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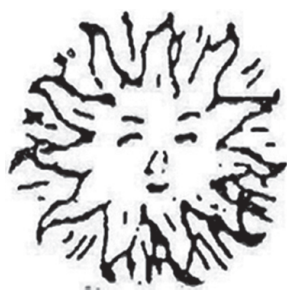
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ASC holds 102nd commencement

ALFRED—Friends, families, and fellow students celebrated as Alfred State graduates participated in commencement ceremonies on Sunday, May 19, 2013. Valerie B. Nixon, college interim president, presided over the event at the Pioneer Stadium on the Alfred State campus.

This ceremony – the college's 102nd Commencement – was dedicated to veterans and those currently serving in the United States Armed Forces and featured 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.

Welcoming the audience on behalf of the students was Court-

ney M. Cardinal of Depew, chair of the Alfred State Student Senate. This year's student speaker was Teandra K. Henry of Queens Village, NY.

Keynote speaker for the ceremony was Colonel Timothy J. LaBarge, commander of the 105th Airlift Wing at Stewart Air National Guard Base in Newburgh, NY. He is responsible for the combat readiness of assigned units by reviewing training programs and ensuring availability of necessary equipment, supplies, and facilities.

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 operations 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. As a subject matter expert in the Mission Development Division, he worked with the Air Staff, MAJCOMs, the National Guard Bureau, Air Directorate, Joint Directorate, and the Air Force Reserve to develop initiatives that maximize the Air Force's overall combat capabilities and improve the efficiency and effectiveness of all Air Force components. As the Director of Staff - Air Component at the New York Air National Guard headquarters, LaBarge was the principal adviser to the Adjutant General and/or Assistant Adjutant on a broad range of matters concerning the U.S. Air Force and Air National Guard.

He received his Air Force commission through the Officer Training School program in 1983, and has served as a T-37 instructor pilot, wing flight examiner/spin pilot at Reese Air Force Base in Texas and as a C-5 Aircraft Commander at Dover AFB in DE. Joining the NY Air National Guard's 105th Airlift Wing in 1991, Col LaBarge has held positions as C-5 instructor pilot and flight instructor/examiner pilot; squadron operations officer; chief, Standardization and Evaluation; and as chief, Wing Command Post. He has flown combat and combat support missions in Operations Desert Shield/Desert Storm, Operation Enduring Freedom, and Operation Iraqi Freedom as well as five Antarctic Operation Deep Freeze seasons flying polar airlift missions in support of the National Science Foundation and the international science community. Col LaBarge has logged in more than 5,500 flight hours in 7 different USAF aircraft and has a rating of Command Pilot.

The Alfred State Men's Quartet performed "The Star-Spangled Banner" and the Alfred State alma mater during the ceremony, and other musical interludes featured the Southern Tier Brass with a salute to the Armed Forces. Students and faculty were led out in recessional to the music of the Gates Keystone Police Pipes and Drums.



Peter Cuneo, Robert Benmosche, Charles Edmondson at Alfred University's commencement exercises Saturday, May 18.

Benmosche tells AU grads:

'Deal with the hand you've been dealt'

ALFRED—With a vision in mind, "deal with the hand that's been dealt you," Robert H. Benmosche, CEO of American International Group Incorporated (AIG), told members of the Alfred University (AU) Class of 2013 Saturday morning.

Benmosche, AU '66 and former University trustee, knows it "may be a tough hand, but adjustable." He noted "the economy is stronger than you think" and urged the graduates to go forward with a "sense of optimism." Known for his penchant for turning a company around, Benmosche is credited with rescuing MetLife and taking it public, then coming out of retirement to lead AIG back to solvency after the crisis of 2008.

The journey starts with a vision based on the gift of education and "what you love to do," said Benmosche, but within the confines of today's economy, graduates must also "be practical ... think about what opportunities are there" and "be flexible." There will be an opportunity, he assured them, but it "may be the only one to come your way, so, in the words of Yogi Berra (former major league catcher known for his quips) "if you come to a fork in the road, take it."

"If something's there, don't sit ... don't wait for something else. Keep active and engaged. You can't always get what you want, take that fork."

More than 350 undergraduate, master's, advanced studies certificate, and doctoral candidates (including those who earned degrees in August and December 2012) were awarded Alfred Uni-

versity degrees during exercises in the McLane Center on campus. Presiding over the festivities was Dr. Charles M. Edmondson, Alfred University president.

Five graduating undergraduates were recognized during the Commencement exercises for achieving top honors in their areas of study, one with a perfect 4.0 grade point average (GPA). They were part of the official stage party and seated on the Commencement platform.

Graduating with a 4.0 GPA in early childhood/childhood education was Katy Jane Mormino of Alfred. She is a daughter of Tony and Dawn Mormino and a graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School.

Samuel Aaron Miller, a materials science and engineering major from Kinsman, Ohio representing the Kazuo Inamori School of Engineering, earned a 3.97 GPA. Miller is also the 2013 Marlin Miller Outstanding Male Senior. He is the son of Aaron and Melissa Miller and a graduate of Badger High School.

Brigid Lucille Connors, an art and design major from Snyder, carries a 3.96 GPA representing the School of Art and Design. She is a daughter of Kevin and Paula Connors and a graduate of Amherst Central High School.

At the top of their class in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences with matching GPAs of 3.94 are Renee Frances Duquette, a mathematics major from Churchville, and Charlotte Diane Milia, a biology major

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Cuomo 'tax-free zones' could have impact here

ALFRED—Gov. Andrew Cuomo called his "tax-free zones" proposal "game-changing."

Alfred University President Charles M. Edmondson agreed the zones have the potential to put upstate New York back in the game.

At announcements across New York State Wednesday, Cuomo outlined a proposal to create 200,000-square-foot "tax-free zones" at every State University of New York campus; an additional three million square feet of space for the zones would be allocated to selected private colleges and universities across the state.

"Job one is about creating jobs. It's that simple. It's that clear," Cuomo told a standing-room only crowd at the Center for the Arts on the University of Buffalo campus.

Cuomo pointed to the "decades of decline" across upstate New York, and blamed the "high-tax, anti-business" climate of the state for creating that problem.

"Big problems need big solutions," he said, noting that research and intellectual property spun off from the state's institutions of higher education has been the impetus for much of the development that has occurred.

Cuomo's "big solution," which has the support from the legislative leaders in both houses, but which will need approval from the members before it can be implemented, would eliminate:

- all business and corporate taxes
- all property taxes
- all sales taxes relating to the business
- all franchise fees
- all personal state income taxes for the owners and employees of the businesses

The tax-free zones, if approved, will have a 10-year life.

Details still must be worked out, including how companies become eligible for the exemptions, and how space within the zones will be allocated. Cuomo made it clear that companies already located in the state could not simply pack up operations and move to the zones; companies must be creating jobs to qualify.

"Upstate New York has been an economic decline for decades," said Edmondson, who was appointed by Cuomo to serve on the Western New York Regional Economic Development Council. "Time and again, we have had intellectual property developed at the University, only to see the companies locate elsewhere because of New York State's regulatory and tax climates," said Edmondson.

"Our alumni have developed some highly successful businesses, but few of them remain in New York State," he said. "This will give us a mechanism to entice our entrepreneurs to remain or to return to New York State."

