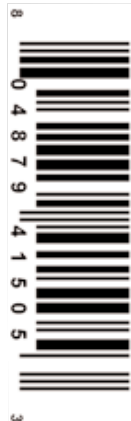




**Sun in Peru** In January, Ellen Barton and D'Arcy Gaisser (both Alfred State alums) led a group of SUNY college students on an International Service Learning trip to South America. Here, they are reading the *Alfred Sun* in front of Sacred Valley Health, in Ollantaytambo, Peru. The two added that Macho Picchu was incredible and should be on everyone's bucket list!

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## Duplicate Darlings

### Alfred connection to 'Twins' cover girls

ALFRED—While this issue of the *Alfred Sun* features our annual Easter Parade of Little People, it seems rather timely that the *Sun* would learn this week that a set of twins who appeared in our 2016 parade recently ap-

peared on the cover of *TWINS Magazine*.

They are 18-month identical twins Ava and Olivia from Woodlands, Texas and are great-granddaughters of Stuart and Loretta Smith of Alfred.



**AVA ELIZABETH KOPAL and OLIVIA SOPHIA KOPAL**  
The Woodlands, Texas Born: August 3, 2015  
Parents: Ryan and Meredith Kopal  
Grandparents: Wendy and Robert Kopal  
Great-Grandparents: Stuart and Loretta Smith

Last year, Ava and Olivia were but seven months old when the identical twins appeared in the *Sun*'s Easter Parade of Little People. Born on August 3, 2015, they are the daughters of Ryan and Meredith Kopal and granddaughters of Wendy (Smith) and Robert Kopal.

The photo that appeared in the *Sun* last year is pictured to the left. At right is the *TWINS Magazine* cover. The cover photography was the work of Candice Pettit from Heaven & Honey Photography.

Inside the cover of the January-February 2017 edition, readers are introduced to the twins:

"Meet 18-month-old identical twins Ava and Olivia from Woodlands, Texas. Ava is the more adventurous and independent twin, while Olivia is more cuddly and people-oriented. They both love to dance—they get up and start wiggling as soon as they hear music. They also love animals and going to the zoo, as well as books and looking at pictures of their family."



### CENTER FOR HIGH-TEMPERATURE MATERIALS CHARACTERIZATION

## AU dedicates addition to McMahon Building

ALFRED—Alfred University Thursday afternoon dedicated an addition to the McMahon Engineering Building that contains some of the most advanced analytical equipment in the nation.

Located within the \$9 million "infill" — it was built in the courtyard of the existing building — the addition contains an array of analytical equipment capable of characterizing materials while they are at elevated temperatures, rather than after they've cooled, giving researchers better information about how the materials function in at high temperatures. Collectively, the suites of equipment make up the Center for High-Temperature Materials Characterization.

Dedication of the new space, and the Center, marks the end of a journey that began more than 10 years ago, when representatives from Alfred University and Corning Incorporated approached State Senator Catharine Young with a request for funding, said Thomas Hinman, a trustee of Alfred University and a senior vice president at Corning prior to his retirement.

The University and Corning believed the Center would have great value for industries in New York State, and for the Inamori School of Engineering, part of the New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University, where the next generation of scientists and engineers is being educated.

"Senator Young went to bat for us, and we got \$4 million in 2008 to start the Center," said Hinman. The Uni-

versity secured another \$2.9 million in 2012 through the Western New York Regional Economic Development Council, part of Empire State Development, and again Senator Young was an advocate for the project.

"This initiative has already had a significant benefit," said Hinman, noting that the Center has been integral to



**Helping to cut the ribbon for the addition to the McMahon Engineering Building are, (from left) William Heaney, Alastair Cormack, and Thomas Hinman. (Photo provided)**

the receipt of \$7 million in state and federal research funding since 2011, and more than 30 companies have done work through the Center.

"Beyond the economic benefit," said Hinman, has been the benefit to the students. As an alumnus, he said he knows one of the "hallmarks of an Alfred University education is that our students come out prepared to do hands-on work, and this is adding to their capabilities."

The Center and the School of Engineering also contribute to the economic vitality of the area," said Hinman. "On behalf of the Board of Trustees and Alfred University, I want to extend our heartfelt thanks to Senator Young for her help."

Senator Young, who is chair of the Senate Finance Committee, was detained in Albany by negotiations on the state budget. She sent William Heaney, her community liaison, in her stead.

"New York State has long been a leader in the glass and ceramics industry," said Heaney, "and Alfred University and the New York State College of Ceramics have been fundamental" in the development of the industry. "You are educating the next generation, and pioneering technology" that leads to the development of new products.

He said Senator Young asked him to convey how pleased she was to be able to help secure "the resources needed (for the College) to continue to innovate... Here, at Alfred University, the future is now."



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20TH ANNUAL  
EASTER  
PARADE OF  
LITTLE  
PEOPLE

continues on Pages 7-10



**ROBBIE DAVID ODLE**  
Alfred  
Born: December 21, 2015  
Parents: Dave and Alexis Odle  
Grandparents: Elizabeth and Christopher Wheeler  
and Marjorie and Mike Odle



**ELIJAH AMARE COOPER and JANELLE REESE COOPER**  
Alfred  
Elijah Born: September 28, 2016 Janelle Born: March 31, 2015  
Parents: Jared and Krystal (Redding) Cooper  
Grandparents: Vera Leak, Keith and Dana Redding  
and Betty Cooper

OBITUARIES

Lee A. Ryan, 79, community pillar

LEE A. RYAN

Long-time Almond resident

ALMOND—Lee A. Ryan, 79, of 54 Main Street, Almond, went to be with our Lord on Saturday, April 8, 2017 following a struggle with Alzheimer’s and other illnesses.

Lee was born in Wellsville on January 9, 1938, the son of Lee Roy and Louise Ormsby Ryan (Doan) and spent the majority of his formative years working on the family farm with his brothers. This time in his life, he developed a great respect for those who work in farming and agriculture.

Lee was a proud Class of 1955 graduate of Alfred Almond Central School, lettering in multiple sports. Later, he was a strong supporter of the Alfred Almond Alumni Association along with his wife Donna.

Lee was recruited right off the family farm in Almond to work in the insurance business in 1962. Along with Donna and numerous staff people, they operated the Lee A. Ryan Insurance Agency from 1962 to 1994. He continued other entrepreneurial pursuits while being involved in many civic and Christian organizations. Some of his many volunteer involvements include The Alfred Almond Bible Church, The

Gideons, The Almond Historical Society, The Alfred-Almond Alumni Association, The Hornell Area Life Underwriters, the Hornell Area Barbershoppers, the Nationwide Insurance Hall of Fame, the Family Life Network/Ministries and the National Guard.

He was predeceased by his father; Lee Roy Ryan, and his mother; Louise Ormsby Ryan (Doan). The couple also lost a two-day old son, Eric Lee Ryan on January 20, 1960.

He is survived by his wife, the love of his life and best friend, Donna (Burdett) Ryan to whom he was married on December 20, 1958; his three children and their spouses, Jeff and Lisa Ryan of Canisteo, Jenny and Bill Baker of Almond, and Heidi and David Lindley of Anderson, Indiana; ten grandchildren and their spouses, Brett Ryan of Charlotte, North Carolina, Bryce Ryan of Cuba, Reagan Ryan of Houghton, Slade Ryan of Canisteo, Lindsay and Greg Palmer of Rochester, Ryan and Holli Baker of Rochester, Tyler Baker of Almond, Philip and Chelsey Lindley of Niceville, Florida, Erika Lindley of Anderson, Indiana, and Patrick Lindley of Anderson, Indiana; three great grandchildren; Elle Palmer, Audrey Palmer, and Calvin Lindley, and Harper Joy Leigh Baker expected to arrive next month, his brothers and sisters, Larry and Betty Ryan of Bath, David and Linda Ryan of Odessa and Linda and Bruce Cornell of Almond, sisters-in-law; Betsey and Galen Stout of Canandaigua, Jan and Carl Leathersich of Canisteo, many special nieces and nephews, cousins, and numerous close friends.

To send a remembrance to the family, friends are asked to visit [www.brownandpowersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.brownandpowersfuneralhomes.com).

The family will be present to receive friends at the Alfred Almond Bible Church, State Route 21, Almond, from 4 to 7 p.m. Friday, April 14, 2017. A Celebration of Lee’s life will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 15, 2017 at the Alfred Almond Bible Church. Pastor John Prince and Rick Snavelly will officiate. Burial will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery in Almond.

Donations in memory of Lee A. Ryan would be appreciated at; The Hornell Camp of Gideons International, PO Box 352, Hornell, NY 14843, or to Faith In Action, 20 Broadway Mall, Hornell, NY 14843.



Scene About Alfred

A weekly photo feature  
By **SHERRY VOLK**  
Alfred Sun Columnist



Appropriately, Christ’s resurrection was in the spring, the season of new and returning life. Here in the Chihuahuan Desert, it is SPRING. A favorite desert plant, the ocotillo (oke oh tea’ yo), is a lovely example of resurrection. Most of the year, unless there is ample rain (rare), the splayed, thorny branches of this plant, which we’ve seen as tall as twenty feet, look dead (first photo). In February, tiny buds begin to grow at the tips of the branches. In late March, and early April, these blossom out into spear-shaped clusters, flaming like candles against the blue sky (second photo). The third photo is a close view of one cluster, the flowers of which taste sour, and are sometimes used to make tea.

The plant is able to survive drought by photosynthesizing through its green stem, so only when rain is abundant, do the previously barren branches pop out hundreds of tiny leaves (fourth photo) to make food to be stored for dry times in its underground trunk and roots. This particular plant often has leaves as it benefits from rain run-off from a roof nearby.



Puzzles on Page 10

— King Crossword —  
Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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# Growing Up in Alfred

By JUDE FRECHETTE  
Special to the Alfred Sun

## ‘Signs of Spring’ or ‘Tory’s New Shoes’

Living in Alfred it can sometimes be hard to tell just what season we are in, and the calendar isn't much help. Spring is particularly tricky. One day it can be 70 degrees, and the next day a raging blizzard. Flowers begin to sprout, only to get buried in snow. Just when we begin to think it's time to put away the heavy coats and boots, we need them again.

Growing up, I learned all the jokes surrounding this phenomenon. One of the old standbys was, a college freshman asks his advisor when spring comes to our valley - the professor answers, "I don't know, I always leave town in May!"

Along with the jests, I learned many bits of folk wisdom on the subject. A lot of people depended on the peepers to mark the end of winter. They said that when the tiny frogs sing for the first time, the back of winter is broken, but there will be two more freezing periods. When their songs ring out the third time, it won't frost again until fall.

Other people looked to "The Old Farmer's Almanac" as the final authority. Well, maybe. That source seems to be right about half the time, and wrong the other half. It looked to me as if one might as well flip a coin, and save the price of the book.

When I was a toddler, I made it my responsibility to find the very first of the English violets my mother loved, and bring it to her. I can still see her delighted smile as she found a miniature glass vase, put a few drops of water and a pinch of sugar in it, and placed the fragrant flower on the kitchen windowsill over the sink, where she could sniff it every now and then as she worked. That, for me, made spring official.

As a kid, I had a much more reliable indicator of when it was really spring, and that was my little horse Tory. He was a Welsh pony, and as is typical of the breed, he grew a thick, luxuriant coat of winter fur. I brushed Tory every day, so it was quite obvious when he began to shed. At first, it only meant that I had to clean the brush more often than usual. By the time he was shedding in earnest, I could grab handfuls of fur and pull them out easily. There was so much that I toyed with the idea of making pillows with it. (At one point I did make a small one as a pin-cushion for Mom on Mother's Day.) This was a sure and certain sign that spring had arrived, and it was time for a seasonal adjustment.

I wonder how many people are aware that horses can and do wear "winter tires?" Tory did. Because we had no pasture to

turn him out for exercise, I rode him almost every day, summer and winter. The streets of Alfred could get wickedly slick with ice and snow, so every fall I'd have the farrier come to pull off his summer shoes, trim his hooves, and put on the winter shoes. These were much heavier, and studded with steel knobs for traction.

They were great in bad weather, and we never took a fall, but ironically, on bare pavement they caused him to skid sometimes. So, somewhere in mid-shedding, I knew it was time to change them. Joe Green would come in his pick-up truck, with a small forge in back, and remove Tory's shoes. While he trimmed and put on new summer shoes, I would clean the cut nails out of the winter set, tie them together with baling twine, and hang them on the barn wall with a satisfying clang. It was like ringing the bell on the end of winter. As soon as the blacksmith was gone, I'd saddle Tory and we'd go out for a ride. It was more like a dance to celebrate spring! His feet were so much lighter that he lifted them high, and pranced for joy like a high-class show horse.

In conclusion, forget about woodchucks seeing their shadows, and throw away the almanacs. If you really want to know when true spring gets here, I recommend getting a nice shaggy pony. Lacking that, I guess we'll have to count on the peepers.

