

## Sarasota, Florida...

Pat Wasson from Alfred Station and Jim Habern from Thatcherville reading the *Alfred Sun* at Pat's home in Sarasota, FL.

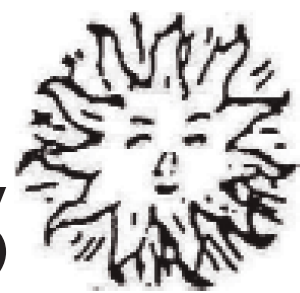


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## Maple Fest this weekend in Andover

ANDOVER—This weekend, April 5 & 6, the 42nd annual Andover Lions Club Maple Festival event will add performances by four bands to the traditional line up of maple products, craft and food vendors and community service activities.

Begun in 1972, the Andover Lions took advantage of the fact that the beautiful maple tree lined streets of their village was a natural sugar bush. A "sugar shack" was set up to boil the spring sap collected in buckets from the trees. Area maple producers were invited to bring their syrup and sugar products to the Andover Central School for a festival that has usually been held on the first weekend of April or last weekend of March.

For the 2014 Maple Festival, which will be held April 5 & 6, four musical performances have been scheduled. Lions Club president Steve Walker states, "Early festivals featured more live entertainment and performances, something we have drifted away from. This year we are giving our guests more to choose from with four musical groups performing in the school auditorium."

The band "After the Blast" will perform from noon to 1:30 p.m. on Saturday followed by The Dady Brothers at

2 p.m. The Dady Brothers are a Rochester based Irish Folk duo that is being sponsored by Walker Metal-smiths and Hart Memorials.

Sunday's performances will begin with "Brothers Grateful" from noon to 2 p.m. followed by "Frank-N-Rich" from 2 to 3:30 p.m.

The full schedule of activities include a pancake breakfast starting at 7 a.m. both days and continuing into the afternoon. Exhibits will open at 9 a.m. both days and continue to 5 p.m. on Saturday and 4 p.m. Sunday. Saturday morning there will be a puppet show at 10 a.m. and kids tractor pull at 11 a.m.

The Andover Lions Club will sell maple products, syrup and maple sugar candy produced locally. In addition the Lions will hold eye screening for children under the age of six as well as diabetes screening for all ages in the Health Room.

Proceeds from the Lions' fundraising activities are returned to the community in many ways including assistance with eye health and blindness prevention, scholarships and support for a wide number of community projects. More information about the activities of the Andover Lions Club can be found on their website [AndoverLions.org](http://AndoverLions.org)



Tapping the first tree, Saturday morning, March 22 at the Sugar Shack on Elm Street, Andover. From left, Mike Middaugh, Dennis Smith, Charlie Wallace, Tony Lipnicki, Laurie Lang, Dick Lang, JoAnn Haugh, Clair Updyke, Paul Whitehouse, Steve Walker and Dave Haugh. The first drop of sap in photo inset. (Photos provided)



They're at it again! Last fall the Alfred Rugby Club team moved a truck load of donated medical equipment to the Lions Club "medical closet" in the basement of the Methodist Church. On March 25, they assisted in the Lions Club "spring cleaning" in removing old and non-functional equipment from the two storage sites for disposal. From left to right are rugby team members Kyle Luce, Jeff Castellano, Zack Kudia, Evan Smith, Alex Phengsakmueang, Lion Leo Lejeune, Coach Tony Aquilina, Ricky Young and Andy Scott. If you need to borrow or wish to donate medical equipment, contact a member of the Medical Equipment committee: Cathy Johnson, Rob Riber, Chuck Schultz, or Kelly Williams. (Photo by Brad Bowden)

## An up-close look at waste water treatment

By ELAINE HARDMAN  
*Alfred Sun Reporter*

WELLSVILLE--Flush a toilet, wash a dish, enjoy your shower and forget what goes down the drain. That's what many do every day while a crew of 3 waits "downhill" ready to turn our nasty sewage into river-ready water.

This past week I stood on some sturdy grates looking down on Wellsville's daily 1.4 million gallons of sewage as it rushed into the Wellsville Sewer Department.

I toured the facility with Joanne Allen and Barry Miller of Concerned Citizens of Allegany County while Michael Smith and Brad Mattison explained the sewage treatment processes that relieves Wellsville's sewage of some of our daily muck.

We started at the headworks, the unit where water from about 2400 users enters the system. This is the place plagued by baby wipes and the occasional diaper. The water passes through a grinder and a screen but things

like baby wipes don't grind well and can block the screen so sometimes someone has to pull out what looks like stiff, white fiber.

The water that rushed under our feet was raw sewage at its worst but it didn't smell much. Smith said that's because there is a lot of water in the system just now. He said that waste water comes from homes, stores and businesses but there is also water that seeps into the system through broken pipes. Pipes, he said, always leak somewhere.

This water is only domestic sewage. Storm water doesn't mix in. The Village worked aggressively in the 70s, in response to Nixon's Clean Water Act, to separate sewage and storm water. At the time there was grant money to upgrade systems and Wellsville took advantage of that money to separate the two water streams.

After the sewer water passes through the grinder and the screen it goes into an aerated grit

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## OBITUARIES



### JUDY A. MURPHY

*Daycare operator 20 years*

ALMOND--Judy A. Murphy, 67, of 396 Karr Valley Road, Almond, whose deep love for children inspired her to care for children for nearly 20 years, died late Sunday evening (March 30, 2014) at the Vincent House in Wayland, surrounded by her loving family and following a long illness.

Born in Hornell on Oct. 6, 1946, she was the daughter of Charles and Marion (Hoffman) Henshaw.

Judy grew up in Hornell and was a graduate of Hornell High School (class of 1964). She was a former member of St. Ignatius Loyola Church and most recently attended St. Ann's Church.

Having a deep love of children, Judy operated "Judy's Day Care" for about 20 years, retiring about 10 years ago. She lived the these words: "One hundred years from now, it will not matter what my bank account was, the sort of house that I live in or the kind of car that I drove. But the world may be different because I was important in the life of a child" (author unknown).

Judy enjoyed working on her home, not only basic up-keep, but also major construction and remodeling. This included the planning phase, purchasing of materials and actual construction. She also was an avid gardener and loved working in her flower garden, vegetable garden and planting trees in her yard.

She was preceded in death by her son, Thomas M. Murphy, who died in 1987; her grandson, Connor Patrick Murphy, who died in 2007; and her sister, Diane Helgersen.

Judy was married on March 20, 1965, to Thomas "Tom" Murphy who survives. Also surviving are two sons, David Murphy of Hornell, and John (Kelly) Murphy of Hornell; one daughter, Kelly (Maryann Cryan) Murphy of Hornell; two brothers, Charles (Anna) Henshaw of Kingman, AZ, and Ronald (Josephine) Henshaw of Crossville, TN; one sister, Marlene (Richard) Abbott of Belmont; four granddaughters, Kaley Murphy, Delaney Murphy, Madison Murphy and Melissa Murphy; and several nieces and nephews.

The family of Judy A. Murphy will receive friends from 4-7 p.m. Thursday, April 3 at the Dagon Funeral Home, 38 Church St., Hornell. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday, April 4 at St. Ann's Church with burial

in St. Mary's Cemetery.

The Murphy family would like to thank the wonderful staff at the Vincent House in Wayland for making Judy's last days on earth comfortable and pain free. Their kindness will never be forgotten.

Judy's family request that memorial contributions in her name be made the Vincent House, 310 Second Ave., Wayland, NY 14572. Memorial forms will be available at the Dagon Funeral Home.

To leave an online condolence or print a memorial form, visit [www.dagonfuneralhome.com](http://www.dagonfuneralhome.com).



### ALBERT E. PALADINO

*Alfred University Trustee*

CHESTNUT HILL, MA—Dr. Albert E. Paladino, a 1954 Alfred University graduate, successful investor, corporate administrator and 23-member of the AU Board of Trustees, of Chestnut Hill and Mattapoisett, MA, died Saturday, March 29, 2014. Born on August 4, 1932, he was 81 years old.

He received two degrees from Alfred University, a B.S. degree in 1954 and a master's degree in 1956, and then earned a Sc.D. degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1962.

Al parlayed his love of material science and technology into a successful career in venture capital.

He launched his career at Raytheon as an applied scientist and also served the U.S. Congress in the Office of Technology Assessment.

Al joined the venture capital firm Advanced Technology Ventures where he supported the founding and financing of several technology startups, and served as chairman of the board for several companies including RF Micro Devices.

He was founding investor of TranSwitch Corporation and was currently serving on its Board of Directors. He was the Director and Chairman of the Board of Paladino & Company, Inc., an international green building consulting firm.

Early in his technical career, Dr. Paladino published extensively in the scientific literature and participated in a number of professional society activities. He was a Fellow of the American Ceramic Society and served as Chairman of the Basic Science Division and the New England Section. He was a Registered Professional Engineer in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

A member of the Alfred University Board of Trustees for 23 years, Dr. Paladino was tireless in his efforts on behalf of Alfred University. He was a current

member of the Investment and Academic Affairs Committees, and had previously served on the Finance and Strategic Planning Committee. He was previously Vice Chairman of the Investment Committee. Dr. Paladino was Chairman of the Board of the Alfred University Research Foundation.

Beloved husband of Susan Flynn Paladino, loving brother of Carl and Jeannette, father of Thomas, Robert and his wife Ellen, Catherine, and Paul, and doting grandfather of Joseph and Natalie Paladino and Lukas and Chloe Thorburn, he leaves behind many friends and family, all of whom have been touched by his generous heart, enduring optimism and his boundless energy.

Visiting hours at the Eaton & Mackay Funeral Home, 465 Centre Street, Newton, MA were held Tuesday, April 1st from 4-7 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated in St Ignatius Church, 28 Commonwealth Avenue, Chestnut Hill on Wednesday, April 2 at 10 a.m.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made in memory of Albert to Perkins School for the Blind, 175 North Beacon St., Watertown, MA 02472 or to The Alfred Fund, Alfred University, 1 Saxon Dr., Alfred, NY 14802. For obit, directions or to share a memory of Albert please visit [www.eatonandmackay.com](http://www.eatonandmackay.com)

### SUN OBITUARY POLICY

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

### ALFRED POLICE

The Alfred Police Department made the following arrests recently:

--Timothy P. Doherty Jr., 22, of Belmont, was charged Saturday, March 29 with driving while intoxicated, blood alcohol content greater than .08% and aggravated driving while intoxicated following a traffic stop on Waterwells Road. Doherty was issued traffic tickets for Alfred Town Court and released to a third party.

In the event of an emergency, dial 911.

### ALFRED

**Weather for the Week**  
March 25-March 31

March	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
25	25	5	0.02"	0.2"
26	37	8	0.05"	1.5"
27	23	5	0	
28	44	6	0.12"	0
29	56	31	0.02"	0
30	40	25	1.12"	2.7"
31	33	22	0.01"	Trace

March Summary:

Avg. high: 36

Avg. low: 11

Highest: 58 (March 12)

Lowest: -15 (March 4)

New record lows were set on

March 4, March 6 & March 7.

Total Precipitation: 2.90"

Total Snow: 14.6"

By GARTH GRANTIER,  
JOHN BUCKWALTER

*Alfred Area Weather Recorder*

## Waste water treatment

(Continued from front page)

chamber where air helps to suspend organics (that's the polite word) and let grit like sand, coffee grounds, egg shells to settle. There's a device over the chamber to scoop out the particulate matter that settles. These solids are eventually sent to the county landfill.

The sewage flows through underground pipes, across the driveway, to the primary settling tanks. Two of these tanks were built in 1937 and the third in 1997. They are all rectangular, concrete ponds with gooey, yellow grease floating in the corners and, while the water is 10 feet deep, there is almost no visibility.