OBITUARY

WILLIAM L. SCHWARTZ *Vietnam War veteran*

GREENWOOD—William L. Schwartz, 65, of 2665 Main Street, Greenwood, went to be with his Lord and Savior early Monday morning (May 20, 2013) at his home surrounded by his loving family.

Born in Brockport, Feb. 23, 1948, the son of George and Helen Frisbee Schwartz, he had resided in Greenwood since 1968.

Bill served his country during the Vietnam War from 1967 to 1970 as a member of the U. S. Army. Following his discharge, Bill served in the New York Army National Guard for the next 28 years.

He had been employed by the Town of Greenwood for 37 years prior to his retirement in 2008. Bill attended the Canisteo Wesleyan Church and was a member of the Canisteo American Legion Post.

He was predeceased by his parents and his daughter, Jennifer Buxton.

He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth "Libby" Nary Schwartz of Greenwood; his children, Stephanie Schwartz of Hornell, Mark (Chris Moore) Schwartz of Penn Yan, Stacey (Gregory) White of Hornell, Casey Bickham of Greenwood, Kim Faulkner of Alfred Station, and Dominic Gallicchio of Hornell; his siblings, Sharon (Bob) Hefner of Rochester, Kay (Bob) Conrad of West Valley, and Michael (Char) Schwartz of Spencerport; 15 grandchildren; and nieces and nephews.

To send a remembrance to the family or to light a candle in Bill's memory, please visit www.brownpowersfuneralhomes.com. The family is being assisted by Gerald R. Brown, director at Brown & Powers Funeral Home of Canisteo.

The family received friends on Thursday, May 23 from 6-8 p.m. at the Canisteo Wesleyan Church, 25 Greenwood St., where funeral services were held following calling hours at 8 p.m. Rev. Donald Maynard officiated. Burial with military honors was held at 11 a.m. Friday, May 24 at Bath National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, friends may make memorial contributions to The Canisteo Wesleyan Church, 25 Greenwood St., Canisteo, NY 14823, or to the American Cancer Society, 1120 S. Goodman St. Rochester NY 14620.

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Bayus brothers recipients of Orvis Awards at ASC commencement

ALFRED—Nearly 900 two- and four-year graduates, their families, professors, and friends were on hand Sunday, May 19, as Alfred State honored its graduating class during the College's 102nd commencement ceremony. Valerie B. Nixon, interim college president, presided over the event.

One of the highlights of the ceremony is the presentation of the Paul B. Orvis Award for Excellence, awarded to the outstanding two-year graduate in each of the college's schools of study, as well as to a baccalaureate graduate. The award, which honors Paul B. Orvis, a former president of Alfred State and State University of New York

dean for two-year colleges, is a glass bowl engraved with the student's name. Recipients must meet four criteria: service, leadership, character, and scholarship. Faculty, staff, and fellow students appraise the first three. Scholarship is determined by an analysis of the student's academic standing in comparison to other students in the academic area.

Dr. Stephen J. Havlovic, provost and vice president for academic affairs, who presented the award, stated "for the first time in the college's history, we have siblings receiving this award."

Jacob A. Bayus, Alfred Station, who received his mechani-



Pictured here, Lucas Bayus and Jacob Bayus are being congratulated by Alfred State Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs Dr. Stephen Havlovic.

cal engineering technology degree during the ceremony, was chosen as the School of Architecture, Management and Engineering Technology's baccalaureate-degree recipient. Bayus was vice president and president of the Tau Alpha Pi Society for Engineers, a member of the Alfred State Honors program, and has been on the Dean's List each semester of his four years at Alfred State. Additionally, Bayus has received the James A. Comstock Memorial Scholarship, the Henry and Rosa Gabriel Endowed Scholarship, the Student Senate Leadership Scholarship, and received the outstanding student award in mechanical engineering technology. He was president of the Alfred State Outdoor Recreation Club, a peer tutor, and has done community service with the Johnson City/Owego flood relief effort, Celebrate Service/Celebrate Allegany, and local creek clean-up efforts.

Lucas C. Bayus, Alfred Station, who received his marketing degree during the ceremony, was chosen as the School of Archi-

ecture, Management and Engineering Technology's associate-degree recipient. Bayus was invited to join both the Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society as well as the Honors Program, and has been on the Dean's List each semester of his two years at Alfred State. Additionally, Bayus has received the Butera Annual Award in Business Technology for student excellence and the Student Senate Leadership

Scholarship. He was the public relations officer of the Alfred State Outdoor Recreation Club, the student photographer for the Communications Office as well as the official race photographer for the Gravity East Series, and has done community service with the Johnson City/Owego flood relief effort, Celebrate Service/Celebrate Allegany, and local creek clean-up efforts.

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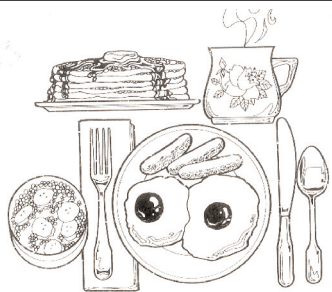
A weekly photo feature
By **SHERRY VOLK**
Alfred Sun Columnist



A few weeks ago, we made a sojourn through Albany to Massachusetts to visit Bob's (husband) college roommate, who had suffered a stroke. At our stop in Albany, we felt fortunate to be the last two cars (with our daughter's family) to be allowed into a parking lot near the Capitol. As we emerged from the lot, we saw this sign, announcing that anyone else should be sorry and have fun. Noticed by our grandson, Caleb Padiak.

SUNNY SIDE UP

By **ELLEN SHULTZ**
Alfred Sun Columnist



Onion casserole recipe from NC

This recipe is from Lake Logan Lodge, a very posh resort in Canton, North Carolina. The cookbook was given to me by Jim and Kathryn Curl a few years ago. Jim attended a conference there and says it does indeed have an excellent restaurant.

Onion Casserole

3 c. chopped onions	2 c. cooked rice
3 T. butter	½ tsp. salt
2 c. grated Havarti cheese	¼ tsp. black pepper
½ c. whipping cream	½ c. breadcrumbs

In a large skillet, sauté the onions in the butter over low heat for about 15 minutes until softened but not browned. Remove from heat and add cheese, cream and rice, stirring until the cheese begins to melt and the mixture is well-combined. Season with salt and pepper and transfer to a shallow 9 inch baking dish. Top with crumbs and bake in a 350 degree oven for 20-25 minutes until the casserole is heated through and the top crumbs are nicely browned. (This casserole is also good with sautéed mushrooms and chopped green pepper added.)

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Gas prices rise in past week

Rochester, May 27- Average retail gasoline prices in Rochester have risen 2.1 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.70/g yesterday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 319 gas outlets in Rochester. This compares with the national average that has fallen 2.3 cents per gallon in the last week to \$3.65/g, according to gasoline price website GasBuddy.com.

Including the change in gas prices in Rochester during the past week, prices yesterday were 11.4 cents per gallon lower than the same day one year ago and are unchanged versus a month ago. The national average has increased 16.8 cents per gallon during the last month and stands unchanged compared to this day one year ago.