## ALFRED Weather for the Week

April 4-April 10					
April	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow	
4	69	35	0.20"		
5	63	37	0.12"		
6	59	36	0.02"		
7	47	30	0.97"	0.6"	
8	33	21	0.06"	0.1"	
9	50	24	0		
10	71	23	0		

By JOHN BUCKWALTER  
Alfred Area Weather Recorder



## Kelly's Forecast

By KELLY SNYDER  
Alfred Sun Weather Forecaster

"If you really want to know when true spring gets here, I recommend getting a nice shaggy pony."  
—Jude Frechette

Thursday April 13

CLOUDY

(HIGH 56- LOW 36)

Chance of precipitation.....10%

Friday April 14

PARTLY CLOUDY

(HIGH 62 - LOW 42)

Chance of precipitation.....10%

Saturday April 15

PM SHOWERS

(HIGH 67 - LOW 55)

Chance of precipitation.....50%

Sunday April 16

SCATTERED T'STORMS

(HIGH 67 LOW 44)

Chance of precipitation.....60%

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



Okay, folks – it's time! Go find your boots, sharpen your pruning shears and head out to the ditches which line our roads. Here you will find pussy willows and red twig dogwoods. Both shrubs enjoy the damp soil found at the edges.

Take cuttings, 8 inches long – wrap in wet paper and head home. Remove lower buds, leaving 4 to 6 at tip. Place both into a glass of water. The chemicals in the willow will aid both to produce roots. Place in bright, cool (60 degrees F.) light – no direct sunlight!

About early May, transplant into a small pot and fill with sand. Place in a south window for two weeks. Come mid-May, harden off for five days and plant outdoors in your damp spot.

After three years, start to prune in March – for pussy willow branches and to rejuvenate the young red growth on the dogwood. Enjoy – what can be a better harbinger of spring than a bunch of silvery pussy willow branches? Good hunting!

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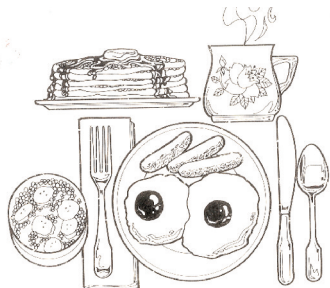
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## SUNNY SIDE UP

By ELLEN SHULTZ  
Alfred Sun Columnist



## ‘Come and get it’ veggie sauce

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

Still thinking about those wonderful spring vegetables, I pulled out this recipe which my daughter gave me several years ago. We don't remember where she found it, but we've been happily using it on our vegetables ever since. It is especially good on that delicious spring asparagus.

### “Come and Get It” Veggie Sauce

1/4 c. fat free mayonnaise 1/2 tsp. salt  
1 c. fat free sour cream 1/4 tsp. Tabasco sauce  
2 T. lemon juice

Combine all ingredients in a small pan and heat gently while stirring. Don't allow it to boil. Pour over steamed veggies. (Don't forget broccoli and cauliflower. They are especially good with this sauce.)

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Disappointed by ‘extreme’ label

To the Editor:  
I was disappointed that Tom Reed’s campaign literature has characterized the people who attend his Town Hall meetings as “extreme” groups of “liberal activists” who want “higher taxes, and cuts to funding for our military and veterans” and who “put global warming ahead of taking care of our veterans.” I attended two Town Hall meetings over the last couple of months and I never heard people asking for higher taxes or for cuts to the military and veterans.

Many of us did question Trump’s budget proposal which would RAISE spending on the military by 52 billion and pay for it by CUTTING or eliminating popular domestic programs that assist many in our district (including veterans) such as Meals on Wheels, Head Start, the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (which will be eliminated), etc. We also questioned the need for spending billions on the wall along our southern border given that illegal immigration from Mexico has in fact been going down recently, not up, and many farmers in our area rely on immigrant labor.

As for global warming, people attending the meeting raised objections to Trump signing an executive order to undo the Clean

Power Plan, put in place to help reduce emissions from power plants. This executive order, in addition to making it difficult to keep our commitments on the Paris Accord, will support coal over other types of energy, which economically is not particularly helpful for our area since we don’t produce coal and we do produce alternative energy. The executive order affects regulation, not funding, and it has nothing whatsoever to do with funding for veterans, which all of us at the Town Meeting were actually in favor of.

I don’t consider these positions to be in any way extreme. At his Town Hall meetings, Tom Reed says that he wants to find common ground. Characterizing his constituents as extremists is not a strategy that is likely to achieve that goal.

Vicky Westacott  
Alfred

Thank you, Saxons!

Dear Editor,  
This is a shout out to the members of AU’s football team who came to help me with my spring clean-up. You guys are great, and I really appreciated your assistance. GO SAXONS!

Sincerely,  
Jude Frechette  
Alfred Station

Sun Spots



Manna...  
from-a Heaven-a

the Babe.....the Man;  
the Lion.....the Lamb;  
the Branch.....the Vine;  
the Bread.....the Wine;  
the Crucified Son.....  
...the Living One.

—A. mannA Mouse

AU GROUP VIES FOR \$100,000 PRIZE

Community ‘Sip-and-Paint’  
to launch Art Force 5 drive

ALFRED—The Art Force 5 program is hoping to “wine and dine” the community into supporting their mission.


The art superhero team will be inviting community members to come experience their program while sipping wine, noshing on appetizers, and perhaps voting for the program’s entry in *USA Today*’s A Community Thrives competition.

The “Sip and Paint” event occurs Friday, April 14 from 4 pm-8 pm in the Powell Campus Center Knight Club with free admission, free appetizers, and a cash bar (for those 21+). Rather than painting on canvas, this event invites attendees to paint simple 2” ceramic tiles as part of a large mosaic.

The Art Force 5 hopes their unique brand of community-based art is a top contender in the *USA Today* competition, which will award three \$100,000 grants to help communities thrive. Voting began yesterday, April 12 and runs until May 12 when top vote recipients will then proceed to a judges’ panel. The Art Force 5 program propose to establish a travel team to help other communities address significant issues through art.

The “Sip and Paint” participants will paint tiles for a forthcoming mosaic tribute to James Reese Europe, a composer and band leader known for bringing jazz overseas as part of the World War I unit that would become

known as the Harlem Hellfighters. As attendees paint their tiles, they can listen to recordings of the music of the legendary 369th Infantry Band. Additional inquiries can be made to program coordinator Nermin Moustafa at NM22@alfred.edu .



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GUEST COLUMN

Does cruise missile strike in Syria  
hold up under closer scrutiny?

By SEAN HYLAND  
*Special to the Alfred Sun*

We are all familiar with the facts in Syria. On April 4th the government of Bashar al Assad launched a chemical attack on rebel held Khan Sheikhun in Idlib province killing 75. President Trump, impressed by the enormity of his humanitarian duty and brushing aside Syrian claims denying responsibility, responded decisively, launching 58 Tomahawk cruise missiles at a Syrian air base. Now the U.S. government has set the stage for regime change to again dominate the conversation and to justify further increased military intervention as stated explicitly by H.R. McMaster in his interview on Fox News Sunday.

This is the narrative as it has officially unfolded, but does it hold up under closer scrutiny, or are we witnessing a rush to judgment replaying the Iraqi WMD craze which wrongly justified the disastrous Iraqi war to the American people and the International community in 2003?

The first question that came to my mind when I first heard of the gas attack is, who benefits? Just days before the chemical attack, the US, France, and Britain announced that regime change was no longer an objective in Syria. With Syrian government forces making comfortable and sustained gains militarily, it seems incredible that Assad would be looking desperately for ways to turn Western opinion irrevocably against him by launching a strategically negligible chemical weapons attack to kill less than 100 people. It really beggars the imagination!

On the other hand, the rebel groups would have a prime motivation to stage such an attack to excite renewed calls for regime change to reverse their debilitated position. President Trump has also benefited substantially, garnering bipartisan acclaim from as diverse a collection as John McCain, Hillary Clinton, and Fareed Zakaria, who joyfully proclaimed, "I think Donald Trump became president of the United States, I think this was actually a big moment."

But even laying aside the the extremely questionable motivations dominating the official narrative, the US acted far too quickly to establish any sort of attribution to the attack. Less than 24 hours after the attack the Trump administration was releasing statements ascribing guilt to the Assad regime, and launched the cruise missile attack only 2 days afterward. How can a forensic investigation be conducted in a war torn area held by Al Qaeda so quickly? It can't and it hasn't. There have been calls for a UN investigation by Canadian Prime Minister Trudeau and others but it will take time, which at the current pace of military escalation will be meaningless. What proof has the US government given to support it's de facto declaration of war in Syria? Not a shred.

There is another burning question surrounding the whole incident. In 2013-14 Syria surrendered it's chemical weapons stockpiles for destruction by Western governments under supervision by the UN Organization for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons. As recently as Jan 16th on NPR Obama National Security Advisor Susan Rice boasted that “We were able to get the Syrian government to

voluntarily and verifiably give up its chemical weapons stockpile.” . So, how does a country with no chemical weapons launch a chemical weapons attack? One would certainly think that it seems like a reasonable question to ask. Was Assad hiding weapons? Were the inspectors incompetent? Were the chemical weapons from rebel stockpiles? The administration doesn't seem interested in finding out and has moved onto action.

The past also provides ample reason to be suspicious of hasty rushes to judgment when it comes to chemical weapons in Syria. We all remember in 2013 when Assad used chemical weapons, nearly leading the Obama administration into direct intervention. The narrative was portrayed as conclusive, but the case was always murky and ultimately inconclusive. Director of National Intelligence James Clapper characterized the intelligence to Obama as “robust” but not a “slam dunk”. This may have been an understatement. US News and World Report reported “But the leader of the U.N. investigation tells U.S. News he actually is unsure of who committed the attack. The U.N. report completed in December 2013 by Ake Sellstrom’s team determined a sarin attack happened but did not assign blame.”

A large part of the case for the Damascus bombings relied on the much touted “vector analysis” front page story in the *New York Times* which “proved” that two missiles with sarin gas came from a Syrian military base. *The Times* later retracted the bulk of its “proof” on a story buried on page 8, below the fold, 18 paragraphs into a story under the not-so-eye-catching title, “New Study Refines View Of Sarin Attack in Syria.”. In the story the *Times* reported that a new analysis by two military experts concluded that the Aug. 21 rockets had a range of about three kilometers, or less than one-third the distance needed to intersect at the Syrian military base northwest of Damascus, plus the discovery that the Moadamiya missile contained no Sarin, making its use in the vectoring of two Sarin-laden rockets nonsensical. Since the Obama administration had released no verifiable proof that Assad could be connected to the attack, the collapse of the “vector analysis” story took away the only “smoking gun” connecting Assad to the attack.

Where are we going with the Trump administration's hasty policy of regime change? We have been militarily active in Afghanistan for nearly 16 years and active in Iraq for 14 years with no end in sight to either deployment. The American people deserve answers and evidence before another President commits this nation to a course of war and regime change.

The cruise missile attack also represents a flagrant abuse of Executive power, since I'm quite sure that firing nearly 60 cruise missiles at another countries' air base constitutes an overt act of war. There has been absolutely no debate or case made in Congress for such an action. We need to be skeptical when the government claims humanitarian justification for waging war. The proof of the past and the blood of too many American soldiers and innocents in Afghanistan, Libya, Yemen, Iraq, and Syria are too much to ignore.

Happy Birthday, Helen!

Newspapers published in the year 1915 reported:

- Babe Ruth hits his first career home run
- Kiwanis International is founded
- The first stone of the Lincoln Memorial is put in place
- The RMS Lusitania is sunk, killing 1,198
- Rocky Mountain National Park is established
- Notable births include Alice Faye, Billie Holiday, Orson Welles, Arthur Miller and HELEN CLARKE.



In 1992, HELEN CLARKE migrated from Glens Falls, New York to live in Alfred with daughter and son-in-law, Pat and Bill LaCourse.

On Tuesday, April 11th, 2017, Helen celebrated her 102nd birthday. Best wishes to this sweet lady!



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ALFRED UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRA CONCERT FRIDAY, APRIL 14

## 'Gems of the Baroque' features Vivaldi, Bach

ALFRED--The Alfred University Orchestra will present "Gems of the Baroque" under the direction of Dr. Lisa Lantz, at 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 14 in Miller Theater. The concert is framed around masterworks by Antonio Vivaldi and J.S. Bach, featuring student and professional soloists.

The concert will open with the Vivaldi Concerto Grosso in D minor followed by the Vivaldi Concerto for Two Cellos, performed by Phillip Dzielski, a senior astrophysics major; Megan Sadowitz, a sophomore art and design major; Emma Wilson, graduate student majoring in mental health counseling and Eugenia Meltzer, adjunct instructor in music.

A popular work by Vivaldi, "Spring" from the Four Seasons will be performed by Aaron Vit, a first year student majoring mechanical engineering and history. Senior glass engineering science major Jay Horvath joins his teacher, Dr. Christopher Foster, for another delightful work by Vivaldi, the Concerto for Two Trumpets.

The concert then highlights the String Orchestra in the final movement of Bach's Brandenburg No. 3, a highly complex work composed for three sections each of violin, viola and cello with the bass serving as continuo.