The tanks have metal bars across at regular intervals. The bars are mechanical scrapers that travel along the bottom of the tank pushing sludge (another polite term representing various components) toward a hopper. The bars move a circular route up the side, across the top and then down again to scrape the bottom. Pretty much as soon as they enter the dense water, they disappear.

These tanks are nearly 80 years old and they look solid. Several parts of the system are that old but it all seems well cared for.

At the settling tanks, another waste stream is introduced and that's the leachate from the Hyland Landfill.

Leachate is water that has dissolved and carried away a substance. Rain that passes over orange peels and manure in a compost bin is leachate as is water than passes over used batteries, gunk from a dirty garage floor, home cleaning or garden chemicals and rotting food or whatever else might end up in a landfill.

The leachate from the Hyland Landfill matters to members of CCAC because of drill cuttings and waste from hydrofracking wells. The wells are fracked with processed water which can have any of 500 chemicals and the shale formations are known repositories of water-soluble radon.

30,000 to 40,000 gallons of leachate enters the settling tanks every day but Smith says it's watered down by all the domestic waste. The staff at the Sewer Department does not measure radiation (alpha waves) and is unconcerned about any levels of radioactivity that workers are exposed to.

Likewise they do not measure or remove any medications, hormones or other drugs that the people living in those 2400 houses might be pouring down the drain or passing through their bodies. Smith said that some people see those substances as "forever" in water.

So, at the tanks, the sludge moves off to anaerobic digesters and the water goes to a recirculating building where pumps send it to a trickling filter. This 120 foot diameter tub has a 6 foot deep bed of chunks of limestone. There are 4 perforated arms attached at the center. As the arms turn, water sprays over the limestone and trickles through the stone to eventual aeration and release into the Genesee.

There is a second 120 foot wide tank with smaller stones that water passes through in the summer. Called a polishing filter, this tank freezes in the winter hence the summer-only use.

The sludge in digesters continues to break down via anaerobic bacteria. Sludge is added and removed daily but what we saw go in will stay there about 25-30 days. Bacteria are free, but they can't be rushed.

Bacteria give off methane as they break down organics and while the methane and volatile chemicals escape into the air freely over the settling tanks, the sludge in the digesters gives off enough methane to make capturing the gas worthwhile. That methane is used to heat the digesters to keep them at a temperature that keeps bacteria working.

When the sludge is removed it is either put in sheds to air dry or it is squeezed dry in a dewatering press, a machine that looks rather like a printing press. The sludge is pressed between powerful rollers to force out the water leaving behind solids that can be sent to the Allegany County Landfill while the water runs through treatment system again.

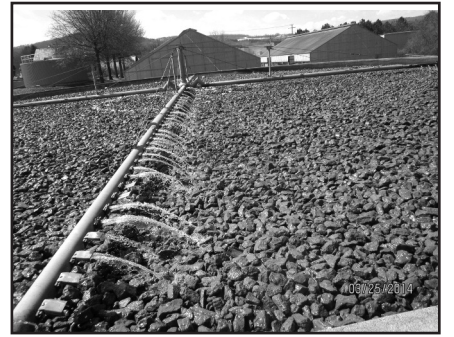
Every step of the way bacteria works to break down contaminants. Before the water is released into the Genesee, ferric chloride is added so it will bind to phosphorus which is not wanted in rivers. In the 70s water was treated with chlorine but that practice is now seen as harmful.

There are some daily, weekly and monthly chemical tests performed on the water to be certain that the facility is cleaning the sewage properly.

There was a lot of information covered by Smith and Mattison who were generous with their time. Joanne Allen said that when she saw the amount of equipment and the processes involved, it made her feel better about paying her sewer bill.

Smith said that people who want to help the Sewer Department run smoothly, should stop flushing baby wipes and dumping grease down their drains. Both create problems, one by jamming up the shredders and the screens and the other by gumming things up.

The other practice he strongly suggested was to compost food waste. It's better for each of us to create usable compost than it is to send more sludge to the landfill.



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## 145 at Allegany County Picnic in Florida

ZEPHYRHILLS, FL--The 58th annual Allegany County Picnic was held March 7, 2014 at the United Methodist Church in Zephyrhills, FL. The 145 persons in attendance enjoyed visiting and talking about memories in the past in our county. The

"dish to pass" meal started at 12:45 p.m. and everyone enjoyed the variety of goodies.

President Dick Harmon called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, followed by the reading of the Secretary and Treasurer's minutes from March 1, 2013. They were approved as read, also approving to keep the same offices for next year.

The roll call of 29 townships in Allegany County were represented by 17 towns, with 145 people attending. A vote was made to have the picnic March 6, 2015 at the same location.

Thanks to the following businesses for their donations: Belfast Hotel, 3 Bums Pizza, Aces, Belvidere Restaurant, Belmont's Big Johnny's Restaurant, Nicholson Pharmacy, Angelica American House & Hotel, Angelica East End Market, Waterways Golf Resort in Angelica, Friendship Carlin's Restaurant, Dave's Diner in Ceres, Bolivar's Top Hat Pizza, Bolivar Golf Course, Bolivar Rolling Stone Cafe, Sloppy Joe's in West Clarksville, Kopper Keg and Moonwinks in Cuba, Save-A-Lot, Modern Diner, Beef Haus, Texas Hot all in Wellsville and a Zephyrhills Newspaper for two subscriptions, the donation of a cookbook by Vicki from the Friendship Historical Society and donations from Dick and Sally Harmon.

The Committee honored the oldest lady, Regina Brown; the oldest man, Roy Lucas; and the longest married couple, Rose and Ralph Cox. Thanks to all who attended and hope to see everyone next year.

## Scene About Alfred

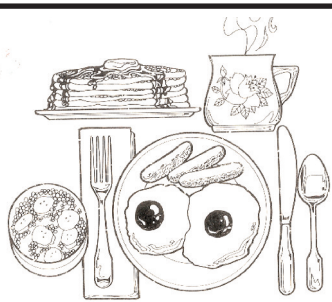
A weekly photo feature  
By **SHERRY VOLK**  
*Alfred Sun Columnist*



Spring IS on her way north, I promise. In the desert, many plants bloom in the late winter, enabling their remarkably fragile, high-water-content flowers to miss the scorch of summer. This lovely, pure white cactus bloom was found in the Chihuahuan Desert, in Big Bend National Park, February 2, 2014. We are working our way east and appreciated, today, the heritage Lady Bird Johnson gave to Texans; astonishing acres and miles of blue, orange, hot pink, white, and yellow flowers, blooming profusely in the medians of highways.

## SUNNY SIDE UP

By **ELLEN SHULTZ**  
*Alfred Sun Columnist*



## Gluten free apple crisp all can enjoy

By **DONNA ROGERS**  
*Guest Columnist*

Like most of us I hadn't paid much attention to gluten free recipes until my dearest "sister" friend started having problems with it. Since she was coming to Thanksgiving dinner I started searching the internet to find an easy, good dessert to serve. The difficulty with many of the recipes out there are the amount and expense of special ingredients that must be used to make something gluten free. The following recipe requires only 1 special ingredient (certified gluten free old fashioned oats), is really delicious and has become a favorite of every one that tries it, problems with gluten or not!

### Gluten Free Apple Crisp

#### Topping ingredients:

1 stick of butter  
1 cup packed brown sugar  
½ tsp. cinnamon  
1 cup gluten free oats  
½ cup sliced raw almonds  
About 3 lbs. favorite baking apples (I love to use Ida Reds)  
2 Tbs. concentrated lemon juice or the juice of ½ a fresh lemon  
¼ cup cold water

Peel and slice apples and place in a 9 X 13 baking dish filling about ¾ full. (You have to leave room on top for the topping) Sprinkle apples generously with cinnamon and lightly with nutmeg. Mix water and lemon juice, pour over apples.

Mix topping ingredients until crumbly, put evenly over apples, bake at 350 until apples are done and topping is golden brown.

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**Kelly's Forecast**  
By **KELLY SNYDER**  
*Alfred Sun Weather Forecaster*

Well Alfred....It is not quite time to hang the hammock, but the sun is in the distant horizon!

**Thursday April 3**  
FEW SHOWERS  
(HIGH 55 - LOW 32)  
Chance of precipitation..... 30%

**Friday April 4**  
SHOWERS/WINDY  
(HIGH 45 - LOW 36)  
Chance of precipitation..... 40%

**Saturday April 5**  
CLOUDY  
(HIGH 45 - LOW 39)  
Chance of precipitation..... 10%

**Sunday April 6**  
PARTLY SUNNY  
(HIGH 42 - LOW 27)  
Chance of precipitation..... 10%

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

# Alfred Family Practice Welcomes...



**Nancy Houy, FNP, NPP**  
Family Nurse Practitioner  
Nurse Practitioner  
in Psychiatry

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St. James Mercy Hospital welcomes Nancy Houy, FNP (Family Nurse Practitioner), NPP (Nurse Practitioner in Psychiatry) to the Alfred Family Practice. Ms. Houy joins Kimberly Hoover, RPA-C (Registered Physician Assistant-Certified) at the Alfred Clinic to offer full time service five days a week.

Ms. Houy joined SJMH in 1988 and most recently served as Nurse Practitioner for SJMH inpatient psychiatric units. For the last seven years she also has worked as clinical associate at MATCH (Mercycare Addiction Treatment Facility of Hornell at SJMH), and previously was a registered nurse for inpatient child, adolescent, and adult psychiatry at the Medical University of South Carolina (Charleston). Ms. Houy is a graduate of the Community General Hospital Nurse Practitioner Program (Syracuse) and has an Associate Degree in Nursing from Alfred State College.

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To the Editor  
Alfred Sun

"Only through the open and  
unhindered clash of contrary  
opinions can truth be found."  
—Glenn Frank

### In all fairness...

Letter to the Editor  
of *The Alfred Sun*:

I too am unhappy with our President, but for his support and promotion of things like TPP, another sham trade agreement for U.S. corporations; and also the completion of the Keystone XL pipeline, that takes us all ever closer to the climate change disaster with increasingly more severe weather conditions ahead.

But at the same time, we can't ignore Congressman Tom Reed's dismal record of opposing legislation for job creation; or for not protecting Social Security and Medicare; or not extending unemployment benefits to those in desperate need to stay out of the clutches of poverty and bankruptcy; or not voting for economic fairness in our nation by increasing the federal minimum wage, as our corporations are making such huge profits. Need I go on?

Perhaps the "overreaching" our Congressman wants us to look at, is merely a diversion for us, not to look more closely at Tom Reed's record as our elected representative.

Douglass Turner  
Alfred

### We welcome letters

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## Senator Catharine Young likes direction taken in state budget

ALBANY—Tax cuts to help overburdened property taxpayers, save jobs and grow the economy are some of the many highlights of the 2014-15 state budget, according to Senator Catharine Young (R,C,I - 57th District).

"By working together, we have crafted an on-time budget that includes some of the most effective tax relief progress we have seen in quite a while. It assists seniors and hardworking, middle class families with their suffocating property tax bills. It also makes New York a more competitive business environment for manufacturers, small businesses and farmers," Senator Young said.

"Making our state a more affordable place to live and work is essential to reversing the economic damage that was done to our state in 2009-10, when downstate controlled all of state government and they hiked 126 taxes by over \$14 billion. We still are recovering from those irresponsible policies. The Senate coalition is working hard to turn things around by creating opportunities and empowering all New Yorkers," Senator Young said.

A new property tax relief program that is in addition to the popular STAR program will provide taxpayers with \$1.5 billion in direct property tax relief over the next three years in school districts and municipalities that develop plans to reduce costs and increase efficiencies. Localities that already have implemented cost reduction programs may have their progress counted. Up to 2.8 million homeowners could receive property tax rebates as an outcome of the program which is designed to encourage communities to keep property taxes under control, according to Senator Young.