"Memorial Day weekend is now over, and believe it or not, many areas saw gasoline prices declining ahead of the long weekend," said GasBuddy.com Senior Petroleum Analyst Patrick DeHaan. "The U.S. national average dropped nearly three cents per gallon in the last week, while some areas saw an even bigger decline. The best news for motorists is that June typically brings some relief at the pump compared to where prices peaked in May, so for many areas across the country, prices will likely continue to decline," DeHaan said.

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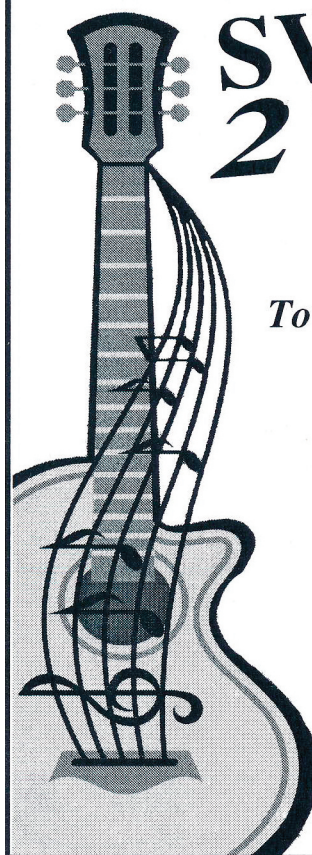
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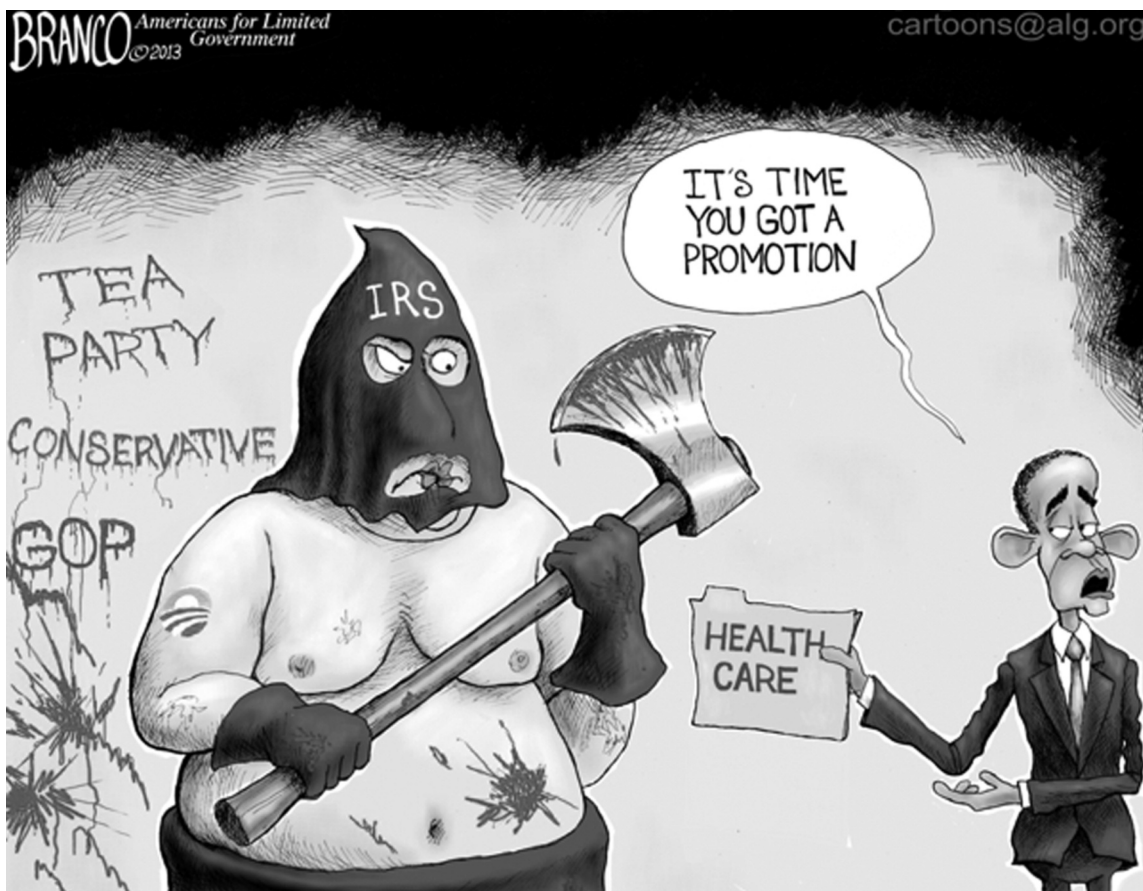
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ride a whale with tail unfurled...
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it's a fish-eat-prophet world.

Now don't complain I changed your clear
allusion to analogy;
Be glad I didn't cast your dear
illusion as banality.

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

RETIREMENT AND PENSION ISSUES

On May 13th State Comptroller Thomas DiNapoli announced that the State Pension Fund had attained an all-time high valuation of \$160.4 billion as of the end of the State's fiscal year on March 31, 2013. The fact that the Pension Fund is doing well is good news for County taxpayers from the viewpoint that our mandated contributions to it may soon decrease. The NYS Pension Fund is the third largest public pension fund in the country, and is one of the nation's best-funded pension plans. Over the past year it earned a 10.38% rate of return on its investments.

The NYS and Local Retirement System provided retirement benefits to more than one million state and local government employees, retirees and beneficiaries. The Comptroller reports that over the last 20 years more than 82% of the cost of benefits have been funded from investment returns. Over that time the value of the Pension Fund has increased from \$56.4 billion, to its current value of \$160.4 billion.

State Comptroller DiNapoli likes to emphasize the outstanding performance of the Pension Fund over the past 20 years. However, the reality is that local governments are being crushed by enormous contributions to that Pension Fund. The problem is that the State Constitution requires that the Pension Fund be maintained at an "actuarially sound" level at all times. On two occasions during the past 20 years the Pension Fund has experienced major losses during stock market collapses. When that happens the State Comptroller increases the mandated contributions from local governments. At present, despite the Comptroller's boasting, we are paying 20.9% of each employee's salary to fund their retirement benefits. This is more than five times the average that private businesses typically contribute towards employee retirement benefits. This is simply unsustainable.

In the late 1990s the stock market went through what was known as the "dot-com bubble" when internet stocks exploded in value. In 1999 the Pension Fund investments were valued at \$111.0 billion. In 2000 those same investments were valued at \$127.1 billion. However, in 2001 those exact same investments were worth only \$112.4 billion, and were still dropping in value. By 2003 the values had dropped to \$95.5 billion, representing a drop of almost 30%. To cover those losses the Comptroller mandated that local governments dramatically increase their contributions. This occurred at the worst possible time, when people were losing their jobs and experiencing losses in their own investments.

From 2003 to 2007 the stock market grew rapidly from \$95.5 billion to \$154.5 billion. In 2008 it dropped to \$153.8 billion, before the bottom fell out in 2008 when those investments plummeted to \$108.9 billion in value. That loss of almost \$45 billion in investments represented a drop of almost 30%. To cover those losses the Comptroller again increased the required contributions from local governments. Over the past 5 years the County's contribution to the Pension Fund has tripled from about 7% of payroll to almost 21% of payroll. Our annual payments have increased by several million dollars.