The evening concert will conclude with J.S. Bach's Brandenburg No. 5 featuring flutist Rosalyn Nardella, a senior biology major; violinist Lisa Lantz, and concert pianist Lucy Mauro.

Lantz is the director of the orchestra, professor of music, and artistic director and founder of the MostArts Festival, now entering its fourth year.

Mauro's recordings for Delos have been acclaimed in Gramophone, awarded a Recording of the Year 2011 by MusicWeb International, and selected for the December 2013 NAXOS Critics' Choice List. She is on the faculty at West Virginia University and will return to Alfred to perform this summer at the MostArts Festival.

About our soloists:

**Cellist Phillip Dzielski**, is a first semester senior student majoring in astrophysics with a minor in mathematics. He is from Irondequoit, where he attended Irondequoit High School. In addition to music, he spends much of his time at AU longboarding, and teaching at the observatory. After graduation, he plans to continue to pursue a graduate degree in physics.

ALFRED UNIVERSITY

## Art Force 5 in USA Today contest

ALFRED--Participate in a USA Today survey (goes live April 14) and help promote Alfred University's amazing Art Force 5 team!

With your help (and your vote), Alfred University's Art Force 5 program hopes to expand its program as part of USA Today's "A Community Thrives" competition. The contest seeks to fund nine initiatives in the three categories: education, wellness, and arts & culture (the category in which the Art Force 5 is entered). Voting begins April 12th and runs until May 12th with top-voted ideas moving forward to a judges' panel.

Alfred University's superhero-themed team recently submitted a three-minute video highlighting ways it has previously served communities through interactive art projects and non-violence workshops. The team would use this grant to establish both a 2018 NYC residency and a travel team available to aid communities in distress.

AU's submission may be viewed at <http://act.usatoday.com/s...> but please note a new link for voting will be available a week from today: April 12.

The students are no strangers to on-line competitions and media attention, as their program won the 2016 "Unite Rochester" competition sponsored by the Democrat & Chronicle Newspaper (part of the Gannett media family which also includes USA Today). In January 2017, AU student



AMONG THE SOLOISTS to be featured in the 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 14 concert of the Alfred University Orchestra are (front from left) Phillip Dzielski, Eugenia Meltzer and (back from left) Megan Sadowitz and Emma Wilson.

**Megan Sadowitz** is a sophomore student majoring in Art and Design with a minor in music. Megan is from Hopewell Junction, where she attended John Jay High School. In addition to playing cello and violin, Megan runs for the cross country and track & field teams at AU. Upon graduation, she plans to get her MFA, and continue with music.

**Cellist Emma Wilson**, a graduate student majoring in mental health counseling, is from Wellsville where she attended Wellsville High School and completed her undergraduate work at Syracuse University. After graduation, Emma plans to become a licensed mental health counselor and continue her education to get a Ph.D. degree.

**Flutist Rosalyn Nardella** is a biology major with minors in music and chemistry. She plays flute, saxophone, and piano and has performed in numerous student recitals. In the fall she will be attending dental school on a Navy scholar-

ship. In her free time she enjoys riding horses and learning ukulele.

**Eugenia Meltzer** teaches strings at AU as an adjunct. She worked as a professional musician and taught violin in the Chicago suburbs, running a large Suzuki program for over 30 years. Upon retirement, she moved to the Alfred area to set up a ceramic studio. She now divides her time between music and art.

**Trumpeter Jay Horvath** is a senior student majoring in glass engineering science with a minor in chemistry. Jay has participated in the orchestra, symphonic band and jazz band nearly every semester during his time at Alfred. Jay is from Doylestown, PA, where he attended Central Bucks High School West. After graduating this May, Jay will begin his graduate studies in materials science and engineering at the University of Pennsylvania.

**Christopher Foster** is the director of bands and associate professor of music at

AU. He directs the University's symphonic band and jazz band, and teaches music theory, music appreciation, jazz history, lessons on brass instruments, and other courses in music. Foster is an experienced musician, teacher, adjudicator and reviewer. He is also active as a soloist and freelance musician. He has been a guest conductor for several all-county and area all-state bands. Foster has been an adjudicator for various NYSSMA solo festivals, and continues to be active as a recording reviewer for the International Trumpet Guild.

**Violinist Aaron Vit** is a first year student majoring in mechanical engineering and history with minors in Music and Mathematics. Aaron is from Canandaigua, where he attended Canandaigua Academy as well as the Hochstein School of Music in Rochester. In addition to music, Aaron is on the men's tennis team, and an active member in both drone and the outdoor clubs at AU. Aaron was recently appointed as assistant student director to the AU Junior Strings Program, under the direction of Lantz.

**Pianist Lucy Mauro's** recordings for Delos have been acclaimed in Gramophone, awarded a Recording of the Year 2011 by MusicWeb International, and selected for the December 2013 NAXOS Critics' Choice List, among other recognitions. MusicWeb International said her "delicate touch and flawless technique give us a luminous sound of great beauty". She made her concerto debut with the Dallas Symphony Orchestra at the age of 14 and is a graduate of the Peabody Conservatory where she received Bachelor's, Master's and Doctorate degrees and where she studied with Ann Schein and Julio Esteban. She has performed and taught for festivals and schools in Germany, Italy, Spain, China and the U.S. Recent performances include the 2013 Esterházy Festival in Austria. Her publications include Essential Two-Piano Repertoire, Essential Keyboard Trios, Essential Piano Duets from Alfred Publishing and Master Singers: Advice from the Stage (2015) from Oxford University Press. She is an Associate Professor of Piano at West Virginia University.

Lantz is director of the Alfred University Orchestra, a professor of music and founder of the MostArts Festival, now entering its fourth year.

## AU putting best foot forward for book fund

ALFRED--The Alfred University community--alumni participation welcome!--is putting its best foot forward in memory of a beloved faculty member.

Many of you will remember Dr. Gail Walker, a much-loved and respected professor of psychology, who died in 2005, after a long struggle with ovarian cancer. Even though she learned mid-way through the spring semester that her treatment options were exhausted, she continued teaching and was on hand at graduation just three weeks before her death. Gail was a 12-time winner during her 24-year career of Alfred University's Excellence in Teaching Award, a remarkable achievement because faculty can only receive it every other year.

After her death, friends and family created the Gail Walker Book Fund in her honor to provide assistance to students struggling to pay for books. Each year, our Support Staff Council has sponsored fund-raisers to replenish the Fund.

This year, the Council is sponsoring "Purple and Gold Shoe Day" on April 28. Those wishing to participate may purchase shoe tags to pin to their purple/gold shoes. And if you don't have purple or gold "kicks," you may purchase shoelaces to show your support. Email Bailey Grillo for more details.

It's a great way to show your Saxon Pride and honor a wonderful teacher who had such an impact on Alfred University. You may also make a gift online by selecting "Walker Book Fund" in the pull-down menu for "designations."

and Art Force member Mawia Elawad was featured in USA Today's "I AM AN AMERICAN" series. Inquiries regarding their services may be directed to AU's director of student activities Dan Napolitano at D2D @alfred.edu.



Art Force 5 team in Rochester last summer.



Cultural Arts Calendar



Music

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

**AU Choral Spring Concert.** 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 30, Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church Choral Spring Concert (Free Event) The AU Chorus will present a program of varied works. Free admission.

**AU Jazz Band Concert** 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 21, Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. (Free Event) Hot tunes! Free admission! What could be better!

**AU Symphonic Band Concert** 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 28, Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. (Free Event) Great music!

**AU Symphony Orchestra**  
**Gems of the Baroque** - (Free Event) 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 14, Miller Theater, Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus. A showcase of AU student soloists performing music of Bach and Vivaldi with the AU Orchestra. Free admission.

**pm Vocal Student Recital.** 3:00 pm Saturday, April 29, Howell Hall, AU campus. Student Recital for Vocalists! (Free Event) Lovely voices performing many different genres!

**MostArts Festival:** Plan to enjoy Summer Music & Art, Sunday, July 9-Saturday, July 15, 2017 at Alfred University featuring the Young Pianist Competition. visit: [www.MostArts.alfred.edu](http://www.MostArts.alfred.edu) for more information.

**The Orpheus Chorale** will hold its 10th Anniversary Concerts at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 23 at the First Presbyterian Church on Pulteny Square in Bath, and at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 30 at the United Presbyterian Church, 150 Main Street in Hornell. "Wrap Me In Song" is theme of the concert that features selections from Vivaldi, Brahms and Handel Master Works plus music by current composers John Rutter, Morten Lauridsen and Eric Whitacre, along with gospel songs and contemporary pieces. The concert is free. Donations will be gratefully accepted. For more info, visit: [orpeuschorale.org](http://orpeuschorale.org) or call 607-324-5147.

**Wellsville Creative Arts Center** offers live music some evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 6 p.m. Saturday, April 29-Bruce Katz Band; Friday, May 19-Appleseed Collective; Friday, June 16-The Lonely Heartstring Band. For tickets, visit: [www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com](http://www.WellsvilleCreativeArtsCenter.com) or call 585-593-3000.

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

**Genesee Valley Chorus.** Weekly rehearsals 7 pm Tuesdays at Congregational Church, 289 N. Main St., Wellsville. New members welcome. For further information, call 585-593-3173.

**Maple City (Barbershoppers) Chorus** Meetings 7:00 p.m. Mondays at United Methodist Church of Hornell, 7528 North Main St Ext., near Webbs Crossing Road, Hornell. New members welcome. Call 607-698-4690 for info.

**Sanctuary Choir.** Rehearsals 1st & 3rd Sabbath of Month - 12:30pm; Instrumentalists 4th Sabbath of Month- 9:00am. The Seventh Day Baptist Church - Alfred Station. New musicians welcome. Call 607-587-9176.

**COFFEEHOUSES**  
Coffeehouse live entertainment

periodically at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, 34 N. Main St., Alfred. Watch for schedule of coffee-house performers.

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

**CONCERTS/RECITALS**  
**Davis Memorial Carillon Recitals,** AU campus. Due to the retirement of the carillonneur, there is currently no weekly recital.

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



Theater & Dance

**DANCE**  
**International Folk Dancing Tuesday evenings from 8:30-10:30 p.m.** We learn and do a variety of International Dances, many from the Balkans, Israel, Armenia, etc. Everyone is welcome, no partner or experience necessary! Miller Performing Arts Center, AU campus.

**Let's Dance Club** offers occasional dances. For more information, contact president Carole Onoda at (607) 276-5475, vice-presidents John and Dee Cwynar at (607) 324-0373, secretaries Duffy and Barb Eisenheimer at (607) 295-7194, treasurers Charlie and Kathy Bill at (607) 295-7130, or band coordinators Doug and Melody Carrier at (607) 324-5821.

**Community Ballroom** at the Alfred Almond Bible Church, 4th Friday of every month. 7-7:30 p.m. Free instruction 7:30-9 p.m. open ballroom dancing. Ages 18 and up. For more information, call 276-6700 or visit: [www.aabile.org](http://www.aabile.org)

**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 help restore the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater. For more info, call Dave Snyder at 587-8110.

**PERFORMANCES**  
**Assassins** will be staged by Olean Community Theatre 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 27, Friday, April 28 and Saturday, April 29 and 2 p.m. Sunday, April 30 at the John Ash Community Center in Olean. Tickets \$14; senior citizens and under 18 \$12. Visit: [www.oleancommunitytheatre.com](http://www.oleancommunitytheatre.com)



Art/Galleries

**INSTRUCTION/GROUPS**  
**Allegany Artisans.** The Allegany Artisans, local artists and craftspeople working together to host an annual studio tour, held annually in October, invite artists to apply. Work is juried. Studio must be in Allegany County. 585-593-6345 or visit the website: [www.alleganyartisans.com](http://www.alleganyartisans.com).

**Angelica Ink Letterpress** Located at 20 Allegany Avenue, Angelica, NY. 585.466.7040

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**Cohen Center for the Arts.** 55 N. Main Street, Alfred. Gallery open 11-5 Thurs.-Fridays.

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

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

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

**MUSEUMS/EXHIBITS**  
**The Andover House,** exhibiting the best of Alfred connected Ceramic Art and 2 dimensional art. Historical and contemporary. Open 11am to 4pm on Saturdays. At 21 North Main Street, Andover New York. For visits by appointment call 585 593 3947 or 607 478 5014 : E-mail: [Johnfdolan@yahoo.com](mailto:Johnfdolan@yahoo.com).

**Fountain Arts Center,** 42 Schuyler Street, Belmont. For info or group arrangements, call 585-268-5951 or visit our website at: [www.thefountainartscenter.org](http://www.thefountainartscenter.org)

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

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

**Glenn H. Curtiss Museum** 8419

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

**Hinkle Memorial Library Gallery,** Alfred State College Campus. Open during library hours, 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Fridays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturdays and 3-9 p.m. Sundays. For more information, call the library at 607-587-4313.