Job-creating tax cuts will make the state's economic climate more competitive, Senator Young said.

"Manufacturing jobs especially are important to upstate and my Senate district. By eliminating the corporate tax on manufacturers, creating a real property tax credit of 20 percent for manufacturers that lease or own property, and accelerating the elimination of the 18-a energy tax surcharge, we will make New York a more desirable place to do business," Senator Young said.

"The 18-a energy tax reduction will help both employers and residential ratepayers by saving them more than \$600 million over the next three years. It will help small businesses and manufacturers trying to compete, and families struggling to pay their bills," Senator Young said.

Local farmers also will benefit from estate tax reform. The state's average farmer is 58 years old, and because of onerous estate taxes, it is difficult for younger generations to take over family farm operations. Increasing the estate tax exemption over the next five years from \$1 million to match the federal exemption of \$5 million will help encourage farm preservation, according to Senator Young.

"Agriculture continues to be one of the top industries in my district and it pumps millions into our local economy. Not only do farmers gain tax relief in the budget, but many other research and agri-business initiatives were restored," Senator Young said.

"This focus on economic growth is extremely positive. We need good-paying jobs for our families and career opportunities for our young people so they can stay after they graduate. This budget is a major step in the right direction," Senator Young said.



## Snyde remarks

By DAVID L. SNYDER  
Editor, Publisher and Janitor  
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It's off to Saratoga Springs this weekend for the Spring Convention of the New York Press Association.

It's always a pleasure to chat with fellow editors and publishers (and perhaps a janitor here or there) who gather to learn of the latest trends in the industry, learn how to do their jobs better and to be rewarded for their journalistic efforts of the previous year.

There have been years when I did not submit entries in the Better Newspaper Contest. This year I have submitted eleven entries in a variety of categories. While I'd like to think I've got a few winners in the bunch, that remains to be seen. Suffice it to say that I believe the many contributors to this newspaper are ALL winners. Well, at least that's what our readers seem to think when they send in their subscription renewals. And, while it's rewarding to be recognized by fellow publishers from other states who judge the Better Newspaper Contest, our readers are the judges who really matter. Here's what they say they like best about the *Alfred Sun*:

"...Just enjoy keeping up on the home county news!"

"...the personal focus. Scene About Alfred--and not because Sherry Volk is my sister. For the Birds by Betsy Brooks who is not my sister. Snyde Remarks by David Snyder who is also not my sister."

"It helps me keep up with Alfred news--just another aspect of my 'It's A Wonderful Life' experience in Alfred!"

"It's all great."

"...keeping in touch with 'home.'"

"Local news, obits."

"Everything!"

"The Alfred Sun 50-25-10 years ago. I also like current news. I read most of it every week."

"Familiar names and faces."

"At my age, 50 & 25 years ago. How's that janitor job working? Keep up the great job!"

"That it is Alfred news, not Wellsville or Hornell."

"Local news and announcements of local cultural events and entertainment."

"I don't know about best but I do enjoy picking Division III football games. Keeps me in the loop."

"Front page." "Historical reviews, sports."

"News in and around Alfred."

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## Sun Spots



Happy (?) Birthday to Mouse

When I was young and heard the word  
"April" followed by "the 3rd,"  
My heart would somersault with glee  
To hear that day unique to me.  
Then I grew wise and, ever since,  
On hearing "April 3rd," I wince.

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## FROM THE DESK OF DAVID PULLEN

By DAVID PULLEN  
Allegany County Legislator

### END OF WINTER

According to the calendar, Winter officially ended on March 20th. However, someone forgot to tell the weatherman who accurately predicted several inches of heavy wet snow for Saturday night (March 29th). Hopefully by the time you read this article the snow will all be melted by the (also predicted) warm weather. I don't know about you, but I am ready for Spring, and an end to snow.

The second Board of Legislators meeting of March, and the first of Spring, took place on Monday, March 24th, at 2:00 p.m. Former Marine Corporal Jack Wood led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance. Jack is an area native who left for the military and work career. He has returned to serve as Chair of our County Industrial Development Agency, and in other capacities. We are indebted to him, and all of our other veterans, for service to our country.

Privilege of the Floor was granted to Jessica Norris who was a winner in the American Legion Oratory Contest. She gave a presentation of her winning speech. It was a good reminder that we must always remain vigilant to protect our liberties. Supervising Public Health Educator Theresa Moore reminded us how much the Health Department does to protect and improve our quality of life. DSS Commissioner Vicki Grant introduced our Child Protective Services team members, and reminded us that April 2014 will be "Child Abuse Prevention Month." County Administrator Mitch Alger addressed the Board to acknowledge his recent problems. He thanked the Board of Legislators for allowing him to return to work. He declared his intention to learn and grow from the recent difficulties.

Chairman Curt Crandall, by joint action with Cattaraugus County Chairman Norman Marsh, appointed Lesley Christman to the Cattaraugus-Allegany Workforce Investment Board. He also issued Proclamations designating April 7-13 as Public Health Week, and designating April 2014 as Child Abuse Prevention Month in Allegany County.

The Board of Legislators then considered and approved 12 resolutions. Resolution #61-14 established the standard workday for two elected coro-

ners at 6 hours per day. County Attorney Thomas Miner pointed out that this doesn't mean that they work six hours each day, but that six hours constitutes a workday for retirement system purposes. Resolution #62-14 authorized the creation of one position of "intensive case manager" in the Community Services Agency. This position will coordinate services for adult individuals participating in the DOH Home Care Program. This fully funded position is intended to reduce Medicaid expenditures. Resolution #63-14 appointed Carol Stonemetz to the Community Services Board, and Resolution #64-14 re-appointed Linda Edwards to the same Board. Resolution #65-14 increased to 21 (from 16) the number of "Field Training Officers eligible to participate in the Field Training Program run by the Sheriff's Department. These officers are necessary to train new deputies and corrections officers. The goal is to train more part-time officers so that we can reduce overtime expenses.

Resolution #66-14 accepted a payment from NYMIR in the amount of \$1,197.47, and appropriated it to the "Risk Retention-Uninsured Property Loss account. Resolution #67-14 accepted \$13,099 in federal and State COLA (Cost of Living Adjustment) funds and appropriated them to the proper accounts. Resolution #68-14 transferred \$33,800 between accounts in the Health Department Family Planning program. Resolution #69-14 authorized adjustments to the Community Services Accounts in the County Budget. There was no fiscal impact to the County from these transfers. Resolution #70-14 authorized the transfer of \$625 between STOP+DWI Program accounts to cover the cost of a computer upgrade.

Resolution #71-14 approved an Inter-Municipal Agreement with the Monroe County Medical Examiner's Office. Allegany County will pay that office \$30,563 for performing 30 autopsies during 2014. This represents a significant increase so the Health Department is exploring other options. Resolution #72-14 authorized the transfer of \$620 to cover the cost of replacing 5 computers in the County's Employment and Training Center.

Have a great week. Welcome to Spring.



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## Audience is judge in 'Mystery of Edwin Drood'

By ELAINE HARDMAN

Alfred Sun Reporter

ALFRED--Many think that Charles Dickens intended to murder Edwin Drood and make clear the "who" of whodunit but Dickens died before the final episode of the work was published. Who dispatched Drood? Authors and playwrights started

proposing endings in 1870 but Rupert Holmes dusted off the mystery in 1985, set it to music and created the first Broadway musical with multiple endings (determined by audience vote). Holme's Drood garnered 5 Tony Awards including best musical.

The Mystery of Edwin Drood will be yours to judge at the

### One Time, One Meeting

The Practice of Zen Meditation

By BEN HOWARD



#### LESSONS OF THE SELFIE

Over the past few years the digital self-portrait has come into its own. Decried by some as a symptom of narcissism, celebrated by others as a vehicle of self-empowerment, the so-called "selfie" has assumed center stage, not only in social media but in the media at large. Ellen DeGeneres' "group selfie," spontaneously snapped at the Oscars, may well be the world's most widely viewed example, but it is literally one among millions.

In another decade or two, we may find out whether the selfie was a fad, a portent of a cultural shift, or something else entirely. But from the vantage point of Zen teachings, the ubiquitous selfie, shot in a mirror or from an outstretched hand, offers what is known as a "dharma gate": a point of entry into a deeper truth. "To study the way," wrote the thirteenth-century Zen master Eihei Dogen, "is to study the self." And the phenomenon of the selfie, however superficial it may seem, provides an opportunity to do just that.

To begin with, the selfie underscores, as never before, a fundamental quality of the conditioned self, namely its radical impermanence. Posed self-portraits on canvas have been with us for centuries, and their earliest photographic counterparts date from the late nineteenth century. But the digital self-portrait, taken, as it were, on the fly, represents something new, insofar as it is a transitory image of a transitory subject. It can be deleted, whether by accident or design, in an instant and at any time. Our most basic misperception, Buddhist teachings tell us, is "taking what is not self to be self." We mistake what Joseph Goldstein has called the "pairwise progression of subject and object, arising and passing moment after moment," for a lasting entity. We posit continuity where it may or may not exist, and we construct from successive moments the concept of an unchanging self. To that persistent habit of mind, the vulnerable digital image offers a potent corrective. It prompts us to inquire whether the self we assume to be solid and enduring may be no more substantial than the virtual image on our screens.

Even as it demonstrates the impermanence of the self, however, the selfie may also challenge our conventional notion of the life span: the personal self's finite existence. As many users of social media have discovered to their chagrin, self-portraits posted on the internet can last far beyond their creators' original intention. Their life spans, if such exist, are not always in our control. According to the *Diamond Sutra*, a fundamental text of the Zen tradition, the concept of a life span is itself an erroneous notion and a primary source of human suffering. "A cloud can never die," writes Zen master Thich Nhat Hanh. "It can only become rain or snow." Nothing is annihilated, only transformed. And what is true of the cloud, the *Diamond Sutra* asserts, is also true of ourselves. Whether as stardust, a field of energy, a photo on a dresser, or an impression in a loved one's memory bank, we continue beyond our dates of expiration. The enduring digital image, launched into cyberspace and winding up who knows where, can alert us to that eventuality--and prompt us to act accordingly.

Yet, lest the lessons of the selfie be restricted to the personal, it is worth remembering that the digital self-image also represents the interdependent nature of the conditioned self. The one includes the whole. However conformist or individualistic, conventional or outlandish any one selfie might be, its very existence exemplifies what the Zen teacher Shohaku Okumura has called the "network of interdependent origination." More concretely, it represents a complex network, at once electronic, social, and economic, whose components include the makers of micro-chips and smart phones, the creators and managers of social media, the purveyors of laptops, desktops, and mobile devices, and the eager consumers of such products. For all its elevation of the affluent leisured self, the selfie offers a context in which to contemplate something beyond the self: the one, indivisible body of interconnected reality.

"To study the self," Dogen went on to say, "is to forget the self; and to forget the self is to be enlightened by the ten thousand things." Viewing a recent selfie, which features a muscular young man flexing his bicep in the mirror, I suspect that the enlightenment of which Dogen speaks may not be high among the photographer's priorities. But it remains an ever-present possibility, whether its vehicle be a cup of tea, an ephemeral mandala, or yet another selfie.

Ben Howard leads the *Falling Leaf Sangha* ([www.fallingleafsangha.blogspot.com](http://www.fallingleafsangha.blogspot.com)), a Zen practice group in Alfred.



Photo of cast at the end of the dance "Off to the Races." (Elaine Hardman Photo)

Miller Performing Arts Center at Alfred University on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 10 - 12 at 8pm. Tickets (\$5 adults, \$3 senior citizens) must be ordered by April 10. Call 871-2828 or go to [www.alfred.edu/performing-arts](http://www.alfred.edu/performing-arts).