The State laws governing the State Pension Fund need to be amended to make things more equitable. I support keeping the Pension Fund fully funded. However, there should be limits to protect local governments from overwhelming burdens, such as those experienced twice over the past 15 years. Also, the absolute "guaranty" contained in current law needs to be repealed. No other segment of society benefits from such a guaranty of its retirement benefits. The fact that the current program has experienced major problems twice in less than 15 years is evidence that something is fundamentally wrong with it. This is the time to take a hard look at the NYS Pension System, and to fix it. If we do it now, we won't have to experience another collapse and crushing bail-out by local governments.

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AU commencement held May 18

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from Corning. Duquette is a daughter of David and Kimberly Duquette and a graduate of Churchville-Chili High School. Milia is a graduate of Gresham (OR) Union High School.

Leading the procession of five doctoral, 68 master's, 20 advanced studies certificates, and 265 bachelor's degree candidates, faculty, University administrators, and members of the Board of Trustees was Dr. Addison E. Frey, associate professor of mathematics, serving as grand marshal. The assembly processed and recessed to music provided by the Alfred University Symphonic Band under the direction of Dr. Christopher Foster, assistant professor of music and director of bands.

Members of the Class of 2013 Jared Cooper of Syracuse and Pattilyn McLaughlin of Acra, sang a duet of the National Anthem.

The Rev. Laurie J. DeMott, campus interfaith adviser and minister of the Union University Church, Alfred, offered the invocation and benediction for the

ceremony.

Prior to Benmosche's remarks, the University bestowed an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters, honoris causa on Peter Cuneo, a 1967 alumnus who is completing his second three-year term as chairman of the AU Board of Trustees. Like Benmosche, Cuneo is regarded as a rescuer of failing corporations, including Marvel Comics, which he took from a struggling publisher of comic books to an entertainment company worth billions. Gene Bernstein '69, a member of the Board of Trustees and former chairman, made the presentation and performed the hooding.

Benmosche was also awarded an honorary degree, a Doctor of Business, honoris causa, presented by Robert McComsey '66, member, AU Board of Trustees.

Following Benmosche's address and the conferment of the master's degrees by Dr. Nancy Evangelista, associate provost for graduate and professional studies, the 2013 Marlin Miller Outstanding Seniors - Jordyn T'Keyah Larkins of Rochester, a

communication study and Spanish major, and Miller offered their thoughts upon leaving Alfred. They were introduced by Kathy Woughter, vice president for Student Affairs. The senior awards are named for Marlin Miller, AU class of 1954, a current member and former chair of the University Board of Trustees.

Dr. William M. Hall, provost and vice president for academic affairs, recognized outstanding scholars prior to the awarding of the baccalaureate degrees conferred by Dr. Mary McGee, dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences; Leslie Bellavance, dean, School of Art & Design; Dr. Doreen Edwards, dean, Kazuo Inamori School of Engineering; and Evangelista, dean, College of Professional Studies.

Prior to concluding remarks by Edmondson, Bradley Berwald, AU class of 2000, president of the Alfred University Alumni Association, inducted the newest members into the organization.

The ceremonies concluded with a rendition of the Alma Mater by members of the University Chamber Singers, under the direction of Dr. LuAnne Crosby, and the benediction by DeMott.

A number of faculty members served as Commencement marshals, including Dr. Wesley Bentz, professor emeritus of chemistry; Dr. Frederic Beaudry, assistant professor of environmental science; Dr. M. Hope Childers, assistant professor of art history; Dr. Elizabeth Ann Dobie, professor of art theory; Frank Duserick, Kruson Distinguished Professor of Business; Dr. Juliana Gray, associate professor of English; Dr. Theresa Gunn, assistant professor of accountancy; Dr. Scott T. Misture, Inamori Professor of Materials Science and Engineering; Dr. Ann P. Monroe-Baillargeon, professor of education; Susan P. Morehouse, professor of English; Dr. Steven Pilgrim, professor of materials science and engineering; Angus M. Powers, associate professor of glass; Dr. Joseph W. Rosiczkowski, professor of mechanical engineering; Dr. Jeffrey Sluyter-Beltrao, associate professor of political science; Dr. G. David Toot, professor of physics; and Kelly Williams, clinical instructor of education.

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Alfred University offers various summer camps

ALFRED—Alfred University is offering a variety of sports and day camps. They include:

SWIMMING CAMP: Residential or Commuter July 7-12. Enrollment Deadline: May 31. For competitive swimmers entering grades 7-12 who wish to improve their skills. Director: Coach Brian Striker. Location: McLane Center. This camp is designed to enhance the technical aspects of stroke, training, and the strategies needed for each camper to compete at the top level of competitive swimming.

ENGLISH EQUESTRIAN CAMP: Residential July 14-19. Enrollment Deadline: May 31. For campers aged 14-17. Director: Nancy Kohler, AU Equestrian Program Director. Location: Equestrian Center. Features: This camp will accommodate hunt seat riding based on the gifts and needs of the participants. Students will define realistic personal goals at the beginning of the week and their lessons will be directed toward helping them achieve their goals. A student show will be held at the end of the week to allow riders to demonstrate the skills they have learned.

EQUESTRIAN DAY CAMP: (FULL DAYS) June 24-27. For ages 8-16. Enrollment Deadline: June 14. Director: Nancy Kohler, AU Equestrian Program Director. Location: Equestrian Center. Features: Open to riders of all levels, aged 8-16, the camp will run from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday-Thursday. English and western in-

struction will be offered. Campers will be assigned a horse to ride during the week and will also be involved with the hands-on care for that horse. Each camper will have 2 sessions of riding each day. When not involved in riding, campers will be busy with arts and crafts projects and other recreational activities as well as learning stable management skills. A horse show will be held at the end of the day on Thursday so campers can demonstrate the skills they learned during the week.

CAMP WITH THE ART FORCE FIVE (1/2 DAYS) July 15-19 For grades K-8. (must have completed kindergarten and be at least 5 years old) Time: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Directors: Corrie Burdick, Dan Napolitano and Diane Mix. Location: BAFA Studio in the Brick. Features: Campers will unleash their creative super powers as members of the Art Force Five team. They will explore all the amazing ways that art and imagination can help them express their uniqueness. Activities include drawing, painting, photography, sculpture and more plus plenty of fun activities and games. Learn from real artists and visit their studios. Cost: \$175 Enrollment Deadline: June 17.

ENGINEERING DAY CAMPS (1/2 DAYS) July 8-11 (Monday-Thursday). Location: Olin 207. Times: 8:30-11:30 a.m. for grades 1-3; 12:30-3:30 for grades 4-8. Features: Great hands-on learning! Students creatively build and modify vehicles applying basic engineering principles

and using unique LEGO® kits. They will learn a variety of science and math concepts throughout the 4-day program. Instruction & materials provided by All About Learning Inc. Cost: \$150 Deadline: June 21.

TENNIS DAY CAMP (2½ HRS PER DAY) July 22-26. For campers entering grades 7-12. Director: Dave Brady, Alfred-Almond Tennis Coach. Location: AU Tennis Courts. Time: 4-6:30 p.m. Features: Fundamental instruction for beginner through advanced players in stroke technique, footwork and court strategy along with technique training including serve, forehand, backhand and volley will be provided. Cost: \$150. Enrollment Deadline: July 12.

