Ray Winthrop Wingate (1886-1968), who was a professor of music at Alfred University for 56 years. After the installation of the bells in 1937, he was appointed to the position of University carillonneur and held that title until his death, having arranged more than 5,000 selections for the carillon and composed nine suites.

The Carillon at Alfred University is made of a double row of rounded oak levers, called batons, and a pedal board tuned in the fifth octave. The carillon tower's ground floor display has information on its historic legacy. Guests are welcome to climb the tower's 69 steps to the top, enjoy the view, and watch the guest artists at work.

Todd Larsen returning to premiere 'The In-Between'

ALFRED--Todd Larsen, Alfred-Almond Central School alumnus ('83) and son of John and Barbara Larsen, returns to premiere a new solo theater production: The In-Between, before its Hollywood, CA, and New York City performances beginning in the fall. This will be Todd's first return performance to his hometown in over 25 years.

The In-Between is a cleverly woven tour de force performance of acting, movement, and visual images in which Todd shares his creative journey from Alfred, NY, to his adventures in Hollywood, CA. "Aspects of the production are based on my life," Todd says, "but it is truly about each one of us, and our gifts of creativity. It's everyone's story and how we must realize our dreams and pursue them. It's about the quest to find the 'magic moments' in life, when the dynamic potential between ourselves and possibilities touch."

Todd first began acting in his parents'

productions at Alfred State, where they directed the drama department from 1965-1993. Along with his acting at Alfred-Almond CS, he began studying mime and movement. He produced several productions locally at the colleges and high schools and has gone on to be awarded as one of the top movement theater creators in the United States. He currently resides in Hollywood, CA, working as an actor and entrepreneur. Highlights of his film and stage career include working with Dom DeLuise, Carol Burnet, Charlie Sheen, Dean Cain, and John Cleese. Todd's work has been reviewed by the NY and LA Times as a "performer not to be missed" and as a "...solo Cirque Du Soleil meets Chekov."

This premiere performance takes place on Friday, July 26, 2013, at 8 p.m. in the Orvis Activities Center Cappadonia Auditorium on the Alfred State campus. It is a provocative, funny, unique theatrical experience in which Todd plays over 30

characters, real and imagined. The "creative spark" that began this theatrical creation came when he first saw pictures of the Sistine Chapel, and imagined what it would be like to sit down and chat with its creator. "I get to do that! That's why I fell in love with the theater and creativity," he says. "This is going to be quite a moment in my life," Todd adds. "It's incredible to return to my hometown and share this new production; especially on the stage at Alfred State."

The performance is free and open to the public with an option to donate to a new Alfred State scholarship. Todd has created the Barbara and John Larsen Scholarship to honor his parents' dedication for over three decades to the Alfred State theater, college, and students. It will honor and assist Alfred State students who have shown excellence in the theater. Any questions regarding the show or scholarship can be directed to Janna Buckwalter at buckwajb@alfredstate.edu.



TODD LARSEN

Cultural Arts Calendar



Music

BANDS/DJs/RECITALS

Alfred Village Band offers summer concerts of popular music and marches at the Alfred Village Bandstand. Concerts are scheduled at 7:15 p.m. each Wednesday in July, starting July 3. For more information, call Nancy Luger at 607-587-9449 or email: lugerna@yahoo.com.

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe 22 West Main St., Angelica. Open every day for lunch; dinner and live acoustic music on weeknights; now serving breakfast—call for details. **Acoustic Open Mic Night** 1st Thursday of month 7-10 p.m. Café opens early for dinner, espresso, wine & beer, Scrabble & chess. **Music Schedule:** Tuesday, July 2—Acoustic Open Mic (covers and originals equally welcome) Bob and Gena Decker start the Open Mic at 7 p.m.; Friday, July 5—Mike Clifford; Saturday, July 6—Kaydi Johnson; Friday, July 12—Max Garcia Conover; Saturday, July 13—The Buskers; July 19—Peter Janson; July 20—Jeanette Lynne, songwriter, indie pop, folk; July 26—Vincent Cross, songwriter, Americana roots music; July 27—Bob and Gena Decker, songwriter, folk, pop, blues, Americana. Music begins at 7:30 p.m. Café open 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. for meals, espresso, beer, wine, desserts. Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café, 22 W. Main St., Angelica. Call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

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

Maple City Bowl, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every Friday Night 9 pm-1 a.m.; 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, June 22—C'est Bon Cajun Dance Band; Saturday, Oct. 5—Professor Louie & The Crowmatix; For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

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

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

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

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

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers Coffee Houses nightly Monday-Thursday 7:30-10:30 p.m. with Movies on Mondays, Acoustic Campfire on Tuesdays, Open Mic Night every Wednesday 7 to 9:30 p.m. For more info, visit: www.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. 2013 Series include: July 9—Carol Jickling Lens from Colorado; July 16—Sally Harwood from Michigan; July 23—Tim Sleep from Illinois; July 30—Philippe Beullens from Belgium.



Theater & Dance

COMEDY
Friday Night Live. AU student comedy troupe. Call 871-2175 for further info.

Pirate Theater. AU student comedy troupe. 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.

Let's Dance Club offers occasional dances. For more information, contact presidents George and Carole Onoda at (607) 276-5475, vice-presidents John and

Dee Cwynar at (607) 324-0373, secretaries Duffy and Barb Elsenheimer at (607) 295-7194, treasurers Charlie and Kathy Bill at (607) 295-7130, or band coordinators Doug and Melody Carner at (607) 324-5821.

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

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

PERFORMANCES
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Art/Galleries

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

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Artist Knot. 36 Main Street, Andover. Current Exhibit: "Betsy Kent: Divergence". Admission is always free. Gallery Hours: Tues., Wed. & Fri. 11 am -4 pm, Thurs. 11-5 & Sat. 11-3 or anytime by appointment. Closed Sun., Mon. 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.

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Southern Tier Fiberarts Guild. founded in 1983, meets at Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 N. Main St., Wellsville, on the first Saturday of the month from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. except months of July and Sept. The group welcomes spinners (and 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.

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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.