**Hornell Erie Depot Museum,** 111 Loder St., Hornell is open Wed., Thurs., & Fri. from 6-8 pm, and Sat from 12:30-3pm.

**Inamori Kyocera Museum of Fine Ceramics.** The newly constructed museum focuses on fine ceramics used in technical and bio-medical applications. Located on the top floor of Binns-Merrill Hall, AU campus, Alfred. Open 10-4 Wed.-Fri. Free admission.



**Alfred Ceramic Art Museum.** Located on Northeast corner of Main and Pine Streets, AU campus, Alfred. Hours: Tues. thru Friday 10-5, Thurs. 10-7, Sat. and Sun. 10-4. \$7 Adults, \$5 Seniors, \$3 Local Residents. Free for Museum members, 17 and under, AU and A State faculty staff and students. For information call 607-871-2421; or visit the museum website: [ceramic-smuseum.alfred.edu](http://ceramic-smuseum.alfred.edu)

**National Warplane Museum.** [nationalwarplanemuseum.org](http://nationalwarplanemuseum.org), 3489 Big Tree Ln, Genesee, NY 14454, (585) 243-2100.

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

NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS



Easter Egg Hunt will be held at 3:30 p.m. Friday, April 14

By **MELANIE MILLER**  
*Alfred Box of Books Director*  
Friday at 3:30 p.m. we will be holding our annual Easter Egg Hunt at Kenyon playground. WJQZ radio will be bringing the Easter bunny by. The egg hunt will go on rain or shine, but if it is raining, the bunny will be at

the library around 3:45 p.m. Hope to see you all there!  
Thursday, April 20 we will hold another soap making event from 4-6 p.m. We will use a goat's milk soap base and honey-almond scent to create fun spring soaps. Please call the library to register for this event-

607-587-9290. This program is for teens and adults only.

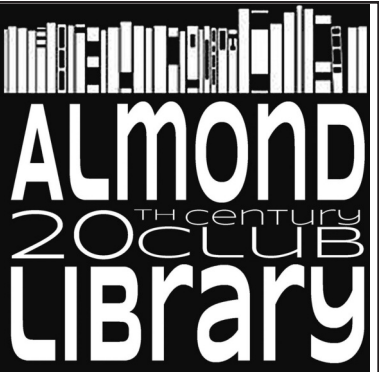
Have you heard of 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten? This is a program that encourages parents to read to young children. Research has shown that children that are read to regularly are ready for Kindergarten. Here at the library you can participate with your little ones, too. Sign up to receive tracking sheets and prizes at every milestone!

On Sunday, April 30 at 2:30 p.m. we will have a 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Celebration. Even if you haven't participated, but would like to know more, please help us celebrate! We introduced this program in June 2016 as part of our Summer Reading Program for early literacy. We have 30 children currently reading their way to 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten.

The library will be closed on Sunday, April 16 for Easter.

What's Happening at Almond Library

By **ELIZABETH CALL**  
*Almond Library Director*



This is National Library Week!

This is National Library Week! How do we celebrate our libraries? The best way to celebrate is to use your library. Stop in with the whole family and see what's new in the library. There are always crafts to make, books to read, games to play (board games, public use computers, and video games in the Teen Space), and of course, that soothing library smell.

Would you like to get more involved in the library, and make some great friends in the process? Join our friends group, the 20th Century Club! The club meets seven times a year, and is responsible for the fundraising efforts to support the library. Each club meeting has a special event, whether it is a speaker, a slideshow, or a dish-to-pass. The club is responsible for putting on the Election Day Luncheon and quilt raffle, runs the sausage stand on Almond Community Day, and also runs the snack bar at the Lions Park during the baseball/softball season and the soccer season. We would love to have new volunteers to share the work and the fun!

Feel free to contact the library with any questions you might have about our upcoming programs or anything else, and don't forget to check our website and our facebook page for the most up-to-date information: [www.almondlibrary.org](http://www.almondlibrary.org).

Coming up at the Almond 20th Century Club Library:

- Yoga with Kristin Buchholz -- Thursdays @ 5:45 pm
  - Book Club-- April 25th @5pm -- this month's book: Buckingham Palace Gardens by Anne Perry
  - Lego Club -- Thursdays @ 5:30
  - Library Tech Help -- 3rd Thursday of the month @6:00pm -- this month, April 27th!
  - Teen Club -- Tuesday and Wednesday @ 3:30-6, some Saturdays
  - Art and Coffee for Seniors -- Fridays from 12:30- 2
- Contact: (607) 276-6311 | [almondlibrary@gmail.com](mailto:almondlibrary@gmail.com) | P.O. Box D, Almond, NY 14804  
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Rochester

Born: March 25, 2014  
Parents: Hilarie Lloyd and David Walker  
Grandparents: Gary and Mary Jane Lloyd



**ALLEGRA HOWARD**  
Washington, DC

Born: June 14, 2013  
Parents: Alexander Howard and Amanda Pustilnik  
Grandparents: Ben and Robin Howard

## ALFRED STATE



Pictured are Alfred State Honors Program students, along with Alfred State Assistant Professor Dr. Rex Olson, first from the left, and Alfred University Emeritus Professor Dr. Robert Heineman, farthest right.

## Honors students discuss ‘First 60 Days’

ALFRED—The Alfred State Honors Program partnered with the college’s Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences recently to host “President Donald Trump: The First 60 Days,” a conversation with Dr. Robert Heineman, emeritus professor at Alfred University, and Dr. Rex Olson, assistant professor at Alfred State.

Last fall, these same professors presented a discussion on candidates Trump and Hillary Clinton

one week before the election, when many predicted a win for Clinton. The recent seminar focused on Trump’s surprise victory and his use of executive orders, including the controversial immigration orders.

An energized audience of students kept both Heineman and Olson busy commenting on the president’s actions thus far and hypothesizing on his future actions.

## DALAHAST COFFEE ROASTING COMPANY

## AU alums now partners, in-laws

ALFRED—Alfred University alumnae Kaitlyn Bentley Whalen ’12 and Kristen Kovatch Bentley ’10 brew a fine cup of coffee.

The two were friends as AU students and members of the University’s equestrian team; now they’re in business together, with Whalen having purchased the Dalahast Roasting Company and adding its coffee beans to the products offered by Peterson Farm, in Jamestown, which she runs along with her grandfather, Allen Peterson, who started the farm more than 50 years ago.

Bentley, currently the editor of the magazine Horse Nation, is

helping out with promotions. The two also share another connection: Kaitlyn introduced her brother Erik to Kristen, and the two married. Kaitlyn herself is married to AU alumnus Scott Whalen ’12.

Kaitlyn and Kristen visited Alfred University’s Powell Campus Center Wednesday, April 5 and set up a Dalahast coffee shop on the third floor. Students, faculty and staff stopped by to sample the two roasts – both are nicely balanced brews – and filled out questionnaires that the two entrepreneurs will use for future developments.

Kaitlyn said the coffee beans are available in both whole and ground form through Peterson Farm, which also offers a range of Scandinavian food products.

“Dalahast” is Scandinavian, she noted, for Dala Horse, or Dalecarlian Horse – the brightly painted wooden horse statue that adults carved for their children in the Swedish province Dalarna.

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We, who live in Allegany County, need not worry about the rising ocean at 1500 to 2300 feet above sea level. We are “safe.” From water anyway! As populations shift, we will gain many migrants – refugees from the lowlands.

Why is the sea rising or not. There are three reasons, two related to global warming.

First: Some coasts around the world (N.W. British Columbia and S.W. Alaska) are still rebounding from the weight removal of the last ice age. They are rising.

Second: As the oceans warm, their volume expands, therefore the seas rise. The coast of Hawaii has seen a two foot rise over the last 100 years – some due to the land subsiding and some due to warmer water.



Map of the Earth with a six-meter sea level rise represented in red (uniform distribution, actual sea level rise will vary regionally).

Third: As glaciers and ice fields melt, the water pours into the oceans and they rise (think Greenland and Antarctica).

So what? Why is this seen as a problem? Close to 20% of the world’s population live BELOW 10 feet above sea level. Many of our major cities are built there. Remember what happened to lower Manhattan during Hurricane Sandy? A good chunk of Florida will disappear as the oceans rise.

Any casual read of history reminds use: times of natural disasters lead to disruptions and turmoil. If we do nothing about global warming, can we manage the results? I do believe technology and science can solve many problems, BUT at what cost? The longer I live, the more important the BUTS become. Are we willing to turn all our low lying cities into the “New Hollands,” of the world? Once again at what cost? I have no cheery end to this article – but do consider what each one of us can do individually to help lower greenhouse gases. Next time we will have an exciting look at Hurricanes!!!

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**ZOE and ELLIOTT MOYNIHAN**  
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Elliott Born: July 1, 2013  
Parents: Timothy and Kelly Moynihan  
Grandparents: Walter and Cheryl Czworka



**ABIGAIL and WILLIAM McKENNA**  
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William Born: Dec. 13, 2016  
Parents: Ryan and Amy McKenna  
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## AU VISITING PROF PERFORMS IN BUFFALO

# Daisy Wu lectures on 'Sound of China' for Buffalo group

ALFRED-Zhongbei (Daisy) Wu, visiting associate professor of music in the Division of Performing Arts in Alfred University, presented a lecture entitled "Sound of China" for the Twentieth Century Club in Buffalo, April 5.

Over 100 club members attended the lecture, which included performance by Wu on the Guzheng, a traditional Chinese musical instrument, along with information the history and development of Chinese music.

Jean M. Jain, the music committee chair for the Twentieth Century Club, acclaimed Wu's performance and presentation as "very informative and educational about this unique instrument and its history." In her letter of thanks to Wu, she wrote, "I know that the majority of our audience has never seen nor heard this instrument. This was a unique opportunity for all of us to learn more about the music and culture of China."

As one of the oldest clubs for

women in the United States, the Twentieth Century Club presents weekly morning lectures on topics ranging from art, public affairs, music, literature, and gardening to Lenten Themes. The guest speakers have included foreign dignitaries, literary figures, scientists, artists, clerics, government officials and a NASA astronaut. Distinguished guests include President Theodore Roosevelt, President William H. Taft, and Dr. Herbert A Hauptman, winner of a Nobel Prize in Chemistry.

Wu is also the associate director of Confucius Institute at Alfred University (CIAU), which dedicates to promoting the study of Chinese language, culture, ethics, and philosophy, and furthers the understanding of China today. CIAU has offered Guzheng courses taught by Professor Daisy Wu at Alfred University since 2011. More than 100 Alfred University students have studied the traditional Chinese musical instrument.



**ZHONGBEI (DAISY) WU** performs for the Twentieth Century Club in Buffalo.

## AT ALFRED STATE

# Wight, Snyder awarded scholarships

ALFRED—Two Allegany County residents have each been awarded scholarships to attend Alfred State.

Sydney Wight of Wellsville was awarded \$4,000 for the "Phi Theta Kappa External Transfer Scholarship." Wight graduated from Scio Central School in 2015 and intends to enroll in the human services management (BS) program.

Joseph Snyder of Alfred Sta-

tion was awarded \$2,000 for the "Academic Distinction Scholarship." Snyder, a home schooled student, intends to enroll in the machine tool technology (AOS) program.

The "Phi Theta Kappa External Transfer Scholarship" is awarded to transfer students who are members in good standing of Phi Theta Kappa and are entering a baccalaureate degree program.

The "Academic Distinction Scholarship" is awarded to first-time freshmen students who possess an 87 or better cumulative high school average through the end of their junior year and who have achieved an 1140 combined reading/writing and math new SAT (1070 combined critical reading and math old SAT) or 23 composite ACT score.

Fully accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools, Alfred State offers some 49 associate degree programs, 24 baccalaureate degree programs, and two certificate programs.

## AU teaming up to hold 5k Color Run

Alfred University will team up with Cattaraugus Community Action's Victim Services Division for a 5k Color Run/Walk on April 29. The event will begin and end at the Alfred Bandstand, with registration set for 9 a.m. The race will start at 10 a.m. with the course covering three miles. Registration is \$5 for students (K through college) and \$15 for community members. Proceeds will go to Cattaraugus Community Action's Victim Services Division. For more information or to pre-register, visit: <https://commerce.cashnet.....> Pre-April 12 registrants are guaranteed a T-shirt!



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Grandparents: Cindy and Steve Rudolph  
Great Uncle and Aunt: Keith and Donna Rogers



**LEVI WILDER CLINE**  
Rochester, New York  
Born: January 10, 2017  
Parents: Justin and Sarah Beth (Mix) Cline  
Grandparents: Craig and Diane Mix; Ron and Jeanette Norman  
Great Grandmothers: Helen Butler and Kay Chapman



**RUBY and ZANDER**  
Anchorage, Alaska  
Ruby Born: May 5, 2009  
Zander Born: March 23, 2012  
Parents: Gailyn Taylor and Brooke Berens  
Grandparents: Lynn and Jenifer Taylor

SCHOOL OF ART AND DESIGN

# AU’s new 3,900-square-foot kiln building dedicated

ALFRED-Alfred University’s School of Art and Design formally dedicated its new 3,900-square-foot kiln building in a celebration Thursday outside Harder Hall.