THEATRE DAY CAMP (1/2 DAYS) June 24-28 & July 1-3, 5-6. For campers who have completed grades 3-9. Time: 1-4 p.m. Director: Becky Prophet. Location: Miller Performing Arts Center. Grades 3-6 will focus on theatre games, improvisation & preparation for a performance on the last day of camp. The older group (grades 7-9) will focus on acting, development of costumes & props and preparation for a production presented on the last day. Cost: \$150 per week. Enrollment Deadline: June 14.

For more information, visit the AU website at: <http://www.alfred.edu/summer/>.

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe offers live music every weekend

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

On Friday, May 31 we welcome contemporary folk singer – songwriter Dana Twigg of Homer. On Saturday June 1 Jeff Slutsky, a Rochester-area guitarist and singer, will cover popular tunes from the roaring 20s to the present. Both shows begin at 7:30 p.m.

Every “first Thursday” the café hosts the area’s finest Acoustic Open Mic Night. This month the event takes place 7-10 p.m. Thursday, June 4 hosted by Bob and Gena Decker of Belmont.

Friday, May 31st: 7:30 p.m.

Dana Twigg is a singer/songwriter from upstate New York with a unique style all his own. Taking influence from such artists as Lucero and Townes Van Zandt, he is currently playing shows in support of his debut full length disc “15 Hours in Manhattan” and his latest release, “Morning Light is a Friend of Mine.”

In the past year, he’s had the pleasure of performing across the northeast and Midwest, including the Rockwood Music Hall in New York City to the



GENA AND BOB DECKER of Belmont host Acoustic Open Mic Night from 7-10 p.m. Thursday, June 4 at the Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe in Angelica.

Elbo Room in Chicago. He pushes himself hard to improve as an artist and seriously enjoying the challenge of writing a compelling song. Learn more at www.facebook.com/danattwigmusic

Saturday June 1: 7:30 p.m.

Jeff Slutsky, a guitarist and singer from Rochester, plays covers of popular songs from the 1920s to the present. His rendition of “Minnie the Moocher” by Cab Callaway and “Mac the Knife” by Kurt Weill are good examples.

Jeff plays all covers, and he derives joy in having people sing along. He asks, “Why write new songs when there are thousands of good ones that people already know?” You can often find Jeff performing at coffeehouses and open mics in the Rochester area. We’re glad he’ll make the trip to Angelica on Saturday, June 1st. Learn more at www.jeffslutskymusic.com

Thursday, June 4: 7-10 p.m. The café’s Acoustic Open Mic Night is open to players of all ages and levels of experience who gather at the café to make music, play Scrabble or chess, and share a laugh and a good meal. Hosts Bob and Gena

Decker of Belmont kick off the evening playing a few songs. They’ll then introduce other performers in the order in which they signed in. These players will perform up to three numbers. There is no fee to participate and no cover charge. The café opens at 6 p.m. for meals and socializing. Call 585-466-3399 for details.

COMING UP:

Friday, June 7--Leslie Lee and Steve Gretz--Gospel, folk, Americana.

Saturday, June 8--Tristan Omand – Songwriter, Country-Folk.

Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Café serves lunch seven days a week, dinner with live music every Friday and Saturday evening, and breakfast on Saturday and Sunday. Located 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 lunches, showers, private dinners and other events. Food and beverage menus, wine lists and music schedules are posted online. For more information call 585-466-3399 or visit www.black-eyed-susan.com.



MATT HOMAN

‘Matt Homan & The Bluegrass Disciples’ to perform in Wellsville

WELLSVILLE--Matt Homan & The Bluegrass Disciples will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, June 8 at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center. Advanced tickets are \$10, \$12 at door. Members save an additional \$2. Tickets may be purchased online at www.Wellsville-CreativeArtsCenter.com or at the Art Center Coffee House. For more information visit the website or call (585) 593-3000.

Comprised of a who’s who of veteran musicians from Chautauqua County, Matt Homan & his “Bluegrass Disciples” deliver a well-rounded variety of both original and traditional compositions with heartfelt, soulful vocals and vibrant, unexpected lead playing.

Matt Homan, Mark Mincarelli and Matt Gronquist are songwriters who have brought something new to the genre without losing sight of where this wonderful music called bluegrass began. Local legend Stanley Barton brings a refreshing blend of jazz and swing to the mix.

Holding it all together on the big dog house bass is a man whose personality is as solid as his playing, long time Derbines member, Dylan Derby.



JEFF SLUTSKY will perform at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 1 at the Black-Eyed Susan Acoustic Cafe in Angelica.

Cultural Arts Calendar



Music

BANDS/DJs/RECITALS

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 7:30 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 pm-1 a.m.; Saturday night bands from 9 pm-1 a.m. For updates, check www.maplecitybowl.net Or call 607-324-1011.

Wellsville Creative Arts Center offers live music most Saturday evenings with performances beginning at 8 p.m., doors opening at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, March 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 pm Mondays at Blessed Sacrament Church, Andover. New members welcome. Contact Director Marcy Bledsoe at 478-5238.

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

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

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

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
Oil City Symphony. Musical presented by Alfred Community Theatre at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, July 12-13 in the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater in Alfred Village Hall. Tickets will be available at the door.

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.

Angelica Ink Letterpress Located at 20 Allegany Avenue, Angelica, NY. 585-466-7040

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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.the-fountainartscenter.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.

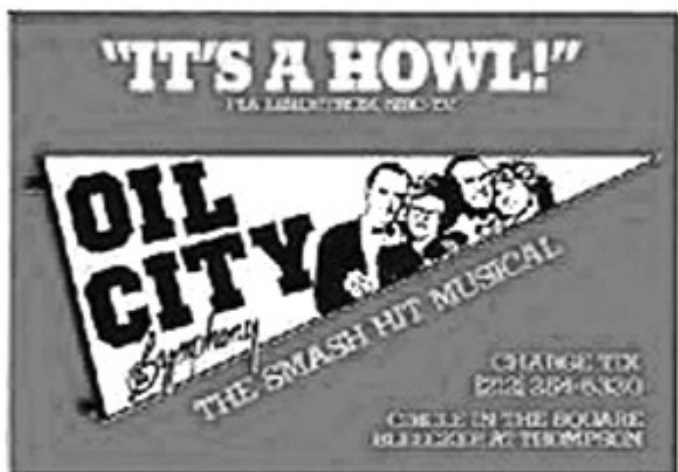
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Mather Homestead Museum. 343 Main St., Wellsville. Open 2-5 pm Wed. & Sat. or by appt. (Free) Call 716-593-1636.

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ACT to stage 'Oil City Symphony'

ALFRED--Mark your calendars. Alfred Community Theatre, an amateur theatre group that last year brought you "The Music Man," is at it again. ACT will stage the smash hit musical "Oil City Symphony" at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, July 12-13 in the 1890 Firemen's Hall Theater at Alfred Village Hall.

The musical, directed by ACT co-founder Ellen Shultz, will feature the local talent of Debbie Kenney, Beverly Snyder, Craig Mix and Brooke Harris.

Alfred Community Theatre, which raised nearly \$20,000 in support of the renovation of the theater space at Alfred Village Hall, was founded for the two-fold purpose of helping to restore the Village Hall theater and to get summer theatre going again in Alfred.

Ticket information will be announced at a later date.