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By ELIZA ORDWAY

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We have self guided games and activities you can do while you travel and there as always prizes for our top readers. There are great programs coming up this summer offered by our program staff, the Allegany Arts Association, the Master Gardeners and by local community members. Our website alfredboxofbookslibrary.org has our calendar on it and you can always find information out at the library itself. We look forward to see you and your families this summer.

Be sure to register for the event you are planning to attend to be sure you have a space.

Next week at the Box of Books:

Thursday, July 11 at 4:30 - Make Your Own Bookmarks; there will be three stations with different themed bookmark crafts for participants to make. Registration is required for this event to allow for supplies.

Wednesday, July 17 at 2 pm - Make Your Own Fossils; this program is brought to us by the Allegany Arts Association and is limited to 8 participants. Registration is required.

Looking ahead to our fall events:

The Annual Book Sale will be held Sept. 21 from 10-3; donations are always welcome. I ask you if you have a large number of books to arrange a drop off time with me. The Friends of the Box of Books will be hosting a bake sale again this year during the book sale and donations of baked goods are always welcome!

The Friends of the Box of Books fall fundraiser is scheduled for 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 26 at the Village Hall. They will again offer the 6 x 6 art sale. The 6x6 canvases will be available for a \$1.00 donation at the Box of Books starting this week. All pieces will be sold for \$20, and the artists are not revealed until the purchase is complete.

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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. For more information, call President Laurie McFadden, 587-9493. To tour building and/or view exhibits, call Historian Susan Greene at 587-9488. Visit: www.bakersbridge.org

Bergren Forum. 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus. 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: For info, call Zoë Coombs at 587-8031.

Poets Theatre. 7:30 pm second

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

Special Events

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Thursday, July 18:
"Boys & Bulls" at 7:30 p.m.
Friday, July 19:
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Saturday & Sunday, August 3 & 4 Park Circle, Angelica. Walking tours of Historic District / "Battle of Gettysburg" presentations with Historian Craig Braack / Roque (croquet) tournament / Live Music / Theme basket auction / Art-craft-antique market / Old-time machinery / Displays-exhibits-demonstrations / Wagon rides / Chicken BBQ-Sunday / Much more. 44th Annual Event. Sponsored by Angelica Booster Citizens, P.O. Box 173, Angelica, NY 14709. More information (including market vendors): 585-466-7930

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

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

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

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

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

Evening Grief Support Group. "Good Grief Group" meets second and fourth Monday of every month at 7 p.m. in the hospital Chapel, on the ground floor. For more info, contact Deacon Bob McCormick at bmcormick@sjmh.org or call the Spiritual Care Office at 607-324-8153.

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

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

Multiple Sclerosis Support Group. Meets first Wednesday of each month at 10 a.m. at Friendlysl. For more info, contact Roberta Staub at 607-545-6404 or Donna Boag at 607-295-9852.

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

Etcetera

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

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

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

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

Deadline

To include your event in this calendar, send information to: Calendar, ALFRED SUN, PO Box 811, Alfred, NY 14802 or e-mail: alfredsun.news@gmail.com

WHAT'S COOKIN'?

Allegany County Office for the Aging
Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu
Monday, July 15

Cinnamon Applesauce, BBQ Pork on a Bun, Sour Cream and Chive Potatoes, Succotash, Pudding, Diabetic - Fruit Cocktail.

Tuesday, July 16
Mandarin Orange Salad, Macaroni & Cheese, Carrots, Spinach, Rye Bread, Apple Crisp.

Wednesday, July 17
Three Bean Salad, Beef Au Jus on Weck, Horseradish, Baked Potato w/Sour Cream, Carrots, Fresh Fruit. **Birthday Cake @ Whitesville Center.

Thursday, July 18
Chilled Juice, Scalloped Potatoes & Ham, Harvard Beets, Banana Bread, Fruited Gelatin, Diabetic - Fruited Gelatin. **Birthday Cake @ Centers.

Friday, July 19
Strawberry Yogurt Salad, Chicken Salad on a Bun, Italian Pasta Salad, Lettuce/Tomato, Butterscotch Squares, Diabetic - Applesauce.
For reservations, call the site coordinator or 585-268-9390 or (toll free 1-866-268-9390) by 2 p.m. on previous day.

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

Monday—Exercises w/Mary Lou Maxon 10:30 a.m., lunch 12 noon. Connie McGraw—"Honey Pot" samples.
Wednesday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m. with Mary Lou Maxon, lunch at noon.
Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon.

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

Tuesday—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Ice Cream Day."
Thursday—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Body Mind Connection."

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE
Fire Hall 12 noon

Call Rita Morris at 585-928-2278

Monday—Exercises at 11 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon.

Wednesday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon. Lynn Oyer, Issues & Answers.

Thursday—Lunch at 12 noon.

CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE
Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon

Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301.

Tuesday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., "Ice Cream Galore." Lunch at 12 noon. Exercises/Cards at 1 p.m.

Thursday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., "Art Linkletter Day." Lunch at 12 noon.

Exercises/Cards at 1 p.m.

CUBA NUTRITION SITE

AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon

Call Linda Nelson at 585-968-2397

Monday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at noon. "Bastille Day." Cheryl Czworka, "Measuring Your Risk for Stroke."

Tuesday—Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "National Ice Cream Month."

Wednesday—Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon. "Current Topics." Blood Pressure Clinic.

Thursday—Exercises, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles, Euchre at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "Art Linkletter Biography."

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 12 noon. Lynn Oyer, Issues & Answers.

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

FRIENDSHIP NUTRITION SITE
Community Center, 12 noon

Call Vivian Howell 585-973-2650

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

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

Cheryl Czworka, "Measuring Your Risk for Stroke."

WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE
Community Center, 12 noon

Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.

Monday—Stretch at 9 am, Walking at 9:30 am, Bingo 10:30 am, Lunch 12 noon, Euchre 1 pm, Exercise 1:30 pm.

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

Thursday—Stretch 9 a.m., Bingo 10:30 a.m., Lunch at noon, Bridge 1 p.m., Exercises 1:30 p.m., Blood Pressure Clinic.

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

WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE
Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon

Call Becky Mattison at 607-356-3571.

