

Surgery under the SUN

After two exhausting days of battlefield surgery and medical lectures, this Confederate Major of the 21st Georgia Volunteer Infantry - known locally as Hornell internist Dr. Spencer Annabel - contemplates Dave Schwert's offer of the Alfred SUN as a way to ease back into today's world at the close of the Civil War Initiative in Medina, NY. (Dr. Schwert reports gratefully that his skills as a former Allegany County coroner were not required.)



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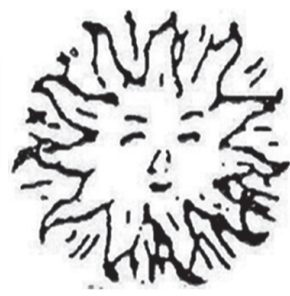
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Col. Timothy J. LaBarge to address ASC grads

ALFRED—Alfred State College has announced Colonel Timothy J. LaBarge, commander of the 105th Airlift Wing at Stewart Air National Guard base in Newburgh, as this year's speaker for the Sunday, May 19, 2013, Commencement exercises.

This ceremony – the college's 102nd Commencement – will be dedicated to veterans and those currently serving in the United States Armed Forces and will also feature a special tribute through a flyover of "W7," a C-47 that was one of the lead aircraft in the first strike at D-Day in Normandy, France, during WWII.

Colonel LaBarge previously served as the commander of the 109th Airlift Wing, the only ski-equipped C-130 aircraft in the Air Force inventory and sole provider of heavy airlift in support of military and National Science Foundation directed op-



COL. TIMOTHY J. LaBARGE

erations in the Arctic and Antarctic Polar regions.

He also served in the Directorate of Total Force Integration, Air Force Strategic Planning, at the U.S. Air Force Headquarters in Washington, DC; is a subject matter expert in the Mission Development Division; and served

as Director of Staff – Air Component at the New York Air National Guard headquarters, where he was principal adviser to the Adjutant General and/or Assistant Adjutant concerning the U.S. Air Force and National Guard.

Commissioned to the Air Force in 1983, Colonel LaBarge has since served in positions and roles of: T-37 instructor pilot; wing flight examiner/spin pilot; C-5 Aircraft Commander; flight instructor/examiner pilot; squadron operations officer; chief, Standard and Evaluation; and chief, Wing Command Post.

He has a rating of Command Pilot; has flown combat and support missions in Operations Desert Shield/Desert Storm, Operation Enduring Freedom, Operation Iraqi Freedom, and Antarctic Operation Deep Freeze Seasons airlift missions; and has logged in more than 5,500 flights hours in seven dif-

ferent United States Air Force aircraft.

Colonel LaBarge received his bachelor of science degree in biology from St. Lawrence University in 1983. He completed

Squadron Officer School in 1987, then Air Command and Staff College in 2001, Air War College in 2003, and Advanced Joint Professional Military Education in 2013.



PETER CUNEO

Peter Cuneo to receive honorary degree at AU

ALFRED—Alfred University will bestow a Doctor of Humane Letters degree, *honoris causa*, on Peter Cuneo, a 1967 alumnus of the University and chairperson of its Board of Trustees for the past six years, during its annual commencement ceremony.

Cuneo is perhaps best known, though, for leading the turnaround of Marvel Comics from a bankrupt comic book publisher

to an entertainment industry giant.

Cuneo will receive his honorary degree during the University's annual commencement exercises, to be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 18, at McLane Center on the AU campus.

Also receiving an honorary degree that day will be Robert H. Benmosche, a 1966 alumnus

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TOP SENIORS—Pramod Rao (from left), Namita Neerukonda, Kaleigh Kenney and Chris Cook.

A-A announces top seniors

ALMOND—The Alfred-Almond Central School District is pleased to announce the Co-Valedictorians and Co-Salutatorians for the Class of 2013.

Co-Valedictorian Pramod Rao is the son of Mohan and Prabha Rao. Pramod plans to attend the University of Buffalo where he will study Biology.

Co-Valedictorian Namita Neerukonda is the daughter of Manjula and Sampath Neerukonda.

Namita will attend Hobart and William Smith Colleges in Geneva where she will study Biology.

Co-Salutatorian Kaleigh Kenney is the daughter of Tom and Debbie Kenney. Kaleigh plans to attend Cedarville University to study Music/Vocal Performance.

Co-Salutatorian Christopher Cook is the son of Dan and Ann Cook. Chris plans to attend LeMoyne College in Syracuse to study Environmental Engineering.

Village Planning Board has uneventful meeting

By PETER McCLAIN

Member, Alfred Village Planning Board

ALFRED—The Village of Alfred Planning Board had an uneventful meeting on Thursday, May 2 in the Village Hall. No applications were reviewed, nor were there any public comments.

After acceptance of April's regular meeting minutes, the balance of the session was spent reviewing the Code Enforcement Officer's report and various preliminary proposals to alter the zoning code that will be recommended to the Village Trustees in the fall.

Peter McClain brought forth changes to sections 105.00 and 303.00 with regard to congregate housing in the B-2 district. Matt Katz reported on the potential for an overlay zone incentivizing congregate housing with special conditions attached. The feasibility of such a zone was discussed and several options will be presented at the June Planning Board meeting. And finally, Anne Wenslow presented a new definition for Temporary Structure to be included in the codes. The next meeting of the Planning Board will be Thursday, June 6th at 7:30pm in the Village Hall.

OBITUARIES



**NORMA LUCILLE
BURROWS**

1949 Andover C.S. grad, nurse

ANDOVER—Norma Lucille Burrows, 81, of Andover, went home to be with her Lord and Savior on Saturday (May 4, 2013) following a brief illness.

Mrs. Burrows was born on Dec. 12, 1931 in Wellsville to Harold L. and Marie Iva (Ordway) Perry. She was a 1949 graduate of Andover Central School and later earned her nursing degree from St. James Mercy Hospital School of Nursing in 1953. On Oct. 24, 1953, at the First Baptist Church of Andover, she married Vincent Howard Burrows, who survives.

Norma worked as a nurse for Jones Memorial Hospital in Wellsville from 1953-73. She then worked for Andover Medical Center until her retirement in 1989. She also worked for County-Home Dialysis Treatment and Andover Central School as a relief nurse.

In addition to her husband of 59 years, Norma is survived by four daughters, Dawn Marie (Bob) Linke, Dorene Burrows, Denise Burrows, all of Andover and Darci (David) Bush of Collins Center; one son, Dennis Howard (Elaine) Burrows of Colden; three sisters, Aletha Hahn of Andover, Mareta (Tom) Routh of Randleman, N.C., Phyllis Grimes of Portville; two brothers, Kenneth (Pearl) Perry of Fla.; and Keith (Ione) Perry of Silver Creek; 5 grandchildren, one great grandchild due any day; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was predeceased by two brothers, Robert H. Perry and infant Harold Perry Jr.; and one sister, Catherine Phillipson.

Norma enjoyed bowling, scrapbooking, art, sewing, embroidery, and reading. She was a longtime member of Andover Baptist Church as well as the Order of Eastern Star and Andover American Legion Auxiliary. Though her interest were varied and many, it was the lives and activities of her children and grandchildren that she held dearest to her heart.

Friends called from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. Wednesday, May 8 at the Baker-Swan Funeral Home in Andover. The funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. today (Thursday, May 9) at the First Baptist Church of Andover with Rev. Frank Troutman, officiat-

ing. Burial will be in Valley Brook Cemetery in Andover. Online condolences may be offered at www.baker-swan.com.

Memorial contributions in Norma's name may be made to Andover Rescue Squad, PO Box 726, Andover, NY 14806.

LYDIA MENGES BUTTS

April 17, 1921-May 2, 2013

Born in Jamestown, New York, to Philipp Menges and Angeline Carpenter Menges, Lydia lived her early life in Blockville, a tiny hamlet between Jamestown and Panama, in Chautauqua County. She graduated from Chautauqua High School, class of 1937, and attended Alfred University and Buffalo State Teachers' College. It was their attendance at the University that caused Lydia and Stan to fall in love with Alfred and seek a way to return.

On December 21, 1941, in a lovely ceremony in the home of Earl P. and Dorothea Carpenter Milks in Scio, she married M. Stanley Butts, her lifelong love and partner.

In November 1947, Lydia and Stan founded StanLee Hardware in Alfred, the name being derived from their nicknames. She was always active in the business, but with a big and growing family, she was needed at home; her primary occupations in those years were as a homemaker and mom, two vocations at which she excelled. In addition, she taught Sabbath School classes, was active in the Seventh Day Baptist Church Women's Society, and A.E. Crandall Hook and Ladder, Alfred's Fire Department.

She initiated the idea, planned, and for years carried out, Alfred's UNICEF drives on Halloween. An early form of this was CROP (Children's Rural Overseas Program).

Stan passed away November 6, 2006, after nearly sixty-five very happy years of marriage. Lydia is gratefully and lovingly remembered by six children and their families; Dale (Linda Spaine), Sherry (Bob) Volk, Cynthia (Craig) Sinesiou, Becky (Craig) Prophet, Dennis (Beverly Hoover), and Evan (Judi Chou), a beloved daughter-in-law, Virginia Washburn Butts, thirteen grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren, and was pre-deceased by one great grandchild.

Lydia enjoyed reading aloud to her children. Some of our fondest memories are of hearing her expressive voice bringing to life fine youth fiction, Bible stories, and human interest stories. She loved people and animals and was a kindly and caring community member and pet owner.

Lydia had an extensive resume' as a volunteer, having taught First Aid, CPR, staffed blood pressure clinics, and she was a certified EMT, accompanying many ambulance runs. A trip to Australia with Stan gave

her the inspiration, when she saw one there, for an "Op (opportunity) Shop" thrift store which she helped found and which continues in the Seventh Day Baptist Church Parish House.

In their post-retirement years, Lydia and Stan traveled to Hawaii, and true to form, volunteered at Kalaupapa, on Molokai Island, Hawaii, a colony for people with leprosy. In addition, she was an active member of the Molokai Lions Club, volunteered at the Molokai Library, and served as a docent at the R.W. Meyer Sugar Mill and Cultural Center. In 1993, she was one of three volunteers honored by the wife of the then governor of Hawaii.

There were no calling hours; interment and a private service will be held at the convenience of Lydia's loving family. A memorial service will be held at a date to be determined. Memorial contributions may be made to A.E. Crandall Hook and Ladder or the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church or the charity of one's choice. To send a remembrance or light a candle please visit www.brownandpowersfuneralhomes.com the family is being assisted by Chester A. Gosper IV, director.

Arrangements are entrusted to the Bender-Brown & Powers Funeral Home 354 Canisteo St., Hornell, N.Y.

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ALFRED POLICE REPORT

The Alfred Police Department reports the following arrests:

--Francisco W. Molina, 20, of New York, NY, was charged Wednesday, May 1 with petit larceny following an investigation regarding an unknown person stealing money from a backpack in a classroom Building on the Alfred University campus. Molina was issued an appearance ticket for Alfred Village Court at a later date.

--Issued appearance tickets for Alfred Village Court after being charged with open container law violations during Hot Dog Day Weekend were: Kristian M. McGrath, 20, of Groton; Michael L. Lacorazza, 21, of Horseheads; Auti R. Ascenzi, 21, of Oswego; Joshua M. Mendez, 20, of Chaumont; Benjamin R. Eddy, 19, of Attica; Dauda Mumuni, 21, of Bronx; Karrel N. Kuwong, 20, of Houghton; John A. VanSlyke, 22, of Piffard; Joseph R. Sirianni, 21, of Hornell; Caleb F. Drumm, 20, of Campbell; Dylan J. Morrow, 19, of Geneseo; Brandon C. Gallagher, 20, of Belmont; Nicholas P. Nino, 35, of Groton; Adam S. Greene, 19, of Rochester; Elliot K. Lamkin, 21, of Hudson, OH; Casey M. Hopkins, 18, of Boston; Tobias M. Fitzsimmons, 22, of Port Byron; Gabriel L. Frey, 19, of Corfu; Anthony Garcia, 19, of Queens; Megan D. Caggianelli, 23, of Ballston; Maney L. Kinsburg, 18, of Elmira; Kevin J. Almeter, 20, of Brockport; Justin R. Tabel, 20, of Cortland; Raymond C. Shafer, 25, of Amherst; Anthony R. Riggi, 19, of Holbrook; James M. Murphy III, 18, of Cicero; John P. Ronan, 22, of Rushford; Brian L. Clerc, 28, of Eden; and Kyle W. Moore, 20, of Farmington.

In other arrests made during Hot Dog Day Weekend...

...Shawn D. Dupuis, 21, of Silver Springs, was charged with disturbing the peace, arrested for hosting a loud party, and issued an appearance ticket for Alfred

Village Court.

...Christopher J. Furness, 20, of Yorktown Heights, was charged with disturbing the peace, arrested after officers observed him urinating in public on the side of a commercial building. He is to appear at Alfred Village Court.

...Donte Angel Meredith, 22, of Batavia, was arrested for 1st degree harassment after allegedly punching another individual in the face on North Main Street. Meredith was arraigned in Almond Town Court and posted \$500 bail.

...Kalvin Moreno, 18, of Harlem was arrested for disorderly conduct after officers observed Moreno attempting to fight a group of people in the middle of N. Main Street. Moreno attempted to flee on foot and resisted arrest. While being subdued by officers, a female complainant alleged Moreno had forcibly groped her moments before officers arrested him. He was arraigned in Alfred Village Court and remanded to Allegany County Jail in lieu of \$750 bail. Additional charges are pending.

...Marcel R. Wagner, 20, of Elmira, was arrested for open container and resisting arrest following an arrest on N. Main Street. Wagner was arraigned in Alfred Village Court and remanded to Allegany County Jail in lieu of \$500 bail.

...Benjamin R. Schaeffer, 22, of Schoharie was charged with disorderly conduct and resisting arrest for yelling obscenities at officers in a public place while they were arresting a third party. He was arraigned in Alfred Village Court and released on his own recognizance.

...Dylan J. Trainor, 18, of Lawtons, was charged with 5th degree arson for lighting a dumpster on fire at a local business. He is to appear at Alfred Village Court at a later date. Additional charges are pending.

...Gerald Breedlove, 30, of Horseheads, was arrested for driving while intoxicated, blood alcohol content greater than .08%, resisting arrest, unlawful possession of marijuana, and aggravated unlicensed operation following a traffic stop on West University Street. He was arraigned in Alfred Village Court and remanded to Allegany County Jail in lieu of \$750 bail.

In an emergency, dial 911.

ALFRED

Weather for the Week

April 30-May 6

April	Hi	Lo	Precip.	Snow
30	56	47	Trace	
May 1	65	45	0	
2	77	37	0	
3	77	38	0	
4	75	34	0	
5	74	36	0	
6	75	32	0	

April Summary:

Avg. High: 57
Avg. Low: 29
Highest: 74 (April 10)
Lowest: 14 (April 4)
Total Precip.: 2.95"
Total Snow: 0.7"

By JOHN BUCKWALTER
Alfred Area Weather Recorder

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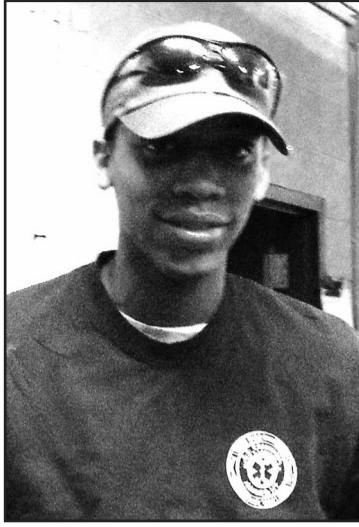
*In A.E. Crandall Hook and Ladder Company***Prendergast one of many student volunteers**By **WES BENZ***Special to the Alfred Sun*

ALFRED--Jonathan Prendergast is one of the many college students fleshing out the ranks of the Village of Alfred's volunteer fire department.