Genesee Valley Chorus plans June 2 concert

WELLSVILLE--The Genesee Valley Chorus of Wellsville will present a concert at 3 p.m. Sunday, June 2 in the Trinity Lutheran Church at 240 N. Main Street, Wellsville. Theme of the concert is: "Remembering the War of 1812." The chorus is directed by Norma Bartlett and accompanied by Carole Aldrich. Admission is free.

ALFRED SUN Dining Guide

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By ELIZA ORDWAY

Box of Books Library Director

Some of you may have already gotten my email notice about the changes in our loaning periods for DVDs. There has been a system wide push in the Southern Tier Library System to have all libraries loan their DVD's for seven (7) days, with one renewal and limit patrons to seven (7) DVDs at a time.

The reasoning for this loan policy is that it will return DVDs back to the collection faster and make them available for patrons waiting for them. The board here at the Box of Books has decided that this is a reasonable limit for DVDs. The policy will take effect on June 1st here at the Box of Books. If you have questions or concerns regarding this loan policy, please contact Eliza at the Box of Books 607-587-9290 or ordwaye@stls.org.

We here at the Box of Books know that this change will be hard for some patrons to adjust to at first but we believe that it really is the best policy for all libraries in the system. Thank you for your understanding with this change.

Great news! The colleges are out for the summer and the Box of Books has NOT changed its hours. We will be open Sundays 10-6, Monday 10-6, Tuesday 12-8, Wednesday 10-6, Thursday 12-6, Fridays 10-5 and we are Closed Saturdays.

Box of Books Board meetings are held on the first Monday of each month. The next meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, June 3 here at the Box of Books Library.

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

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

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

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

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



info, 716-466-8524.

Films

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

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Fun-n-Games

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

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

ALLEGANY COUNTY FAIR
Celebrating 169 continuous years of operation, July 15-20 at the Fairgrounds in Angelica. Grandstand highlights include:
Monday, July 15: Truck & Farm Tractor Pull at 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, July 16: NYS Champion Lightweight Horse Pull at 1 p.m., Free for All Horse Pull at 6 p.m.
Wednesday, July 17: Country Music artist Craig Wilkins, and the sounds of Patsy Cline, Johnny Cash and Elvis Presley in a Unique Music Tribute from 4 to 10 p.m.
Thursday, July 18: "Boys & Bulls" at 7:30 p.m.
Friday, July 19: East Coast Extreme Stunt Show with Quads and Motorcross at 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, July 20: Demolition Derby beginning at 4 p.m.
All grandstand events are included in the "Pay One Price" admission of \$8 per person that includes unlimited rides.

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 bmcormick@sjmh.org or call the Spiritual Care Office at 607-324-8153.

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

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

Multiple Sclerosis Support Group. Meets first Wednesday of each month at 10 a.m. at Friendly's. For more info, contact 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, June 3

Chilled Peas, Swedish Meatballs, Buttered Noodles, Carrots, Italian Bread, Lemon Mousse, Diabetic - Lemon Mousse.

Tuesday, June 4

Coleslaw, Chicken & Gravy Over Biscuit, Petite Peas, Orange, Diabetic - Orange.

Wednesday, June 5

Juice, Breaded Fish w/Tarter Sauce, Baked Potato, Sour Cream, Mixed Vegetables, Wheat Bread, Chocolate Pudding, Diabetic - Pudding.

Thursday, June 6

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

Friday, June 7

Strawberry Yogurt Salad, Chicken Salad on a Bun, Italian Pasta Salad, Lettuce & Tomato, Butterscotch Squares, Diabetic - Peaches.

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

ALFRED NUTRITION SITE

Union University Church Center, 12 noon
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Monday—Exercises w/Mary Lou Maxon at 10:30 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon.
Bill Heaney, "Underground Railroad."

Wednesday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m. with Mary Lou Maxon, lunch at noon.

Thursday—Lunch at noon. Amy Bump & Katelyn Metler - Cuba Memorial Hospital.

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. "Grandkids."

Thursday—Exercises at 10 a.m., lunch at 11:30 a.m. "National Candy Month."

Lynn Oyer, Issues & Answers.

BOLIVAR NUTRITION SITE

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

Thursday—Lunch at noon.

CANASERAGA NUTRITION SITE

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Tuesday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon. Exercises/Cards at 1 p.m. "On the Clothesline."

Thursday—Exercises at 10:15 a.m.,

"Colorful Language." Lunch at 12 noon. Exercises at 1 p.m. Blood Pressure Clinic.

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AA Arnold Community Center, 12 noon
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Tuesday—Euchre, Cards, Dominoes, Puzzles at 10:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon. "Rocky Road Day."

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

Thursday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m. Lunch at 12 noon. "On the Clothesline."

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Fillmore Fire Hall, 12 noon
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Monday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles. Lunch 12 noon.

Thursday—Exercises at 10:30 a.m., Cards, Jigsaw Puzzles, Euchre. Lunch at 12 noon. Cheryl Czworka "Too Good to be True Health Claims." Monitoring Visit.

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

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

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Community Center, 12 noon
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Monday—Stretch at 9 a.m., Bingo at 10:45 a.m., Lunch at 12 noon, Euchre at 1 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.

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.

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Whitesville Fire Hall, 12 noon
Call Becky Mattison at 607-356-3571.

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*Theme basket items due this week.

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Wednesday—Exercises at 10:45 a.m., Jigsaw Puzzle, Lunch at noon. "On the Clothesline."

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FIFTY YEARS AGO, MAY 30, 1963

Alfred University will confer the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws upon Amory Houghton, Jr., President of Corning Glass Works, during the commencement convocation here on June 9, President M. Ellis Drake announced today. Mr. Houghton is a native of Corning. He served in the U.S. Marine Corps in 1945 and 1946 before entering Harvard University....

Alfred-Almond Central School Principal Kenneth Clicquennoi has received authorization from the Board of Education to begin looking for persons interested in the position of elementary principal, according to an announcement made by Board of Education President Hubert Wightman... Principal Clicquennoi pointed out that office space in the present building, which houses grades K-12, is extremely short. However, temporary makeshift arrangements would be made for an office for the elementary principal until the new 19-room elementary school is completed. It was the feeling of the members of the board that the move from the present building into the new school would be facilitated if the elementary principal had a year of experience at Alfred-Almond to become familiar with the elementary teachers, curriculum, and program. Also, the extra amount of work placed upon the supervising principal during the construction of the building would be greatly decreased by the assistance of an elementary principal, according to board members.

Four Alfred-Almond Central School seniors have been accepted for entrance next fall at Alfred University. They are John Burdick, William Martin, Sharon Post, and Carolyn Richmond, all of Alfred...

Alfredians—Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Randolph, en route from Florida, to their home at Adams Center, were weekend guests of Dr. and Mrs. Winfield Randolph, Jr. and attended the baptism of their granddaughter, Susan, Friday evening at the Seventh Day Baptist Church... Dr. S.R. Scholes was the speaker at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of the Wellsville Rotary Club; his subject, "The Great Lunacy"... Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Potter were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Potter and family at Mystic, Conn... Dr. and Mrs. R.W. Fuller of Batavia, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lachusia and sons of Reading, Pa., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Thomas... Mrs. Elsie Binns is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Linnville and family in Berea, Ohio, for a few weeks...