Monday—Exercises, Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Sundae Monday!" "Fifteen Flavors" Word Game.

Tuesday—Jigsaw Puzzle, "Bingo." Lunch at noon.

Wednesday—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Jigsaw Puzzle, Lunch at noon. "Biographies." Cheryl Czworka - "Measuring Your Risk for Stroke."

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FIFTY YEARS AGO, JULY 11, 1963

Miss Linda Pauline Spaine of Alfred Station became the bride of Dale Stanley Butts of ALfred Saturday afternoon in the First Seventh Day Baptist Church at Alfred. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jacox of Alfred Station, and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Butts of Alfred. The Rev. Hurley S. Warren of Alfred and the Rev. Kenneth Davis of Daytona Beach, Florida, performed the double ring ceremony before an altar banked with baskets of white glads and pink carnations. Traditional wedding music was played by Mrs. Lee A. Ryan of Almond, organist, who accompanied Mrs. Jack Harvey of Alfred, sister of the bride, who sang "I Love You Truly," and "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. Richard Cott of Syracuse, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Miss Phyllis Miller of Alfred was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Audrey Hunt of Alfred Station, Miss Sheryl Butts of Alfred, and Miss Polly Dubois of Avon. Best man was James Baker of Alfred. Ushers were Arthur Ormsby, Jack Harvey, and Gary Jeffers of Alfred Station, and Robert Ellis of Alfred...

A total budget of \$790,700.67 was adopted by the voters of the Alfred-Almond Central School district at the annual meeting held Tuesday evening in the Central School. Hubert Wightman was reelected to the Board of Education, and Dale Lorow of Almond defeated John Reynolds, also of Almond, in the contest for the seat vacated by the resignation of Richard Braack. Wightman polled a total of 77 votes, with three which were void. Lorow took 44 votes, and Reynolds had 36...

Alfredians—Dr. and Mrs. Phillips Foster and family of College Park, Md., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Foster last week...Mr. and Mrs. James Tuzzeo of the University of Missouri, and Miss Susan Minnick and fiancé, Gary Jones of Columbus, Ohio, were weekend guests of Mrs. Marion Minnick and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Jacox...Mr. and Mrs. Dale Butts will make their home in the first floor apartment at the home of Miss Daisy Clark, which was recently vacated by Mrs. Lydia Orcutt...Mr. and Mrs. Dana Peck will leave Saturday to spend two weeks at Keuka Lake...Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Rogers moved into their new home, under construction, on High Street, Monday evening...Mrs. Roland Hale and children are spending the summer at Bradford, R.I., while Mr. Hale is taking work at Tufts College in Massachusetts...Mrs. E.F. Hildebrand accompanied Mrs. A. Burdet Crofoot to the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. Stanley Harris at Cleveland, Ohio, June 26 for an overnight stay, before continuing her trip to Hixson, Tenn. Mrs. Crofoot remained for a longer visit, returning to Alfred Monday...

Hazel Stillman Truman, daughter of the late Alfred T. and Lucy Prentice Stillman was born at Leonardsville, June 5, 1896. She died in the Harris Nursing Home at Hornell, Sunday, July 7, 1963. She came to Alfred with her family in 1910, and attended Alfred Academy and Alfred University, graduating with the class of 1919. She was united in marriage to De Forest W. Truman, May 27, 1918...

Alfred Station—Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Higgins and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Roland Gardner at Keuka Lake, Friday...Attending Camp Harley from Alfred Station this week are Kathryn Pierce, Lynn Skaggs, Alyce Lewis, Cathy Drumm, Dennis Allen, Robert Lewis and Joy Tucker...Mrs. Kay Nesbit and family are now residing in the Pulos house...Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Clare and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cameron and family enjoyed a July 4th picnic at the Ag-Tech Lake...Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pierce entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Sutton and families Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. Pierce's birthday...

Almond—The Nathan Hardy family spent the weekend at Keuka Lake visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamsby and family...Miss Beverly Allen of Long Beach, L.I., spent the past week with her father, John Allen...The Misses Audrey and Janet Hardy left Monday to accompany their grandmother, Mrs. Howard Brasted of Hornell, to Wilmington, Del., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Gould and family...Charles Hardy returned home Saturday after spending ten days at Camp Whitman on Seneca Lake...

The Alfred University Summer Theatre will present a dramatic reading of "Comedy Scenes from World Drama" as the first production of the current season...

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, JULY 14, 1988

The Almond Historical Society's upcoming 18th Arts & Crafts Show and Sale, Saturday, July 23 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., will be at the 1800 Hagadorn House and grounds...Featured event of the day will be Folk Sculptor from SHongo, John Dempsey. He will use his chain saw to sculpt a large bust of "an Allegany Farmer," beginning at 8 a.m. on Saturday under the two old spruce trees in front of the House. Dick Baker has donated a large 30" diameter white pine tree from his wood lot for this event. Chub and Bill Lockwood will cut and deliver this large log. To cover the expenses, \$1.00 donation chances to win this sculpture will be sold with Richard Burdick in charge...

(Photo) Village Band 'Fit'—Nationally-known fitness expert Bonnie Prudden and her students, who have just completed a five-week training seminar at Alfred University, let the exercises to the music of the Alfred Village Band July 6 at the band's inaugural concert of the 1988 summer season.

"Magic & More" is more than just a magic show. Elements of illusion, mime, music and puppets combine to produce a truly magical experience, delighting both eye and ear. Although especially produced for children ages 5-11, the show is enjoyed by children and adults alike. And we in Alfred are very fortunate to be having this exciting show at the Box of Books on Friday, July 22 at 3 p.m. The "magic" is performed by Steve Rudolph who is a former public school music teacher with a bachelor's degree in music education. As a professional musician for over 20 years, he has performed extensively both in the United States and Europe. Steve also happens to be the son-in-law of Rev. and Mrs. Albert N. Rogers of Alfred...

Notes from Village Hall—Gladys Burzycki is one of our local natural resources. She singlehandedly not only provided the village with flowers for Main Street and the children's park, but she has planted them as well. Mrs. Burzycki should not have had to do all this herself. She is among the most civic-minded residents of this community. I salute her...