Presiding over the ceremony, Gerar Edizel, interim dean of the School of Art and Design, noted the new building replaces a decades-old facility that evolved from a simple wooden building

constructed in the early 1970s. A photograph of the original kiln showed a structure that looked more like a backyard shed than a modern kiln facility. Edizel singled out Alfred University Kiln Specialist Freddy Fredrickson – “legendary kiln builder Freddy Fredrickson” -- as an advocate through the years for an improved kiln building.

Fredrickson was given the honor of cutting the ribbon on the new facility (see accompanying photo) flanked by Alfred University Trustee Tom Hinman ’79; Professor Alastair Cormack, interim dean, Inamori School of Engineering; Edizel; and Ceramic Art Professor Linda Sikora and John Gill.

The new facility, constructed in post-and-beam style, shows off the warm reddish hues of Douglas Fir timber shipped to Alfred from Tennessee. The building design allows for the easy flow of air, a critical issue given the chemical reactions taking place within each kiln, while also providing necessary protection from the elements. There are currently four gas-fired kilns in the building and one wood-fired kiln. An additional kiln will be added in the fall, constructed

by Alfred University students studying kiln design in the School of Art and Design and supervised by Shawn Murrey, a kiln specialist in SOAD.

Edizel noted the new facility was built with funds from the State University of New York Construction Fund and expressed amazement at “the distance we have traveled” since the original kiln building was erected in the 1970’s. He said at

least seven more kilns will be added to the news facility, one by one, over the next several years.

Joining him at the dedication ceremony were Fredrickson; Alfred University Trustee Tom Hinman ’79; Professor Alastair Cormack, interim dean of the Inamori School of Engineering; and Professor of Ceramic Art Linda Sikora.



**AU Kiln Specialist David “Freddy” Fredrickson cuts the ribbon at the new kiln building dedication.**

## ‘Should not be pessimistic,’ women’s rights activist says

ALFRED-“I don’t think we should be pessimistic,” renowned women’s and human rights activist Charlotte Bunch said this week, as she delivered the 2017 Riley Lecture in Alfred University’s Nevins Theater.

Bunch, founding director and a senior scholar at the Center for Women’s Global Leadership at Rutgers University, reviewed 50 years of local, national and international feminist activism in her speech, beginning with her years as an undergraduate at Duke University. She has been a key participant in the effort to have women’s rights recognized internationally as human rights and continues to advocate for that “intersectional feminism.”

Bunch noted the times do not appear auspicious for further advancement. The United States recently announced it would cut by 50 percent its funding of the UN Population Fund, which supports UN efforts to improve women’s reproductive health internationally. And yet, she said, the past 20 years have seen steady growth in the international recognition that violent victimization occurs not only in public but in private, family-dominated spheres. This advance, she said “is transforming many women around the world.”

In January, she added, that gradual transformation was seen in the hundreds of women’s rights demonstrations organized in countries around the world.

All that activity, she said, “stems from the vision of women’s rights as human rights.”

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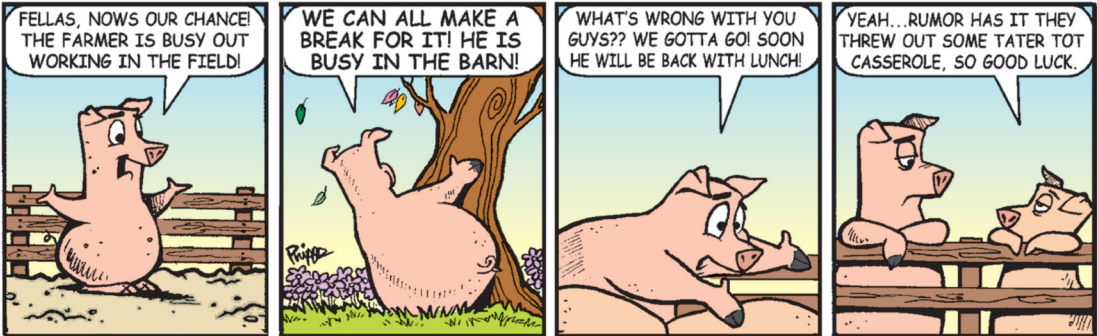
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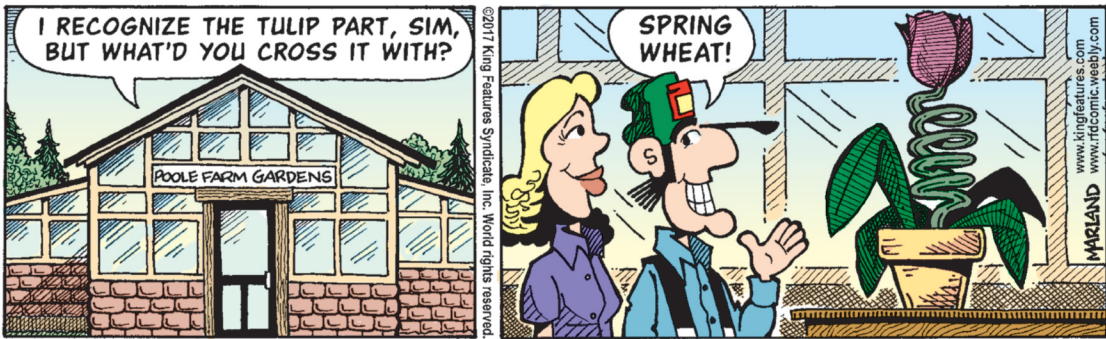
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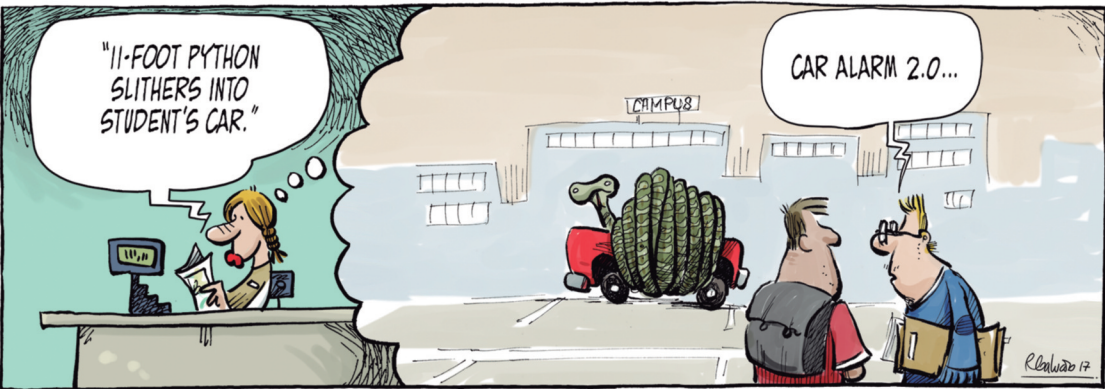
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- 5 Tackle the slopes
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- 13 Moray, for one
- 14 Helper
- 15 Chris Matthews' show
- 17 Shakespearean king
- 18 "Delicious!"
- 19 Rock band's need
- 20 Vertical
- 21 Saute
- 22 Peter Pan rival
- 23 Stereo setups
- 26 Resident
- 30 Lotion additive
- 31 Spicy
- 32 Green land
- 33 Kadiddle-hopper
- 35 Aquatic plant life
- 36 Female deer
- 37 Bouquets-to-order co.
- 38 High
- 41 Sticky stuff
- 42 Tier
- 45 Culture medium
- 46 Concealed trigger
- 48 Sandwich

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  - Admitting customers
  - Kennel
  - squeal
  - Choose
  - Sunrise direction
  - weather
  - 8 Diamond location
  - 9 Stead
  - 10 First man
  - 11 KFC flavorer
  - 16 Taverns
  - 20 Cushion insert
  - 21 Educational visit
  - 22 Lustrous black
  - 23 Owns
  - 24 Sort
  - 25 Enemy
  - 26 Put on
  - 27 Sharp turn
  - 28 Historic period
  - 29 Born
  - 31 Weeding tool
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  - 35 On
  - 37 Palm off (on)
  - 38 "— and the Tramp"
  - 39 Curved molding
  - 40 Respond to gravity
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**Allegany County Bird Club.** Meetings held at the First Congregational/Christian Temple Church, 289 N. Main Street, Wellsville, unless otherwise stated, at 7 p.m. on the first Friday of each month; speakers begin at 7:15 p.m. The club will NOT meet during the months of January and February 2017.

**Baker's Bridge Historical Association.** Meets 7:30 pm, third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. All programs free and open to the public. Jan. 16-Jim Ninos, "History of Cheese in the Alfred Area"; Feb. 20-John E. Ninos, "History of the Alfred Lions Club"; March 20-Blake Mayo, "Stair Climbing Challenge"; April 17-Abolitionism in Allegany County; May/June-Field Trip, TBA. Website: [www.bakersbridge.org](http://www.bakersbridge.org). For more information, contact President Jim Ninos, 607-587-9018, [jninos@gmail.com](mailto:jninos@gmail.com). For a tour of the building contact our Collections Manager, Laurie McFadden (607-382-7276, [mcfadden@alfred.edu](mailto:mcfadden@alfred.edu)).

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**Maple City Garden Club.** Monthly potluck lunch second Wednesday at Sawyer St. Court, Hornell (unless otherwise noted) at 12 noon. Program TBA: For info, call Zoë Coombs at 587-8031.

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Senior Movie Matinee: "The Sunshine Boys" (1974) Rated PG, Tues., April 25 from 2:00-4:00 pm

Monday Matinee: "Minions" (2015) Rated PG, Mon., May 8 from 3:30- 5:30 pm  
Senior Movie Matinee: "The Trouble with the Curve" (2012) PG-13, Tues., May 23, 2:00- 4:00 pm  
Monday Matinee: "Ed" (1996) (PG), Monday, June 12, 3:30-5:30 pm  
Family Movie: "Race for Your Life, Charlie Brown" (1977) Rated G, Saturday, June 17 10:30 a.m.  
Senior Movie Matinee: "Dr. No" (1962) Rated PG, Tuesday, June 27 from 2 to 4 p.m.  
Monday Matinee: "The Lego Movie" (2014) PG Monday, July 10 3:30-5:30 pm  
Family Movie: "Surf's Up 2: Wave Mania" (2017) Rated PG, Saturday, July 15 from 10:30 a.m.-12 noon.  
Senior Movie Matinee: "It Could Happen To You," (1994), Rated PG, Tuesday, July 25 from 2 to 4 p.m.

## Fun-n-Games

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**Str8 Eight Card Game Tournament** at 8 pm (unless otherwise

noted) on the 8s at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, Main St., Alfred. The next tournament will be held at 8 p.m. Monday, May 8. You get the idea. To learn more about the card game invented in Alfred, NY, visit: [www.str8-eight.com](http://www.str8-eight.com)



## Special Events

**Allegany County Office for the Aging 2017 Senior Forum:** Thursday, April 13 at Genesee Valley Central School, Belmont. \$5.00 per person (no charge for the public hearing). Includes lunch. Registration 8:30-9:00 a.m.; Public Hearing 9:00-10:00 a.m.; Break Out Session #1 10:15-11:15 a.m.; Break out Session #2 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; Lunch 12:30 p.m. Sessions include: "Our Amish Neighbors" with Craig Braack, "Chair Yoga and Mindfulness" with Staci Curry, "Scam Prevention" with Emily Brightman, "Dentistry for Seniors" with David Doherty, D.D.S., "Consumer Protection" with Steven Dahlberg and Nicole Parshall, and the Jones Memorial Hospital Wellness Fair. Reservations required! Call Office for the Aging at 585-268-9390.

**Peaceweavers,** a regional non-profit organization with a global outlook, centered around the cultivation of personal and planetary peace, will hold a Community Drum and Song Circle at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 29 at a site to be determined in the Village of Alfred. The circle will be followed by a Community Talking Stick Circle. For more info about the Peaceweavers, see [peaceweavers.org](http://peaceweavers.org). For more info about this event or to volunteer, call 607-382-2710.

**Solar Eclipse 2017:** On August 21, 2017, there will be a total eclipse of the Sun visible across a long, narrow strip of the US. AU will be leading a trip to Missouri to see

it. The next eclipse visible in the US will be in 2024. There are two ways you can be part of this trip:

1. ASTR 200- Eclipse 2017 is an A block, intro-level course for 2 credit hours that begins with the eclipse. It carries lab credit. (F-I, F1) Students registered for that course will have a big part of the expense for the trip subsidized by the University. (we estimate your cost at under \$200).

2. Alums, faculty, students and friends of the University can attend as "full-pays", with an estimated cost of about \$500. Less if we fill the bus. For more information contact Dave Toot tootgd@alfred.edu or see Stull Observatory at Alfred University Facebook page

## Support Groups

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

**Al-Anon.** 7pm Thursdays and Sundays at the United Presbyterian Church, 150 Main Street, Hornell. Use the side entrance

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

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

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

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

**Diabetes Support Group.** Meets fourth Thursday of the month from 6:30-8 p.m. in the Memorial Conference Room, ground floor just off the cafeteria at St. James Mercy

Hospital. For more info, contact Bonnie at 607-324-8900.