Almond—Mr. and Mrs. Milford Hadsell and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swartwood of Ithaca spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hadsell in McHenry Valley... Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Dexter were in Warsaw Saturday night to attend the 17th Springtime Harmony Show, featuring barbershop quartets... Mr. and Mrs. David Bordeaux and Jane visited Mr. Bordeaux's mother, Mrs. Hazel Reome and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sweringen at Hornell Sunday... Attending a wedding shower for Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cornell at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Mildred Northrup, Saturday evening, were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ryan Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mensinger, Mr. and Mrs. Donald S. Burdett, Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Ryan and Jeffrey, and Mrs. Harry Hurd. Mrs. James Gatchell, a house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ryan Sr., also attended as did other members of the family from Hornell, Dansville, Andover and Arkport...

Announcement has been made of acceptance of several Alfred-Almond seniors in colleges for the fall semester. David Michael Leach, son of Dr. and Mrs. David M. Leach, of Alfred has been accepted at Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., where he will enter this fall... Michael V. Stuart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stuart of Almond, has been accepted in the liberal arts program at Parsons College, Fairfield, Iowa... Two AACS senior girls have been accepted for September entrance at Olean Business Institute. They are Joann Jefferds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jefferds of Alfred Station and Linda Knudsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Knudsen of Hornell...

Lester S. Raish of Sherman Road, Alfred Station, died suddenly Monday morning while doing chores in his barn. He was 61 years old. Born in Almond, he resided in Alfred Station the past 26 years. He was a farmer most of his life and a former resident of Hornell.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO, JUNE 2, 1988

Retiring technical specialist, faculty members and support staff were honored by Alfred University for their years of service at a dinner May 12. Stanley Shaw... re-

tired as the director of physical plant... Carl Moses, a technical specialist at the NYS College of Ceramics had been at the University since 1963... Andre Billeci of Campbell retired as professor of glass from the College of Ceramics... William Earl left his position as associate professor of ceramic engineering at the College of Ceramics... James Funk of Alfred Station retired as professor of ceramic engineering at the College of Ceramics... Jessie Baker left her position as lead cook at Ade Hall... Carl Oakes of Alfred Station retired as janitorial supervisor after serving the University for 16 years... Carol Rossman left her position as custodian in Openhym Residence Hall... Doris Mates retired as secretary to the division of education...

(Photo) Happy Retirement—Alfred State College President Dr. John O. Hunter poses with nine members of the classified service staff who retired this year including Carl Clark of Andover, senior stationary engineer, 29 years of service; his wife, Reva, a janitor with 30 years' service; Everett Flanders of Hornell RD 3, public safety officer, 34 years; Ralph Allen of Alfred Station, electrician, 29 years; Lasca Congelli of Hornell, senior steno, 18 years; Genevieve Williamson of Greenwood, cleaner, 17 years' service; Bernice Cook of Hornell, cleaner, 10 years' service; Vertalyn Hartwell of Alfred Station, cleaner, 15 years; Mary Whitford of Hornell, purchasing agent, 17 years. Those with 25 or more years of service received college chairs, while other retirees also were given gifts and plaques by Dr. Hunter. Two others retiring this year are Charlotte Alderson of Almond and Ellen Evans of Hornell.

(Photo) Rehearsing "Anitra's Dance" for the premiere concert of the Alfred Ballet Academy, scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 4 at the Orvis Activities Center auditorium, are Julie Lusk of Arkport, Taryn Volk, Gabrielle Stone and Amy Burns, all of Alfred.

(Photo) Rehearsing for "A Rose Through Time," Alfred Ballet Academy's premiere concert, are Kerry Clark of Wellsville and Heather Roffe of Canisteo; Anjali Rao of Almond and Lisa del Campo, Chloe Tartaglia, Gabrielle Stone and Rene Hall, all of Alfred.

Alfredians—Army Private Daniel Patton, a 1985 graduate of Alfred-Almond Central School, of Alfred Station, has completed basic training at Fort Dix, NJ. He is the son of Stephen and Sharon Patton of Alfred Station... Gary Moore of Alfred, coach of cross country and track and Penny Bassage of Hornell, who is the women's soccer coach at Alfred State College, were the first recipients of the William S. Havens "Coach of the Year" award... Bruce Connolly, director of the Scholes Library of Ceramics, has been installed as chairman of the executive board of the State University of New York (SUNY) Council of Head Librarians... Ray and Tina Carter and children of Williamsport, PA were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carter recently... Mrs. Elizabeth Sibley returned May 21 to her home after completing her studies at Yale University School in New Haven. When she completes her studies there next fall, she will have a master's degree in sacred theology... Mr. and Mrs. Herman Snyder attended the graduation exercises at Cayuga College, Auburn, NY of their granddaughter Charlotte (Baker) Scott of Seneca Falls. Others who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker, Friendship and Dr. Robert Snyder, Minneapolis, MN...

The annual Alfred-Almond Central School District Election will be held between 1 and 9 p.m. Wednesday, June 8 at the school auditorium. Residents will vote on a proposed \$4.1 million spending plan, purchase of two school buses and elect a candidate to a five year term on the Board of Education. Carla Coch is unopposed in seeking her second term on the board. The proposed spending plan represents a 8.8 percent tax increase...

The Alfred-Alfred Station Senior Citizens Club will meet for a noon luncheon at the Union University Church Center on Thursday, June 9. Speaker will be Richard H. Call and Randolph O. Webb, directors of the Hartsville Museum.

The Alfred Station Firemen's Auxiliary met May 24, with 10 members present. A thank you not and a \$50 contribution from Betty Short, was received and the note read. She thanked the group for inviting her to the Annual Dinner held at the Sunset Inn in Hornell in April. Art Roberts, president of the Alfred Station Firemen, came to talk to the members as the result of an irate letter sent to the firemen by the Auxiliary after they heard a couple of disparaging remarks made about the group and

its efforts. Roberts assured the members that this was not the majority opinion of the firemen and suggested more activities be undertaken by both groups together. Also, the firemen offered to, either cook or pay for, next year's annual dinner in April. The members talked about asking the firemen's secretary, to include notices of their meetings on the computerized cards sent each month to that group. Laurie Keenen will see that it is done...

TEN YEARS AGO, JUNE 5, 2003

What was the hottest topic of discussion in Alfred this past week? Probably a petition to abandon the site chosen in 1998 for The Schein-Joseph International Museum of Ceramic Art. Construction is due to begin later this year at the present location of South Hall between Park Street and Sayles Street on the Alfred University campus. It verges on a residential neighborhood on three sides. The concerns of nearby property owners about the potential impact of the museum on the area have persisted. So has the frustration at the lack of an opportunity to express them in any way which might prove effectual. Local author Megan Staffel revived the siting issue at a public information session held by the Alfred Comprehensive Plan Committee on Wednesday, May 7. She followed up by writing a letter which appeared in the *Alfred Sun* on Thursday, May 14 in which she invited community members to a meeting. The meeting was duly held at St. Jude's Chapel on the Alfred State College campus on Wednesday, May 28. Staffel specified that the purpose was "to sign a petition addressed to Alfred University's President, Charles Edmondson," opposing the ceramic museum siting...