Editorial: Vote "Yes" for addition of free Hornell calls...The local calling area for Alfred customers now includes Almond and Andover, in addition to Alfred itself. There are approximately 2,776 telephone customers in these exchanges. The addition of the Hornell exchange to the toll-free calling area for Alfred will add approximately 6,291 telephone customers to our local calling area. The cost? Only \$1.30 a month for private residential lines, only \$4.80 for private business lines...The SUN urges Alfred telephone customers to respond "Yes" to the survey. And do it today. Your "Yes" vote is needed within 14 days of your receipt of the ballot.

Alfredians—John Tuttle, son of Esther and Milton Tuttle, is competing in the 10K races in Indianapolis, July 14...Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith have returned from a month's trip to Italy and Martha's Vineyard...Catherine Jacox and Marjorie Bond were Fourth of July guests of Katherine Crandall...Anne B. Wenslow, associate professor in the Department of Office and Reporting Technologies at Alfred State College, took part in the eighth annual Summer Institute for Two-Year College Faculty in Albany...

Andover-the-hill—Mrs. Roseanna Sly of Sorrento, FL is spending her vacation visiting her sister, Mrs. Sy Pelton of Andover. Sy Pelton returned home from the hospital last Tuesday and is recuperating at home. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pelton of Pittsburgh, PA visited his father from Friday until Tuesday...Mrs. "Mel" Mickle was honored, Saturday night at the Lake Lodge in Alfred for her service to the area. Mrs. Mickle has served more than 25 years as Fire Coordinator for Allegany County. More than 200 people attended. A gift of money was given to Mel to assist her in remodeling her kitchen. Mel is the last dispatcher to work from her own home...Karl Perkins was honored for his 25th birthday at a birthday dinner held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Perkins last Wednesday evening...Mr. and Mrs. David Wallace ("Dede" Gorsuch) of Andover are parents of a baby girl born Friday, July 8th. Kaitlin Marie Wallace weighed in at 6 lb. 7 3/4 ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Miles Gorsuch of Andover; paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallace of Andover and paternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wallace of Greenwood...Lt. Col. Robert Grossman of Arlington, VA spent last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Dorothy Grossman and family...

S. George Sackett, 78, of 34 Chestnut St., Andover, died July 3, 1988 at the Wellsville Highland Nursing Home. He was born Nov. 2, 1909 in Burdett, NY, son of Edward and Nellie Mathews Sackett. On April 20, 1932 he married the former Margaret Holmes of Andover who pre-deceased him in October 1982. He was a former employee of the A&P Food Company and was owner and operator of Sacketts Market in Andover for over 50 years...

TEN YEARS AGO, JULY 17, 2003

(Photo) Jake Stuart Awards—The Almond Lions Club presented the Jake Stuart Award for excellence in athleticism at Alfred-Almond Central School to Kim Kinnerney and Chris McElhenny. The trophies were presented by Lion Ernie Moore at the club's June 19 meeting.

The Alfred Village Planning Board...first item of business concerned two alterations to the drawings originally approved by the Planning Board for Za Restaurant in its new location at 18 Church Street. Architect Philip Prigmore, accompanied by restaurant proprietor Eric Cushing, presented the revised plans. The drawings include two exterior additions. One is a staircase to the upstairs terrace. The other is a pizza and bread oven, two-thirds of which will extend outdoors. The Board voted to accept the design changes as described...

John R. Gavin, Jr., 73, of Andover, died unexpectedly at home on Wednesday, July 9, 2003. He was born February 15, 1930 in Hornell to James and Mary Gavin. On October 11, 1958 he married Carol J. Harris, who predeceased him on January 27, 1995. Mr. Gavin served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict from 1952 to 1954. He worked most of his career in road construction as a heavy equipment operator, retiring in 1974...

Alfred Community Theatre will sponsor a reading of "Visit to a Small Planet" at about 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 30 at the Union University Church Center. The reading follows the conclusion of the Alfred Village Band concert and will be directed by Carol "C.B." Burdick. American author and expatriate, Gore Vidal, wrote "Visit to a Small Planet" for television in 1956. His satirical comedy pleased so many listeners that the script, revised only slightly, went on to be a Broadway success and is still available on-line today...

"Teahouse of the August Moon," a comedy by John Patrick, adapted from the novel by Vern Sneider, was staged by the Alfred Community Theatre as a dramatic reading on Wednesday, July 16, after the Wednesday night Alfred Village Band concert. Held at the Union University Church Center, the cast included David Ohara as the Japanese interpreter (and philosopher), Tom Rasmussen as the inept captain in charge of "Americanizing" Tobiki village, Mickey Martelle as the blustering colonel even more inept than his captain. Also performing were Bill Coch, Sandra Greiff, David Snyder, Barry Lash and Carol Burdick...

Alfred Community Theatre plans to publish a cookbook honoring Alfred women, past and present. The cookbook will also contain pictures and tidbits of history of the Alfred area. This is ACT's next project to raise money to restore and refurbish the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater...

Alfred University Head Football Coach Dave Murray will welcome 45 football recruits when pre-season football camp opens August 16. Headlining the group of newcomers on offense is a pair of transfer wide receivers, sophomores Tyquan Horton and junior Chris Sargent. Horton, a 6-4, 200-pound Syracuse native, played one season at Fordham University, starting eight games as a freshman in 2000. A graduate of Corcoran High School, Horton possesses exceptional speed and size and is expected to compete for a starting job among a very deep receiving corps. Sargent transfers to Alfred from rival St. Lawrence University, where he played in 2001. He was the Saints' leading receiver with 33 catches for 335 yards. He was also tops in kickoff returns (26 for 435 yards) and punt returns (19 returns for 177 yards). He is expected to compete for a starting wide receiver spot and will return kicks and punts. Sargent will be joined by his younger brother, Greg, a 5-8, 160-pound tailback who was an All-Conference running back at Ogdensburg High School in 2002...