**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.

## Etcetera

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

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

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

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

## Deadline

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

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

## WHAT'S COOKIN'?

**Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu Monday, April 17**

Peaches, Roast Turkey w/Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Whole Wheat Roll, Fruited Jell-O. Diabetic-Jell-O.

**Tuesday, April 18**

Orange Juice, Macaroni Salad, Grilled Hamburger On Bun/Ketchup, Baked Beans, Corn, Cheesecake, Diabetic-Cheesecake.

**Wednesday, April 19**

Coleslaw, Chili w/Beans, Spinach, Corn Bread, Applesauce Cake, Diabetic-Fruit Cocktail. \*Birthday Cake @ Whitesville Center.

**Thursday, April 20**

Broccoli Salad, Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy, Squash, Whole Wheat Roll, Chocolate Chip Cookie. Diabetic-Orange. \*Birthday Cake @ Centers.

**Friday, April 21**

Applesauce, Taco Salad, Mexican Corn, Rye Bread, Peaches. Diabetic-Peaches.

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

**ALFRED NUTRITION SITE**

Union University Church Center, 12 noon  
Call Debbie Pierson at 607-793-0118.  
**Monday**—10:30-11:30 Exercises w/ Mary Lou Maxon, Lunch at 12 noon. "Celebrating National Bicycle Day with Guest Peter Stull-The Bicycle Man."  
**Wednesday**—10:30-11:30 Exercises w/ Mary Lou Maxon. Lunch at 12 noon. "Cheeseballs-Two Very Different Foods."

**Thursday**—Lunch at 12 noon. "Banana Day." Lynn Oyer, Issues & Answers. Alzheimer's Caregiver Partnership.

**BELMONT NUTRITION SITE**

American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.  
Call Eileen Kane at 585-808-1472  
**Tuesday**—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Picture Day."  
**Thursday**—Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Jelly Bean Day." Jaime Sarvis-"Spring into a Healthy Lifestyle."

**BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE**

Fire Hall 12 noon  
Call Carrie Simon at 585-808-5640  
**Monday**—10:30 Growing Stronger Exercises, Lunch at 12 noon.  
**Wednesday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon.  
**Thursday**—Lunch at 12 noon. Chris

O'Connor, Issues & Answers.

**CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE**

Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon  
Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301.  
**Tuesday**—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. "Bingo." Cards/Games at 1 p.m. Tracy DuBois, Issues & Answers.  
**Thursday**—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., "Obsolete Stuff." Cards/Games at 1 p.m.

**CUBA NUTRITION SITE**

AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon  
Call Judy Enders at 585 808-5201  
**Monday**—10:30 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises, Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "Words with 'AT' in Them."  
**Tuesday**—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "Two-Word Phrases."  
**Wednesday**—10:30 Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Current Events." Blood Pressure Clinic.  
**Thursday**—10:30 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises, Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at 12 noon. "Just Saying."

**FILLMORE NUTRITION SITE**

Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon  
Call Maggie Smith at 585-737-5609  
**Monday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.  
**Thursday**—Growing Stronger 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**—10:45 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Cards at 1 p.m. Madeleine Gasdik, Issues & Answers.  
**Thursday**—10:45 a.m. Growing Stronger Exercises. Lunch at 12 noon. Crafts at 1 p.m.

**WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE**

YMCA, Riverwalk Plaza, 12 noon  
Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.  
**Monday**—Stretch at 9 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Euchre at 1:00 p.m.  
**Wednesday**—Games at 10 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Euchre at 1 p.m.  
**Thursday**—Stretch at 9 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Canasta at 1 p.m. Blood Pressure Clinic.  
**Friday**—Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Pinochle at 12:30, Euchre at 1 p.m.

**WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE**

Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon  
Call Linda Haggerty at 585-296-3800.  
**Monday**—Growing Stronger Exercises at 10:45 a.m. Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at 12 noon. "Two-Word Phrases."  
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The DIY Farmer's Wife Approach

By KRISTINA SNYDER  
Alfred Sun Columnist

## DIY Challah Easter Bread

Baking bread is one of my favorite things to do in the kitchen. Challah Easter bread is my traditional contribution to our family gatherings. In Jewish custom challah bread is prayed over especially during the "kneading" process. It is a time to pray for your family and loved ones. During the lent season it is custom for my Italian family to put a colored egg at the end of the challah braid.

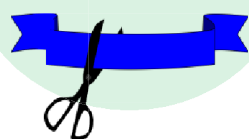
Here's what you'll need:

1/2 cup warm water 1/2 T. active dry yeast  
1/2 T. salt 1 egg lightly beaten  
2 T. honey 2 T. unsalted butter, melted  
1 3/4 cups flour 1 hard-boiled Easter egg

Proof yeast in warm water. Slowly add ingredients to a large bowl one at a time, stirring with wooden spoon. Turn dough out onto floured surface and knead for 8-10 minutes until smooth and elastic. Cover with damp muslin and let rise until doubled in size. Separate into three sections and braid placing Easter egg in the last loop of the braid. (For more traditional challah braiding check out YOUTUBE.) Cover and let rise 80 minutes. Preheat oven to 425 and bake until brown, around 40minutes.

If you have a household tip to share or questions for The Farmer's Wife, e-mail: [Kristinamariesnyder@gmail.com](mailto:Kristinamariesnyder@gmail.com) or write her at: The Farmer's Wife, 1724 Randolph Road, Alfred Station, NY 14803.

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Sun.-Mon. 1:30, 4:30, 7:30  
Tues. 12:45, 3:15, 5:45, 8:30  
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Fri.-Sat. 12:30, 3:00, 6:15, 8:30  
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Tues. 12:30, 3:00, 6:15, 8:30  
Wed. 1:15, 7:15  
Thurs. 1:15, 4:15, 7:15

April 14-April 20  
**The Fate of the Furious** (PG-13)  
Fri.-Sat. 11:45, 2:45, 6:00, 9:15  
Sun.-Mon. 1:00, 4:00, 7:00  
Tues. 11:45, 2:45, 6:00, 9:00  
Wed. 1:00, 7:00  
Thurs. 1:00, 4:00, 7:00

**Tuesday Bargain Day:** Movies all day and evening \$6.00 plus FREE small popcorn with fountain drink purchase.



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

Compiled By DAVID L. SNYDER

*Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher*

**50 Years Ago, April 13, 1967**

**William McAlee, head coach** of freshman football at Alfred University, has resigned to become head coach of football at Elk County Christian High School in St. Mary's Pa. A native of Johnsonburg, Pa., where he played his high school football, McAlee played four years of varsity football at Alfred University. He was a member of the undefeated Saxon teams of 1955-56 and later captained the Alfred teams for two seasons. He has been coach of Alfred freshman football for five years. Two of his teams were undefeated. His overall record is 13-6-1. McAlee also has coached wrestling at Alfred-Almond Central School. During the last season, his A-A boys won the Allegany County High School championship. At the Pennsylvania Catholic High School, McAlee will be taking over at a school where they have operated football only three years. One of the three was on a junior varsity level. McAlee is married and has four daughters—Becky 8, Betsy 6, Kelley 3 and Kate 2.

**The annual banquet** of the Alfred and Almond Alumni Association will be held June 17 at the Beacon Inn, it has been announced by alumni officials... The next meeting of the alumni committee will be held May 11 to address envelopes for the reservation letters. President Dale Lorow noted that the address list is still incomplete. He urged persons not receiving a letter to contact Mrs. Jean Palmiter in Alfred Station.

**An Almond area boy** died at Strong Memorial Hospital in Rochester last Saturday evening as the result of injuries received when he was struck by a car near his home on the Almond-Alfred Station Road, Saturday afternoon. Charles Jefferds, 12, RD 1, Almond, was hit as he ran from the east side of Route 21, by a car driven by Gary L. Jamison, 25, of Horseheads. The accident happened just south of Alfred-Almond Central School... Charles is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Jefferds; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo McAndrews of Andover and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jefferds of Alfred Station; a sister, Stephanie and two brothers, Robert and David, all at home...

**Alfredians**—Stevens Garage at Alfred Station will be open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. starting April 17... Mr. and Mrs. Harold Snyder and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Randall Atken and family at Foster Brook, Pa., Sunday... Mrs. Hartwell Eason has returned to her home at Apalachin after spending the weekend with her sister, Mrs. N.F. Tucker. She was called here by the illness of her mother, Mrs. E.F. Pierce, who is a medical patient at Bethesda Hospital... James J. Sicker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Sicker of Alfred, has been accepted into the theatre program of the Summer Center of Communicative Arts of the Ohio State University... Dr. and Mrs. S.R. Scholes Jr., and Dr. and Mrs. J.B. Scholes of Ithaca were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. S.R. Scholes, Sunday, April 9, celebrating the 53rd wedding anniversary of their parents...

**Miss Joyce Ann Austin**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Austin of Alfred Station, became the bride of Duane Leo Farnum of Angelica, Saturday afternoon in the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church. Mr. Far-

num is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Farnum of Angelica. The Rev. Rex E. Zwiebel of Alfred Station performed the double ring ceremony...

**Alfred's Bird Count:** American bittern, horned grebe, great blue heron, whistling swan, mallard, American widgeon, wood duck, redhead, ring-necked duck, canvasback, scaup, bufflehead, oldsquaw, red-breasted merganser, red-tailed hawk, ruffed grouse, Virginia rail, killdeer, woodcock, herring gull, ring-billed gull, Bonaparte's gull, rock dove, mourning dove, kingfisher, flicker, hairy and downy woodpeckers, horned lark, blue jay, crow, chickadee, cedar waxwing, white-breasted nuthatch, robin, golden-crowned kinglet, ruby-crowned kinglet, starling, house sparrow, meadowlark, red-winged black bird, grackle, cowbird, cardinal, purple finch, goldfinch, tow-hee, junco, field sparrow, fox sparrow, vesper sparrow, swamp sparrow and song sparrow.

**Steve Smith, an** Alfred-Almond Central School freshman won the Western New York Junior Olympics wrestling title in the 75-pound class last weekend at Buffalo. Smith defeated three opponents in his climb to the top after winning his weight class two weeks ago in this section. The sectional eliminations were held at Portville.

**25 Years Ago, April 9, 1992**

**Alfred University President** Edward G. Coll Jr., today announced a \$2 million gift from Trustee Marlin Miller, Jr., will make it possible for the University to build a 31,000 square foot performing arts center. "Alfred University's administration and trustees have long cherished a dream of creating a performing arts center, not only for our faculty and students, but also our neighbors in the Southern Tier," said President Coll...

**The laying of the first stone** in the foundation of what will be Alfred State College of Technology's "twin" in El Salvador has taken place. That's the word from Professor Robert Sands of Wellsville, director of the newborn Instituto Tecnológico Centro Americano—the college of technology "ITCA" and veteran Alfred State educator...

**Thomas Meacham, son** of Dr. and Mrs. John Meacham of Alfred, has been selected to spend the first semester of his junior year studying at the Lee Strasberg Institute in London, England. As a result of his recent audition at the New England Theatre Conference, he was one of 12 students chosen for an apprenticeship at the Dorset Theatre, Dorset, Vt. Meacham is presently a sophomore majoring in drama at Tisch School of the Arts, New York University.

**Daniel Schwert, a** sophomore majoring in chemistry, of Alfred, has been named to the dean's list for the winter quarter of this academic year at Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology. The son of Dr. and Mrs. David Schwert of Alfred, Daniel was among 409 undergraduate students who earned at least a 3.3 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale).

**The extreme and** pronounced diversity of issues between upstate and downstate New York has hampered effective representation hampered effective representation of all citizens, says Assemblyman John W. Hasper (R-Belfast), who has introduced a legislative resolution to create the new state of West New York...

**Peter Donald Jones, 35,** of Happy Valley Road, Verona, died of leukemia Wednesday, April 1 at Crouse Irving Memorial Hospital in Syracuse. A native of Alfred, he had lived in Verona for 15 years. He was a partner with his father and brothers in the operation of Towpath Farms in Verona. A graduate of Archbishop Walsh High School in Olean, he had attended Alfred-Almond Central School. He earned an associate's degree from State University of New York at Morrisville... Surviving are his parents, Donald and Johanna Jones of Verona; two brothers, Michael and John, both of Verona; three sisters, Deborah Milne of Manlius and Mary Van Lieshout and Rebecca Van Lieshout, both of Verona; and several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins...

**Percy A. McIntosh** was honored recently by the Almond Union of Churches for eighty (80) years of continuous membership. Also honored were 36 others who have been members of the church for 50 years or more. Each was given a flower to mark the occasion by the pastor, Rev. Benjamin Keene. In addition, Mr. McIntosh was given a certificate and boutonniere. Mr. McIntosh joined the then Almond Presbyterian Church on March 31, 1912 when he was 10 years old. He continued to be a member as the Presbyterian Church united with Almond Baptists to form the Union of Churches in 1924. He has served as an elder and on various boards of the church during the many years of his membership. Of note is his faithful participation and attendance all these

years until recent poor health intervened...