The costumes, characters, accents, dances and toe-tapping songs are all good reasons for you to reserve tickets. Here are few of the people you'll find in the cast.

Dana Harris grew up in Los Angeles and is now a senior studying theater. She plays the part of stage manager. This is Dana's first musical since playing Lucy in Snoopy in high school. She said that Drood is stressful but exciting.

The day we talked Dana was still sparkling from being added to the lovers' scene at the end. Her character speaks in a Scottish accent. Most of her colleagues have added a British lilt but Dana thought she'd mix it up a bit my rolling her words through Scotland.

To prepare, she watched Brave several times and spent time studying David Tennent in Dr. Who. She listened to accents, practiced her lines with their tones and recorded herself for evaluation.

Dana is impressed with the many excellent accents developed for Drood and she enjoys watching and listening to the character of Jasper but her favorite part of the musical is the role of Reverend Crisparkle.

The part of Durddles is played by Danny Gray (a sophomore in

The School of Art and Design, from Madison, Wisconsin). When asked what makes Drood fun, Danny said, "Every line I speak is a blast for me."

Danny came to Alfred because of ceramics but he fell into theater and, lucky for all, loved it. On the stage he found friends and fun so he has acted again and again with Drood as his fourth show. Prior to AU, he'd only had a small part in Cabaret in high school.

Danny said that he thinks all the tunes are fantastic but when pressed for a favorite he chose "Moonfall Quartet".

"It's moving and amazing, a serious touch in an otherwise silly show."

One of the actors in "Moonfall Quartet" is Rosa Budd, played by Jessica Antrobus (a senior studying English and communications, from Cleveland). Jessica brings Rosa to life with friendship, fear, disgust, anger and more than a dollop of charm.

She cited "Moonfall Quartet" as one of the highlights of Drood also. She said that the harmonies are beautiful and that kinship among the women fills the song with support as well as emotion.

This is Jessica's fifth experience on the stage at AU but she's performed in many settings since she was 10, picking up skills and learning to get into a character along the way.

Jessica clearly enjoys the dance sequence in "Off to The Races" where the entire cast makes the stage sparkle with "happy." She said that she's not a dancer but dances well enough

to get the moves.

Another character is portrayed by Darren Palmer who came to Alfred from Wingdale, NY. Darren is now a senior in theater after choosing his major as a junior. Drood is his fifth production.

Each of those productions was directed by a different person so each brought different information, instruction and experiences to the growing actors. Darren said that this exposure helped him grow as himself as well as an actor developing characters.

In Drood, Darren transforms into Bazzard, a hunched and lurching form, clutching his masterpiece and rendering his face into the physical definition of creepy. Sometimes he sheds Bazzard's unnerving cloak to inhabit Philip Bax (Drood is a play within a play). As Bax, Darren sings "Never the Luck" with the support of several cast members. This, he says, as with all the times when the entire ensemble is on stage, is a warm experience of mutual support and community.

Darren encourages you to experience live entertainment whenever you can. He noted how a live experience is solidly different from a film or CD. He said that in movies each clip is likely seconds long. A live performance demands extended concentration from both actors and audience.

Call for your tickets now and be in the moment with the entire cast of Drood at Alfred University on April 11, 12 or 13.

## Hornell YMCA offers classes

HORNELL--The Hornell YMCA is pleased to offer a six-week watercolor painting class for teens and adults ages 15+ beginning April 7. Taught by local artist Jill Forman, the class will meet on Mondays from 4:30-6:30 p.m.

This class will explore several different watercolor techniques including the use of wet and dry watercolors, watercolor pencils, and frisket masking. The class will include brief excursions outside as the weather permits for plein air painting. The class costs \$110 for Y members and \$150 for program participants. All supplies are included in the cost of the class. For more

information or to enroll, contact the YMCA at 607-324-5520 or visit [www.hornellymca.com](http://www.hornellymca.com).

The Y is also beginning 6-hour classes in Stained Glass, taught by Sis Mahoney, on April 7. The class meets Monday and Friday evenings and is limited to 2 participants at a time so that no sharing of equipment is necessary. The class costs \$60 for Y members and \$80 for program participants, and all supplies are included. At the completion of the class, participants will have a beautiful 18-inch stained glass panel. To enroll, contact Rebecca Weaver Hamm for schedule availability.



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Cultural Arts Calendar



Music

**BANDS/DJs/RECITALS**  
**The AU Symphony Orchestra**, under the direction of Lisa Lantz, will perform the exquisite Mozart Piano Concerto #23 with guest pianist, Frank Mitchell Bush, at 7 p.m. Friday, April 25 in Miller Theater on the Alfred University campus.

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

**Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe** 22 West Main St., Angelica. Open every day for lunch; dinner and live acoustic music on week-ends; now serving breakfast—call for details. **Acoustic Open Mic Night** 1st Thursday of month 7-10 pm. Café opens early for dinner, espresso, wine & beer, Scrabble & chess. **Music Schedule:** March 28—Dallas Lucore, March 29—Alex Leyva, April 3—Acoustic Open Mic, April 4—Tom Naples; April 5—Michael on Fire. Music begins at 7:30 p.m. Café open 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. for meals, espresso, beer, wine, desserts. Black-Eyed Susan will be CLOSED for renovations & rest from Jan. 1-Jan. 31, 2014. Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café, 22 W. Main St., Angelica. Call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

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

**Maple City Bowl**, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every

Friday Night 9 pm-1 a.m.; Saturday night bands from 9 pm-1 a.m. For updates, check www.maplecitybowl.net Or call 607-324-1011.

**Wellsville Creative Arts Center** offers live music most Saturday evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, March 29—The Waymores. Saturday, April 5—Rockwood Ferry. Saturday, April 19—Roosevelt Dime; Friday, April 25—Woody Pines; Saturday, May 3—Farewell Drifters; Friday, May 9—Brother Sun. For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

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

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

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

**COFFEEHOUSES**  
Coffeehouse live entertainment periodically at Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, 34 N. Main St., Alfred. 9 pm Thursday, April 3—Lily Virginia; 9 pm Thursday, April 17—Sun Club; 9 pm Thursday, April 24—Matt the Electrician (location TBA); 9 pm Thursday, May 1—Sam Kogan. Open Mic Night Wednesdays when colleges are in session.

**Wellsville Creative Arts Center** offers Coffee Houses nightly Monday-Thursday 7:30-10:30 p.m. with Movies on Mondays,

Acoustic Campfire on Tuesdays, Open Mic Night every Wednesday 7 to 9:30 p.m. For more info, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

**Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series** at Davis Memorial Carillon, AU campus. Free concerts on the lawn 7-8 p.m. Tuesday evenings in July. 2013



Theater & Dance

**COMEDY**  
**AU SAB Mystery Comedian** will perform at 10 p.m. Saturday, April 12 at the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus.

**Comedian Seaton Smith** will perform at 10 p.m. Saturday, May 3 at the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU campus.

DANCE

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

**Let's Dance Club** offers occasional dances. For more information, contact president Carole Onoda at (607) 276-5475, vice-presidents John and Dee Cwynar at (607) 324-0373, secretaries Duffy and Barb 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.

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

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

**PERFORMANCES**  
AU Performing Arts presents the musical, **"The Mystery of Edwin Drood"** at 8 pm Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 10-11-12 in Miller Theater, AU campus. This musical by Rupert Holmes, based on Charles Dickens' unfinished novel The Mystery of Edwin Drood, is a playful "whodunit" in which the audience gets to determine the guilty party. Winner of five Tony awards including best musical and set in a 19th century English music hall, Drood is a comedic, risqué romp following the tradition of British pantomimes. Tickets required; reservations recommended. General admission is \$5. Senior citizens \$3. AU students with ID \$1. To reserve tickets, call the box office at (607) 871-2828.

Art/Galleries

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

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Artist Knot. 36 Main Street, An-

dover. Current Exhibit: "Karen Lang: Autumn Fireworks". Admission is always free. Gallery Hours by appointment. (607) 478-5100.

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

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

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

**MUSEUMS/EXHIBITS**  
**Americana Manse.** Tours at the Americana Manse, Whitney-Halsey Mansion, Inc. in Belmont. Call 585-268-5130. Special Group Tour rates. \$4.00 adults.

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**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.

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

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

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

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



Almond 20th Century Club Library

New Happenings at the Almond Library

By SANDRA ROBINSON

*Almond Twentieth Century Club Library Director*

We're "Thinking Spring in our Community" at the Almond Library for the month of April. And here's hoping that if we think hard enough, it will finally arrive! However, no matter what the weather is outside, it's definitely Springtime inside the library, where birds and spring colors adorn our rooms. So, stop in for a little cheer, and bring the kids this week to help make bird decorations for our walls.

April's calendar:

It's National Poetry Month! Who is your favorite poet? Share with us on Facebook.

April 2, 10 am: National Walking Day. Join us at the library, and together we'll take a walk around Almond. Healthy snacks and drinks will be served afterward.

Also April 2, 11am: International Children's Book Day, and Hans Christian Anderson's Birthday. Story at 11 am.

April 12: Scrabble Day celebrated. Scrabble marathon all day, and for all ages.

April 14-17 (AA Spring Break): Beach Week! Beach activities for kids all week. Watch for more details.

April 16, 5:30 pm: 20th Century Club Business Meeting and Dish to Pass. Speaker: Craig Braack. Everyone is welcome!

April 21, 5-6 pm: Book Club. April's selection is Silent Nights by Anne Perry.

April 26, 12-5 pm: See you at Hot Dog Day in Alfred!

April 28, 10 am: Community Coffee and Great Poetry Reading Day. Join our rollicking group for coffee and a guest poetry reading!

Mondays 10 a.m: Preschool Story Time.

Look for our calendar on Facebook and our website, almondl-library.org.

Library Hours: M, W, Sat 9:30am-1pm. Tu, Th 1-7pm.

Gas prices steady

Average retail gasoline prices in Rochester have risen 0.4 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.73/g Monday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 319 gas outlets in Rochester. The national average has increased 1.8 cents per gallon in the last week to \$3.53/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Prices Monday were 11.3 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are 4.0 cents per gallon higher than a month ago. The national average has increased 9.2 cents per gallon during the last month and stands 8.3 cents per gallon lower than this day one year ago.

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## Lectures/Readings

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

**Allegany County Bird Club.** Meetings held at the First Congregational Church, 289 N. Main Street, Wellsville, unless otherwise stated, at 7 p.m. on the first Friday of each month; speakers begin at 7:15 p.m.

**Baker's Bridge Historical Association.** Meets 7:30 p.m. third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. Programs are as follows: Jan. 20--Laurie McFadden/Thelma Palmiter, "Early Alfred Station in Photos"; Feb. 17--Brendan Heaney, "Visit With Moses VanCampen"; March 17--Craig Braack, "War of 1812"; April 21--Bob & Sherry Volk, "Tinkertown Hardware History." For more information, call President Laurie McFadden, 587-9493. To tour building and/or view exhibits, call Collections Manager Amie Acton at 587-9119. Visit: [www.bakersbridge.org](http://www.bakersbridge.org)

**Bergren Forum.** 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus. March 20--Scott Brackenridge, "The Zhuangzi We Know: How The Most Popular Work in Chinese Literature and Philosophy Came To Be The Way It Is"; March 27--Aesa Bjork, "Gaging the Void"; April 3--Dylan Sammut, "The Hour Is Getting Late: Musicians Unraveling an Apocalypse"; April 10--Antonio Causarano, "How to Introduce Di-

versity Through Children's Literature"; April 17--Roger Loucks, "Uncertainty Not Curiosity Killed the Cat! How Quantum Mechanics Actually Works"; April 24--Sarah Blood, "Light Matter"; May 1--Gregory Pac, "Electricity Prices and County Economic Growth." Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available.