(Photo) Honors Section V Champs—The Almond Lions Club invited the Alfred-Almond Central School Spring 2003 Section 5 winning athletes to dinner at Muhleisen's Restaurant Monday, June 16. Plaques were presented to the Boys Tennis Team who were Section V Class D winners, the Girls Softball Team who were Section V Class DD winners, Ryan Yelle — Section V Class D Pentathlon winner and Amanda Swauger, Section V Class D 400 meter winner. Plaques were presented to the athletes and the coaches by Lion Ernie Moore of Almond.

Alfred triathlete Bob Rees won his age group in the 2003 Seagate Pittsburgh Triathlon on Sunday, July 13. Centered at North Shore Riverfront Park, the race is a 1 mile open water swim in the Allegheny River, a 24.8 mile bike ride using the HOV lanes of I-279 and a 6.2 mile run on the Three Rivers Heritage Trail...

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Anonymous \$50,000 gift establishes scholarship at AU to honor Hutter

WELLSVILLE—An anonymous gift of \$50,000 has been donated to the Allegany County Area Foundation to name a memorial scholarship for the late Robert G. Hutter, Esq. The Fund by the same name was created to benefit any Allegany County student who is pursuing a degree at Alfred University in either finance or performing arts.

The first scholarship will be awarded in June 2014. The annual scholarship of \$2,000 shall be given to one student. The first year of the award, the recipient must be a finance major. Subsequent awards will alternate between finance and performing arts. Applicants may receive the award more than once. Applications are online at www.alleganycountyfoundation.org or through school guidance counselors. The deadline is March 1, 2014.

Robert Grant Hutter lived and worked in Allegany County for over 30 years. His passions included; law, teaching, finance, music, the arts and the Virginia Techokies. He was well known in the area as a sports enthusiast and a coin collector. His lifetime accomplishments were numerous and spanned over three decades.

Bob was an attorney and partner in the law firm Hutter and Finn in Wellsville, a professor at Alfred University; teaching business and law, certified financial planner and a dedicated advocate of the Boy Scouts of America and Christian Children's Fund. His legacy will forever be commemorated through this gift to the Allegany County Area Foundation.

The Allegany County Area Foundation is a nonprofit 501c3 organization established in 1983 to improve the educational, civic, cultural and social life of citizens of the County. Donations of any size are accepted toward existing funds. New funds may be established through a gift, will, estate or trust and are tax deductible. Contact the Foundation for more information; visit the website at www.alleganycountyareafoundation.org and like us on Facebook. It is your community, your foundation and your legacy.

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Scholarship fund established to honor Mary Lou Canessa



WELLSVILLE--One never knows how he/she is remembered until there is a person who signals us out to others. This past spring the Allegany County Area Foundation received an anonymous gift to establish a scholarship in memory of Mary Lou Canessa. This gift provides a \$500 a year award to a unique Wellsville student who intends to pursue a college education.

The donor remembers Ms. Canessa as a person who changed his life and started him on a path that without her influences; he may never have taken. This "bridge to the future" inspired him to go to college and become successful in his chosen career. The Foundation was able to write this piece with the help of Connie Synacowski, former principal of Wellsville High School who contacted others who put us in touch with Michele Bewley, Ms. Canessa's niece. She provided the biographical information and the photo.

On Nov. 24, 1912 the town of Wellsville NY's population of approximately 5,700 grew by one when Mary Louise Walther was born at home on East Dyke Street to John R. and Catherine E. Walther. She was the eldest of three sisters, the other two being Beverly and Joan. Marylou went to Immaculate Conception and was the valedictorian of the graduating class of 1930 at Wellsville High School. She was the recipient of a New York State scholarship for her four years of college.

Marylou was always an excellent student and well-rounded in her interests, playing piano and the winner of a number of local art contests. She went on to study French and Latin at the State Teacher's College in Albany and received her Bachelor's degree in 1934. She completed graduate work at Temple University in Philadelphia and attended Alfred University for her guidance counseling studies. Shortly before the outbreak of World War II she travelled abroad in order to supplement her language studies, sailing on the Queen Mary.

In 1934, shortly before her college graduation, Marylou received a postcard from her mother. The card depicted Wellsville High School and read: "Lest Ye Forget

— Enter to Learn, Go Forth to Serve." It was never a question that Marylou would return home to Wellsville to begin her teaching career. Upon her graduation she was appointed Wellsville High School's French teacher and later in 1967, the school's guidance counselor.

Albany held more than academics for Marylou for it was there she met Paul S. Canessa, a young man from Adams, Massachusetts who was studying electrical technology at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. He went on to teach at Alfred University. They married August 3, 1942 at Immaculate Conception church. She and Paul were virtually inseparable and happily married for almost 58 years. Paul and Marylou never had children but had many pets and were ardent supporters of the SPCA.

Marylou and Paul lived in Wellsville, briefly on Maple Street, then on Miller Street, and eventually on Johnson Street. Marylou fractured her spine when she slipped in mud left in her Miller Street home from the infamous Wellsville flood of 1972. This injury precipitated her retirement in 1973 after more than 38 years of service to Wellsville High School. Marylou and Paul continued to live their summers in Wellsville but also maintained a residence in Clearwater, Florida where they lived during the winter months.

Marylou had a number of hobbies at which she excelled. These included collecting a large number of Hummel figurines, painting china and oil painting, and conducting genealogical research. In 1983 she was named regent of the Catherine Schuyler chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and she belonged to many other organizations. These included the Delta Kappa Gamma, a teacher's honor society, the American Association of University Women, and the Wellsville Educators Association. She also had the distinction of being the first female member of the Allegany County Counselors Association. Along with the D.A.R., community groups in which she participated until her death included the Monday Club, the Evergreen Twig of Jones Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, and the Immaculate Conception's Altar and Rosary Society.

Marylou was diagnosed with cancer, like her father and two siblings who predeceased her. After a hard fought battle, Marylou succumbed to the disease January 14, 2000 at the age of 87.

Red Cross says blood donations down

The American Red Cross issued an emergency request for platelet and blood donors of all blood types to roll up a sleeve and give because many fewer donations than expected were received in June and the first week of July.

"We are counting on generous volunteer blood and platelet donors to step up and give now," said Donna M. Morrissey, Director, Communications, American Red Cross Blood Services –

Northeast Division. "Every two seconds, someone in the U.S. needs blood. Each day donations come up short, less blood is available for these patients in need."