**Sunbeams**—Becky Butts Prophet of Decatur, GA has been appointed chairman of the Division of Performing Arts at Alfred University. A native of Alfred, she is the daughter of Stan and Lydia Butts and is a 1970 graduate of Alfred University. She'll join the faculty this summer... Debi S. Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald A. Ellis of Alfred Station, is the recipient of the Fannie McEwen Schaller First Scholarship for the 1991-92 academic year at Alfred University. Debi is a senior criminal justice studies major in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at Alfred... Corrie Burdick, daughter of Vernon and Sharon Burdick of Alfred, was critically injured Sunday, April 5 when she was struck and run over by a car while roller-blading. At press time, she was in intensive care at Broward General Hospital in Fort Lauderdale, FL where he is being treated for two broken legs, two broken collar bones and severe burns... Rachel Chroniger, Jeff Dailey, Kelly Dailey and Bruce White Jr. were baptized during the morning worship service Sabbath, March 7 at the Alfred Station S.D.B. Church...

**Notes from Palmiter Hill** (By Rev. Albert N. Rogers) Jane West called from Florida to comment on our mentioning in this column the old telephone "central" located in what is now the Union University Church Center. She recalls with pleasure those days and sends her regards to her friends and all who remember her husband Dick... "Winnie the Pooh" was one of our children's favorite story books. The worn volume is now serving one of our great-granddaughters... Thanks to our lawyer friend the annual IRS return has been filed with a small contribution to the government. To hear the presidential candidates talk, one might think the entire country will rise or fall by their efforts...

**10 Years Ago, April 12, 2007**

**(Photo) Krispy Kreme**-Tim and Luan Ellis, donned in Krispy Kreme hats, reading the Alfred Sun while Ron and Luan Ellis of Alfred Station were visiting family in San Antonio, TX.

**Dr. William C. LaCourse**, professor of glass science in the School of Engineering, as well as associate provost for statutory affairs for Alfred University, will be awarded the George W. Morey Award by the Glass and Optical Materials Division of the American Ceramic Society during its May 20-23 meeting in Rochester...

**Frederick Elwood Cornelius, 87,** of 5823 East Valley Road, Alfred Station, passed away Friday, April 6, 2007 at Jones Memorial Hospital in Wellsville. Born in Alfred Station May 12, 1919, the son of Elmer and Cecil (Beneway) Cornelius, he resided in Alfred Station all his life. Elwood had been employed as a mechanic at the former Ernie Button's Studebaker Garage in Alfred, owned and operated an Atlantic Service Station in Alfred and retired as custodial supervisor at Alfred University...

**Sunbeams**-John Quincy Adams wore mutton chops. Mutton chops, you ask? Mutton chops, great big sideburns not associated with moustache or beard / goatee, are making a comeback this year. Why? Because they're funny, and we all need a good laugh... Dr. Andrew Call is organizing a group of people to walk / ride in the Hot Dog Day Parade on April 21st, under the moniker of the "Mutton Chop Syndicate." Join in - the more the merrier!... Word has been received that SFC J. Paul Weaver and his family will be transferring from the Joint Readiness Training Center at Fort Polk, LA, to Fort Drum, NY. He will then be deploying to Iraq in August. He is the son of Scott and Marion Weaver of Alfred... Alfred University Professor of English Dr. Benjamin W. Howard has had work published recently in many publications. His essay "Audacious Island," as well as two of his reviews, will appear in the Summer 2007 issue of Sewanee Review... Dr. Ezra Shales, assistant professor of art history and theory at Alfred University, received a \$10,000 grant from The Craft Research Fund to support research on John Cotton Dana's (1856-1929) pioneering exhibitions in terms of craft... Rebecca H. Weaver, daughter of Scott and Marion Weaver of Alfred, will attend the Eastman School of Music to pursue her DMA in Voice Performance and Literature this year.

**The Moller Pipe Organ** that belongs to the community of Alfred, situated in the First Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church, was dedicated to Sara Burdick Rosebush on Monday, June 9, 1930 in a recital given by Lavahn Maesch, A.A.G.O. of the Lawrence Conservatory of Music of Appleton, Wisconsin... The back of the program was set aside for describing the specification of the new organ: 10 stops on the great organ, 13 stops on the swell organ, 9 stops for the choir organ and 7 stops for the pedal organ. Mr. Maesch's program was meant to show off all the pipes and their capabilities...



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ALFRED-ALMOND BIBLE CHURCH

Bible Church plans Easter Week events

ALMOND—The public is invited to Easter Week events at the Alfred-Almond Bible Church, starting on Thursday evening for Maundy Thursday Communion Service at 7 p.m. Caden Prince, son of Pastor John Prince and AABC Intern, will conduct the service.

On Saturday, April 15, AABC will host a Family Easter Party

complete with an Easter Egg Hunt, put on by Ken and Felicia Shutt, beginning at 10 a.m. All families are welcome! There will be snacks, crafts, and other fun activities. The Egg Hunt will start at 11 a.m. and hundreds of eggs will need to be found! The Egg Hunt is for children 10 years old and under but older children are welcome to enjoy

snacks and the other activities. On Sunday morning a special Sunrise service will commence at 8:30 a.m. to celebrate our risen Savior. Following the service there will be a pancake breakfast open to all attendees and the normal church service will resume at 10:30 a.m. Join us in celebrating Easter Week at AABC!

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21.Public Notices

**FORMATION OF A NEW YORK LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY PURSUANT TO NEW YORK LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY LAW SECTION 203**  
The name of the limited liability company is SHARDA, LLC. The date of filing of the Articles of Organization with the Department of State was March 24, 2017. The county in New York in which the office of the company is located is Allegany. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the company upon whom process may be served, and the Secretary of State shall mail a copy of any process against the company served upon him or her to: 7829 Bishopville Road, Hornell, New York. The business purpose of the company is to engage in any lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be organized under the LLC. 15-6b

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ALFRED-ALMOND CENTRAL SCHOOL ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN to the residents of the Alfred-Almond Central School District that the Annual Budget Presentation will be held at the Alfred-Almond Central School on Tuesday, May 2, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. for the transaction of such business as is authorized by the Education Law. Eligible residents may vote on the 2017-18 school budget, for a candidate for election to fill one (1) vacancy on the Board of Education, on a proposition to purchase one (1) 66-passenger school bus, on a proposition to create and to expend from the Capital Reserve Fund and on a library proposition.

The vote will take place on Tuesday, May 16, 2017, from 1:00-9:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

Nominating petitions must be filed with the District Clerk by 4:00 p.m. on April 17, 2017. Unregistered eligible residents may register from 2-8:00 p.m. on May 2, 2017 at the school where copies of the proposed budget and resolutions will be available during the 14 days prior to the Annual Meeting, at the Office of the Superintendent, between 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. on schooldays. Absentee ballots are available from the District Office. Requests for Absentee Ballots must be made seven (7) days prior to the vote, if by mail, and one (1) day prior to the vote, if in person.

JOANNE DEMETREU District Clerk 15, 16, 18b e-mail legal notices to: alfredsun.news@gmail.com

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THE GLORY OF AMERICA

Thursday, April 13

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ALFRED-ALMOND AREA

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ALFRED UNIVERSITY SPORTS ROUNDUP

# AU softball team sweeps Elmira, faced IC yesterday

ELMIRA—The Alfred University softball team took both ends of an Empire 8 Conference doubleheader with host Elmira College Sunday afternoon, claiming the opener, 10-2 in six innings, and pounding out 16 hits to win the second game, 12-0.

AU (13-7, 5-1 Empire 8) scored in each of the first four innings of the opener to take a commanding seven-run lead after four and scored the eight-run rule win with a run in the sixth. Senior third baseman Liz Thompson (Horseheads) stole five bases, breaking the school single-game record of four and gave her 53 for her career, tying the school record set by Alyson Hampton (2012-15).

In the opener, junior pitcher Kerri Keeler (Jamesville-DeWitt) earned the win to improve to 3-4 on the year, going four innings and allowing two unearned runs on three hits and striking out four. Sophomore Dominique D'Andrea (Waterford, NJ/St. Joseph) pitched two innings of scoreless and hitless relief, striking out one.

In the second game, the Alfred's bats remained hot and the Saxons rode solid pitching by first-year Jessica Wilcox (Forestville/Pine Valley) to complete the sweep.

Alfred was in action Tuesday, April 11, at 3 p.m., when the



## Saxon men throwers compete

ALFRED—The Alfred University men's outdoor track and field throwers competed at Nazareth College Roc City Classic on Sunday.

Senior Gregory Pomarico (Roaring Branch, PA/Liberty) led the Saxons with his eighth place finish in the javelin with a toss of 45.76 meters. Graduate student-athlete Sean Locker '15 competed on the unattached list and finished second overall with a throw of 54.17 meters.

Nicholas Reitz (Fulton/G. Ray Bodley) finished 17th in the shot put. He threw 11.79

meters in the event. Reitz then took 31st in the hammer throw (28.59 meters) and 37th in the discus (26.15 meters).

Tyler Brandes (Wellsville) finished 28th in the disc (29.00 meters), 32nd in the hammer (28.21 meters) and 33rd in the shot (10.24 meters).

Zachary Cody (Ferndale/Liberty) rounded out the throwers on Sunday with a 33rd place in the javelin (31.56 meters), 38th place in the hammer (24.02 meters) and 43rd in the discus (20.30 meters).

Saxons were to play a non-league doubleheader at home against Penn State-Behrend. AU then was scheduled to host Ithaca in a key Empire 8 doubleheader on Wednesday, April 12, at 3 p.m. at Harrington Field. AU and IC were at the top of the Empire 8 standings, both 5-1 in league play.

### AU nearly catches Utica

The Alfred University men's lacrosse team fell to host Utica College Saturday afternoon, 16-15, despite netting three unanswered goals in the final two minutes of regulation.

The Saxons (4-6, 0-4 Empire 8) were led offensively behind senior Derek Bishopp (Livonia) and junior Jake Lynch (Whitney Point) with four goals and one assist apiece while sophomore Joe Fornataro (Rochester/Greece Athena) chipped in with three goals and three assists.

Midway through the second quarter, the Saxons found themselves down 7-6 before Lynch tied the game up with 5:09 remaining in the half. With the momentum on AU's side, sophomore Kyle Landrigan (Canandaigua) found the back of the net with 4:01 remaining in the second to give Alfred the 8-7 advantage going into the half.

The Pioneers came out into the second half, scoring three unanswered goals before Bishop stopped the run to only be down 10-9. Alfred would find themselves down 12-10 going into the forth as Fornataro scored with 1:11 remaining in the third. Utica would grow their lead in the forth as Nick Yelich and Jake Bratek each scored to give Utica the 16-12 lead with 4:03 remaining in regulation. Alfred then went on a run of their

own, scoring three goals in the final 1:47 of game.

The Saxons were led defensively by freshman Garrette Briggs (Horseheads) with six ground balls while senior Chris Deisenroth (Webster Thomas) and freshman Shane Weber (Hull, MA) had five ground balls apiece. Deisenroth and Weber led the team in caused turnovers with three apiece.

Briggs won 15-of-21 face offs for Alfred. Time was split in net between junior Chris Bucciarelli (Horseheads) and junior Drew Gardner (Whitney Point) with Bucciarelli picking up the loss. Bucciarelli made seven saves on 16 shots faced while Gardner made eight saves on 15 shots faced.

The Saxons host Elmira at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 15.

### Utica tops AU women

The Alfred University women's lacrosse team fell to host Utica College, 22-3, Saturday afternoon in Empire 8 play.

The Saxons (2-7, 0-4 Empire 8) were led offensively by junior Miranda Gilbert (Watertown) with two goals, while junior Taylor Miller (Medina) picked up one goal to complete the scoring for Alfred.

Defensively, junior goalie Shannon Gray (Rochester/Churchville-Chili) led AU with five ground balls and four caused turnovers, with senior Dana Ganley (Syracuse/Westhill) picking up four ground balls. Gilbert also finished the contest with three ground balls.

Gray went the distance in net, making 21 saves.

AU was next in action on Wednesday, April 12, as they travel to D'Youville College, with the game time set at 6 p.m.

ALFRED STATE SPORTS ROUNDUP

# Pioneer lacrosse team wins three of four

Ten different Pioneers found the back of the net as Alfred State defeated Medaille 23-7 on Monday evening. The blue & gold have now three of their last four and are 3-1 in AMCC play.

The Pioneers raced out to a 7-0 lead in the 1st quarter and continued the pressure by scoring the first 11 goals in the contest. At half, the blue & gold led 14-

4 and 18-6 at the end of three quarters.

Teddy Alvarado (Hilton) led the way with six goals and an assist while Joe Johnson (Churchville) had four goals and two assists. Tanner Morrow (Grand Island) had a monster game. He recorded his first hat trick, was 29 of 32 in the face-off circle, and picked up 24

ground balls.