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

**Maple City Garden Club.** Monthly potluck lunch second Wednesday at Sawyer St. Court, Hornell (unless otherwise noted) at 12 noon. Program follows: April 9--"Master Gardener Program" with Sara Dygert. May 14--Field Trip to Quest Farm to hear Tom McDowell's "Honey Extraction" after a noon lunch at Mulheissen's. June 11--Plant auction and program planning for 2014-2015. For info, call Zoë Coombs at 587-8031.

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



## Films

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**NEVINS THEATRE** 871-2175 8 & 11 p.m. Fridays and 2 p.m. Sundays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus. Open to the public. Students \$2, children \$2, \$3 general public. March 28--Dinner & A Movie at Wellsville's Grand Theater; April 4 & 6--The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug; Friday, April 11--Dinner & A Movie at Wellsville's Grand Theater; April

18, 20--American Hustle. (Wellsville theater shows first-run films.)

## Fun-n-Games

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

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

### AU SAXONS Athletic Events

#### Men's Lacrosse

April 12--Utica, 4 pm

April 19--St. John Fisher, 1 pm

April 23--Ithaca, 4 pm

April 26--Hartwick, 1 pm

**Women's Lacrosse**

April 12--Utica, 1 pm

April 13--Ithaca, 1 pm

April 18--Elmira, 4 pm

April 23--Nazareth, 7 pm

**Women's Softball**

April 1--SUNY Oneonta, 3 pm

April 2--Keuka, 3 pm

April 4--Elmira, 3 pm

April 5--Stevens, 1 pm

April 12--St. John Fisher, 1 pm

April 17--Pitt-Bradford, 3 pm

April 19--Nazareth, 1 pm

**Men's Tennis**

April 12--Utica, 1 pm

April 16--Nazareth, 3:30 pm

April 25--Ithaca, 4 pm

April 26--Elmira, 1 pm

**Alfred Rugby**

March 29--Rucknado Tournament vs. Cortland, Geneseo, Hobart at 11:30 a.m. at Yunevich Stadium

April 5--St. Bonaventure, 1 pm

**Str8 Eight Card Game Tournament** at 8 pm on the 8s at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse, Main St., Alfred. Tournaments set for 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 8; 8 pm Saturday,

March 8; 8 pm Tuesday, April 8; 8 pm Thursday, 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

**Friday, April 25**  
**Pine Hill Derby** downhill race featuring entries by engineering students at 6 pm at the Pine Hill Suites on the AU campus.

**Saturday, April 26**  
**5K Color Run, 10 a.m.** Register at 9 a.m. at Herrick Library on the AU campus.

**Saturday, April 26**  
**HOT DOG DAY FESTIVAL** will be held 12-5 pm Saturday, April 26 in downtown Alfred. Skate Jam will be held 12-5 at a location TBA. Mud Olympics will be held at 2 pm at Tucker Field. **Dogfest** will be held from 6 pm to 12 midnight at McLane Center, featuring six bands including American Authors, Mack Wilds, Greg Bates, Misterwives, What Cheer? Brigade, Hunting Stories. Tickets \$10 for AU & ASC students, \$15 public.

## Support Groups

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

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

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

**Cardiac Support Group.** Meets second Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the St.

James Mercy Hospital Cardiac Rehab (2nd floor). For info, call the Cardiac Rehab Unit at 324-8735.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Almond. 276-6380.

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

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

**OLD SALTS BREAKFAST CLUB,** a gathering of veterans, meets every 2nd Tuesday of the month at 8 a.m. at JC's Cafe at the corner of Canisteo and Crosby Streets, Hornell. All Navy vets and Marines are invited, plus any others who can tell stories about their services, from World War II until the present time. We have vets from all over the area. For more info, call "Old Navy" Bob Tripp at 607-295-7753.

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

## Etcetera

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

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

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

**Clinics--Blood Pressure Screening.** No appointments needed. All ages welcome. Offered 11 a.m.-12 noon occasional Thursdays at Office for the Aging Nutrition Lunch-

## WHAT'S COOKIN'?

**Allegany County Office for the Aging**  
**Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu**  
**Monday, April 7**

Strawberry Yogurt Salad, Beef Stew, California Blend Vegetables, Biscuit, Rice Pudding, Diabetic- Applesauce.

**Tuesday, April 8**  
Cabbage Pineapple Salad, Macaroni & Cheese, Stewed Tomatoes, Green Beans, Rye Bread, Oatmeal Raisin Cookie, Diabetic- Fruit Cocktail.

**Wednesday, April 9**  
Carrot Raisin Salad, Pepper Steak, Rice, Succotash, Banana Bread, Fresh Fruit, Diabetic- Fresh Fruit.

**Thursday, April 10**  
**Easter Special:** Tropical Fruit Salad, Baked Ham w/Raisin Sauce, Mashed Sweet Potatoes, Peas & Pearl Onions, Wheat Dinner Roll, Ice Cream, Diabetic-Ice Cream.

**Friday, April 11**  
Peachy Cottage Cheese, Tuna Casserole, Brussel Sprouts, Carrot Raisin Bread, Chocolate Pudding, Diabetic-Pudding.

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

**ALFRED NUTRITION SITE**  
Union University Church Center, 12 noon

Call Cindy Berry at 607-281-8794.

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

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

**Thursday**--Lunch at 12 noon.

**BELMONT NUTRITION SITE**  
American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.

Call Lila Johnson at 585-268-5380.

**Tuesday**--Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Earth Day" Blood Pressure Clinic.

**Thursday**--Exercises at 9:30 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Arbor Day," "Pretzels."

**BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE**  
Fire Hall 12 noon

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

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

**Thursday**--Lunch at 12 noon.

**CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE**  
Canaseraga Fire Hall, 12 noon

Call Barb Welch at 607-295-7301.

**Tuesday**--Exercises at 10:15 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Exercises/ Cards at 1 p.m. "Harry Morgan's Birthday."

**Thursday**--Exercises at 10:15 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Exercises at 1 p.m. "Egg Hunt."

**CUBA NUTRITION SITE**  
AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon

Call Linda Nelson at 585-968-2397

**Monday**--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch noon. "Three of the Same." "Call in reservations for Senior Citizens meeting."

**Tuesday**--Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "Harry Morgan's Birth Anniversary."

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

**Thursday**--Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon. 11:00 "Senior Citizen's Meeting." "Demo on how to make duct tape bags."

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

Call Maggie Brown at 585-737-5609

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

**Thursday**--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre, Lunch at 12 noon. Blood Pressure Clinic.

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

Call Vivian Howell 585-973-2650

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

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

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

Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.

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

**Wednesday**--Walk at 9:30 a.m., Games at 10 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at noon, Euchre at 1 p.m., Exercise at 1:30 p.m.

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

**Friday**--Walking 9:30 a.m., Bingo 10:30 a.m., Lunch 12 noon, Pinochle 12:30 p.m., Exercises 1:30 p.m.

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

Call Becky Mattison at 607-356-3571.

**Monday**--Exercises, Jigsaw Puzzle. 10:45 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "Riddles & Jokes." (National Humor Month)

**Tuesday**--Lunch at 12 noon. Jigsaw Puzzle. Game Day. "Words with 'BA' in Them"

**Wednesday**--Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Jigsaw Puzzle. Lunch at noon. "Fiesta Ware."



## At the Movies

(Effective Friday, April 4 through Thursday, April 10)

**GRAND THEATRE, Wellsville...** 585-593-6899 Starts Tonight (April 3) with 8 pm show: "Captain America: Winter Soldier" Showtimes Nightly 7 and 9:30 pm. Sat.-Sun. Matinees at 2 & 4:30 pm. "Noah" (PG-13), Showtimes Nightly 6:45 & 9:30 pm, Sat.-Sun. Matinees 2 pm.

**NEVINS THEATRE, AU campus...** 871-2175 8&11 p.m. Friday and 2 p.m. Sundays when college is in session. April 4, 6--The Hobbit: The Desolation of Smaug; April 18, 20--American Hustle.

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*Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher*

**FIFTY YEARS AGO, APRIL 2, 1964**

**The Rev. R. Leroy Moser** has announced his resignation as pastor of the Spring Green Memorial Baptist Church, Warwick, R.I., and has announced he will become pastor of the Central Baptist Church at Providence, R.I. in May...

**A decision to add** one more yearly increment to the present teachers' salary schedule, raising the maximum salaries to \$7,000 for teachers with a bachelor's degree, \$7,300 for teachers with a master's degree and \$7,600 for a master's degree plus 30 hours of graduate work, was reached by the Alfred-Almond Central School board of education at a special meeting. The effect of this change would be the addition of one more yearly increment of \$200 to the salaries of those teachers who have served the school faithfully for a number of years and are now at the maximum allowed by the former schedule, it was pointed out by board officials...

**Alfred Meadow Jill Barb**, a three year old Holstein owned by the Agricultural and Technical Institute at Alfred, has established a new production mark. According to Charles Pierce, farm manager, the cow, which is part of the college's instructional herd, produced 16,760 pounds of milk and 611 pounds of butterfat in 286 days of lactation. According to the Holstein-Friesian Association, these figures compare with the national annual average output of a dairy cow of 7,211 pounds of milk and 270 pounds of butterfat.

**Alfred Station**—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Conderman and son Steven, who spent the weekend at his home here, were Sunday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellis at Canisteo...Mrs. Dora Hallett and Miss Gladys Burke of Hornell were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Emerson...James Palmer spent the weekend at Buffalo...Mrs. Ben Palmer, Mrs. Robert Ormsby and Mrs. Leon Lewis accompanied Mrs. Robert Lewis to Rochester, Monday...Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cott and son of Syracuse spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jacox. While here, they attended the wedding of Miss Beverly Allen...Kay Nesbit and children spent a week in Hornell, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stephens. They spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nesbit...Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Snyder spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Snyder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Stevens...

**"A Visit to Ireland"** presented by Dean John McMahon is the topic of the next Amandine Club program, to be presented April 9 at 3 p.m. Mrs. Eddy Foster is chairman of the hostesses.

**Almond**—Mr. and Mrs. Dorr Cotton spent the Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cotton and family of Watkins Glen, returning home Monday evening. On Sunday, they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cotton and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Cotton and their families of Hornell, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bracken and family of Almond. Miss Judy Bracken and Miss Linda Cotton remained at the Joseph Cotton home Sunday evening, and returned home with their grandparents on Monday...

**Alfredians**—Mr. and Mrs. Everett T. Harris Jr. and Jennifer left for Salem, W.VA Monday, after spending the weekend with the Rev. and Mrs. Hurley Warren. Joining the family for the day Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Warren and family of Rochester...Charles Smith of Oberlin College is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Smith...Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kenyon and John were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gilbert at Central Valley from Thursday until Saturday when they left for an overnight visit with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kenyon and family at Pittsfield, Mass...Miss Erica Brown entertained at an informal party at her home on her birthday, March 26...Mrs. George Finlay of Dorset, VT is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Peter Finlay and family...Dr. and Mrs. H.O. Burdick are occupying a small apartment at Holly Heights Court, Florida, while visiting his brother, Frank at Holly Hill, and friends at Daytona Beach. They enjoyed a day with Drs. Josie and Ruth Rogers on a drive to Bear Lake, near Orlando. The Burdicks saw many old friends when they attended the church of which the Rev. Kenneth Davis is pastor. Monday, March 30, the birthday of Dr. J.N. Norwood, Dr. Josie Rogers arranged a celebration and a dinner party...Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hitchcock and family of Bath attended church and were dinner guests Saturday of Dr. and Mrs. R.O. Hitchcock...Mr. and Mrs. Coburn McGraw and family spent the Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Merle Clark at Ripley...Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Dewtler of Wilkes Barre, Pa., arrived Friday to spend the Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bloomquist

and family...