Nationwide, donations through the Red Cross were down approximately 10 percent in June, resulting in about 50,000 fewer donations than expected. The shortfall is similar to what the Red Cross experienced in June 2012.

June can be among the most challenging months of the year for blood and platelet donations as regular donors delay giving while they adjust to summer schedules. High school and college blood drives account for as much as 20 percent of Red Cross donations during the school year. Donations from those who usually give at these drives drop by more than 80 percent when school is out for the summer. In addition, a mid-week Independence Day holiday reduced the number of blood drives scheduled in early July. Many sponsors, especially businesses, were unable to host drives because employees took extended vacations.

The Red Cross urgently needs donations to ensure an adequate blood supply is available for patients all summer long. Each day, the American Red Cross New York-Penn Blood Region needs approximately 1,200 donors to step forward and give blood. Eligible donors with types O negative, B negative and A negative blood are especially encouraged to give. Type O negative is the universal blood type and can be transfused to anyone who needs blood. Types A negative and B negative can be transfused to Rh positive or negative patients.

There is also an urgent need for platelet donations. Platelets – a key clotting component of blood often needed by cancer patients – must be transfused within five days of donation, so it's important to have a steady supply of platelets on hand.

How to Donate Blood

Simply call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org to make an appointment or for more information. All blood types are needed to ensure a reliable supply for patients. A blood donor card or driver's license, or two other forms of identification are required at check-in. Individuals who are 17 years of age (16 with parental permission in some states), weigh at least 110 pounds and are in generally good health may be eligible to donate blood. High school students and other donors 18 years of age and younger also have to meet certain height and weight requirements.

About the American Red Cross

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Thursday, July 11

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ADAMS, MEMOIRS, XII, 268.

Alfred Area Church Directory

ALFRED-ALMOND AREA

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

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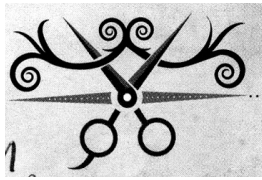
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Area residents earn Dean's List honors

Area residents have been honored for academic achievements during the spring semester at the various colleges they attend. Among them are:

Devin DeMarco, a senior from Andover was named to the Wells College Dean's List for the spring 2013 semester. The Dean's List consists of students who earn at least a 3.5 grade point average for at least 12 hours of coursework in a given semester. DeMarco majored in English with a concentration in creative writing and is a graduate of Hornell High School. Wells College is a nationally recognized private coeducational liberal arts college located in Aurora, on the eastern shore of Cayuga Lake.

Benjamin Berry of Alfred Station was among 499 students from Genesee Community College, including all seven campus locations in Batavia, Albion, Arcade, Dansville, Lima, Medina and Warsaw, who were named to the President's List for the Spring 2013 semester. Students honored on the President's List have maintained full-time enrollment and earned a quality

point index of 3.75 (roughly equivalent to an A) or better. The College also maintains a Dean's List comprised of students who earn a quality point index of 3.50 to 3.74.

Three area residents have been named to the Dean's List for the 2013 spring semester at The College at Brockport, State University of New York. They include **Nikolas Von Stackelberg** of Alfred, named to the Dean's List with Honors; **Joshua Brubaker** of Andover, named to the Dean's List with Honors; and **Emily Cronin** of Alfred, named to the Dean's List. Students who earn a GPA of 3.70–3.99 are named to the Dean's List with Honors, while students who achieve a 3.40–3.69 are named to the Dean's List.

The following local residents made the Dean's List for Spring 2013 quarter at Rochester Institute of Technology: **Kelly Vars** of Andover, a fourth-year student in the graphic design program in RIT's College of Imaging Arts and Sciences; **Donald Walker** of Andover, a fourth-year student in the elec-

trical/mechanical engineering technology program in RIT's College of Applied Science and Technology; and **Zachary Woughter** of Almond, a second-year student in the physician assistant program in RIT's College of Health Sciences and Technology. Rochester Institute of Technology is internationally recognized for academic leadership in business, computing, engineering, imaging science, liberal arts, sustainability, and fine and applied arts.

The following local students were named to the spring 2013 dean's list at SUNY Buffalo State. To qualify for the dean's list, students must earn a GPA of 3.5 or higher and complete a minimum of 12 credit hours. Earning honors were: **Cody Lippincott** of Almond, who is majoring in Forensic Chemistry; and **Alyssa Mountain** of Almond, who is majoring in Psychology. SUNY Buffalo State, founded in 1871, offers 165 undergraduate majors in the arts, sciences, professions, and education.

Emily Peters of Alfred Station is among the May 2013

graduates of Delaware Valley College in Doylestown, PA. Delaware Valley College is an independent, multi-disciplinary college with property in Bucks and Montgomery Counties. Founded in 1896, it features individualized attention, small class sizes and an applied as well as theoretical approach to learning.

Mary E. Hendee of Almond has been named to the Dean's List for the spring 2013 semester at Alfred University. She is a freshman in the College Liberal Arts and Sciences. Students must earn at least a 3.5 grade point average to qualify for Dean's List. Hendee, a graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School and daughter of David and Susan Hendee of Almond, is undecided regarding her major.

Julie Ormsby of Almond was named to the Dean's List for the spring 2013 semester at Alfred University. She is a junior in the College of Professional Studies. Students must earn at least a 3.5 grade point average to qualify

for Dean's List. A graduate of Keshequa Central School and an Early Childhood/Childhood Education major, Julie is the wife of John Ormsby of Almond. In its "America's Best Colleges" guide, the magazine rates Alfred University as "a great school at a great price," ranking it as the number one best value in the Northeast among institutions that offer bachelor's and master's degrees.

When Andover's **Carly Olds** graduated this spring, SUNY Oswego didn't just give her a traditional paper diploma. Olds also received a digital version, in the form of a badge on her personalized Merit page. Almost 500 colleges across the country are making sure that new graduates have a validated online showcase of their achievements on meritpages.com. Olds is among the two million students whose accomplishments, ranging from making the dean's list to studying abroad to graduating, are verified with digital badges by her college.