AE Crandall Hook and Ladder Company would not be able to serve the community properly without the efforts of the students from the two colleges. While they rarely become long-term members, they make important and enthusiastic contributions to the department's fire fighting and ambulance service efforts. Membership is open to all people who live, work and/or study in the town of Alfred.

Jonathan Prendergast joined the department during his first semester at Alfred State College. He quickly started his training in the Scene Support course offered by Allegany County. Now he has become an important part of the company, working with Captain L. McCormick on the Ladder Truck, Alfred-9.

Jonathan comes from



Freeport, NY on Long Island and is studying Heavy Equipment Operations at the Wellsville campus.

Jonathan is an avid fisherman. It was surprising to learn that there are actually many freshwater lakes on Long Island. If one calls his cell phone and he is unavailable, the message states he has probably gone fishing.

Jonathan became interested in

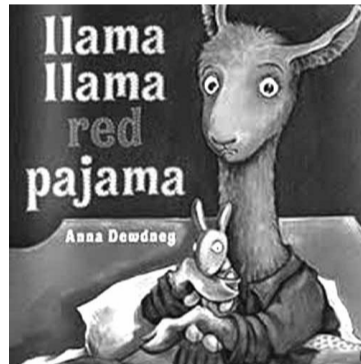
joining the fire company because of his desire to serve his community and because he has friends and relatives at home who are volunteer fire fighters. He is particularly interested in learning more about Wildland fire fighting. Who knows, that knowledge may come in handy some day on one of his fishing trips.

A-A students named to Wildwood Honors

HORNELL—The Wildwood Education Center in Hornell has announced the Honor Roll for the 3rd Quarter Marking Period. Alfred-Almond Central School students named to the Honor Roll include:

High Honor: Tiara Brown, Cosmetology; Kaitlyn Flaitz, New Visions Medical; Thomas King, Heavy Equipment; Rachel Lehman, Digital Media Arts; Ashleigh Minder, Health Occupations; Logan Peck, New Visions Medical; Michael Petric, Computer Information Technology; Kieth Vosburg, Criminal Justice; and Julie Wilcox, Cosmetology.

Honor Roll: Robert Erskine, Heavy Equipment; Breeana Hann, Digital Media Arts; Hunter Kolesar, Heavy Equipment; Alana Pac, Cosmetology; Nicholas Quant, Criminal Justice; and Jamie Sutton-Reitnauer, Heavy Equipment.

**Visit Llama Llama at Almond Library Sat.**

ALMOND—Come visit Llama Llama (resplendent in her red pajamas!) this Saturday, May 11 at 11 a.m. at the Almond Library. There will be stories, fun projects and hopes are that Wendy Potter Daily will be there with an alpaca (not all Llama's are as nice as Llama Llama). A simple felting project will be headed by Wendy for the kids to take home.

To ensure that we have enough supplies for all, it would be appreciated if parents were to make contact with the library by calling 276-6311 before 7 p.m. tonight (Thursday, May 9).

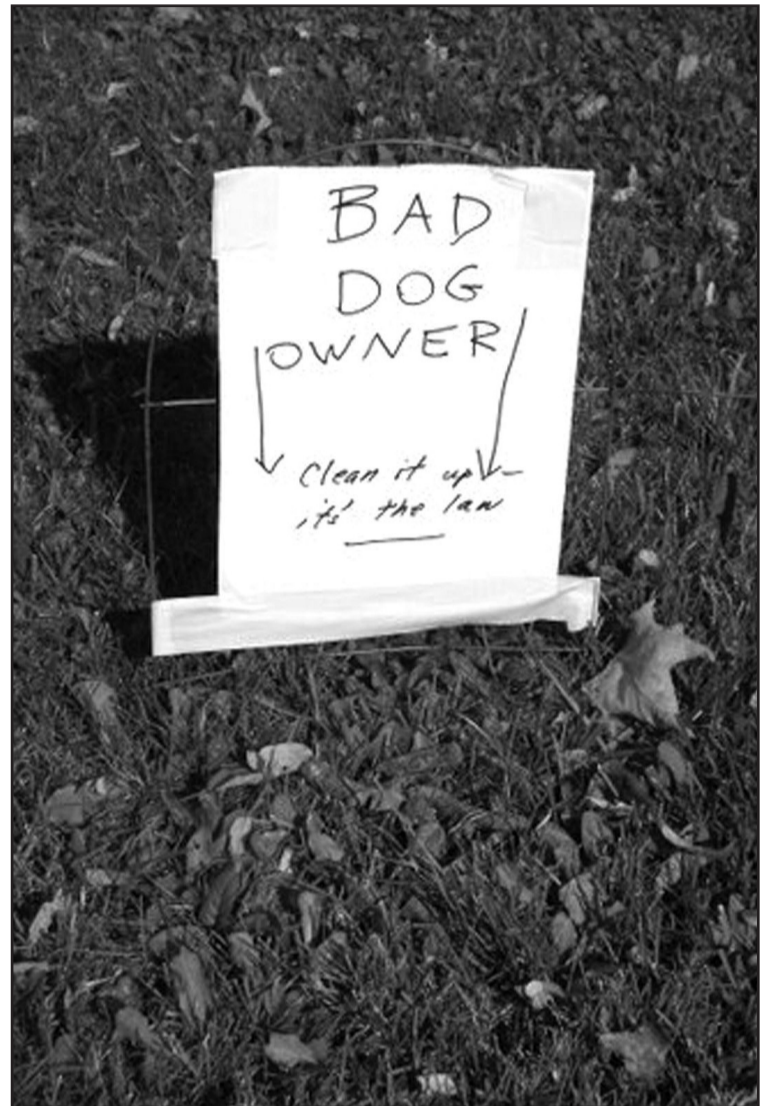
Tree disease topic of Grange meeting

ALMOND—Almond Grange will host Senior Forester Chris Enser Saturday, May 18 for an open meeting, power point presentation and video designed to raise our awareness of a host of invasive pests wreaking havoc with our trees. The 7 p.m. program will be held at the Grange Hall on School Street in Almond.

Please contact the Almond Grange, if unable to attend the presentation, and we will ask your questions that night. Senior Forester, Chris Enser is prepared to field questions about the pests affecting our privately owns trees. No reservations are required, and there is no charge for the program. Bring a friend and come. Contact Grange President, Bob Ormsby, at 607-661-8575 for information and to submit a question.

Scene About Alfred

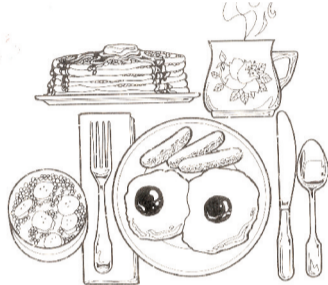
A weekly photo feature
By **SHERRY VOLK**
Alfred Sun Columnist



A neighbor attempting to make a canine's owner take responsibility. Photo taken last Fall. The offending material IS in the photo, but I suggest you simply use your imagination.

SUNNY SIDE UP

By **ELLEN SHULTZ**
Alfred Sun Columnist

**Baby Peas and Iceberg Lettuce dish**

I haven't made this recipe, even though I picked it out as probably a delicious one that I would really enjoy. The reason is that no one in my family would eat it and I would be stuck with the same dish for too many meals.

It is from a 1992 book called *The Supper Book* written by Marion Cunningham and published by Alfred A. Knopf. The dedication says "To Rover, who cleans his supper bowl every night".

The Box of Books library has many shelves of cookbooks, old and new, that could give you more culinary ideas than you could ever use.

Baby Peas and Iceberg Lettuce

4 c. shelled petite green peas	1 sm. head iceberg lettuce, cored,
6 T. butter	rinsed, wrapped & chilled
salt and pepper to taste	1 tsp. sugar
½ c. water	

Heat butter in a saucepan, add the peas and lettuce which has been cut into julienne strips, salt and pepper, sugar, and water; stir to mix well. Bring to a boil and quickly reduce heat to a simmer. Cover and simmer for about 5 minutes, or until peas are tender-timing depends on the age of the peas. Serve hot. Makes 4-6 servings.

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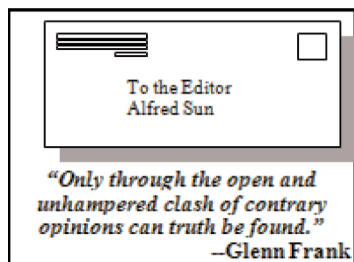
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Appalled by cartoon

To the Editor:

Once more I am appalled at the bias in the selection of cartoons in this newspaper.

This is a community paper which should strive to provide correct information at the very least. The inference that Planned Parenthood kills as many people as do guns is outrageous.

Only 3 percent of their services is devoted to providing abortions which is the focus of the religious right which ignores the 97 per cent of the valuable work done by Planned Parenthood ie education regarding pregnancy prevention thereby PREVENTING the need for an abortion.

In addition, they provide adoption referrals, rape counseling, STD testing and treatment, cancer screening and prevention, as well as primary health care for men and women, all provided at little or no charge. Many of the people who use PP have no other health care resources.

Could the good that this agency provides be equated with the daily toll brought about by guns, not to mention the mass killings that have occurred in this country recently? I hope that most right thinking people as opposed to right wing zealots will be just as offended as I and my husband are at this blatant misinformation.

Angela Rossington, RN
Alfred

Support The Fair Tax

To The Editor:

Are you in favor of replacing the loophole filled 72,000 page Federal Tax Code and the payroll taxes with a national sales tax

that is detailed in a 135 page piece of legislation?

The Fair Tax is revenue neutral meaning that it will collect the same amount of money as the current tax code. It does so while eliminating all deductions as a Federal Tax Return will not be required and the IRS will cease to exist. The tax will be collected at the point of sale. Those who spend more will pay more in taxes. Every family will receive a monthly check for the amount of taxes collected based on purchases up to the federal poverty level for their family size.

The Ways and Means Committee has the bill now. Contact Congressman Tom Reed at 202-225-3161 and ask him to vote in favor of HR 25, The Fair Tax.

Submitted by:
Irving B. Welchons III
4329 Esherwood Lane
Charlotte, NC 28270

National Hospital Week

To the Editor:

As we at Jones Memorial Hospital join other facilities around the country celebrating National Hospital Week, I'd like to thank those who work here for the caring and commitment they bring to their jobs, everyday. I would also like to express my appreciation to this community for continuing to support Jones Memorial Hospital for 90 years.

It takes a team to provide the care that has been our standard since Gertrude and William Jones left their home and property to the village of Wellsville for the purpose of establishing a hospital. It takes a special team to provide this quality care in the face of some significant challenges in healthcare today. Each and every member of our team here at Jones Memorial – including nurses, physicians, housekeepers, clerical staff, dietary services, technicians and technologists – play an important role in meeting our mission. Each and every person contributes to the success we have

achieved in the past few years. Our Auxiliary and our volunteers demonstrate an exceptional level of community spirit in what they do for this facility – and the health of their friends and neighbors.

Now, more than ever before, Jones Memorial is succeeding in meeting the healthcare needs of our community. We have achieved a positive operating margin for the past two years, and have continued this effort into 2013! Great things are happening and the momentum is building.

Everywhere you look at Jones Memorial you can see and feel the changes that are underway – from the long overdue renovations and upgrades to our second floor inpatient units to the acquisition of new cardiac and pulmonary equipment to the recruitment of new providers – including, most recently, Dr. Picco!

Our affiliation with UPMC is opening up new opportunities for our community and our staff as well. All of this has happened as a result of the team we have here at Jones Memorial and the generous support of our community.

As a small community hospital, the people we are taking care of are our friends, neighbors and family members. Our team takes this role seriously and feels honored to be here to serve! What a comfort to our patients to see a friendly, caring face in their hour of need. It has been my privilege to have been a part of Jones Memorial Hospital for over 30 years. To work with people who are caring, compassionate and professional has been a blessing. Thank you for all you do.

Eva Benedict, CEO FACHE
Jones Memorial Hospital

AU to honor Peter Cuneo

(Continued from front page)

of Alfred University who is now chief executive officer of American International Group (AIG). Benmosche will deliver the commencement address.

"We are honoring Peter Cuneo for his leadership, his years of service, and his generosity, but we also recognize him for his extraordinary professional accomplishments," said Alfred University President Charles M. Edmondson.

Cuneo is credited with seven turnarounds of distressed businesses in the global media and consumer products sectors, with perhaps the most visible the turnaround of Marvel Entertainment. From 1999-2009, he played a lead role in the turnaround of Marvel Entertainment, Inc. As president and chief executive officer, he led Marvel, post bankruptcy, to a prominent position in the entertainment industry.

After stepping down as president, he continued as vice chairman of the board of directors, providing active strategic leadership as Marvel continued to grow into one of the world's largest entertainment brands, culminating in its \$4.5 billion sale to Disney at the end of 2009. In recent years, Cuneo has served as senior advisor to a hedge fund co-investing in select private companies in the consumer and media sectors.

Prior to joining Marvel, Cuneo was president and CEO of Remington Products Co., joining it as it was near bankruptcy. In less than four years, he executed a successful turnaround and facilitated its sale to private equity investors. He has also been president of the Security Hardware Group of the Black & Decker Corp., president of Bristol-Myers Squibb Pharmaceutical Group in Canada and president of the Clairol Personal Care Division.

Currently, Cuneo is managing principal of Cuneo & Company, a private investment and management company he owns in partnership with his sons Gavin and Colin. They focus on making investments in private companies within the consumer, retail and entertainment-oriented industries.

He is currently on or has been a member of public and private companies including Marvel Entertainment, Inc., Iconix Brand Group, WaterPik Technologies, Inc., and Remington Products Co. He is currently on the board of the Foundation for the National Archives in Washington, DC, and is co-chair of its development committee. He and his sons hold board seats on most of the private companies in Cuneo & Co.'s portfolio of companies and work actively with their management teams.

Cuneo earned a Bachelor of Science degree in glass science from Alfred University, and an MBA degree from Harvard Business School. He initially served on the AU Board of Trustees from 1990 to 1993. He was re-elected to the Board in 1996 and has served as chairman of the board since 2007. He is a member of the executive, human resources, strategic planning and trusteeship committees.

He served in the U.S. Navy in the Vietnam War.

Cuneo has made numerous speeches on leadership throughout the world. He is a frequent guest on business-oriented cable television.

Cuneo and his wife Maris live in Redding, CT, where Maris trains and cares for thoroughbred horses. They have two grown children, Gavin and Colin.