**Miss Carol Yunevich**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Yunevich of Alfred, has been accepted and plans to attend the College of Ceramics at Alfred University in the fall. The AACS senior will major in design, according to Robert Bakeman, guidance counselor...

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, MARCH 30, 1989**

**Six juniors and five seniors** were inducted into the Alfred-Almond Central School chapter of the National Honor Society in a tapping ceremony at the school Tuesday, March 21. Guest speaker for the ceremony was Dr. James Curl, professor of psychology and director of the Summer School at Alfred University. Inducted were: Erica Coburn...Marcie Emerson...Josephine Kernan...Lisa LaCourse, Patricia MacDonald, Joel Rausch, Lisa Canfield, Heide Fischer, Heather Nordland, Lisa Perry, Jennifer Smith...

**An alert neighbor** is credited with preventing a fire from destroying a Belmont Road mobile home last week. "If it hadn't been discovered when it was, the whole place would have gone up in just a few minutes," said Alfred Station Fire Chief Judson Stearns Jr. Neighbor Kenn Burdick, riding his bicycle home from work Wednesday night, March 22, noticed a flashing light in Paul and Sherri Robinson's mobile home. Taking a closer look, he saw flames shooting from the kitchen stove. He rushed home and told his parents...Paul's dog escaped the trailer as Alan Burdick, Kenn's father, entered to investigate. He found and removed a pan of burning scraps from the kitchen stove. Paneling near the stove was just beginning to ignite. Alan suffered smoke inhalation and was treated at the scene in an Alfred ambulance...

**(Photo) Country Jamboree**—Jamboree Committee members try out some of the "country" décor being created for the Alfred University Area Scholarship Committee's annual fundraiser, May 20, in Davis Gym. Going country are Carol Rawady and Jo Ellen del Campo of Alfred, Sheila Foreman of Almond, and Wilma Stewart of Canisteo, scholarship committee chairman.

**The Alfred Lions Club** held its biennial dinner honoring the service of various municipal officials, employees and volunteers Thursday, March 9. (Photo) Displaying their proclamations from Governor Mario Cuomo presented by Alfred Lion President William W. Pulos are Town Highway Superintendent Douglas Burdick, Town Supervisor Robert W. Boyd, Village Police Chief Ldon Jamison, Village Mayor Carolyn Blankenship and Village Streets Superintendent Roger Mullen.

**Eugene T. Van Horn**, 73, of 13 S. Main St., Alfred, died Friday, March 24, 1989 at St. James Mercy Hospital in Hornell following a brief illness. He was born Aug. 21, 1915 in Yonkers to the Rev. Edgar D. and Harriet Brown Van Horn. His early childhood was spent following his father's ministry from White Cloud and Battle Creek, Mich., to Alfred Station, where the family moved in 1925. He attended Alfred High School, graduating in 1932, and later attended Alfred University. He studied music at Princeton University for a semester, then took a position at Livonia High School teaching chemistry and biology. He married Aurabeth Ehret in Alfred Oct. 24, 1942. He enlisted in the U.S. Army at the beginning of World War II, and was commissioned a second lieutenant. He served overseas with the 20th Air Force in Panama, India, Burma, China and Tinian. He was discharged as a Captain at the end of the war. Following the war, he took a job with Cottrell Co. in Westerly, R.I., and studied for a master's degree in accounting at Providence College. In 1951, he and Aurabeth purchased Sun Publishing Co. in Alfred, where they resided in the apartment over the Main Street business. He was a member of the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church and a charter member of the Alfred Lions Club. He was the Alfred Village Justice for 22 years. In addition to his wife, survivors include a daughter, Christine Brotemarkle of Reston, VA; two sons, Eric of Cleveland, OH and Roger of Alfred; a sister, Elizabeth, of Dearborn, MI; a brother, Donald of Alfred Station; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews...

**The Dugout**—It was Wednesday, March 22, 1989. I am at home, enjoying a richly deserved day off from the rigors of my everyday job. The phone rings. It is Dave Snyder, owner-editor-operator of The Alfred Sun, my "boss." "We are going on vacation next week. Would you write your column three days earlier than normal?" Sometimes the pressure of this job is unrelenting. It didn't matter that I had college basketball games to watch. No, get the column out early! So, if this column appears "rushed" this week, blame it on Dave!...

**Dr. and Mrs. Carl E. Shively** of Alfred Station

have announced the engagement of their daughter, Denise Renee, of Jupiter, Florida, to Thomas J. Hughes, also of Jupiter. The bride-to-be is a 1982 graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School and a 1986 graduate of Alfred University. She is currently a teacher at West Riviera Elementary School in Palm Beach County, Florida. Her fiancé is the son of Robert and Patricia Hughes of Geneseo. He is a 1981 graduate of Geneseo Central School and a 1985 graduate of Simmons School of Mortuary Science, Syracuse. He is a funeral director with Aycock Funeral Homes in Jupiter, Florida. A July 1 wedding is planned at the Almond Union of Churches.

**TEN YEARS AGO, APRIL 1, 2004**

**(Photo) A 500-seat theater** will be added to the Miller Performing Arts Center at Alfred University, thanks to a recent gift of \$10 million by Dr. Marlin Miller Jr., a 1954 AU graduate and chairman emeritus of the AU Board of Trustees. AU President Charley Edmondson said he believes that the expanded Miller Performing Arts Center combined with the planned Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art will make Alfred a cultural center for the Southern Tier.

**(Photo) Magic Kingdom**—Sue and Art Gaiser of Alfred flak and join former Alfredian Sandra Scofield in reading the Alfred Sun at the Magic Kingdom, part of DisneyWorld in Florida where Sandra now resides and works.

**During the month** of February, the firefighters, EMTs and ambulance drivers of the A.E. Crandall Hook & Ladder Company responded to 20 ambulance calls, including 3 motor vehicle accidents, and 11 automatic fire alarms. Perhaps you have been wondering why you have not heard the fire siren's wail in the village lately. That is because the siren stopped working after decades of use. We were going to have it rebuilt, but were informed that it was beyond repairing. The old siren will be replaced with a siren that served the Scio Fire Department up until a year ago, when the Scio Company was able to purchase a new one...

**Dr. Clarence Klingensmith** died on Tuesday, Feb. 24, 2004, at his home in Alfred Station. His family was with him. Clarence William Klingensmith was born on Jan. 1, 1916, in Warren, OH, a son of William and Alverta Klingensmith. He grew up on the family farm in Leavittsburgh, Ohio. He took great pleasure in recounting details of farm life and routine. The sense of simplicity and self-reliance that he grew up with remained with him throughout his life. He entered Capitol University in 1932, and received his B.S. degree in 1936. He received his Ph.D. in chemistry in 1939 from Ohio State University. Dr. Klingensmith worked for Eastman Kodak from 1939 to 1941, and while there met his future wife, the former Margaret Marie Lange. Their marriage was delayed by World War II, during which Dr. Klingensmith was granted Conscientious Objector status and was assigned to Civilian Public Service (CPS) from June 1941 until November 1945. In March 1946, he was offered a "temporary" position at Alfred University, teaching inorganic chemistry. Dr. Paul Saunders, chairman of the chemistry department, welcomed him to AU in a letter that read, "Of course, Alfred is a small place, out in the country, but most of us like it very much. We think we have an agreeable student body and faculty, and I am pretty sure that you will like them and us." Dr. Klingensmith apparently found Alfred to be an agreeable place, because when he was offered a full-time position the following semester, at an annual salary of \$2,400, he accepted the offer and taught inorganic chemistry at Alfred University until his retirement in 1980. He and Margaret were married June 12, 1946, and settled in Alfred where they raised their family...

**An Alfred University student**--although not widely known--played a major role in getting American-made automobiles on the road one hundred years ago. And today, April 1, 2004, his company celebrates the centennial anniversary of its founding. It was April 1, 1904 when Clarence W. Spicer, a Seventh Day Baptist who grew up on an Illinois dairy farm and was schooled here at Alfred Academy, began to manufacture his patented universal joint in Plainfield, New Jersey. In 1902, an estimated 8,000 automobiles were produced by nearly 50 American automakers...With application of Spicer's patented universal joint, American automakers offered a more reliable vehicle and sales rocketed from about 125,000 in 1909 to 1,745,792 in 1917...

**(Photo) Alfred-Almond girls indoor soccer team** won the Jasper-Troupsburg Tournament recently with a perfect 6-0 record. Players include Erin Crandall, Jody Ninos, Shawne Porter, Chelsea Murray, Megan Taft, Kaila Smith, Sarah Bain-Lucey, Danna Reynolds, Dani McMichael, Kelsey Curran and Coach Jim Bain-Lucey.

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# Alfred-Almond Academic All-Stars win division in OT

Results of matches of Monday night, March 31 are as follows:

**LARGE SCHOOL DIVISION**  
Bath 50 - Hornell 40  
Corning West 50 - Corning East 47

**MEDIUM LARGE SCHOOL DIVISION**

Addison 41 - Naples 37  
Canisteo-Greenwood 55 - Campbell-Savona 21

**MEDIUM SMALL SCHOOL DIVISION**

Hammondsport 52 - Arkport 13

Alfred-Almond 65 - Jasper-Troupsburg 37

This resulted in a tie for division champion between Hammondsport and Alfred-Almond. After a 20 question tie-breaker, the two teams were still tied 4-4!! At that point, there was a "first to five points" tiebreaker. Alfred-Almond pulled ahead and won that round 5-0.

**SMALL SCHOOL DIVISION**

Prattsburg 50 - Canaseraga 29  
Avoca 27 - Bradford 23

Winners of each division are:  
Corning West (undefeated) - Large School Division  
Addison (undefeated) - Medium Large School  
Alfred-Almond - Medium Small School

Prattsburg - Small School Division  
Next week, on Monday, April 7, Prattsburg plays Alfred-Almond for The Angelina R. Karr Small School Championship Trophy and Addison plays Corning West for the Janet W. Richardson Large School Championship Trophy.

Also, the Barb Fairbanks Award will be presented to an invaluable friend of The Academic All Star program.

## Eastern Star meets April 9, plans public pan steak dinner

**ALMOND**—The Kanakadea-McArthur Chapter #242, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold a regular stated meeting Wednesday, April 9 at Fraternities Hall on Karr Valley Road, Almond.

Presiding at the meeting will be Gloria R. Griffin, Worthy Matron and David L. Palmiter, Worthy Patron. As well as catch-up business due to the cancelled meeting on the night of the March 12 Blizzard, plans will be made for the Official Visit of Allegany District Grand Officers on April 16 here in Almond.

Allegany District Officers for 2014 are: District Deputy Grand Matron, Sandra K. Palmiter, District Grand Lecturer David L. Palmiter, Grand Chaplain Kathryn Ross of the Bolivar Chapter, Associate Grand Marshal Mina Caccamise of the Cuba Chapter, Grand Representative of North Dakota Gloria R. Griffin of the Almond Chapter, Grand Representative of Oklahoma of the Friendship Chapter and Grand Representative of Wyoming of the Cuba Chapter.

The meeting will start at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served after the meeting by Annie Philpot and her committee. All Eastern Star and Masonic members of good standing are invited to attend and also help make plans for the upcoming public dinner.

The Union Fraternal Association of Kanakadea-McArthur Chapter #242, OES and University Lodge #230 will serve a public Pan Steak dinner Friday, April 11 at the Lodge building, Karr Valley Road, Almond. Dinners consist of pan steak and gravy, real mashed potatoes, vegetable, roll, dessert and beverage. Prices for adults are \$8 while children under 12 are \$4. Serving starts at 4:30 p.m. until sold out, usually before 6:30 p.m. Proceeds go towards upkeep of Fraternities Hall. There is plenty of parking in the rear of the building. For directions or more information, call Mary-Lou Cartledge, 587-8071.