Four AU profs cited for 25 years

ALFRED--Four members of the Alfred University (AU) faculty – Peer Bode, William B. Carlson, Gordon Godshalk, and Robert A. Myers – were honored for their 25 years of service to AU with certificates and gifts at the University's spring Honors Convocation.

Professor of Video Arts and Co-Director of the Institute for Electronic Arts Peer Bode of the School of Art and Design is an internationally exhibited artist

who is known for expanding the periphery of arts and academia. In citing Bode for his service, Provost Dr. William Hall noted that "Since joining the faculty in 1987, Professor Bode's contributions to teaching and service have been numerous and significant. His leadership within the field of video, performance, and sonic art has strengthened the reputation of Alfred University and the School of Art and Design."

Professor of Systems Engineering Carlson of the Inamori School of Engineering has been "one of the faculty members to truly bridge art and engineering," and was instrumental in helping establish the Institute of Electronic Arts and the current first-year curriculum," said Hall.

Two professors in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences were recognized for their longstanding commitments to Alfred University.

Professor of Biology Godshalk helped to build the environmental studies program before stepping in as chairman to help rebuild the Division of Biology.

"Throughout his career, Gordon Godshalk has taught numerous classes in both the biology and environmental studies programs, published widely, and has made important contributions to his field as an educator, as chair of the Education Section of the Ecology Society of America, and as an expert in aquatic ecology," said Hall.

Professor of Anthropology and Public Health Myers has "books on Dominica, Nigeria, and Ghana that are standard reference works in the nation's libraries. His numerous op-ed pieces appearing in major newspapers around the country demonstrate his ability to bring an anthropological perspective out of the classroom and into cultural commentary for a wider, popular audience," noted Hall. But "perhaps Bob's most important contribution to Alfred has been the stability and integrity that he has brought to our offerings in anthropology ... efforts leading to the addition of the comparative cultures and global studies majors to the curriculum."

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Almond 20th Century Club Library

By TAMMY KOKOT

Almond Twentieth Century Club Library Director

Join us for the Almond Library's Summer 2013 Teen Book Club! Our emphasis is "Beneath the Surface," so we'll be focusing on digging deeper into what we read to get a better understanding of the characters, the plot, and the novel as a whole. Trust us—it'll be fun!

We will be reading Neil Gaiman's *The Graveyard Book*, so if you don't already have a copy, please stop in so that we can get one for you.

We will meet every Tuesday, from 6:00-7:00 pm.

Tuesday, July 9th, Introductions; Read pages 1-98

Tuesday, July 16th, Read pages 99-210

Tuesday, July 23rd, Read pages 211-end

Tuesday, July 30th, Last meeting & closing pizza party!

This will be a pretty relaxed setting, but we do have a few requests:

- Come to book club with an open mind.
- Try not to read ahead in the novel—or, if you do read ahead, don't give anything away.
- Be ready to discuss the chapters you read.
- Be polite in discussions and wait for the person speaking to finish.

• Ask questions ~ The best part of a book club is asking questions to further the rest of the group's understanding of the novel.

Bonus Note: As this is run through the library, you are encouraged to read outside books, as well. For each book that you read outside of the book club, please complete an "Un-Book Report" to hand in. These will be collected and displayed at the Circulation Desk, so other teens can see what they should read next. The person who reads the most books outside of the book club (and completes a provided "Un-Book Report" for each), will receive a prize at the end of the month.

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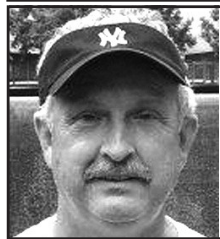
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The Dugout

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HITS AND MISSES:

The NYS high school all-state baseball teams were announced last week and Nick Anderson of Wellsville was named first-team in class "B" for the Lions. In the "D" class it was Trevor Coleman of Whitesville on the second squad, Sam McCumisky of Fillmore was named to the third-team and Ryan Hedges of Arkport landed on the fifth team.

The Hornell Dodgers moved to (14-13) on the season in the NYCBL as Coach Kenney's squad took two from the Niagara Power on Sunday, 5-2 and 10-1. The team was off for the All-Star break as the baseball game was played in Geneva at McDonough Park on Tuesday nite. Five Dodgers were named to the squad: Anthony Renz, Aaron Haag, Dylan Dunn (Hornell), Sean McCracken and Jimmy Gutowski.

The season is well underway in the New York-Penn League as 14-teams are in the "A" league. In the McNamara Division: Aberdeen IronBirds (Orioles) ... which I believe Cal Ripken owns, Brooklyn Cyclones (Mets), Hudson Valley Renegades ((Rays) and the Staten Island Yankees. In the Pinckney Division: Auburn Doubledays (Nats), Batavia Muckdogs (Marlins) ... not owned by Holmoe, Jamestown Jammers (Pirates) ... "Seeki" used to work here!, Mahoning Valley Scrappers (Indians), State College Spikes (Cards) and Williamsport Crosscutters (Phils) ... remember seeing this stadium near softball field we used to play at on Bandits tourney squad. In the Stedler Division: Connecticut Tigers, Lowell Spinners (BoSox), Tri-City Valley Cats (Astros) and Vermont Lake Monsters (A's) ... great nickname! Think the Aberdeen team used to be located in Utica as the Blue Sox.

Homer Bailey of the Cincinnati Reds pitched a no-hitter last week versus the San Francisco Giants (sorry, Omar). No relation to "Homer" in Newburgh. As of Sunday past the Reds had the third-best record in the NL and were third in their own division! Yikes. The Pirates and Cardinals still pace the competitive NL Central.

Manny Ramirez back in MLB? Find that hard to believe but the Texas Rangers inked him to a minor-league deal after he spent some time in a Taiwan baseball league. "ManRam" was a solid hitter ... once.

A-A grads Jake Taft and Scummer hit the links in Florida this past Sunday at a course called East Bay. Nice layout, played there myself in December (I believe) with Taft and Our Man Frank. Taft emerged victorious 89-107 as "Mr. 195" took a step backwards in his quest to break 100. Stub unable to join duo and unavailable for comment.