FROM THE DESK OF DAVID PULLEN

By DAVID PULLEN
Allegany County Legislator



MANDATES VERSUS REALITY

Several months ago State Comptroller Thomas DiNapoli wrote an article entitled "Local Governments Must Address Cracks in Public Infrastructure." The gist of his article was that local governments (such as counties, towns and villages) provide vital services such as public safety, education, public health and transportation. He further noted that it is becoming increasingly difficult for local governments to fund "operating costs" and public infrastructure needs such as roads, bridges, water and sewer systems. Basically, local governments are caught in a squeeze between paying for social programs and paying for infrastructure. I view this as choosing between mandates and reality. If we don't maintain our infrastructure our economy will collapse and die.

The looming infrastructure costs are staggering. In 2010 NYS local governments spent about \$974 million on roads and bridges, \$224 million on sewer systems, and \$136 million on water systems. According to the Comptroller New York needs to spend \$250 billion on highway, sewer and water repairs over the next 20 years. However, the Comptroller estimates that local governments will have less than \$161 billion available for such repairs based upon projected tax revenue. That represents an estimated \$89 billion shortfall. Unfortunately, Comptroller DiNapoli only identifies the problem. He offers no solutions to this funding crisis.

Yates County Highway Superintendent David Hartman recently described this crisis from a more practical perspective. Deteriorating roads and bridges add an average of \$335 to the annual cost of owning a car due to damaged tires, suspensions and reduced fuel efficiency. Research has shown that every dollar spent maintaining a good road saves an average of more than \$6 spent to rehabilitate or rebuild one. Local governments are currently repairing/replacing less than 1/3 the number of bridges necessary to stay even with the ongoing wear and deterioration. He reports that less than 25% of the State "Dedicated Highway and Bridge Trust Fund" is actually made available for transportation capital expenditures, with the balance

going to State operations and debt service. State and federal funding for infrastructure has been flat for the past 5 years, while the cost for equipment, repairs and materials have been increasing. That means that fewer roads and bridges are being repaired, when we should be increasing the rate of such repairs.

The facts and figures regarding roads and bridges in Allegany County are similar, which is not particularly encouraging. The County has approximately 320 county and town bridges that it is responsible for maintaining. These bridges have an estimated useful life of 40 years. That means that we should be repairing or replacing 8 bridges per year. Instead we are currently repairing/replacing 3 or 4 bridges per year. This is an improvement from 2 bridges per year that were being replaced a few years back. However, at this rate we will almost certainly have a crisis within 20 years. By then numerous bridges will require repair or replacement at approximately the same time. In addition, in recent years we have emphasized repair and preservation strategies, rather than construction of new facilities. However, there are limits to how many times that facilities can be repaired before they must be replaced with new structures. This means that we can anticipate increased costs down the road.

There have been huge increases in the County Budget over the past 30 years. State and federal mandates have driven those increases. Traditional county services haven't been increased, they have been cut. Most voters and taxpayers don't object to spending money to improve roads, bridges, public safety, and similar services. Such expenditures benefit everyone in the community. However, voters and taxpayers vehemently object to funding mandated social welfare programs for those who don't/won't support themselves. The reality is that we cannot afford to pay for all of the expensive social programs and still pay for the roads, bridges, water, and sewer infrastructure. We must make some difficult choices. Shouldn't we be allowed to choose how to spend our local tax dollars? What do you think?

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'Ceramic Art of Wayne Higby' featured in Arizona

ALFRED--The Arizona State University (ASU) Art Museum Ceramics Research Center, Tempe is mounting "Infinite Place: The Ceramic Art of Wayne Higby," which opened April 27 and runs through July 20 of this year. The retrospective of contemporary ceramic work includes some 60 pieces representative of this master artist's 40-plus-year career. The works range from vessel forms and tiles to sculpture and architectural installations.

Authorities in the art world consider Higby, professor of ceramic art and the Robert C. Turner Chair of Ceramic Art in the College of Ceramics at Alfred

University (AU) since 1973, to be one of the most innovative second generation artists to emerge from the post-World War II American ceramic studio movement.

Peter Held, curator of ceramics at the ASU Art Museum, organized the Higby retrospective. Major funding was provided by an Artist's Exhibition Series grant from the Windgate Charitable Foundation with additional support by Marlin AU '54 and Regina Miller, the AU Robert C. Turner Chair Endowment Fund, Alfred University, and the Friends of Contemporary Ceramics, and the ASU School of Art Ceramics Program.

Held is also editor for the 216-page color book of the same name as the exhibit published and distributed by Arnoldsche Art Publishers, Stuttgart, Germany, which will be available in the AU Book Store, Powell Campus Center. The book contains a series of essays chronicling Higby's work by well-known scholars in the field, including the London based, preeminent design historian Tanya Harrod; Mary D. McNnes, professor of art history at AU; Ezra J. Shales, associate professor of art history at the Massachusetts College of Art; and Helen W. Drutt English, gallerist, educator, curator, and leading authority on contemporary crafts.

After the exhibition leaves Arizona, the retrospective - representing Higby's work from the 1960s to present and offering a full view of his stylistic development - will begin a two-year national tour traveling to the Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian American Art Museum, Washington, D.C. this fall (Oct. 4); the Reading (PA) Public Museum; the Philadelphia (PA) Art Alliance; the Racine (WI) Art Museum; and closing at the Memorial Art Museum, Rochester.

For Higby, this "Infinite Place" tour offers a time to contemplate just what he has wrought throughout a very full career as artist/educator. The exhibition is designed to provide an in-depth critical analysis of Higby's body of work and to explore the forms, techniques, and firing processes used throughout a career which has brought national and international recognition.

Higby offers this insight into his exhibition: "A retrospective by definition is a look back, but the ideas, materials, and processes that are tracked continually live in the present and inform each new day in the studio."

In preparation for three years, "Infinite Place" includes more than 60 ceramic objects and drawings from the ASU Museum's collection, private and

public collections, and Higby's own possessions.

Higby's work is described by his own artist statement as "Earth, sky, time, light, space: my work is a meditation on the relationship between mind and matter. It is not about landscape." Rich color and flowing lines take the observer to places reminiscent of the Colorado landscapes of his youth as well as other panoramic tableaux. Since the early 1970s, he has explored the fusion of form and surface decoration inspired by a contemplation of panoramic American landscape vistas.

After visiting China in 1991, Higby began using porcelain with celadon glazes and creating thick "rocks" that alluded to the natural environment. During the last decade, he has undertaken several ambitious, large-scale mural projects, which are part of "Infinite Places" through photo documentation along with maquettes (small scale model or rough draft of an unfinished sculpture) of these commissions. A book on Higby's work and his project "EarthCloud" - the largest hand cut porcelain, architectural installation in the world

- was published by Arnoldsche Art in 2007.

Higby is the recipient of the American Craft Movement Visionary Award from the Museum of Arts and Design, New York; the Master of the Medium Award and the Distinguished Educator Award from the James Renwick Alliance. He is Honorary Professor of Art at Shanghai University and Honorary Citizen of the "Porcelain City of Jingdezhen, China, the first foreign national to be so honored. Higby is the founding director of the Alfred-Central Academy of Fine Arts' Ceramic Design for Industry program in Beijing.

His work is held in the permanent collections of numerous art museums around the world including the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York; the Victoria and Albert Museum, London; and the Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo.

Higby is an honorary member of the National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts, a Life Trustee of the Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, Maine; and vice president of the International Academy of Ceramics, Geneva, Switzerland.



WAYNE HIGBY

Angelica café features live music

ANGELICA—Every weekend, Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café presents exceptional musicians performing a wide assortment of musical genres in the Music Room at 22 W. Main St., Angelica.

On Friday, May 10 we welcome New York City singer-songwriter Dan Coyle, with his brand of "comfy couch-familiar" contemporary folk music.

Christine Havrilla burns up the guitar and mandolin strings on Saturday, May 11 as part of an East Coast tour with her band Gypsy Fuzz, performing what she calls "Neofunkadelic-folkpoptwangrock". Both shows begin at 7:30 p.m.

COMING UP:

Friday, May 17--John MacLean --Original Traditional Folk, 7:30 p.m.

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JOHN MacLEAN

with hints of Motown, jazz, and classical. Presented as part of a special BBQ and beer pairing event. Reservations and tickets required. Dinner begins at 6:00 pm

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café serves breakfast Wednesday through Sunday mornings, lunch seven days a week, and dinner with live music every Friday and Saturday evening. Lo-



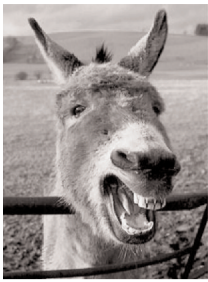
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cated at 22 West Main Street in Angelica's Park Circle National Historic District, the café seats 65 and is fully handicap-accessible, making it a perfect place for luncheons, showers, private dinners and other events. Food and beverage menus, wine lists and music schedules are posted on-line. For more information call 585-466-3399 or visit www.black-eyed-susan.com.

AU Senior Art Shows set 4-7 p.m. Saturday, May 11



Alfred University Bachelor of Fine Art candidates will present their Senior Art Show from 4 to 7 p.m. Saturday, May 11 at the NYS College of Ceramics School of Art and Design at Alfred University. Senior shows will be exhibited throughout the campus, including Binns Merrill Hall, Harder Hall and Davis Gym. Admission is free and open to the public. Visitors from throughout Western New York and beyond are invited to Alfred Saturday the 11th for the opening of the annual Senior Shows, an exhibition of the work of the 101 graduating candidates for the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from the School of Art & Design at Alfred University. The AU Senior Shows, which are a requirement for graduation from Alfred University's acclaimed School of Art & Design, have become a major attraction for art lovers, who are drawn to Alfred for the opportunity to see work by some of the country's most promising young artists. The event promises to be an exciting multi-disciplinary display of talent.



Mueller Mullings

By MATT MUELLER
Alfred Sun Columnist

THE GOOD, THE BAD, AND THE HOT DOG DAY

For users of the Internet, Wikipedia tells us that "Hot Dog Day is celebrated in the spring in the village of Alfred, New York. It has been celebrated since 1972... Hot Dog Day, which is organized primarily by students from Alfred University and Alfred State College, raises money for local charities and community organizations..."

Sounds like a good idea. In fact it must be. Alfredians observed it for the forty-first consecutive year, officially on Friday and Saturday, April 25 and 26, 2013. On this occasion, unlike during the rainy days a year earlier, the weather for this primarily outdoor activity was perfect.

Subsequently I spoke with HDD Advisor, Tricia Debertolis, to find out if the superior weather had brought good monetary results. She assured me that more money had been made than a year ago, and she had not received it all yet. The six beneficiaries chosen by this year's Hot Dog Day Committee can shout, "Hooray!"

Unfortunately, over the years and regardless of the weather, HDD has become a time which brings out both the best and the worst in people. Examples of the latter characteristics were covered on Friday, May 3, 2013, in the Hornell, New York, newspaper, "The Evening Tribune." It gave each offender's name, age, and hometown.

Atop the front page in a modest typeface appeared the words "Hot Dog Day in Alfred." Beneath this a very large headline read, "Police make dozens of arrests." Below that, still in headline format, readers learned "Arson, DWI, disturbing the peace among many charges."

On page 2 a separate article listed twenty-five people ranging in age from 18 to 35 years old who were charged with an "open container of alcohol violation." Alfred Police Chief Tim O'Grady told the "Tribune" in an e-mail that this was a decrease from past years. Good.

The main article, continued on page 7, provided details regarding eight other arrests resulting from a range of alleged or observed infractions. Included were lighting a fire in a dumpster adjacent to a local business, disorderly conduct, fighting, resisting arrest, drunk driving, unlawful possession of marijuana, and urinating in public on the side of a business building. Some individuals were held culpable for more than one of these actions. Bad.

I noted that only one of these eight people was charged with hosting a loud party. However, I witnessed several of these gatherings near my house on South Main Street. I have been told about others on North Main Street.

From what I personally observed, it might have been very difficult for anyone, including guests, to determine whether or not there was an official "host." To me the high volume parties seemed to be a matter of spontaneous combustion resulting from an overdose of alcohol consumption.

Except, that is, for the firecrackers which someone must have deliberately lit. They sounded close, presumably exploding across the street from my house. However, my ears are not always to be believed, even though I wear a hearing aid in each one.

This brings up another problem which I had with HDD this year. Typically, on Saturday afternoon various vendors sell arts and crafts. Food, obviously including hot dogs, and carnival rides are made available. I worked for two and a half hours at one of the tents where multiples of 50 cent tickets for some of these functions were sold. It was manned by members of a support group for an organization which HDD was benefiting.

Even under the tent the blaring of the music and general noise were overwhelming to me. I tried adjusting my hearing aids to clarify ticket customers' voices. In ordinary circumstances I often have trouble distinguishing the spoken word "five" from "nine." On this occasion my batting average was excessively low. I could not distinguish "four" from "eight" or nearly any other numerical combination with assuredness.

I was surprised to learn afterwards that a co-worker with normal hearing had had problems there, too. Another worker of mature years received my commiseration upon mentioning the exhaustion resulting from her ticket selling experience. She suggested that younger people should take on the job in the future. I agreed.

The most startling incident affecting a friend of which I am aware was undeniably alcohol related. Someone threw a full beer can through a window on her garage. Luckily, the can did not strike her car. Some of the shattered glass did.

In the intended spirit of HDD, this bad person could still transform into a good one. Just step forward and pay for the replaced window. Then treat yourself to a deserved hot dog. Please, skip the beer.

VILLAGE GARBAGE SERVICE MEMORIAL DAY

PLEASE NOTE the following important information regarding your service:

Alfred Village Garbage Service
will be running a day late
the week of Memorial Day

The Village will have service
on Wednesday, May 29



THE T'AI CHI GROUP that practices every weekday has emerged from its winter quarters in the McLane Center to its summer venue on the Alfred Village Green. The group looks forward to being reunited with its teacher, Master Guifang Liu, who has returned from China for the summer. Newcomers are welcome to join the group which meets at 9 a.m. (Photo by Angela Rossington)

CAMPUS NOTES

Cody Lippincott of Almond was recognized for outstanding academic achievement at Buffalo State's 56th annual Honors Convocation on April 18, 2013. Lippincott is a Forensic Chemistry major at Buffalo State. To qualify, students must earn a cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or higher and have accumulated a minimum of 45 credit hours. Buffalo State's Honors Convocation is held each spring to celebrate students who have achieved this level of academic excellence.

Alfred State will collect electronics for recycling Saturday, May 11

ALFRED—The Hornell Area Humane Society will be on the Alfred State College campus to collect electronics for recycling on Saturday, May 11.

In partnership with REACT, an electronics recycling company certified by the NY Department of Environmental Conservation, they will accept a wide variety of electronics, including: phones, computers, monitors, keyboards, mice, video game consoles, cables, scanners, printers, DVD players, TVs, vacuums, microwaves and AV equipment.

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St. James Mercy Health honors auxiliary volunteers

HORNELL—Governor Andrew Cuomo has proclaimed May 8, 2013 as "Health Care Auxilian Day" in New York State. St. James Mercy Hospital is joining hospitals across the state in recognizing the dedicated auxilian volunteers who annually donate countless hours of service to their health care facilities and communities. Over 75 Auxiliary members will be honored by St. James Mercy at a luncheon on June 11.