Ian Grana (Greece Odyssey) had a hat trick and two goals, Nicolas Covelli (Carmel) had two goals and an assist, AJ Soto (Churchville) had a goal and two assists, Brandon Dickson (Churchville) had two assists, and quartet of Dominic Arresta (Southampton), Landon Drumm (Tully), Stanley Tencza (Warwick), and Kyle Vandewater (Canandaigua) all scored once.

In net, Ryan Amidon (Fayetteville Manlius) made seven saves while Nate Gardner (Newark) made five saves in the final 11:25.

The Pioneers were playing on back-to-back days. The team won a road contest at Franciscan on Sunday, 21-7.


Alfred State has a long break before hosting the USCAA Classic on April 22nd. The Pioneers battle SUNY Canton at 3 p.m. while SUNY Delhi and Dean College clash at 6 p.m.

### Softball team earns split

The Alfred State softball team scored two runs in the bottom of the 7th to rally for a 4-3 victory in their opener of a doubleheader vs. Hilbert on Monday afternoon. The Hawks took the nightcap 16-2.

The Pioneers entered the 7th trailing 3-2. Annie Corrao (Grand Island) led off with a single and came around to score when Zoe Derr (Elmira Heights/Thomas Edison) hit a triple over the left fielder's head. Melissa Barber (Nassau/Catholic Central) hit a RBI groundout that plated Derr and gave the blue & gold the victory.

Alfred State grabbed a 2-0 lead in the 1st when Barber collected a RBI single and Aubri Mosier (Rome, PA) drew a bases loaded walk. The Hawks scored on a RBI groundout by Morgan McNeill in the 3rd, a RBI double by Gabrielle Bongiorno in the 5th, and grabbed the lead with a RBI single by Brittany Cooley in the 6th.



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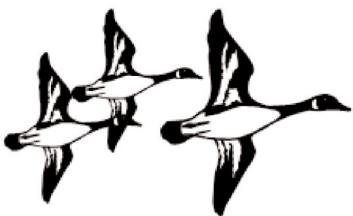
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## For the Birds...

By **BETSY BROOKS**  
Alfred Sun Columnist



After a week of icy winds and snow up on Jericho Hill, it was a welcome change to get a spring-like day for the annual April Bird Census held April 9.

Members of the Allegany County Bird Club, in cooperation with the Buffalo Ornithological Society, have participated in these bird counts for over 50 years. There is a bird count in April, May and October each year, as well as the annual Audubon Christmas Count.

I had put my bird feeders up the morning after returning from Texas, when the cold and snow was so hard on the birds that had returned north too soon. I thought I'd feed the birds for a few days to get them through the cold and snow. Little did I know that 'a few days' would turn into a month!

At one time, I had both American Tree Sparrows (a winter sparrow in Alfred) and Chipping Sparrows (a breeding season sparrow in Alfred) feeding side-by-side on the feeder. I was so happy to see two Fox Sparrows in the yard for the past week ... usually they are one of the winter species I miss seeing because they have already migrated to their breeding grounds in the north when I get back to Alfred in spring.

On Sunday, April 9, the day of the April census, I was able to tally 30 species including two Barred Owls vocalizing off the Wireworm Road, a Hooded Merganser in the pond along the

Waterwells Road, a Red-shouldered Hawk and a Red-breasted Nuthatch calling in the State Re-forestation land along the Brown Road, my first Brown Thrasher of the spring in the back yard, and two Eastern Meadowlark singing in the field behind the house.

This Monday morning, the day after the census, two Tree Swallows were back flying around the nestbox Dick had made which I put up in the field. Last year, a pair came back too soon and I found two dead Tree Swallows frozen together in that nestbox. I think the pair this spring timed their return better.

One day this week, when the weather cooperates, I will be going up to Braddock Bay to help set up the banding station for the spring season, which will begin on Saturday, April 15. Stormy weather along the lakeshore this winter caused considerable damage. Volunteers have already removed two large trees that were victims of the wind earlier this spring.

Of course, Smiley will be going with me for the day and then later he'll come with me for the weekdays I'll be up at Braddock Bay. Pets are not allowed in BBBO's house where the banders and students stay during the season. But a friend has built him a sturdy dog house so he can stay outside in the fenced-in yard. I'm keeping my fingers crossed that he is okay with the new arrangements!



Fox Sparrow that Betsy banded in Alfred several years ago. (Photo by Betsy Brooks)

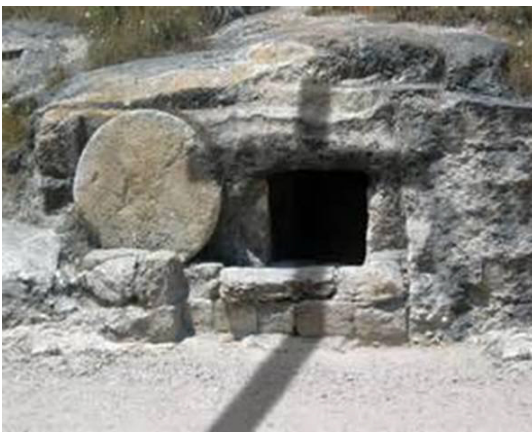
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## Art Walk Friday

ALFRED-Students in Alfred University's School of Art and Design are organizing the 2017 Art Walk for Friday, April 14, from 4 to 7 p.m. While the event is still in the planning stages, it will feature a range of media including painting and photography, according to SOAD student Noelle Pomfrey.

Student organizers for the event—Pomfrey notes the Art Walk is a traditional Alfred University student project—are still collecting submissions.

Additional information for the walk, including maps, were posted in Harder Hall this week. Pomfrey said organizers are hoping to set up three to seven locations in the village, particularly the residential apartments of students exhibiting their work.

"The Art Walk helps to create a sense of community connect-edness, to have a feeling of be-longing and to bring together individuals," Pomfrey said. "Apartments can be a nice change in scenery ... (and) liv-ing room shows are a great way for artists to exhibit their work when show space is limited in a rural area like Alfred."

For additional information on the Art Walk event, contact: al-fredartwalk2017@gmail.com.



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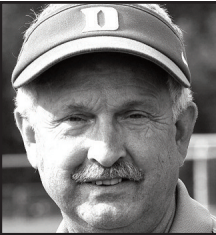




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Helmut and Marie Eckhardt



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Grandparents: David and Beverly Snyder  
Great-Grandfather: Frank Snyder



## The Dugout

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As far as drives home from Florida go, not sure I could've packed in too much more than what I did over a 4-5 day span that took me to North Carolina, Virginia, Maryland and finally home. A brief trip thru Delaware (nice tolls) then onward up I-81 thru Pennsylvania and then to New York.

Left Leesburg, Florida on Wednesday morning (4/5) after a 3+ month stay at my mom's in Molokai Park. Knew I wanted to get up to I-95 but wasn't quite sure of best way from Leesburg. Jim Weisse helped me as he used to live in North Carolina. So, it was up thru smoke-filled Ocala National Forest on the first part of my long drive, as fires galore were "active" in Florida. Not a threat where I was but was certainly a strong smell in the air.

Got thru the "sunshine state" ok and next hit the "peach state" of Georgia. Things are going fine when an alert breaks in on the radio ... tornado alert for the following counties! Awesome. Driving north and have no idea what county or counties I'm currently in. Hoping it is east of me, I push on. Made it thru Georgia and then was bombarded with signs for "South of the Border." No issues in South or North Carolina and made it to Holly Springs, NC. Staying with Mark & Barb Stuckey two nites.

Thursday a.m. Mark, Dave from Penn Yan and I are off to the Duke University golf course for a round where we will meet the once-legendary, Kaz on an extremely windy day. The Duke University Golf Club ... yes! Have the course virtually to ourselves, it is wet from the rain in the early morning, rather demanding but am really enjoying this. Get thru 12-holes and then rain. Yuk. A course designed by Robert Trent Jones and Rees Jones. Rather "nice" pro shop and dining/bar area.



That nite it is off to an NHL game with the Kaz family as the Carolina Hurricanes are playing the New York Islanders. The former Alfred State College coach and I in the front row ... literally, just to the left to the nets. What a view! What a hike down the steps. Yikes! The Islanders score early and often, win 3-0. Patti and daughter Katie Kaznowski there too but sitting in another section. Katie off to a D3 school to play soccer in the fall. Met Tommy Kaznowski at

## THE DUGOUT CONTINUED...

the game. Great time.  
Back to Mark & Barb's after as it is "Kaz Tangent Time." Just amazing and a fun nite. Fun over-all day as Kaz and I talked all the way around the course, well, he talked and I listened. Actually, lots of catching up this day. However .....



After a great breakfast via Mark, off to meet Kaz at Duke University. The Duke store, the Hall of Fame museum and (of course) Cameron Indoor Stadium ... the "shrine of college basketball!" Stunningly, Kaz running late. Did all three, though, and it was great. Tried to hook up with Lexa Vojvadic, a former soccer teammate of Lauren's at Geneseo and now working for Nike, but she had meetings. Yuk-Yuk. Lunch after at Dain's in Durham where a photo of Abby Wambach adorns the wall, holding up a Dain's t-shirt. Time to say good-bye to Kaz, great seeing him again, fun-filled couple of days and off to the Mixer household in Fairfax, Virginia.



Have been to see Mixer and family many times, usually with Lauren, over the years but not of late. Mark & wife Diana celebrating 25 years of marriage with four of their kids around these two days, here and there. Mark, Diana and I off to Buffalo Wild Wings for dinner and watching The Masters highlights. Wings and beer for their anniversary! Travel day and a solid Friday nite.

Mixer and I head to a nearby par 3 course in the morning, more like an Executive course the way the wind is blowing. 210-yard, uphill and into the wind couple of holes. Nice layout. Good time! Lunch after with 3L getting dropped off by college friend, "A" and an excellent meal was enjoyed with Mark-Diana-Abby-Josh-Samantha-Maddy. And please forgive me on the spelling! Next stop is Warrenton, Va. to see the SEAL and his family. Many thanks to Mixer & family!

Before we get to Warrenton this Saturday afternoon, a "must" stop for Lauren at a Wegmans in Gainesville. Her day just about complete with this stop. The Larson family awaits and we arrive to greetings and introductions. Super nice people. Mark & Barb Stuckey arrive shortly after and time for the big announcement, unveiled here, as Jason and daughter Lauren are expecting in September, a baby girl! Off to

the famed Wart Hog Brewery to celebrate that and back for an awesome dinner at Larson's. Whew.

Breakfast in the morning at the Frost Diner in Warrenton, which looks almost like the Prospect Diner that



Lauren and I have been to in Lake George. Great meal, enjoyed by all (except Jason!) Soon it is time to depart, say our good-byes to all, as Lauren and I off to Oriole Park at Camden Yards in Baltimore. Yanks-Orioles, tix via brother Scott, and a crisp but sunny day. Yanks rally, stop the O's as Lauren and I off to Philly from there as she has to catch a bus to NYC. Horrible traffic and just make it as stop is right in middle of Philly. Great! 3L barely makes scheduled bus depart.

Driving out of Philadelphia was "fun" as I'm off to Allentown, Pa. for the nite. Not into six-hours more driving to Webster. Hotel is a dump! Only real blemish on trip. Back to Webster on Monday and it is 81 degrees. Good times, great seeing friends and awesome news with 3L/Jason! **HITS AND MISSES:**

**Sergio Garcia wins** The Masters in OT. Never been a big fan but gotta give him credit. My picks and how they finished: Rory (1/T7), Dustin Johnson (2/DNS), Justin Rose (3/2) Jon Rahm (4/T28) and the biggest surprise was Jordan Spieth (5/T12). Fred Couples a solid T17.

**Called up former** Alfred State College women's basketball coach, Joe Q. French while walking to stadium in Baltimore to see if he was going to game by any chance? "Big Yank" said he couldn't get tix!

**Congrats to Anne Gaisser Holmok** (A-A) as she is the interim ASC track and field coach.

**Brother Mark S. Gaisser** off on a great softball journey already as his Dominos "C" team took fourth in a Columbus, Ohio tourney and later won a tournament in Manassas, Virginia and (guessing) he was MVP!

**Met a guy at the Wart Hog** brewery with a Jack Eichel, Buffalo Sabres jersey on ... much to the chagrin of my daughter, Lauren.

**Former Buffalo Sabres** head coach Lindy Ruff Has now been canned by the Dallas Stars in the NHL.

**Former Buffalo Bills** head coach, Rex Ryan is now going to join ESPN.

**And Tony Romo**, late of the Dallas Cowboys, is off to CBS and the #1 team with Jim Nantz? What happened to Phil Simms?

**The forever-long NBA** playoffs start this weekend and in the beginning of the season, pretty sure I went with: Cleveland over the Celtics in the East and GS Warriors over San Antonio in the West. Champs ... Golden State. No need to change on overall winner but Celts in finals?

**Back in Webster**, ton of things to do this week, but glad I got to do what I did the past 3-4 months and see all the family & friends that I was able to!

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