## Almond Book Club will meet April 15

The Almond Book Club will meet at 5 p.m. Tuesday, April 15 at The Almond 20th Century Club Library, Main Street, Almond. Two books chosen for discussion are A Christmas Beginning and A Christmas Grace by Anne Perry. Please join us for an hour of literary conversation. Everyone welcome. Refreshments will be served.

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**NOTICE OF FORMATION ANGELICA SPRING TRUCKING LLC**  
NOTICE OF FORMATION ANGELICA SPRING TRUCKING LLC Articles of Organization filed with Sec'y of State (SSNY) on 2/28/14. Office location: Allegany County. SSNY designated as agent of LLC upon whom process against it may be served. SSNY shall mail copy of process to c/o the Company, 99 West Avenue, Angelica, New York 14709. 12-6b

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## Church notes death, burial, resurrection

ALFRED STATION—In the life of the Christian Community we are entering what is popularly called "Easter Season." Your friends and neighbors at the Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church, "A 3 C church: Connect-Care-Community" invite you to join them in remembering and celebrating the heart of the Christian Gospel, the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus the Christ.

Since the 19th century Seventh Day Baptist scholars have offered a chronology of the "Passion Week" which presents a different approach from commonly held views. This time-line establishes "The Triumphant Entry" on the Sabbath, "The

Crucifixion" on Wednesday, and "The Resurrection" at least by twilight on the Sabbath.

Your friends and neighbors hope that the following calendar of events will heighten the reality of the "Passion of The Christ" for you and yours.

Sabbath (Sat.) April 12 at 11 a.m. Sabbath Worship Hour – Palm Sabbath

Wednesday, April 16 at 6 p.m., "At the Foot of the Cross" (located in front of the church meeting house). "Remembering the death of Jesus."

Sabbath (Sat.) April 19 at 11 a.m. Sabbath Worship Hour – Easter Sabbath.

Sabbath (Sat.) April 19 at 6 p.m. "At the Foot of the Cross,"

"Celebrating the resurrection of Jesus."

The Alfred Station Seventh Day Baptist Church meeting house is the big white building located at 587 Route 244, Alfred Station. The building is down from The Alfred Station Firehouse, Robert Lawrence Trucking, Baker's Bridge Antiques and Canacadea Country Store. The Cross in front of the meeting house is up from Bicycle Man, Hi Tech Ceramics, Alfred Town Offices, Way to Gro, and Alfred Knitting Studio. The church campus is across from the Hill-bottom Pottery. If you would like further information call the church office 607-587-9176.

## County Senior Forum set April 17

BELMONT—The 2014 Allegany County Senior Forum will be on Thursday, April 17 at the Genesee Valley School in Belmont. There is a new, early start time this year. Registration will be at 8 a.m., the Public Hearing will be at 8:30 a.m., and the breakout sessions will start at 9:45 a.m. Lunch will be served at 12:30 p.m. Cost is \$5 for lunch, and pre-registration is requested.

We have many new and exciting programs this year. Jones Memorial Hospital will offer a Wellness Clinic with free screenings for Blood Pressure, Cholesterol & Glucose, Balance Assessment, Bone Density Testing, Flexibility Assessment, and information on Smoking Cessation and "Create Your Weight."

Dr. Robert Wahler, Clinical As-

sistant Professor from the University at Buffalo School of Pharmacy, will offer an enlightening workshop on the effects medications have on falls risks in older adults. After his presentation, participants will receive a FREE Medication Fall Risk Assessment and educational consult with a University of Buffalo Pharmacy student. Pre-registration is required for this session and seating is limited. Please specify you are registering for this break out session when registering for the Forum.

Kathleen Baumet, from the Alzheimer's Association WNY Chapter, will offer a program on some of the environmental, financial, and behavioral risks of dementia. You will come away with tips and techniques for man-

aging their care and keeping everyone safe.

Scott Grantier, Allegany County Probation Supervisor will offer an overview on your personal safety and crime prevention tips.

Karen Davis, Senior Consumer Fraud Representative at the NYS Attorney General's Office, will discuss the most common scams and frauds in our area and will inform the participants how not to fall for scams and how to shop safely. She will also discuss identity theft, credit problems, annoying calls, door to door sales, and what you can do if a business has taken advantage of you. Seniors are the most preyed upon victims these days, with most scams coming from a phone call or by mail. Be educated on how to spot these scams and avoid being targeted in the first place.

Dr. Amy Shaver, Professor of Nursing at Alfred State College, will focus on ideas seniors in Allegany County have on staying healthy and safe. It will include discussion on what you believe is a healthy life, what you think will help you live a healthy life in Allegany County, what stops you from having a healthy life, and what is the most important service to have that would lead to a healthy life. Dr. Shaver has been looking into health services for seniors in Allegany County during the past year. She is interested in knowing how the people who live here as seniors feel about this topic.

County Historian Craig Braack will offer his usual exciting presentation; this year he will speak on the new Air Force and Pentagon 9-11 Memorials in Washington, DC.

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Thursday, April 3

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"Well, boys, the rest of us may have developed from monkeys; but I tell you, none the less than a God could have made such a man as Marse Robert!"

JONES, REMINISCENCES, 319.

## Alfred Area Church Directory

### ALFRED-ALMOND AREA

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

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

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

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

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

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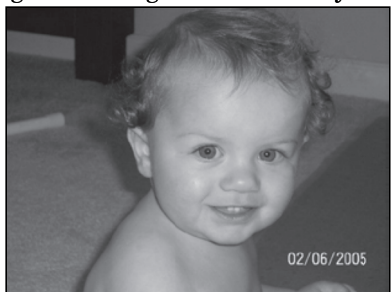
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# Saxon Sean Locker wins javelin at Widener Invitational

Junior Sean Locker (Corning-Painted Post West) won the javelin throw to lead a small contingent of Alfred University track and field athletes competing Saturday at the Widener University Invitational outdoor track and field meet.

Locker won the event with a toss of 47.86 meters. Also competing for the AU men were senior Nolan Rummel (Kings Park) and freshman Jeffery Nunez (Wurtsboro/Ellenville).

Rummel took 17th in the 800-meter run (2:03.51) and 40th in the 1,500-meter run (4:20.00), while Nunez placed seventh in the hammer throw.

This Week: at Muhlenberg College (4/5, TBA)

## Hillman is double winner for AU women at Widener

Alfred University junior Miasia Hillman (Buffalo/Hutch Tech) won two sprint events Saturday at the Widener University Invitational outdoor track and field meet. Hillman won the 100-meter dash (12.63 seconds) and 200-meter dash (26.59 seconds). Also competing for the AU women was senior Chelsea Hall (Grand Island). She was second in the javelin (32.43 meters), 16th in the long jump (4.21 meters) and 22nd in the 100-meter hurdles (19.49 seconds).

## Men's Lacrosse drops two in opening Empire 8 play

The men's lacrosse team (2-5, 0-0 Empire 8) lost back-to-back Empire 8 contests against Nazareth (16-5) on Thursday, and Stevens Tech (18-9) on Saturday.

Nazareth held a 12-1 lead at halftime, as junior attacker Nicolas Wood (Canandaigua) tallied Alfred's lone goal in the first 30 minutes of play. Senior attack Brett Carroll (Buffalo/Bishop Timon-St. Jude) netted three goals in the second half, and freshman midfielder Nick Skibitsky (Buffalo/Williamsville East) added one.

Sophomore midfielder Tanner Morse (Corning East) caused two turnovers and assisted on two goals. Freshman midfielder Derek Bishopp (Livonia) went three-for-six on face-offs and scooped up four groundballs.

Junior goalie Tyler Beyor (Carthage) made five saves in 45 minutes before junior Cody O'Connor (Whitney Point) (five saves) took over in the fourth quarter.

Against Stevens, Alfred trailed Stevens 5-4 at halftime and matched the Ducks in scoring in the third quarter (5-5), but Stevens pulled away in the fourth, outscoring AU 8-0 to seal the victory.

For the game, senior midfielder Derek Green (Pittsburgh, PA/The Kiski School), Morse,

and Bishopp each led the Saxons in scoring with two goals apiece. Senior midfielder Brendan Sullivan (Stafford, VA/N. Stafford) netted a goal and handed out three assists.

Senior defender Pat Walsh (Buffalo/Bishop Timon-St. Jude) caused two turnovers and picked up five ground balls for the Saxon defense. O'Connor made nine saves in net.

## Women's Lacrosse loses two road contests

The women's lacrosse team (1-3, 0-0 Empire 8) lost road two games last week: 16-14 in overtime to Morrisville State and 21-2 to St. John Fisher.

Against Morrisville, senior defender Janelle Gallipeau (Rochester/Greece Olympia) netted a team-high five goals. Junior attack Kaitlyn Button (Cazenovia) had four goals and caused seven turnovers, while senior attack Ashley White (Islip) and freshman attack Megan Wendt (Grand Island) each scored twice.

Junior goalie Taylor Tarajos (Rochester/Greece Olympia) made 14 saves.

Button scored both AU goals and Gallipeau had three groundballs in the loss to Fisher. Tarajos went the distance in goal and made eight saves.

Last Week: L, 16-14 OT, at Morrisville State (3/25); L, 21-

2, at St. John Fisher (3/28)

This Week: at Keuka (4/2, 4 p.m.); at Stevens Tech (4/5, 12 p.m.)

## Softball contests postponed due to weather

The softball team (9-3, 0-0 Empire 8) did not play this past week due to inclement weather forcing the postponement of the Saxons' weekend doubleheader at Ithaca and Utica.

Last Week: Postponed, at Ithaca (doubleheader) (3/28); Postponed, at Utica (doubleheader) (3/29)

This Week: vs. Keuka (4/2, 3 p.m., 5 p.m.); vs. Elmira (4/4, 3 p.m., 5 p.m.); vs. Stevens Tech (4/5, 1 p.m., 3 p.m.); at Penn College (4/6, 12 p.m., 2 p.m.)

## Men's tennis falls to RIT, Daemen

The men's tennis team (7-5, 0-0 Empire 8) lost two non-conference matches to RIT (7-2) and Daemen (5-4) this past week.

On Saturday, RIT swept three doubles matches from AU. In singles play, Alfred got wins from sophomore Connor Doud (Ballston Spa), 6-0, 5-7, 6-2 in first singles; and senior Stefan Nonnenmann (New Providence, NJ), 4-6, 7-6, 10-4 in fourth singles.

Sunday against Daemen, the teams split six singles matches. Doud won first singles, 6-4, 6-1; Nonnenmann took fourth singles, 6-3, 6-1; and Saxon senior Eric Teller (Granville), claimed fifth singles, 7-5, 2-6, 6-3.

Daemen won two of three doubles matches to earn the match victory. Doud and Nonnenmann won first singles for Alfred, 8-5.

This Week: at Houghton (4/1, 4 p.m.); at Stevens Tech (4/5, 2 p.m.); at Hartwick (4/6, 1 p.m.)

## AU Western equestrian fourth at IHSA semi-finals

The Western Equestrian team competed at the Intercollegiate Horse Show Association (IHSA) national semi-final show on Saturday and Sunday, this past week, finishing fourth and just missing out on a trip to the IHSA National Championships.

On Saturday, freshman Gabe

Covert (Perry) and junior Nicole Lobur (Akron) were the only two AU riders to compete in the team competition Saturday. Covert won the novice horsemanship class, while Lobur finished sixth in intermediate horsemanship.