Founded in 1904, St. James Mercy's Auxiliary volunteers thousands of hours each year toward fundraising and community service projects. Through their past fundraising efforts, Auxiliary members have purchased much-needed equipment for the hospital and nursing home including ICU beds, furniture for maternity, grants to support adult day care and McAuley Manor programs, as well as renovation of the main lobby and the School of Radiologic Science. The Auxiliary manages the gift shops at Mercycare and the hospital, as well as coordinates events to benefit the hospital including book fairs, Tree of Life program, uniform sales, food fairs and bazaars. To date, the Auxiliary has contributed approximately \$700,000 to support St. James Mercy Hospital.

According to Sylvia Bryant, Executive Director of St. James Mercy Foundation, "The Auxiliary makes it possible for us to fulfill our mission – to be a healing presence in our rural communities, and address the needs of the poor, underserved and disadvantaged. These volunteers often work behind the scenes to provide comfort and support to patients, families and staff. We are so fortunate to have this dedicated and talented group, committed to serving the many needs of people who come to us for care."

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(Proceeds to benefit Genesee Valley HfH)

AU announces Marlin Miller Senior Award recipients

ALFRED—Jordyn Larkins, who is majoring in communication studies and Spanish in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, and Samuel Miller, a materials science and engineering major in the Inamori School of Engineering, are this year's recipients of the Marlin Miller Outstanding Senior Awards at Alfred University (AU).

Larkins and Miller will receive their awards, which include a handcrafted tile and a \$5,000 check, at Alfred University's annual Honors Convocation Friday, April 26. They will also speak at Commencement May 18.

Outstanding seniors — one man and one woman — are chosen each year by a campus-wide committee on the basis of scholarship, extracurricular leadership and personal character. Faculty, staff and students may nominate candidates for the award.

"Jordyn and Sam are truly well rounded, positive and successful students that the Marlin Miller award was established to honor," said Kathy Woughter, vice president for Student Affairs. "Both have been captains of varsity athletic teams, graduates of our leadership programs (the Women's Leadership Academy for Jordyn and the Gary Horowitz Leadership Development Program for Sam), leaders in community service and exceptional scholars. More than that, though, is the solid commitment both Jordyn and Sam have to mentoring younger students, and sharing their love for AU with others. I am proud and pleased to call them our 2013 Outstanding Seniors."

Her four years at Alfred University have taught her to be a

leader, said Larkins. When she arrived on campus as a freshman, "I tried to be very active and involved in extracurricular activities," and that allowed her to hone her leadership skills.

She is the student representative for the Class of 2013 Opportunity Program students. Being elected by her peers to represent them "meant a lot to me. It showed me that students from my class trust me and my judgment ...and were willing to allow me to be their voice."

Larkins is captain of the women sprinters on the track team, and has helped to built the cadre of women sprinters who belong to the team. In her freshman year, Larkins was one of the only women sprinters, but each year, she recruited more. She has tried to be a role model for the others in practice and in the classroom. "I am very proud of the team as a whole," she said, but she takes pride in "seeing the girls grow and mature just as I did during the course of four years."

An opportunity to present her research paper, "An analysis of masculinity in Los Lunes al Sol and Smoking Room," at the Penn York Undergraduate Research Conference allowed her to refine her public speaking skills.

Larkins is a member of Phi Sigma Iota, the modern languages honor society, and of Phi Beta Kappa, a national honor society for liberal arts majors. Being inducted into the two honor societies "serves as a testament that hard work and sacrifice truly pays off," said Larkins. She was selected to participate in the Women's Leadership Academy.

She serves on the advising



Jordyn Larkins and Sam Miller, recipients of the Marlin Miller Outstanding Seniors Award at Alfred University.

committee for the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, and is a member of the AU Gospel group.

Larkins has been a summer public relations intern with the Rochester Rhinos professional soccer team; an operations assistant with the Children's Youth and Learning Initiative at Alfred University; a guest relations host at the Strong National Museum of Play in Rochester; a camp counselor for the Community Place of Rochester and an entrepreneur at Art Peace in Rochester.

A graduate of Allendale Columbia School in Rochester, Larkins is the daughter of Muriel Larkins of Rochester.

"Alfred University is as much a part of me as I am of it, considering the mark that AU's faculty, staff and students have made on me," said Miller, who earlier this month also received at State University of New York Chancellor's Award for Excellence.

"When I host students overnight, take them on tours, or talk at fall or spring visit days, I always use the same word to describe Alfred: Community," Miller added. "We make sure you are not just an athlete, bookworm or artist. The Alfred community takes you in and helps mold you into the person you want to be. Alfred gives you things you can't measure — friends and a support system, a home away from home, career opportunities. I hope I've been able to give back to the Alfred community as much as it has given to me."

While his primary focus has been on academics — Miller received the Scholes Award for the highest grade point average among freshmen engineers and the 2012 Faculty Award for Outstanding ceramic engineering and materials science senior -- he said he's gotten much more than a degree at Alfred.

Raised on a small family farm in a rural community in Ohio, Miller said at Alfred University he was exposed "to a range of diversity I had never experienced...people of many races, nationalities and religions [as well as] students with different interests from each of the colleges," and he found friends among them all. He participated in Drawn to Diversity as a sophomore, creating a game that taught the pros and cons of hydrofracking. His project earned him as nomination for the Richard V. Bergren Student Innovation Award.

Involved with a number of campus organizations, Miller is a member of Tau Beta Pi, the national engineering honor society; an officer of Keramos, the ceramic engineering honor society; and president of Material Advantage, the materials science club. He coordinated a student trip to the Materials Science and Technology conference, and arranged for club programs. He also helped with the club's outreach to local elementary school students to teach them about materials science. He has had two articles published in the American Ceramic Society Bulletin.

Miller has been a research assistant to Scott Mixture, professor of materials science at Alfred University and to John Olesik, director of the Trace Element Re-

search Laboratory at Ohio State. He has been a summer research assistant at Corning Incorporated and at Owens Corning, and worked with the Alfred University Career Development Center as an engineering research assistant.

He is a member of the Newman Club and has participated in several community service events, including a monthly soup kitchen. Through the AU Honors Program, he also did community service projects, including assistance to senior citizens on home maintenance tasks and a clean-up at Foster Lake. He has been an Honors Program "Big Brother" and a member of the Saxon Sidekicks peer mentoring program.

Captain of the men's varsity soccer team, Miller was a member of the Student Athlete Advisory Committee and the search committee for a new athletics director. He was named a NSCAA Scholar Athlete and received an Empire 8 Sportsmanship Award.

Miller is the son of Aaron and Melissa Miller of Kinsman, OH. He is a graduate of Badger High School.

Along with a hand-crafted tile made by Wayne Higby, an internationally acclaimed artist and professor of ceramic art in the School of Art & Design at AU, Larkins and Miller will receive \$5,000 in cash, thanks to an endowment created by Robert L. MacNeil Jr. of Wyndmoor, PA, a friend and business colleague of Marlin Miller, who is a 1954 alumnus of Alfred University as well as a member and former chairman of the Board of Trustees.

While Alfred University has for many years presented outstanding senior awards to the man and woman in each class, in 2004 the awards were named in honor of Marlin Miller Jr.



Grüvology, a band based out of Buffalo, will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 18 at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center.

Grüvology to perform in Wellsville

WELLSVILLE--Grüvology will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 18 at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. Advance tickets are \$12, \$14 at door. Members save an additional \$2. Tickets may be purchased online at www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com or at the Art Center Coffee House. For more information visit the website or call (585) 593-3000.

A jazz-funk band based out of Buffalo, Grüvology is intent on pushing the envelope, keeping the spirit of jazz alive and vibrant by being open to many musical influences and incorporating them into their compositions and improvisations. Audiences note the band's ability to segue from a tightly constructed composition to creating improvised music on the fly or improvising a backing track for a poetry reading. The group has developed a level of intuition and instinctive interaction which allows it to freely spin a composition into a new and unan-

ticipated performance, to take things "out there."

Grüvology has just won the 2012 Buffalo Music Award & Artvoice 2012 Western New York Music Award for Best Jazz Group and Walter Kemp for Best Original Keyboard Player. Jeff Miers (Gusto, Buffalo News) calls Bernard Kunz "...one of the most adventurous guitarists...his 'chops' are of the 'to die for' variety." They are backed by an intuitive and supportive rhythm section with Cameron Kayne on bass and Dave Phillips on drums.

They have been well-received by jazz audiences in Buffalo (in particular their sold-out CD release party at the Hallwalls Theater in Ani DiFranco's Babeland Performing Arts Center and the standing room only concert at the Albright Knox Art Gallery) as well as in Toronto and New York City. Grüvology seeks to provide audiences with a different experience each time it performs, whether it's at a coffee house gig or a full-scale concert venue.

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Alfred Village Band offers summer concerts of popular music and marches at the Alfred Village Bandstand. For more information, please e-mail Nancy Luger at: lugerna@yahoo.com or call her at 607-587-9449.

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 p.m. Café opens early for dinner, espresso, wine & beer, Scrabble & chess. **Music Schedule:** Friday, March 15—Curtis Osgood and RJ Siegers; Saturday, March 16—Savannah King; Friday, March 29—Chacho; Saturday, March 30—Bryan Rason; Friday, April 5—Joe Miller; Saturday, April 6—Amanda Davids; Friday, April 12—Don Baker; Saturday, April 13—Dan Holt; Friday, April 19—Marie Chabot; Saturday, April 20—Ron Ireland; Friday, April 26—Kate Jeong; Saturday, April 27—Bill Ring and Stacy Farina. Music begins at 7:30 p.m. Café open 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. for meals, espresso, beer, wine, desserts. Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café, 22 W. Main St., Angelica. Call 585-466-3399 or visit black-eyed-susan.com

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

Maple City Bowl, 7580 Seneca Road, Hornell. DJ/Karaoke every Friday Night 9 p.m.-1 a.m.; Saturday night bands from 9 p.m.-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 16—Burns & Kristy; Saturday, March 23—Farewell Drifters; Saturday, March 30—Driftwood; Saturday, April 6—D.B. Rielly; Friday, April 19—Hickory Project; Saturday, April 27—Nora Jane Struthers & The Party Line; Friday, May 3—Big Leg Emma; Saturday, May 11—Lustre Kings. For tickets, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com or call 585-593-3000.

CHORAL GROUPS
Andover Catholic Choir. Rehearsals 7 p.m. Mondays at Blessed Sacrament Church, Andover. New members welcome. Contact Director Marcy Bledsoe at 428-5238.

Genesee Valley Chorus. Weekly rehearsals 7 p.m. 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 St. Ann's School, 27 Erie Ave., Hornell. New members welcome. Call 276-6835 for info.

Sanctuary Choir. Rehearsals Thursdays at 7 p.m. 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. Saturday, Open Mic Night Wednesdays when colleges are in session.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers Coffee Houses nightly Monday-Thursday 7:30-10:30 p.m. with Movies on Mondays, Acoustic Campfire on Tuesdays, Open Mic Night every Wednesday 7 to 9:30 p.m. For more info, visit: www.WellsvilleCreativeArts-Center.com or call 585-593-3000.

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

Buckwalter, AU Carillonneur.

Wingate Memorial Carillon Recital Series at Davis Memorial Carillon, AU campus. Free concerts on the lawn 7-8 p.m. Tuesday evenings in July. 2013 Series include: July 9—Carol Jickling Lens from Colorado; July 16—Sally Harwood from Michigan; July 23—Tim Sleep from Illinois; July 30—Philippe Beullens from Belgium.



Theater & Dance

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

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

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

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

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

Let's Dance Club offers occasional dances. Five dances are scheduled Sundays from 2-5 pm at Arkport American Legion: Nov. 25, Jan. 27, Feb. 24 and

March 24. For more information, contact presidents George and Carole Onoda at (607) 276-5475, vice-presidents John and Dee Cwynar at (607) 324-0373, secretaries Duffy and Barb Elsenheimer at (607) 295-7194, treasurers Charlie and Kathy Bill at (607) 295-7130, or band coordinators Doug and Melody Carrier at (607) 324-5821.

Valentine's Day Dance. 9 p.m.-12 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 16, Knight Club, Powell Campus Center, AU. Sponsored by International Student and Scholar Organization.

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
Almost Maine. Play presented by AU Performing Arts. Save the dates: Wed.-Sat., April 17-20.

Art/ Galleries

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

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Artist Knot. 36 Main Street, Andover. Current Exhibit: "Betsy Kent: Divergence". Admission is

always free. Gallery Hours: Tues., Wed. & Fri. 11 am-4 pm, Thurs. 11-5 & Sat. 11-3 or anytime by appointment. Closed Sun., Mon. and Holidays. (607) 478-5100.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Mather Homestead Museum, 343 Main St., Wellsville. Open 2-5 pm Wed. & Sat. or by appt. (Free) Call 716-593-1636.

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NOTES from the BOX OF BOOKS

By ELIZA ORDWAY

Box of Books Library Director

Last week I asked what does the word library mean to you? Then I gave the Webster's dictionary definition. This week I thought I would let you know what the word library means to me. I am going to give you two quick answers one as a patron and one as the director of a public library.

As a patron the library is the first place I go to see if I can get a new book, DVD, audio book or magazine. It is the second place I go when looking for information. Second? Yes second, at home I will Google things on my computer find great suggestions for books on this topic and then head to the library or our website and look for the books in the system. It is also where I look to get content for my digital devices (yes devices) I have only once bought a book for my Kindle and that was because I was too impatient to wait for it. The library also offers a place for my kids to get some out of school education in increasingly different, fun ways and in much smaller settings than in school. To me the library's value is immeasurable both monetarily and educationally for both my kids and I.

As the Director of the Box of Books I will tell you that the word library means a system of 48 libraries, not just our beautiful library here in Alfred, available to patrons. Services are offered in computers training, pleasure reading, educational classes, recreational learning for adults and children are available without charge to all. Libraries have a come a long way in the last 5 years and will continue to change. Will you be changing with us?

Coming Events:

May 10 at 11 am – Llama, Llama visits the Library! The Box of Books will be visited by Llama from the Llama, Llama books by Anna Dewdney.

May 17 No Mother Goose

May 18 at 12pm – Tin Can Lanterns and Banana Dessert Rolls – Adult Program, please bring your own hammer for this event.

May 23 at 4:30 – Bookworms Celebrate Memorial Day with flag themed story, craft and activities. School age event open to all.

May 24 at 11 – Mother Goose on the Loose; Birth to age 5 stories, music and movement.

May 26 and 27 Library Closed for Memorial Day

May 31 at 11 - Mother Goose on the Loose.

Registration can be done by calling 587.9290, on our Facebook page (Alfred Box of Books Library) or by visiting our website www.alfredboxofbookslibrary.org

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Congressman Tom Reed to hold four more town hall meetings

CORNING—Congressman Tom Reed will host four more town hall meetings Saturday, May 11 in Ontario, Steuben, and Tompkins counties. The meetings provide an opportunity for residents to express opinions and speak directly with Congressman Reed.

"The best dialogue happens in person," Reed said. "I hope residents of the 23rd district join the discussion and share their thoughts on where our priorities should be so we can bring that

input to Washington. It's important we hear directly from as many constituents as possible."

Reed has held 91 town halls since being elected in 2010. Town halls will be held May 11 as follows:

8:00 a.m.—Newfield Town Hall, 166 Main Street, Newfield.