When the Division III football season starts this fall the Alfred Saxons will play a nite game at Brockport on September 28th, on their new turf field and under their new lights as the first opponent after the remodeling project. The Golden Eagles play in the NJAC but will join the E8 next season.

Spotted a few NYS vanity plates here and there: RUREADY4 ... Sumo ducking Scum, MEE TOO, MELBAS ... toast and when I was at Central Park in NYC, WALK ... with the Olympic logo on the plate.

ESPN did a piece last week titled: "U.S. Heroes Going Home." Wow ... awesome! Sure they tied it in with the July 4th holiday week and ESPN did a super job with it. "Thank You" to all the troops stationed around he world.

Brad Stevens (Butler) the new coach of the Boston Celtics? Amazing! He is one of those guys I figured would be a "lifer" in college hoops, doing a great job at Butler and living that life with his family in Indiana. Guessing he would only bolt Butler for the head coaching position with the Celtics or Pacers. He certainly has his work cut-out for him.

Meanwhile, the New York Knicks re-signed J.R. Smith to a 4-year/\$56-million dollar deal? Yikes. And, Dwight Howard is off and running again. This time to the Houston Rockets. Maybe he'll "like" Kevin McHale as a coach.

After noting in this paper last week that 40-students at Alfred-Almond graduated this June, it was ironic to see in the (50-25-10 Years Ago) space that 66-students graduated in 1988 from A-A. Quite the drop-off in 25-years.

The PGA Championship is next month at Oak Hill in Rochester, August 8-11.

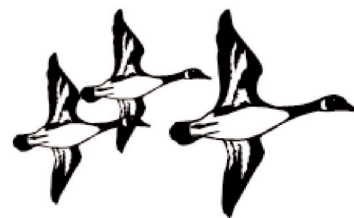
Had a chance to get out and golf this past Saturday for the first time since hitting the links at Stafford CC in the SUNY Geneseo athletic department tournament. John "Spock" Arena (0-37) was in town from Carlisle, Pa. and the ex-Webster resident and I toured the Webster West course as we have many times in the past. Arena typically comes back once per summer and we try to get out for a round of golf. After a great round, "great" for me, 93-103 ... we were greeted in the parking lot by The Rock ... Dan Korn. The three of us have not been together in 20-years, after working together at the "Looney Tunes Factory" known as J.P. Mead in Rochester. My first job after moving to Rochester/Webster from Maryland. A great afternoon of catching up, out on the deck of the clubhouse, on a perfect summer afternoon. Seeing two guys, together again, that mean alot to me and glad we had the opportunity to do it. Korn now living and



CEDAR WAXWING

For the Birds...

By BETSY BROOKS
Alfred Sun Columnist



I don't know if it was all the noise of the Fourth of July fire-crackers but something stirred up a Northern Bobwhite quail who, since July 6, has been 'singing' "Bob White" for hours on end in the woods below our house. A Black-billed Cuckoo got so irritated at it that he started singing too, and the song of a cuckoo isn't much to brag about.

It brought back memories of the first Bobwhite I ever saw. Steve was learning to drive and so one summer day I let him practice by driving us out to the Wireworms Road where there was a patch of Red Currant bushes by the side of the road.

We got more than enough currants to make jelly, but while in the midst of picking, engulfed by the bushes, suddenly a Bobwhite began calling right where we were standing to pick the berries. I got a pretty good look at him as he walked across my boot!

Native Bobwhites were believed to be extirpated in western New York but were reintroduced in 1957, as a different race from the native birds. The New York State DEC tried releasing 'Texas Bobwhites' in the early 1930's, including some near Belmont. More recently, they have been bred by individuals as game birds and released. Perhaps this Fourth of July bird was one of those.

On June 29, 22 people came to join me on a walk at Foster Lake to begin the celebration of

the 'From The Earth' festivities. By the end of the walk, I had tallied 22 species, either heard or seen (one for each person who came on the walk!).

Ralph Peterson had tallied 24 species ... but regardless of the final number, we saw some interesting birds including close-up views of a very agitated Broad-winged Hawk who probably had young in the area. We also saw or heard Alder Flycatcher, Blue Jay, American Crow, Black-capped Chickadee, Red-breasted Nuthatch, House Wren, American robin, Gray Catbird, Cedar Waxwing (lots!), Chestnut-sided Warbler, Magnolia Warbler, Yellow-rumped Warbler, Pine Warbler (!!!), Ovenbird, Common Yel-

lowthroat, Eastern Towhee, Chipping Sparrow, Song Sparrow, White-throated Sparrow, Dark-eyed Junco and American Goldfinch.

There were handouts on plants and shrubs that create food and shelter for birds and butterflies, how to build various bird and bat boxes, and how to create a smaller lawn.

We had so much fun, that we decided to have another bird walk, and this time go all the way around the lake. So come and join me at Foster Lake on Sunday morning August 4 at 7:30 AM.

We often see interesting mixed flocks of warblers during the post-breeding dispersal at this time of the year.

The Dugout continued...

teaching in North Carolina near Charlotte and an expert on the Revolutionary and Civil Wars. Professor Korn ... The Rock! On Sunday afternoon, in Webster Park, the Arena's were having a high school graduation party for their son, Tommy. Stopped over for awhile and one Walt Fedczuk was there ... another J.P. Mead alum. Solid weekend.

Off to Saratoga Springs and Utica/Whitesboro this weekend as daughter Lauren is going to run in the Utica Boilermaker 15K on Sunday. She'll take the MegaBus to Saratoga Springs, at the Race Track, from NYC. Off to Whitesboro sometime after that as we are staying with Doris Springer that nite. Hopefully dinner at Cavallo's in New Hartford that nite. Jess Herbst (Webster/UVM) will join us the next day at the race. Hoping to see Eileen Coyle, Tom Blumenaier, Jeff Welch, Andrew Welker and others after the race. Sienna (Harvey) Evingham? "Doc" Moore? After race it is off to Syracuse for Herbst, 3L and myself. Hoping to hook-up with Katie Woods in Liverpool for lunch. A former SUNY Geneseo soccer teammate of 3L's.

John (A-A) and Colleen Baker ... back from Mt. Kilimanjaro! Hoping to hook-up with them (cookout!) the following weekend.

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