On Sunday, four AU riders competed in team events. senior Derek Partridge (Groveland/Geneseo) was second in open reining; junior Lexi Buckheit (Mansfield, PA) took seventh in open horsemanship; sophomore Alexandra Morency (Argyle) was fourth in advanced horsemanship; and senior Stephanie Mistark (Pittsford Sutherland) took fourth in beginner horsemanship.

Several AU riders competed in individual events over the weekend. Partridge placed second in reining to qualify for the national championship show. The top four riders in individual competition advance to nationals, May 1-4 in Harrisburg, PA. Buckheit also competed in reining, but did not place. She has already qualified for nationals as the American Quarter Horse Association (AQHA) IHSA Zone 2, Region I champion.

Two AU riders placed in the top eight in individual events Sunday. Senior Ashley Sinclair (Cheshire, CT) was sixth in open horsemanship and junior Danielle Strange (Wellsboro) took eighth in novice horsemanship.

Last Week: Fourth Place, at IHSA Semi-Finals (3/29-3/30)

## Hillman, Locker Named Saxon Athletes of the Week

**Miasia Hillman:** The junior from Buffalo, NY, won two sprint events at the Widener University Invitational outdoor track and field meet over the weekend. Hillman won the 100-meter dash in 12.63 seconds and the 200-meter dash in 26.59 seconds.

**Sean Locker:** The junior from Corning, NY, won the javelin at the Widener University Invitational outdoor track and field meet over the weekend. Locker won the event with a toss of 47.86 meters.

## Alfred State College Sports Roundup

# Lacrosse team gets first D3 win

The Alfred State lacrosse team went on a 6-1 run midway through the 2nd half en route to a 13-8 victory over Houghton on Tuesday, March 25. The victory is the first for the Pioneers since moving to Division III of the NCAA.

The Pioneers jumped out to a 5-0 lead early behind two goals by Nate Spoor (Penn Yan), and goals by Keegan Phalen (East Aurora), David Ford (Elmont/Sewanhaka), and Andrew Delligatti (Bedford Hills/Fox Lane).

The Highlanders clawed back into the game by scoring six of the next seven goals over the next 25 minutes to tie the game at 6-6.

The Pioneers took over from that point scoring seven of the next nine goals to close. Spoor scored three times, Delligatti scored twice, while John Garbowski (Mohegan Lake) and Ford scored once.

The blue & gold held a 52 to 29 shot advantage in the game and won 18 of the 25 faceoffs in the game.

Spoor finished the contest with six goals and two assists while Delligatti chipped in three goals and two assists. Ford had two goals and an assist, Phalen had a goal and two assists, and Garbowski picked up a goal and an assist. Matt Chatfield (Myrtle Beach, SC) and Marc Hernandez (Mastic Beach/William Floyd) both picked up assists. Ryan Amidon (Fayetteville Manlius) earned the win in goal with nine saves.

Paul Chapman led Houghton three goals and an assist while Sean Daigler had two goals and an assist. Joshua Bailey netted two and Cameron Groff scored once. Gabriel Browning made 20 saves in net.

## Pioneers lose at Morrisville

Nate Spoor (Penn Yan) scored twice for Alfred State as the Pioneers fell 20-5 at Morrisville State on Saturday in lacrosse action. Spoor has netted eight goals this week for the blue & gold.

Spoor led the Pioneers offense with two goals while David Ford

(Elmont/Sewanhaka) finished with a goal and an assist. Keegan Phalen (East Aurora) and Andrew Delligatti (Bedford Hills/Fox Lane) scored once.

Tom Rosaski led the Mustangs with four goals while Jeremy Beresovoy was credited with three goals and an assist. Tyler Catalano made five saves to record his first win of the season. Morrisville scored the first seven goals of the game and led 11-1 at halftime.

Alfred State travels to Wells on Tuesday for a 4 p.m. match with the Express.

## Changes in schedules

The following changes have been made to the Alfred State athletic schedule:

Softball: The Lady Pioneers will host Clarkson on Thursday at 2 p.m. instead of traveling to Jamestown Olean.

Baseball: The Pioneers doubleheader vs. Penn College scheduled for Tuesday has been cancelled and will not be made up.

Track & Field: The track & field team will travel to Millersville University on Saturday to compete in the Millersville Metrics this weekend instead of traveling to the University of Rochester.

**Spoor Athlete of the Week**  
**Nate Spoor** (Penn Yan) has been named the Alfred State athlete of the week. Spoor led the Pioneers offense as they split a pair of games this week. Spoor scored eight goals and passed out two assists in the Pioneers two games this week. He netted six goals and had two assists in a 13-8 victory over Houghton and scored twice in a loss at Morrisville on Saturday. Spoor scored on eight of his 15 shots this week.

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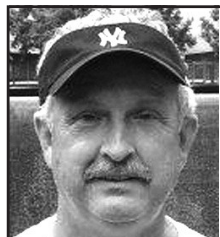
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## The Dugout

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### HITS AND MISSES:

**It is down to the "Final Four"** in the NCAA men's basketball tournament, my bracket long since tossed aside, as Florida-Wisconsin-UConn-Kentucky will head to Texas this weekend to play at "Jerry's House." Heading into the actual Elite 8, figured that Florida-Arizona-Michigan State and probably Michigan would advance. Not even close! The Gators are rolling, Wisconsin nips the Wildcats in OT, UConn smothers the Spartans of Michigan State and the UK 'Cats ease by the Wolverines and Coach Beilein in a great game. Will go with Florida to beat Wisconsin, Kentucky over UConn and the Gators of Florida to win the title.

**The NIT men's championship** in hoops will also be decided this week as it is down to SMU-Clemson and Florida State-Minnesota. Go with SMU and Florida State, the Mustangs under the direction of Coach Larry Brown to win the title. The Seminoles win and it could be an all-Florida title time.

**The NCAA Division I women's basketball tournament** is down to its Elite 8 with UConn-Texas A&M, North Carolina-Stanford, Notre Dame-Baylor and Louisville-Maryland set to play for the right to get to their last grouping. Take ... UConn, Stanford, Notre Dame and Louisville. Hopefully undefeated UConn and equally unblemished Notre Dame meet in the finals.

**Former Alfred State/Geneseo women's hoop coach, Joe Q. French** has his UMBC women's softball team at (20-9) as weather has played havoc with their schedule as well. The Maryland program was supposed to host Stony Brook over the weekend but poor field conditions moved that DH to Tuesday past. The Retrievers are in Binghamton this weekend for three contests as Quia's troops are now into league play.

**Tim Mead (Andover)** and his Walsh Cavs baseball team in Ohio has a record of (10-15) as of Monday past after snapping a five-game skid. Walsh beat Tiffin, 5-2 on Sunday after losing a pair to Malone just before that.

**It has been "pretty tough"** for Skip Sherman and his Genesee CC baseball team to play spring(?) games in the snow as the Cougars are (2-10) but in idle mode. The A-A grad hopes to get his team on the field this week versus Erie CC and Monroe CC. Good luck!

**The Drury men's** and women's basketball teams in Missouri each dropped NCAA Division II quarter-final contests to end their respective seasons. AD Pat Atwell (Andover) was busy making the drive from Evansville, IN to Erie, PA to catch the action. Somewhat reminiscent of our baseball trip in the early 80's as we went from Cincinnati to Pittsburgh on one of our legs. The Panthers men were the defending D2 champs.

**Pitcher Josh Kinney** of "nearby" Port Allegany, is now in the Pirates organization as he will start the season (most likely) at the "AAA" level. Kinney played his college ball for Atwell at Quincy and has a World Series ring from his time with the Cardinals.

**Coach Jeff Long's** lax program at Ithaca College is in the midst of a "nice" schedule as his #10 team fell to #3 Cabrini and then had to turn around and take on #9 Cortland. Ouch. Ithaca was at (7-2) prior to Cortland with their other loss to #1-ranked RIT. Ithaca is at Alfred (2-5) on April 23rd.

**The Detroit Tigers** have extended Miguel Cabrera's contract to make it a 10-year/\$292 million package. Yikes! Best hitter in game, right now. Worth \$30 million per season in is late 30's? Sounds like a crazy A-Rod deal.

**The Los Angeles Angels** of Anaheim/Orange County have extended the contract of young hotshot, Mike Trout for six-years at \$144 million. Trout was the AL Rookie of the Year and has finished second to Cabrera in the last two AL MVP voting. Good move!

**The MLB season starts** this week and will take the following AL Division winners ... Tampa Bay, Detroit, the Angels. Wild cards to the Yanks and Rangers. In the NL ... division winners of Washington, St. Louis and the Dodgers. Wildcards to San Fran and Cincy. St. Louis over Tampa Bay in the World Series.

**How about this one** for an absurd "bonus" by a big-time college AD. Gene Smith of Ohio State, formerly THE Ohio State until Dayton beat them in the men's hoop tourney, received a \$18,447.94 bonus because wrestler Logan Steiber won the NCAA title in the 141-class. Huh? Smith gets a bonus because a wrestler wins an NCAA title? Sure he helped that wrestler a lot along the way!

**Just back from an** excellent two-week visit in Florida, spent half the time in the St. Pete's area and the following week in Leesburg. Not awesome weather in week two, but no snow! After arriving in Leesburg on Saturday (22nd) it was a fun/busy week of dinners out, seeing some people here and there, golf and a "to do" list from my mom. Something about ... "want dinner?, do this!" Sunday - dinner at JB Boondock's at Howey-in-the-Hills. Great view from the deck. Monday - golf with Bob Baker at Schalamar Creek near Lakeland and a visit with Barb & Bob afterwards. Tuesday - dinner at Vinnie's Spaghetti House, many visits there over the years. Wednesday - got to golf in Molokai league at Mount Dora golf course in league Big Dale used to run. Dinner at Ramshackle Café

## The Dugout continued...

in Leesburg. Thursday - met Tony & Ginny Schon, former Alfred residents, for coffee at place in Leesburg. Great seeing them again! Friday - golf at the Country Club of Mount Dora (sweet) again this year. Thanks to Len Stillings of Vermont and member Howard Hawes. Ron Demann rounded out our fourth on a most enjoyable day. Had a surprise meeting with Norm Duke of the PBA Tour on golf course as we let his group of three play thru. Had chance to chat with him a little. Dinner that nite at Jeremiah's. Always good in Mt. Dora.

Saturday - off to The Villages to see Big D and Janis King Frechette. Derck and I enjoyed late lunch/brew at the World of Beers establishment. Needed Simbo there to help me on list for a cold one. Good visit (as always) with those two after driving thru "monsoon" to get there. Sunday - brother Steve and Dee came over to house as we had a great meal together. Five of us on a beautiful afternoon. Monday - early departure for Orlando Airport and back to the snow of Rochester.

**Vacation over ... back to work!**



Pictured with the team are (back from left) former Coach and co-founder Bill Pulos, Head Coach and AU Assistant Athletic Director Tony Aquilina and (front from left) club alum and former club assistant Coach Dr. Lou Mattos (Class of 1990, husband of Heather Potter, PhD AU) and club alum, longtime Rochester Rugby Aardvark and tournament referee Rodney Moses (Class of 1993).

## Alfred Rugby Club makes history

ALFRED—The Alfred University Rugby Club on Saturday, March 29 hosted its first ever rugby tournament on Merrill Field at Yunevich Stadium on the Alfred University campus. This was an historic day in the history of Alfred Rugby and in the history of Alfred University.

Guest teams were SUNY-Cortland, SUNY-Geneseo and Hobart College. During the tournament, Cortland beat Alfred 15-10 and Alfred beat Geneseo 15-10. There were 20 minute halves. Four games, then the championship game, then a developmental game at the end.

Rodney Moses, an Alfred

Rugby alum (1991-1993) and longtime player with the Rochester Aardvarks Rugby Club served as one of the Refer-

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