10:30 a.m.—Erwin Town Hall, 310 Town Center Rd, Painted Post

1:00 p.m.—Cohocton Town Court, 19 Main St., Atlanta

3:45 p.m.—Manchester Town Hall, 1272 Co. Rd 7, Clifton

Springs

Those unable to attend the town halls are encouraged to share their thoughts with Rep. Reed through his website (www.Reed.house.gov) or (www.Facebook.com/RepTom-Reed) Individuals may also sign up for regular updates at Reed's website (www.Reed.house.gov/contact-me/newsletter).

Reed's newest office in Tompkins County is also open for business. Visit www.Reed.house.gov for details.



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Terra Cotta Museum. Main St., Alfred. Open on special occasions or

by appointment, call 587-8358.



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

Baker's Bridge Historical Association. Meets 7:30 p.m. third Monday of each month, Sept.-April in the Meeting House, 5971 Hamilton Hill Road, Alfred Station. April 15--Mary Jemison's Story with Kay Bennett & Bill Heaney; May--Field Trip. For more information, call President Laurie McFadden, 587-9493. To tour building and/or view exhibits, call Historian Susan Greene at 587-9488. Visit: www.bakersbridge.org

Bergren Forum. 12:10 p.m. Thursdays, Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center, AU campus. Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee & tea available. Spring Semester 2013 Schedule: April 4--Rodney Holmes (Visiting Musician); April 11--William Carty, "Color in Ceramic Glazes: A Happy Accident"; April 18--Susan Morehouse, "Why I Like 'Brave': A Memoir of Mothering and Movies."; April 25--Wakoh Shannon Hickey and students, "Genealogy.com, Google Earth, and Grandma: AU Students Trace Their Roots and Routes."; May 2--David Degraff, "The Physics of Snowboarding."

Hornell Fortnightly Club. 7:30 pm second Thursday of each month

during academic year, Hornell High School Library. Membership dues \$12/single, \$18/family. Mail to: Donald Doster, 191 Hornell St., Hornell, NY 14843.

Maple City Garden Club. Monthly potluck lunch second Wednesday at Sawyer St. Court, Hornell (unless otherwise noted) at 12 noon. Program follows: April 10--"Saving Seeds" with Brigitte Reynolds of Quest Farm, and Sandy Dygert. May 8--Plant auction and planning the 2013-2014 program. June 12--Field Trip to Quest Farm to hear Tom McDowell's talk and display of his honey bees after a noon lunch at Mulheissen's. For info, call Zoe Coombs at 587-8031.

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



Films

AU Alternative Cinema—7 p.m. Thursdays when college is in session, Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall. 7 p.m.
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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. April 5, 7--Promised Land; April 12, 14--Identity Thief; April 19, 21--Silver Linings Playbook; May 3, 5--Django Unchained.

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.

Special Events

Herrick Library, Alfred University will host the following events:
TEAM TRIVIA 8 p.m. Saturday, April 6 at the Book End Lounge.
MASSAGE & THERAPY DOG at 8 pm Thursday, May 9 at the Book End Lounge.

Support Groups

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Afternoon Grief Support Group. Meets second Wednesday of the month at 1 p.m. in the McAuley Manor Chapel on the 2nd floor. For info, Chaplain Astuti 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 bmccormick@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 Robert Staub at 607-545-6404 or Donna Boag at 607-295-9852.

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

Etcetera

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

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

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

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

Deadline

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

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

WHAT'S COOKIN'?

Allegany County Office for the Aging Meals on Wheels & Luncheon Center Menu Monday, May 13

Cranberry Gelatin Salad, Roast Turkey w/Gravy, Stuffing, Squash, Dinner Roll, Pumpkin Crunch, Diabetic - Peaches.

Tuesday, May 14
Pickled Beets, Breaded Fish/Tartar Sauce, Baked Potato, Sour Cream, Mixed Vegetables, Wheat Bread, Lemon Mousse, Diabetic - Lemon.

Wednesday, May 15
Carrot Raisin Salad, Pepper Steak, Brown Rice, Banana Bread, Zucchini & Stewed Tomato, Pears, Diabetic - Pears. "Birthday Cake @ Whitesville Center."

Thursday, May 16
Mandarin Orange Salad, Fireman's BBQ Chicken, Baked Beans, Southwest Corn, Dinner Roll, Applesauce Cake, "Birthday Cake @ Centers."

Friday, May 17
Orange Juice, Ham & Broccoli Frittata, Creamed Peas, Wheat Bread, Fruited Gelatin, Diabetic - Fruit Cocktail.
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 10:30-11:30 a.m. with Mary Lou Maxon. Lunch at noon.
Wednesday--Exercises at 10:30 a.m. with Mary Lou Maxon, lunch at noon.
Thursday--Lunch at noon.

BELMONT NUTRITION SITE
American Legion Hall, 11:30 a.m.
Call Lila Johnson at 585-268-5380.
Tuesday--Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "Sunday Drives." Blood Pressure Clinic.
Thursday--Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "May Party w/Milt Newcomb & Band."

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE
Fire Hall 12 noon
Call Rita Morris at 585-928-2278
Monday--Exercises at 11 a.m., lunch at noon.
Wednesday--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon.

THURSDAY--Lunch at noon. "May Party with Bolivar-Richburg C.S. Students."
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. "Word Fun." Exercises/ Cards at 1 p.m. Kim Toot, Office for the Aging.
Thursday--Exercises at 10:15 a.m., "Vanity Plates" with Craig Braack. Lunch at 12 noon. "May Party." Exercises at 1 p.m.

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CUBA NUTRITION SITE
AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon
Call Linda Nelson at 585-968-2397
Monday--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles. Lunch at noon. "Riding the Rails."
Tuesday--Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "Famous Athletes."
Wednesday--Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at noon. "Current Topics." Blood Pressure Clinic.
Thursday--Exercises, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles, Euchre at 9:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "Sunday Drives."

FILLMORE NUTRITION SITE
Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Maggie Brown at 585-737-5609
Monday--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.
Thursday--Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon.

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. Cheryl Czworka, Monitoring Visit & "Too Good to be True Health Claims."
Thursday--Exercises at 10:45 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. Crafts at 1 p.m.

WELLSVILLE NUTRITION SITE
Community Center, 12 noon
Call Donna Fiegl at 585-593-7665.
Monday--Stretch at 9 a.m., Walking at 9:30 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at noon, Euchre at 1 p.m., Exercise at 1:30 p.m.
Wednesday--Walking at 9:30 a.m., Games at 10 a.m., Lunch at noon, Euchre at 1 p.m., Exercise at 1:30 p.m.
Thursday--Stretch at 9 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Bridge at 1 p.m., Exercise at 1:30 p.m. Blood Pressure Clinic.
Friday--Walking at 9:30 a.m., Bingo at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Pinochle at 12:30 p.m., Exercise at 1:30 p.m.

WHITESVILLE NUTRITION SITE
Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Becky Mattison at 607-356-3571.
Monday--Exercises, lunch at noon. Jigsaw Puzzle. "National Etiquette Week: Do Your Manners Measure Up?"
Tuesday--Jigsaw Puzzle, Bingo, "Movies & Movie Stars." Lunch at noon.
Wednesday--Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Jigsaw Puzzle, Lunch at noon. "How Would You Handle This?" Cheryl Czworka, Monitoring Visit & "Too Good to be True Health Claims."

Grand Theater

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May 10-May 16
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21. Public Notices

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF TENTATIVE ASSESS- MENT ROLL AND HEARING OF COMPLAINTS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Assessor of the Town of Alfred, County of Allegany, has completed the tentative assessment roll for the current year; that a copy thereof has been left with Jan Burdick, Town Clerk, 6340 Shaw Road, Alfred Station, N.Y., where it may be seen and examined by any person interested therein until the first Wednesday after the fourth Tuesday in May, and that on such day the Board of Assessment Review of said town will meet at 6340 Shaw Road, Alfred Station, New York in said town, between the hours of 5 P.M. and 9 P.M. Wednesday, May 29, to hear and examine all complaints, in relation to such assessments, on the application of any person believing himself aggrieved thereby.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that prior to the aforementioned date, the said assessor will be in attendance with said Assessment Roll at 6340 Shaw Road, Alfred Station, New York, in said town, on the following four days and times:

Wednesday, May 8, 2013
from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Wednesday, May 15, 2013
from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Saturday, May 18, 2013
from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Wednesday, May 22, 2013
from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

to hear and file any complaints in relation to said Assessment Roll.

Dated: May 1st, 2013

SUZANNE PUTT
Assessor, Town of Alfred
18-2b

NOTICE OF HEARING

The Town of Alfred Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, May 16, 2013 at 7:00 P.M. at the Town Building, 6430 Shaw Road, Alfred Station, NY for the purpose of gathering information to aid the Zoning Board of Appeals in determining the disposition of the following applications:

Appeal #1-2013 for an area variance to Article VIII of the Town of Alfred Zoning Laws, for Thomas Mansfield for property located at 604 State Route 244, Alfred Station, NY seeking approval to put a garage less than 85 feet from the center of the highway.

The above application is open for inspection at the Town Clerk's office. Persons wishing to appear at such hearing may do so in person or by attorney or other representative. Communication in writing, in relation thereto, may be filed with the Board through the Clerk or at such hearing.

JUDSON STEARNS JR.
Chairman
Zoning Board of Appeals
Town of Alfred 19-1b

PUBLIC NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Alfred Rural Cemetery Association will be held at 7 pm Monday, May 13 at the office of Southern Tier Concrete Products, Rt. 244 Alfred Station. All Cemetery property owners are invited to attend.

The Cemetery Board would like to encourage lot owners to clean up their dead flowers/plants and faded artificial flowers before Memorial Day. Please make sure there are NO wires in the grass and NO glass containers that would endanger the mowing crew.



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21.Public Notices

NOTICE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY (LLC)

ALARO CAPITAL PARTNERS LLC, a domestic LLC, Arts. of Org. filed with the SSNY on 2/12/13. Office location: Allegany County. SSNY is designated as agent upon whom process against the LLC may be served. SSNY shall mail process to: Christopher J Gorman, 331 W. 57th St., #301, NY, NY 10019. General Purposes. 14-6b

NOTICE OF FORMATION

ANDOVER ROAD LLC filed Articles of Organization with the NY Department of State on April 12, 2013. Its principal office is located in the County of Allegany, State of New York. The Secretary of State has been designated as agent of the Company upon whom process against it may be served, and the address to which he or she shall mail a copy of any process served upon him or her is 439 North Main Street, Wellsville, NY 14895. The purpose of the Company is any lawful business. 18-6b

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21.Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE
SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMONS
SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF ALLEGANY Index No.41382/12

VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, INC.,
Plaintiff,

-vs-
JEANNETTE GAGE a/k/a JEANNETTE A. GAGE;
ARCHIE MATTISON, if living, and if he be dead, any and all persons unknown to plaintiff, claiming, or who may claim to have an

interest in, or generally or specific lien upon the real property described in this action; such unknown persons being herein generally described and intended to be included in the following designation, namely: the wife, widow, husband, widower, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors, and assignees of such deceased, any and all persons deriving interest in or lien upon, or title to said real property by, through or under them, or either of them, and their respective wives, widows, husbands, widowers, heirs at law, next of kin, descendants, executors, administrators, devisees, legatees, creditors, trustees, committees, lienors and assigns, all of whom and whose names, except as stated, are unknown to plaintiff;
SO TIER CREDIT CENTER INC.;
ALLEGANY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICE;
SOUTHERN TIER CREDIT CENTER INC., agent for St. James Mercy Hospital, Steuben Trust Company;
and "JOHN DOE #1" through "JANE DOE #10", the last 10 names being fictitious and unknown to the Plaintiff, the persons or parties intended being the occupants, tenants, persons or entities, if any, having or claiming an interest in or lien upon the mortgages premises described in the verified complaint,
Defendants.

Mortgaged Premises:
4 Railroad Avenue, Andover, New York 14806

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS: YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance on the attorneys for the Plaintiff within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service (or within thirty (30) days after service is complete if this summons is not personally delivered to you within the State of New York). The United States, if designated as a defendant in this action, may appear sixty (60) days after service hereof, as allowed by 28 USC 2410(b). In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

NOTICE YOU ARE IN DANGER OF LOSING YOUR HOME If you do not respond to this summons and complaint by serving a copy of the answer on the attorney for the mortgage company who filed this foreclosure proceeding against you and filing the answer with the court, a default judgment may be entered and you can lose your home. Speak to an attorney or go to the court where your case is pending for further information on how to answer the summons and protect your property. Sending a payment to your mortgage company will not stop this foreclosure action.

YOU MUST RESPOND BY SERVING A COPY OF THE ANSWER ON THE ATTORNEY FOR THE PLAINTIFF (MORTGAGE COMPANY) AND FILING THE ANSWER WITH THE COURT. Allegany County is designated as the place of trial. The basis of venue is the location of the mortgaged premises foreclosed herein. Dated: December 20, 2012 /s/ Michael A. D'Emidio, Esq. Helfand & Helfand Attorneys for Plaintiff 350 Fifth Avenue, Suite 2826 New York, NY 10118 212-599-3303 (SECTION: 216.14, BLOCK: 1, LOT: 42.1).

NATURE AND OBJECT OF ACTION The object of the above action is to foreclose a mortgage held by the Plaintiff recorded in the County of ALLEGANY, State of New York on October 31, 2006, in Liber 1578 of Mortgages, at page 232. TO THE DEFENDANT, the plaintiff makes no personal claim against you in this action. To the above named defendants: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of the Hon. Terrance M. Parker, acting Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of N.Y., dated January 14, 2013 and filed along with the supporting papers in the Allegany County Clerk's Office. This is an action to foreclose a mortgage. The premises is described as follows:

PARCEL I ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, situate in the Town of Andover, County of Allegany and State of New York, being a portion of Great Lot No. 65 in said Village and a portion of the premises described in the deed from John Howe and wife to Crayton L. Earley recorded in the Allegany County Clerk's Office in Liber 223 of Deeds at Page 378, bounded as follows: Southerly line of the Erie Railroad Company lands; Easterly by The center of Main Street in said Town and the premises now owned by the Town of Andover, New York, as Town Hall, being premises formerly owned by Andy Lynch and others; Northerly by a line running southeasterly and northwesterly through, a stake four feet northerly of the northeaster; corner of foundation wall of the dwelling house and formerly occupied by Grant Brimmer and Jessie Brimmer formerly known as the John Howe residence property and also through a stake two feet southerly from the southeast corner of the foundation wall of C.L. Earley's Lumber storehouse building, formerly his barn; Westerly by a line running northerly and southerly parallel with the easterly foundation wall of the Jessie Sloecum dwelling house and eight feet easterly there from. In addition to the above grant, the parties of the first part hereby except and reserve and grant all the rights in reference to driveways, except and granted in a certain mortgage between Grant Brimmer and Jessie Brimmer, first parties and Carolyn L. Earley, as second part, mortgage dated April 13, 1928, recorded in the Clerk's Office.

PARCEL II ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, situate in the town of Andover, County of Allegany and State of New York, described as follows, via Lot 85, Nye, Clifford 0... 33 acres, bounded North by highway, East by Nau. South by Childs and West by Creek.

EXCEPTING AND RESERVING FROM PARCEL II ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, situated in the Town of Andover, County of Allegany and State of New York being a portion of Great Lot 85 bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point being the northeast corner of Jean L. Patrick as described by deeds recorded in the Allegany County Clerk's Office in Liber 698 of Deeds at Page 284;

THENCE northerly on the continuation of said Patrick's easterly line, a distance of 51 feet and to the southerly bank of Marsh Creek;

THENCE southwesterly on the southerly bank of Marsh Creek to the point of intersection of said Patrick's northerly line extended westerly;

THENCE easterly on said extended line and the northerly line of said Patrick's a distance of 110.00 feet and to the point of beginning

ALSO, EXCEPTING AND RESERVING, ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, situate in the Town of Andover, County of Allegany and State of New York being a part of Great Lot No 85 in said Town and bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the centerline of Rochambeau Avenue, said point being the northwesterly corner of lands conveyed by Neil W. and Kathryn A. Graves to Earl Halladay by deed dated March 25, 1988 and recorded April 4, 1988 in Liber of Deeds at page 308

THENCE South 21 Degrees 11' 43" East, 123.21 feet to a point; **THENCE** North 63 Degrees 16' 10" East 37.50 feet along the northerly line of conveyed to William Childs by a deed recorded in Liber 903 of Deeds at page 108 to a point;

THENCE North 21 Degrees 11' 43" West and parallel to the first described course to a point in the centerline of Rochambeau Avenue.

THENCE westerly along the centerline of Rochambeau Avenue to the point and place of beginning. Premises known as 4 Railroad Avenue, Andover, New York 14806. 18-4b

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Alfred Sun Editor and Publisher

FIFTY YEARS AGO, MAY 9, 1963

The Rev. Gustave Weigel, S.J., professor of ecclesiology of the School of Divinity at Woodstock College in Maryland, will be the principal speaker at the Alfred University commencement convocation on June 9, President M. Ellis Drake has announced. A prolific author and popular lecturer as well as an educator, Rev. Weigel has received decorations in two nations...

A radio network linking the Alfred Village offices, the village police cruiser and eight stations at the Agricultural and Technical Institute and one at Alfred University were described for village board members Monday. Village Clerk Mrs. Evelyn M. Thomas showed the new radio transmitter system which operates on the newly authorized Citizens Band, to board members following the Monday night meeting...

John Giustino, 20, a senior at the Agricultural and Technical Institute here, died Thursday, May 2, from injuries received when his small foreign convertible apparently went out of control and crashed into the Erie-Lackawanna concrete bridge abutment on Rt. 21, seven tents of a mile south of Alfred Station. State Police said that Giustino's car, proceeding north on route 21, left eh highway and hit the railroad bridge support at approximately 10:30 p.m. Thursday...

Dr. William J. O'Connor, assistant to the President of Alfred University since 1958, has resigned to accept an appointment as Director of the University of Buffalo Foundation, effective Aug. 1 following the return from a European trip...

Alfredians—Mrs. Ruth Brooks returned to Rochester Sunday after spending several days with her aunt, Miss Marion Carpenter...Mrs. Earnest Snyder and Peggy Darling were guests of Peggy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Darling at St. Mary's, W. Va., Thursday to Sunday...David Leach, Willis C. Russell and Garrett Droppers were in Cazenovia Friday and Saturday attending the State Historians meeting...Miss Emily Van Schoick, Dr. S. Kameswarl and Dr. and Mrs. Dan Rase were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Vance Weld at Warren, Pa., last week...Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Gamsby and children of Hammondsport visited Mrs. E.F. Hildebrand on Saturday...Mr. and Mrs. Foster Reed of Syracuse were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Love...Mr. and Mrs. Carl Snyder were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Trowbridge and daughters in Glens Falls last week...Mr. and Mrs. John W. Jacox were weekend guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Alty Crafts and family at Snyder. An author's reception attended by more than 700 persons was given Sunday afternoon by the members of Christ Methodist Church, in honor of their pastor, whose book "Life of Forever," was recently published. Dr. and Mrs. Ralph F. Jacox of Rochester were among the guests...

An Alfred-Almond Central School eighth grader has been named champion speller in Allegany County. He is Samuel Klingensmith, who placed first in the written spelling examination held April 26 throughout the county by the Buffalo Evening News. The son of Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Klingensmith of Alfred, Samuel was named champion speller at Alfred-Almond following an oral bee held March 14. He was also the school winner in 1962. He is now eligible to compete at Kleinhans Music Hall in Buffalo Saturday, May 11 with other county winners in Western New York...

Lynn Bouck, an Alfred-Almond Central School junior, has been chosen to represent the Alfred American Legion Post at the annual Boys State convention to be held at Colgate University this summer...

(Photo) Winning Essayists...Each year the W.C.T.U. selects a film revealing scientific facts on the use of alcohol and narcotics. After seeing the film the sixth grade students at Alfred-Almond write essays, this year on the film "Fact or Fancy." Cash prizes are awarded to first, second and third proize winners in each of the three rooms. Pictured here are this year's winners...Barbara Auer, first prize in Mrs. Hildebrand's room; Kim Rounds, Yvonne VanKeuren and Margaret Poulin. Second row: Mrs. Merrill Rice, acting president of W.C.T.U.; Laurie Klingensmith, first prize in Mrs. Sicker's room; Dwight Gertz, first prize in Mr. McAlee's room, Mike Wood, Gene McGraw and Danny Averill.

Almond—E. Allen Witter is spending the week at the annual Masonic Convention in New York City. He is a delegate from University Lodge, No. 944, F&AM...

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bey were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Giles and son of Rochester...

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, MAY 12, 1988

"Doing Well by Doing Good" is the title of the commencement address to be delivered Saturday, May 14, at the Alfred State College School of Vocational Studies in Wellsville. Francis Treichler of North Tonawanda, district service engineer for Ford Motor Company in Buffalo, will address some 300 seniors in the school's student activities center...

Elizabeth "Beth" E. Cartella of Hornell, was selected by the Hornell Area Chapter of Professional Secretaries International (PSI) as the 1988 Secretary of the Year. Cartella, secretary to Dr. Richard M. Spriggs, director, Center for Advanced Ceramic Technology (CACT), NYS College of Ceramics at Alfred University, and Robert Bitting, assistant director of the CACT, will represent the group in Niagara Falls, at the NYS PSI Division Meeting, May 13-15...The 1988 Secretary of the Year says she enjoys "keeping things organized, knowing people rely on me to get things done, and being a professional about what I do." Participation in PSI is "what I do for me as a hobby," said the mother of two—Kathy, a junior at Hornell High School, and Chris, a Hornell eighth grader—and wife of Lou Cartella.

James F. Feldbauer of Belmont has been appointed to the position of Director of Physical Plant at Alfred University...He replaces Stanley S. Shaw, who retired in December of 1987 after 34 years of service.

Alfredians—Andrea Odle McConnell and son, Andrew, of Millis, MA and Shawn Odle from Washington, D.C. were weekend guests of their mother, Mrs. Dorothy Odle...John Kenyon of Stafford, VA spent the past weekend with his father, Kenneth Kenyon on Greene Street...Alfred University will observe its 152nd annual commencement exercise on May 14. Dr. Jerome B. Komisar, who has been acting chancellor of the State University of New York (SUNY) will be the featured speaker. He will receive an honorary Doctor of Letters degree...The following Alfred-Almond Central School students honored by the Allegany County National Honor Society at Castle Restaurant in Olean on May 2 were: Scott Lange (one of the highest ranking), Jacquie Kenyon, Jessica Adams, Kimberly Bostwick and Kevin Frederes...Some 32 members of the Alfred Historical Society and Bakers Bridge Historical Society chartered a bus and went to Wyoming, NY to view many historical buildings on April 30...

Saddle Pals 4-H—On April 16, 1988 the Saddle Pals 4-H Club had a meeting. We started our 4-H projects. We're making door signs. These will be shown at the fair. We are very enthusiastic about this project. — Jessica Marie Stearns.

50 Years Ago, May 5, 1938—John Seidlin celebrated his birthday May 3rd, with a dinner dance at his home. The following young people were guests: Genevieve Polan, Gene and Norma Jacox, Dorothy Camenga, Hannah Saunders, Frank Earley Lobaugh, Kenneth Burdick, Donald Polan, Russel Langworthy, and John Seidlin...Mr. and Mrs. Alva F. Randolph celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary, Tuesday, May 3rd. Their children and grandchildren were all home with them for the day: Fucia of Wellsville, Elizabeth of Daytona Beach, FL, Lowell, his wife and children, Robert, Jane and Rane, of Ithaca, and Dr. and Mrs. James Barrs and daughter Dorothy Caroline of College, Georgia...Director Orvis and Prof. Hinkle spent last week visiting some of the high schools of the state and interviewed the boys who have recently been appointed to jobs. Accompanied by Mrs. Orvis and Mrs. Hinkle, they spent the weekend at Henderson Harbor.

"Hansel and Gretel" and **"Safety in the Streets"** will be the two movies at the Box of Books story hour this Friday, May 13 from 4 to 5 p.m. Terry Rucker will be our story teller. Are you a fan of Old-Time Radio? Do the names Arthur Godfrey, Abbott and Costello, The Breakfast Club, Fibber McGee and Molly, Inner Sanctum, Our Miss Brooks, and Gunsmoke have special meaning for you? If so, we have tapes of these and many more old time radio programs available through the Box of Books...

The Angelica Booster Citizens will sponsor the ninth annual Community Lawn Sales on Saturday, May 14, in Angelica. Sixty-seven families participated in last year's sales, and organizers hope to top that figure this year...

TEN YEARS AGO, MAY 15, 2003

The state of the economy is receiving fervid attention from many politicians at the moment. Mayor Gary Ostrower opened the Tuesday, May 6 meeting of the Alfred Village Board of Trustees with a pair of relevant historical quotations. In 1937 President Franklin Delano Roosevelt made two statements concerning the Great Depression and his administration's New Deal for handling it. During FDR's second inaugural address, he declared, "I see one third of a nation ill-housed, ill-clothed, ill-nourished." Elsewhere he stated, "We knew that a leaderless system of economy had produced and would again produce economic and social disaster. Government leadership was the only method left." As the Board had approved the 2003-2004 Alfred Village budget on April Fool's Day, in May the trustees initially gave more attention to leadership appointments than to economics. The Board approved the appointment of Steve Kilmer of Canisteo as Code Enforcement Officer...

The Alfred Comprehensive Plan Committee held its second public information meeting on Wednesday evening on the campus of Alfred State College. More than 30 Town and Village residents attended...A greater diversity of housing types was called for, and the issue was raised whether the Village's zoning ordinances restrict options for multiple use structures and infilling of vacant lots The loss of single-family residences from Main and West University Streets was observed...Par of ipants revived the controversial topic of the location the University's future ceramic museum. An animated discussion was held over the siting of the museum between Park and Sayles Street and the pending demolition of South Hall. A chorus of voices agreed that there has been virtually no public support of the chosen location for the new construction, that better sites on the campus, and that South Hall is a contributing asset to the community both for its architectural form and potential for housing new uses...

(Photo) Making the Connection—John Buckwalter grabs a quick read of his hometown newspaper, *The Alfred Sun*, while waiting to check in at San Jose Airport Feb. 22 during Alfred State College's Costa Rican Adventure.

While Yale cross-country bikers pedal through Allegany County on June 7, two Alfred men will be hoofing it "cross-country" for the same purpose. Both the bikers and walkers will be attempting to raise money and awareness for Habitat for Humanity...Last year, Dr. Stuart Smith of Alfred raised more than \$4,000 for Habitat on a two-day walk from Alfred to Houghton that coincided with the Yale bikers' trek. Those funds help Genesee Valley Habitat for Humanity in its local efforts to eradicate poverty housing. This year, Smith and Alfred Sun Publisher David Snyder, who now serves as Alfred University Habitat chapter advisor, comprise a team that hopes to "cover the county" on Saturday, June 7. Beginning at 6 a.m. on Saturday, June 7, Snyder plans to walk some 19 miles from the Pennsylvania border along Route 19 to Belmont, wher ehe will pass "the Habitat hammer" to Smith at about 12 noon at Amity Deli. Smith will then carry the hammer on to Houghton where the Yale bikers are expected for a 6 p.m. dinner...

Thirty years ago, Peter Jenkins, newly minted Alfred University degree in hand and accompanied by Cooper, his dog, set out to walk across America, hoping to discover his country and himself. Along the way, he became one of the top travel writers in the United States today, with seven books beginning with *A Walk Across America* that chronicled the first leg of his journey, from Alfred to New Orleans...His journey will bring him back to Alfred University May 17, when he delivers the commencement address for the Class of 2003. The ceremony, during which Jenkins will be awarded an honorary degree from AU, begins at 10 a.m. in McLane Center on the AU campus...

THE DUGOUT—This Saturday, May 17th, the second edition of the Denny "Lumpy" Allen/Greg Norton Memorial golf tournament will be held as 100+ would-be golfers will gather at the Six-S course for this benefit event honoring two Alfred-Almond Hall of Famers. Norton was inducted into the A-A Hall in 1990 as a member of the inaugural class and Allen followed the very next year. Both had the credentials to be in the illustrious first class...It began in 1990 after the popular, former soccer-basketball-baseball player at A-A and area slow pitch star was killed in a car accident in 1988...

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'Heaven is for real,' Rev. 21:1-10

ALMOND—"Heaven is for real." Not everyone believes these words. Some say it's just a crock, a religious myth created long before enlightenment. It belongs right up there on the same shelf with "the earth is flat" thinking.

Einstein said, "An individual who should survive his physical death is also beyond my comprehension, nor do I wish it otherwise; such notions are for the fears or absurd egoism of feeble souls."

Then there is Karl Marx's view of the Christian faith as "the opiate of the masses." [Wonder what Hitler's view was....].

But then we hear of a challenge to that point of view—like the experience of Dr. Eben Alexander. Here's a guy—a neurobiologist, Harvard-trained neurosurgeon and a religious skeptic. November 2008 was his 'moment'...a splitting headache sent him to the hospital—the same one where he worked.

He had a rare form of bacterial meningitis which attacked his brain and he slipped into a coma with near-zero chance of survival. An impossible medical miracle—he came out of the coma. Not only that, but while he was in the coma he had an after-life experience that turned him from a religious skeptic into a faithful Episcopalian. Being the scientist that he was, he sought to explain what happened to him spending years studying using his background in science and neurobiology.

During the time he was brain dead he claims he was in heaven. He described himself as a hyper-aware speck of consciousness in a "visible darkness—he saw a spinning orb of light emitting the most beautiful melody. The light opened like a portal into a valley—green, lush like earth but not

earth. Then a voice said 'You are loved—you have nothing to fear.'"

You've probably heard this sort of story before, but this one has a twist.

He had always dismissed any notion of heaven as religious nonsense. He did not know the Bible stories—especially Revelation. He called near death experiences "confabulations"—replacement if a gap in a person's memory with something that didn't really happen, but they believed it would, so they thought it did. In other words, because they believed in heaven, they sort of dreamt up the experience. BUT in Alexander's case, he did NOT believe in heaven so no subconscious belief to cause a dream. Even more important, his disease spread across his entire cortex—the layer responsible for all of our higher functioning. Brain scans showed zero activity in the area which is responsible for memory and making dreams!

So, science proved that well-held medical views of after life experiences were just not physiologically possible in his situation. Alexander's vision of heaven could not have happened in his physical brain and in his book he covers the nine leading scientific explanations that his colleagues put forth after his coma to account for his vision—and he scientifically rules out each explanation.

Heaven is real. There have been a lot of accounts by people like the good doctor but no vision is clearer or more concise than the one the Apostle John wrote about in Revelation. "...now the dwelling of God is with men, and he will live with them. They will be His people and God himself will be with them and be their God."

Student leaders honored at dinner

ALFRED—A number of Alfred University (AU) students and clubs were recognized for outstanding contributions to the campus for the 2012-13 academic year during the annual spring Student Leadership Dinner hosted by the Student Affairs Division.

Honored groups included Orientation guides, sports team members and captains, Omicron Delta Kappa national leadership society members, peer review board members, club and organization presidents, Alfred's Newest Talent graduates, E-LEAD scholars, Women's Leadership Academy graduates, Resident Assistants, and Marlin Miller Outstanding Senior nominees.

Sherill Anderson AU Classes '05, '08 and Jessica Ecock '06, '08 were the keynote speakers, presenting "All that Glitters is Purple and Gold: Expanding Your Leadership Circle." Anderson and Ecock spoke about making intentional connections with people you admire as leaders in order to grow leadership skills and reach your full potential. Both speakers currently work at Rochester Institute of Technology, Ecock in the Student Conduct Office and Anderson as an academic adviser for mechanical engineering students.

The Student Senate "Purple and Gold Explosion" award for school spirit went to the Boffer Club, a group that stages "battles" using foam swords and shields. The Senate awarded AU Quidditch the "Rising Saxons" award for the best club created by a first-year student.

Brenda Porter, director of Residence Life, awarded the Resident Assistant Rookie of the Year award to Casey Duncan, sophomore sociology/political science major from Stuarts Draft, VA. The Resident Assistant of the Year Award was shared by Edidong Udoyen, junior chemistry/biology major from Union, NJ, and Megan Healy, a junior art and design student from Belmont.

Gary Horowitz Leadership Development Program graduates were recognized with certificates and a lapel pin by Dr. Julia Overton-Healy, director of leadership programs and the Women's Leadership Center. This year, certificates were awarded to Casey Duncan, Ana Fredell (ceramic engineering senior, Saratoga Springs), Dianne Mattar (ceramic engineering junior, East Amherst), Kelly Jo Stein (accounting sophomore, Scottsville), Brielle DePugh (senior early childhood education/psychology major,

Alpha NJ), Samuel Miller (senior materials science major, Kinsman, Ohio), Rosemarie Oakman (junior art and design major, Fishkill) and Shelby O'Rourke (senior early childhood education major, Canis-teo).

The award for Outstanding Campus Contribution by a First-Year Student, given by Tricia Debertolis, assistant dean for New Student Programs, went to Lauren Schramm, an environmental studies/political science major from Morrisville, VT.

The Saxon Six, seniors who were chosen for their overall campus impact and leadership throughout their years at AU, were Fredell; Dave Konnick, a biology major from Vestal; Claire Dvorak, a ceramic engineer from Tully; Kevin Keefe, a ceramic engineer from Quincy, MA; Jonathan Ugalde, a psychology major from Johnstown; and Rebecca Windover, an early childhood education major from Lowville. The six have contributed across a wide spectrum of areas in Student Affairs. They have been resident assistants, captains of sports teams, started clubs, served on advisory and/or search committees, helped to get new initiatives off the ground, and displayed the values of the Student Affairs Division throughout their time on campus.

Keynote Anderson holds an undergraduate degree in English and communication studies and a graduate degree in counseling/college student development. While a student at AU, she was very involved in on-campus activities, holding roles as a Resident Assistant, DJ for the WALF (student) radio station, Features Editors for the Fiat Lux (student newspaper), and secretary for UMOJA (multicultural club).

Keynote Ecock holds a bachelor's degree in sociology and master's degree in counseling from AU. During her time at Alfred, she worked as a Resident Assistant and then a Resident Director. She also worked for the Powell Campus Center and the Career Development Center. She believes that the outside-of-classroom experiences were what shaped her career in student and academic affairs.

THE GLORY OF AMERICA

Thursday, May 9

William Bradford, the spiritual father of the Plymouth colony, whom the Pilgrims re-elected governor year after year, died on this day in 1657. He was also their chronicler, often recording their reliance on God in the midst of many tragedies:

"But these things did not dismay them (though they did sometimes trouble them) for their desires were set on the ways of God, and to enjoy His ordinances; but they rested on His Providence and knew whom they had believed."

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ALFRED-ALMOND AREA

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP—Randolph Road, Alfred. Pastor Roger Gardner. Worship 10 am Sundays. Sunday Prayer 6 pm. Bible Study 7 pm Tuesdays at Powell CC, AU; Bible Study 7 pm Wednesdays at Alfred State College. 607-587-9257.

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

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

ANDOVER AREA

CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE—Rochambeau Ave. Rev. Philip Barner, Sunday School for all ages 9 a.m.; Fellowship Time 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service 10 a.m.; Wednesday Mid-week Prayer/Bible Study 7 p.m.

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

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

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

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

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN—E. Greenwood St., Andover. Coffee served at 10:30; Worship Service at 11 AM, Pastor Christian R. Mattison.

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Torenia, shown here as "Moon Yellow," is a shady alternative to the traditional impatiens. Photo from <http://ncfarmsinc.com/>

What? No Impatiens?

By JOYCE FISHER

Master Gardener Volunteer

Allegany County Cornell University Cooperative Extension

Hello fellow gardeners. You may have already found that the greenhouses do not have any standard impatiens on their racks. That's right, no impatiens.

Remember last fall I told you about the downy mildew disease that infected them. The growers have not found any cure as of yet, so no impatiens. I told you that I would list some alternatives to grow in partial shade. These are some I have tried and some I want to try. There are many more than I am listing. I am only listing annuals or plants that have to be taken indoors to survive our winter.

Have fun and try something new!

- BROWALLIA - light purple, amethyst or white blooms.
- VINCAS - I grew the magenta variety in a container last year and it was beautiful from spring-fall. I'm talking about the mounding ones, not the trailing purple-blue.
- BEGONIAS - there are many different kinds of begonias, google them and see all the great choices.
- COLEUS - are grown for their absolutely stunning leaves, not for their blooms as they are minimal. A favorite is Stained Glass with beautiful petite trailing scarlet and lime green foliage which I have grown for two years now.
- NEW GUINEA IMPATIEN - these will grow in shade and are not susceptible to downy mildew.
- TORENIA - trumpet shaped blooms that remind me of a pansy face.
- IRESINE AND ALTERNANTHERA - colorful leaves.
- CALADIUM - may not be hardy in our zone and will need to be lifted and stored in the fall.
- FUCHISA - can be overwintered in the house with pruning and supplemental lighting.
- CYCLAMEN - beautiful leaves with stunning flowers that jut above the leaves.
- HELIOTROPE - wonderful purple flower with a beautiful scent.

If you are still not sure of what to plant instead of last year's impatiens, check out Cornell Cooperative Extension's website for even more ideas: <http://ccesuffolk.org/floriculture-program/>.

Impatiens downy mildew's devastating disease doesn't have to be a complete disaster; turn this negative into a positive and experiment with new plants you have never tried before, we all may find a new favorite! Enjoy your gardens!

Alfred State Sports Roundup

Baseball: 19-27, 15-12 Region III Division III

The Pioneers were 4-4 this past week. They split a four-game series with Finger Lakes CC and then split make-up doubleheader vs. Erie CC and Tompkins Cortland CC.

Jordan Wheaton (Wayland Cohocton) led the Pioneers with a .435 batting average this week with six RBI. Anthony Gonzalez (Florida/SS Seward Institute) hit .367 with four doubles and four RBI. The Pioneers hit .274 on the week.

On the mound Vincent McDaniel (Arkport) fired a two-hit complete game while Colton Caldwell (Dublin, OH) and Stephen Solomon (Harrisburg, PA) earned victories with solid starts. Alfred State had a 4.25 ERA and 35 strikeouts this week.

Last Week: L 5-3, L 5-0, W 7-3, W 6-5 vs. Finger Lakes CC, L 5-3 & W 6-5 vs. Erie CC, W 4-1 & L 12-9 vs. Tompkins Cortland CC

Softball: 8-26, 7-20 Region III Division III

The Lady Pioneers wrapped

up their season with a split vs. Erie CC.

In the opener, Aubri Mosier (Rome, PA/Northeast Bradford) was 3 for 6 with 3 RBI while Kristen Potter (Harrison Valley, PA/ Northern Potter) drove in two runs. Potter and Katie Jackson (Troy, PA) were each 2 for 4 with a RBI while Claire Hartman (Alden) was 2 for 4. Mosier and Rachel Slentz (Edmeston) each drove in two runs in the nightcap.

Last Week: W 11-8 & L 11-8 vs. Erie CC

Track & Field: Men: Region III Champions, Women: 3rd

The Pioneer men won the program's 8th outdoor Region III Championship over the weekend. The women had a strong showing and placed 3rd. In total, the Pioneers won 11 events.

Individual event winners on the men's side included: Brian Edwards (Neversink/Tri-Valley) won the shot put (14.19 m) and the discus (45.76 m), Brian Tubbs (Chemung/ Waverly) won the 400 (50.25), Travis Nagle (Randolph) won the pole vault (4.10 m), Rafael Ramirez

(Parksville/Tri-Valley) won the hammer throw (41.65 m), and Anthony Soto (Waterloo) won the javelin (46.90 m).

The Pioneer men also swept the relays winning the 4x100 (Desmond Chambers, Ismail El-Amin, Zack Woodard, and Tubbs) in 43.01, the 4x400 (Nate Andres, Josiah Thomas, Woodard, and Tubbs) in 3:26.04, and the 4x800 (Tylor Lehman, Zachary Hale, Kyle Jones, and Alex Farrell) in 8:21.7.

Billie Carroll (Rochester/Edison) won the 100 hurdles (17.13) and the triple jump (10.43 m) to lead the women. Jen DeNovio (Guilderland) was 2nd in the discus and the 4x800 relay team of Courtney Whetsstine (Lewiston/Lewiston Porter), Megan Dillon (Angola/Lake Shore), and Caitlyn Hotchkiss (Springville/ Springville Grif-fith) and Carroll finished 2nd (11:30.3).

The Pioneers now will shift their focus to the NJCAA DIII National Championships that start on Thursday at Howard (MD) CC.

Last Week: Men: 1st at Region III Championships, Women 3rd

'Walk in the Woods' set May 18

ALFRED STATION—The public is invited to take "A Walk in the Woods" from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, May 18 at 5208 East Valley Road, Alfred Station.

Join the New York Forest Owners Association (NYFOA) and Allegany County Master Forest Owners (MFO) for a fun and informative walk in the woods. This is one of many outings offered across New York State during May 11-19 to celebrate NYFOA's 50th anniversary and to highlight the

organization's Restore New York Woodlands initiative.

Participants will learn about the many ecological and economic benefits that forests provide for society, as well as the threats facing the future forests of the state. Learn what can be done to address the challenges posed by invasive plant and animal species, excessive deer populations in many areas, and improper harvesting techniques that degrade the quality of standing timber.

Attendance is FREE but is

limited to the first 25 participants, and pre-registration is requested due to limited parking space availability.

Attendees are asked to dress appropriately for the weather and to wear boots suitable for walking woodland trails, some of which may be muddy or hilly. Handouts and light refreshments will be provided and restroom will be available at the residence. For registration and additional information, please contact: Steven Jakobi, MFO, 607-281-4939 (cell); or 607-587-3677 (office).

Gas prices fall 2.5 cents/gallon

ROCHESTER, May 6—Average retail gasoline prices in Rochester have fallen 2.5 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.68/g yesterday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 319 gas outlets in Rochester. This compares with the national average that has increased 1 cent per gallon in the last week to \$3.51/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Including the change in gas prices in Rochester during the past week, prices yesterday were 31.7 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are 14.1 cents per gallon lower than a month ago. The national average has decreased 7.8 cents per gallon during the last month and stands 26.8 cents per gallon lower than this day one year ago.

"The national average has begun to tip-toe higher in the last week, led by states in the Great

Lakes and West Coast where gasoline prices have crept up considerably in some areas over the last week," said GasBuddy.com Senior Petroleum Analyst Patrick DeHaan. "Oil prices have rebounded, and with the recent strength in stocks trickling over to commodities, I do expect retail gasoline prices to inch up in the weeks ahead. The biggest increases will be along the West Coast where

gasoline supply remains at an ultra-tight status, but prices will also increase in many other areas, led higher by the rally in crude prices we've witnessed in the last week," DeHaan said.

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AU sweeps twinbills but drops E8 tourney games

The Alfred University women's softball team (23-17, 7-5 Empire) had back-to-back with sweeps of doubleheaders Pitt-Bradford and Keuka, then fell to Utica and Elmira in the Empire 8 Conference championship tournament.

Against Pitt-Bradford, Alfred rallied from two runs down in the sixth inning of the second game before claiming a 6-3 extra-inning win. The Saxons won the first game, 13-5, in six innings.

In the second game, Alfred trailed 2-0 after five innings before plating the tying runs in the top of the sixth. After AU went ahead with a run in the top of the seventh, Pitt-Bradford tied it with a run in the bottom of the frame. The Saxons scored three in the top of the eighth on a three-run homerun by junior outfielder Samijo Scheer (Corning, NY/Corning East), then shut down the Panthers to secure the win.

Scheer had two hits and four RBIs to lead the Saxon bats. Freshman shortstop Nicole Maher (Newark, DE/Caravel Academy) was 2-for-4 with a double, two runs scored and one driven in, and freshman third baseman Dana Torchia (Pompton Plains, NJ/Pequannock Twp.) was 2-for-4 with a run and an RBI. Maher's RBI double and Scheer's run-scoring single tied the game at 2-2 in the sixth and Torchia's RBI single put the Saxons briefly ahead (3-2) in the seventh.

Sophomore Alison Wickwire (Towanda, PA) got the pitching start for AU, going four innings and allowing two runs (one earned) on three hits. Sophomore Samantha Jo Muller (Port Jervis) went the final four innings, allowing an unearned run and striking out four to improve to 4-2. Muller got out of a bases-loaded, one-out jam in the bottom of the seventh by starting a pitcher-catcher-first base double play that ended the inning.

In the opener, Alfred led 10-0 before the hosts scored five in the bottom of the fifth. The Saxons plated three in the top of the sixth, then held Pitt-Bradford scoreless in the bottom of the inning to take the run-rule victory. Senior first baseman Hana Gross (Union, NJ) was 2-for-3 with a double, a run scored and two RBIs. Maher (double) and Scheer each went 2-for-3 with two runs and an RBI; senior second baseman Maressa Mistretta (Shirley/Longwood) scored three runs and junior outfielder Rachel Guszyk (Sparrowbush/Port Jervis) had two RBIs.

Sophomore pitcher Jessica O'Sullivan (Habersham, SC/Groton-Dunstable (MA) Regional) got the win to improve to

11-4. She allowed five earned runs on four hits in 4 2/3 innings before Muller finished up with 1 1/3 innings of hitless relief.

Alfred swept a doubleheader at Keuka College Wednesday afternoon. The Saxons took the first game, 3-1, then thumped the Storm, 12-3 in six innings, to wrap up their regular season.

In Wednesday's opener, AU led 3-0 after scoring a run in the first and two more in the fifth, before allowing Keuka to score a single run in the bottom of the fifth. O'Sullivan went 5 2/3 innings to earn the win, allowing one run on two hits while striking out seven. Muller tossed 1 1/3 innings of one-hit relief to earn the save.

AU freshman catcher Jasmine Picini (Alexandria, VA/West Potomac) went 2-for-4, driving in the Saxons' first run with a first-inning double. Maher hit a two-run single in the sixth. Freshman outfielder Samantha Jauregui (Lindsay, CA) was 3-for-4 with two runs scored and Torchia had two hits in three at-bats and scored a run.

In the second game, Alfred scored four in the third and led 4-1 after five innings before exploding for eight in the top of the sixth to go up 12-1. Keuka plated two in the bottom of the frame, but the game ended due to the eight-run rule.

Jauregui was 3-for-5 with a pair of runs, while freshman second baseman Patricia Burdick (Lockport) (3-for-4, one run) and Torchia (double, two runs) each drove in three runs. Freshman catcher Samantha Greenberg (Toms River, NJ) was 4-for-5 with a run scored and Maher was 2-for-4 with a run scored and two driven in.

Freshman pitcher Katelyn Jakobsen (Elmwood Park, IL) started and threw five innings of four-hit ball, allowing two earned runs and striking out three to get the win. Muller finished up, allowing one run on two hits in one inning of relief.

AU dropped both games on the opening day of the Empire 8 Conference Championship tournament Friday. The Saxons fell to host Utica College, 8-0 in six innings, then dropped a 3-2 10-inning decision to Elmira. With the two defeats, the fourth-seeded Saxons were eliminated from the four-team double-elimination tournament.

In Friday's second game, against second-seeded Elmira, AU took an early lead with a pair of unearned runs in the second. O'Sullivan held Elmira down until the sixth, when the Soaring Eagles tied the game, plating both runs with two outs.

The score remained tied until the top of the 10th innings, when Elmira pushed across what

would prove to be the winning run, again with two outs. Torchia and Scheer had Alfred's only two hits of the game, both singles, and Maher and Mistretta each scored a run.

In the first game, Alfred and top-seeded Utica were locked in a tight battle through four innings, with Utica holding a 1-0 lead. The Pioneers broke the game open with a five-run fifth, then added two in the bottom of the sixth inning to end the contest due to the eight-run rule.

Alfred's starting pitcher, Jakobsen, went 4 2/3 innings and allowed six earned runs on nine hits while striking out one and walking one. Muller threw one-third of an inning and allowed a pair of earned runs on four hits and a pair of walks.

AU men place eighth, women 11th, at NYS outdoor track and field championships

The men's and women's track and field teams competed at the NYS championships, hosted by St. Lawrence University, this past Friday and Saturday. The men placed eight and the women placed 11th.

Leading the AU women on the meet's second day was sophomore Miasia Hillman (Buffalo/Hutch Tech). She was second in the 100-meter dash (12.65 seconds) and third in the 200-meter dash (25.80 seconds). Her time in the 200-meter dash established a new school record. Freshman Gregory Matos (Bronx/ELLIS Prep) and junior Isaiah Cassin (Candor) each took fifth — Matos in the 400-meter dash (49.82) and Cassin in the high jump (1.88 meters) — to pace the Alfred men.

Other top performers for the AU women were: senior Kirstin Cook (Tonawanda/Kenmore East), eighth in the discus (31.50 meters) and 19th in the shot put (9.17 meters); seniors Kari Blatz (North Babylon) and Jennifer Kirsch (Penfield), 12th (9.95 meters) and 15th (9.46 meters), respectively, in the shot put; senior Kelli-Jo Beck (York), 12th in the discus (28.92 meters); sophomore Tracie Forrester (Gainesville/Letchworth), 15th in the 800-meter run (2:26.67); and Pettit, 17th in the triple jump (9.88 meters).

The team of sophomore Patricia Banahene (Rochester/Brighton), Hillman, Hall and senior Jordyn Larkins (Rochester/Harley-Allendale-Columbia) was 7th in the 4X100-meter relay (50.68 meters).

Other top performers for the AU men were: freshman Joseph Duermeier (Corfu/Pembroke), seventh in the shot put (13.14 meters); Rummel, 11th in the 800-meter run (1:57.57); sophomore Lucas Marshall (Windsor), 14th in the shot put (12.02 meters); and senior Shane Stadtmueller (Red Creek), 19th in the high jump (1.68 meters).

The Saxon men's team of senior Chris Lopez (Rochester/Pittsford Sutherland), junior Eddie Potter (Lansing), Matos and sophomore Nolan Rummel (Kings Park) were second in the 4X400-meter relay (3:21.23).

Last Week: Men 8th, Women 11th, at NYS Championships

AU riders compete at equestrian nationals

The AU English and Western equestrian teams each had two riders compete at the Intercolle-

giate Horse Shows Association (IHSA) national championships last week.

In the Western division, junior Derek Partridge (Groveland/Geneseo) placed seventh in both open reining and in the American Quarter Horse Association (AQHA) High Point Rider competition. Sophomore Lexi Buckheit (Mansfield, PA) also competed in open reining, but did not place.

For the English team, senior Amelia Keyes (Webster/Penfield) and sophomore Casey Duncan (Stuarts Draft, VA) competed Thursday in the Hunt Seat division. Keyes took eighth place in intermediate equitation over fences and Duncan placed eighth in novice equitation on the flat. Their performance wraps up a historical season for the AU English Team. The Saxons won the program's first-ever Regional championship and just missed sending a team to nationals. The top two teams at the Zone championships qualify for nationals and Alfred placed third, a mere two points behind second-place Skidmore.

Hillman, Pomarico Named Saxon Athletes of the Week

Miasia Hillman: The sophomore from Buffalo set a new school record with her third-place time of 25.80 seconds at the New York State outdoor track and field championships. She also took second in the 100-meter dash (12.65 seconds).

Greg Pomarico: The sophomore from Liberty, PA, took third in the javelin throw at the New York State outdoor track and field championships with a heave of 49.65 meters.

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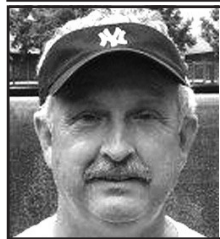
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The Dugout

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HITS AND MISSES:

The NCAA Division III men's lacrosse tournament field is set with Nazareth (E8 champ), Cortland (SUNYAC), RIT (Liberty League) and Stevens from the Empire 8 receiving an at-large bid to the field. The Golden Flyers from Nazareth rallied to top Jeff Long's Ithaca Bombers in Rochester, 12-10 and grab the automatic NCAA berth. Ithaca stunned Stevens in the semi-finals, at Stevens, 12-10 to advance while 'Naz was drubbing Utica. Nazareth will face Castleton State, Cortland the Ohio Wesleyan/Aurora winner, Stevens collides with Montclair State and RIT gets the Cabrini/Springfield survivor. The RIT Tigers formerly of the E8. Perennial champ Salisbury is in the field but it is apparently a "down" season for the Sea Gulls. The Cortland Red Dragons to win it all.

SJ Fisher won the Empire Eight softball tournament as they topped Utica in the finals to grab the NCAA berth. The Alfred Saxons lost their two games in the E8 outing, to Utica and Elmira, as they finished up at (23-17). A possible ECAC berth was on tap for AU.

Coach Skip Sherman's (Alfred-Almond) baseball team at Gene-see Community College went (1-2) in the Region III tourney at Monroe CC over the weekend. The Cougars drilled Mercyhurst NE, 9-1 in their opener before falling to MCC and then Mercyhurst in the double-elimination format. Took in the Friday afternoon game as GCC was stopped by MCC, 7-0. Had the opportunity to sit and chat with Tom Kenney, the former Alfred State College coach, as his son Jake (A-A) is the second-sacker for the GCC squad. Good catching up with him. Talked to Coach Sherman prior to the game and to Kristy Sherman afterwards. Quincy Costello of Wellsville was on the GCC roster as well. The Cougars wrapped up their spring season at 22-13.

Coach Tim Mead's (Andover) baseball team at Walsh in Ohio dropped their final five games of the season to complete a 22-22 campaign, 14-17 in GLIAC league play. Ouch.

Coach Joe Q. French's (Waterloo legend) softball team at UMBC knocked off Niagara University in 2-of-3 games over the weekend past as their year concluded with a (11-41) mark. Very rare campaign for the former women's hoop coach at Alfred State/Gene-see and softball coach at SUNY Geneseo.

The defending champion Rochester Knighthawks are in the NLL finals again after topping the Minnesota Swarm, 12-10 in the East Division finals. The indoor lax team will now head to British Columbia to take on Washington for a chance to make it two-straight titles.

Watched some of the Kingsmill Championship on the LPGA Tour on the tube Sunday past. Event is held at Williamsburg (Va.) and brother Scott has been to this tournament in the past and believe brother-in-law, Brian Fischer has as well. Cristie Kerr prevailed in a playoff to grab her third Kingsmill trophy. Kerr and the rest of the top lady golfers will be in Rochester June 6-9 for the LPGA Championship at Locust Hill CC. Kerr a past champ of the event and in Rochester.

The Insperity Championship on the Champions Tour of golf was in Texas as Esteban Toledo won in a playoff. Jeff Sluman (Rochester native) and Mark O'Meara (not of Alfred) finished T8. Wayne Levi (Utica) was back in the pack at 228. Winner was tied at 210 with Mike Goodes and Gene Sauers.

The New York Knicks, with knuckleheads in J.R. Smith and Kenyon Martin on their roster, stopped the aging and injury-depleted Boston Celtics in six-games to advance in the NBA East playoffs. Knicks forward Carmelo Anthony was a robust 8-for-24 from the field in game #5 and 7-for-23 in game #6. Yikes. The Celts need to get younger and build around Rajon Rondo (injured) and Jeff Green for starters. New York runs into Indiana now and that will probably be it for them.

A batch of NYS vanity plates spotted: CATRIKE, BLUECOOP ... "Hilly," ... JARHEAD ... Hi-Hi-Higgins, JOES69SS ... sweet, BURY IT, NU LOOK ... Scummer in Florida ... HARPER ... Bryce with Nats, TOPMOOSE, GOD REEL ... Tebow, ICUL8R (much) ... Ungawa, DOGMUM ... Doris Canfield, DWORMER ... Animal House! ... AU RETVR ... the Saxons.

Geneseo graduates John (A-A) and Colleen Baker are off to Africa to climb Mt. Kilimanjaro in late June. Yikes! The duo, apparently bored with life in Penfield/Rochester, will be off on that two-week adventure about a month after their 25th-wedding anniversary. Hopefully ... with cheesecake sent my way before they depart!

Just a "classic" story sent via text to me by Jeff E. Calkins concerning Robert H. Torrey. Seems that Calkins, the GM of the BCA at the War Memorial, spotted "Hair" down by the railing during the March, Section Five basketball tournament. "Eyes" then went down to see his fellow A-A grad, to hear where Torrey has been of late sports-wise, how he was able to get into games and what was upcoming? After a few moments/questions, the guy turns to Calkins and asks ... "who are you?" It wasn't Robert H. Torrey! Some guy

A-A alumni can book rooms at Alfred State College Motels filling up for busy weekend

ALMOND—The Alfred Almond Alumni Association's reunion weekend and banquet is planned for July 26 and 27. This is the same weekend for the TOUGH MUDDERS competition scheduled at Tall Pines ATV Park in Andover. With some 15,000 participants anticipated for Tough Mudders, it is expected that motel rooms will be at a premium. Alfred State College has agreed to make dorm rooms available for AACs alumni.

Please pass this information on to any and all that you hear might be planning to come home for the alumni weekend - July 26-28, 2013.

Attention A-A Alumni!

Alfred State College will open a corridor style residence hall for overnight rental during the A-A

Alumni Reunion Weekend. Alumni may stay on Thursday July 25, Friday July 26 and Saturday July 28, 2013.

The dorm rooms will be equipped with a desk, dresser and two twin beds. The college will furnish towels, sheets, pillows and blankets. The room rate is \$60 per person per night for single occupancy plus appropriate tax. Double occupancy room rates are \$80 per night. Check in time will be from 4 to 6 p.m. on Thursday, July 25 and Friday, July 26. There will be a noon to 1 p.m. check in on Saturday, July 27. These will be the only hours available to check in so please plan your stay accordingly.

Some things to note are the rooms will share a common hallway bathroom and they will be marked male and female. The

rooms are not air conditioned but you are welcome to bring a window fan.

There will be an Alfred State staff member staying in the residence hall each evening. University Police are also on duty 24/7.

The rooms must be reserved and paid for in advance. You may reserve a room at <http://registration.acesalfred.com/> or by emailing Karen Canne, Director of Dining Services and Conferences at cannekd@alfredstate.edu or call her at 607-587-4047 to reserve a room and discuss payment.

All reservations must be made by Friday June 28, 2013 as the college will need to plan staffing for the residence hall opening.

We look forward to seeing you in July.

Almond will hold Community Day Saturday, Sept. 7

ALMOND—Reserve Saturday, Sept. 7 to visit the community of Almond and take part in an event that has taken place for more years than can be accounted for.

Almond Community Day is just that...it involves the entire community with a celebration at the Gazebo Park on Main Street. Non-profit organizations such as the Almond Volunteer Fire Company sell Stearns Chicken BBQ's starting at noon (and is most often sold out by 1:00), Almond Library grills up and sells hot dogs, sausage and peppers, and for dessert the Almond Union of Churches tops things off with ice cream sundaes.

Games, kiddie bounce house and more being planned. Vendors are already starting to register and more are being sought; be it artisans, crafters, business/services and food.

Kicking things off will be the Almond Fire Company parade at 10 a.m. (a portion of Main Street will be closed) and participants are also being sought...antique cars, horses, motorcycle groups, floats, etc. are welcome.

For more information, contact Tammy Kokot, Event Chairperson @ 607-276-2222/607-382-8370 or by emailing tmkcandles@aol.com. Vendor applications may be picked up from the Almond Library on Main St. (M, W & Sat. 9:30-1/T & Th 1-7).

The Dugout continued...

from Batavia that (guessing) looked like "The Traveling Sports Fan." Wow. Wish I'd been there for that one.

Alfred State College Hall of Famer, the once-legendary Tom Curle, "shipping out" in college hoops?

LeBron James ... NBA MVP ... as it should be. Kevin Durant was second ... rightfully so. Going to be second to James in titles and MVP awards for years to come. Anthony was somehow third in the voting. Would've gone with Kobe or Chris Paul in the third-slot.

Daughter Lauren had a busy weekend in NYC as she was at a benefit walk on Sunday, along with her good friend "A" from Geneseo, at Citi Field ... home of the Mets. Then on Monday as she was running in Central Park she zips by Liam Neeson ... in NYC filming, "Walk Among the Tombstones." 3L getting her road-work in for Lake Placid Half-Marathon in early June.

Still hoping to meet The Mixer in Pittsburgh for Pirates game. Just "hoping" to hear back from him now!

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