Alfred-Almond Central School District voters Tuesday gave their "thumbs-up" approval of a \$8,539,121 budget for the 2003-04 school year, elected Nadine Shardlow of Almond to the Board of Education and approved the purchase of one 65-passenger school bus. In what could be considered a light voter turnout, the budget was narrowly approved with 287 "yes" votes to 250 "no". Just over 500 voters came to the polls Tuesday, while more than 800 ballots were cast in the district election in May 2002...

Adell G. Jefferds, 89, of 545 Main St., Alfred Station, passed away Friday, May 30, 2003 at Jones Memorial Hospital in Wellsville. Born in Savona, Sept. 22, 1913, the daughter of Frederick and Fern Brooks Goodsell, she had resided the majority of her life in the Alfred Station area. She was a graduate of Savona High School, class of 1931, and had been employed as a cook for the Tau Delta Phi Fraternity in Alfred. Adell was a member of the Union Industrial Society women's group in Alfred Station, a life member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Alfred Station Fire Department, an EMT with the Alfred Ambulance, a member of the Kanakadea McArthur Chapter #242 Order of the Eastern Star, where she served as Worthy Matron in 1956. She had served as secretary of the chapter for several years, and in 1971, also served as Deputy Grand Matron of the Allegany District, Order of the Eastern Star. She had been an election inspector and committee person of the republican Party, a member of the PTA of the Alfred-Almond Central School, and a member of the Advisory Board of the Hornell Salvation Army. She will be remembered for her cookie baking and was a "mother" to all neighborhood children...

State University of New York Chancellor Robert L. King May 29 announced he will recommend the Dean of the University of Houston College of Technology Dr. Uma G. Gupta to the SUNY Board of Trustees as the next president of the State University of New York College of Technology at Alfred...

Michelle Kernan, a junior at Alfred-Almond Central School, will receive the University of Rochester Award in the Humanities/Social Sciences... Michelle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kernan of Almond.

Andover Central School has announced the names of the valedictorian and salutatorian of the Class of 2003. John Wlasniewski has been named valedictorian and Doris Dunham salutatorian...

Alfred State College will host one of the three new franchises in the New York Collegiate Baseball League this summer at their brand new baseball field on campus. A team run by Athletes in Action will call Alfred home for the summer as they participate in the ten-team NY CLBL. Athletes in Action will be a member of the Western Division along with the Hornell Dodgers, the Allegany County Nitros, the Wayne County Raptors, and the Geneva Red Wings...

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NOTICE OF FORMATION

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CHECKING OUT the clay beads formed, painted and fired by Kenyan women in the fair-trade business **Kazuri Beads of Kenya** are (from left) Sandra Gerling-Yelle; Dr. Lisa McCool; Mary Huntington; Mary Jane Lloyd and Mary Kay Dwyer.

Alfred-Hornell AAUW learns about, supports Children's Foundation

ALFRED—A quiz about the significance of the date April 9th opened the Alfred-Hornell AAUW (American Association of University Women) Wednesday, April 10 meeting at the Terra Cotta Coffee House in Alfred.

Patty Soper-Oakes appropriately won a Payday Candy Bar since she knew April 9th is Equal Pay Day. April 9th symbolically represents the extra three months women must work to earn what their male counterparts earned. There is a 23% gap, based on overall industry statistics as reported by the Census Bureau.

Even though this is the 50th anniversary of The Equal Pay Act, much still needs to be done to ensure equal pay for equal work. AAUW, a front runner for gender rights, supports the Paycheck Fairness Act, now in Congress, which would close some of the loopholes that have kept the previous law from fully protecting and advancing pay equity. AAUW's nationwide fair pay campaign, fightforfairpay.org, cites personal stories of the wage gap's effects, research, an interactive calculator, and ways to take action.

Mary Smith shared the financial report and funds available for our end of the year events. On May 14 a gala celebration of the branch's 75th Anniversary was planned. We also have our annual Awards Banquet in June when we honor area high school girls for their achievement in math and science, as well as elementary school winners of our essay contests.

A thank you note was read by the president from Ada White, thanking us for the lovely flowers and dish garden we sent in memory of her loved one, Gary Widler, who passed away in February.

An AAUW statewide project is My Sister's Keeper, which involves fostering a greater understanding of the plight of women worldwide as well in our own country, and to strive to nurture and help. Our February meeting consisted of a discussion of the book Half the Sky: Turning Oppression into Opportunity for Women Worldwide, by Nicholas and Sheryl WuDunn. As we discussed various obstacles facing women we were impressed with real meaningful solutions being used to counter the problems; including better health care, education and economic opportunities for women.

To complement this project, this month we were fortunate to have a guest who is knowledgeable about Amani Children's Foundation, which serves single mothers and children in Kenya, Africa orphaned by poverty and AIDS.

Dr. Lisa McCool, assistant professor of business administration at Alfred State College, shared with us the Amani story. Dr. McCool, along with her colleague, Sandra Gerling-Yelle, displayed beautiful pieces of jewelry made from the clay of Mt. Kenya. The clay beads were formed, painted and fired by Kenyan women in the fair-trade business Kazuri Beads of Kenya, then shaped into jewelry by volunteers in the US. 100% of the proceeds help women, families and community and most of all the Amani Children's Foundation.

Kazuri began as a family business and has grown to over 300 women employees who are paid a fair wage. Lunch and day care is also provided for them. Most of the employees are single mothers who have lost their husbands through AIDS. Besides this opportunity to lift themselves out of poverty by supporting themselves and their families, the women also are involved in collective giving. It was inspiring to know that each month they, too, are Sisters' Keepers by putting some of their money together to support another family in need. Kazuri is also beginning to give micro-loans, providing even more opportunities for these women.

Kazuri and Amani Children's Foundation are interrelated. It was founded by Drs. Jane and Chad Stephens in 2004. They have worked in Kenya as volunteers over the last 30 years. Amani Children's Foundation partners with New Life Home Trust of Kenya. Since 1993, New Life Homes has rescued over 1200 infants, most of whom have been adopted by Kenyan families. They also provide food and clean water for hundreds of school children every day.

We greatly appreciate the information shared by Dr. McCool and Sandra. Our group raised \$682 for this foundation and we are very happy to help these women and children. More information about this foundation can be found at www.amanichildren.org.



JULIA GARDNER (pictured at left) has gone on one missions trip previously when she visited Haiti following the devastating earthquake in 2010. **RACHAEL GARDNER** (pictured at right) has been to Africa twice before on missions trips. Julia will serve as worship leader at a missionary conference in Africa led by Sylvia Evans of Creative Word Ministries of Lima, NY. Rachael will likely minister to children during the conference.

Sisters will minister July 5-21 in Africa

By **MARIAH EVANS**
Special to the Alfred Sun

ALFRED—Rachael and Julia Gardner of Alfred will travel to Africa, July 5-21 to invest into the lives of unfortunate children and minister to missionaries who are always ministering to others. They are two local gals on a mission (not a vacation) and they are in need of community support!

The girls will be on the mission field for two weeks with Sister Sylvia Evans of Creative Word Ministries and Elim Bible Institute in Lima, NY. They need to raise approximately \$3,000 each to cover their expenses and also need prayer support for their safety and provision.

The girls' two-week African mission will start in Uganda where they will minister to the Ugandan natives, visit orphanages and serve in a variety of ways. They will complete their mission in Nairobi, Kenya at the Annual Missions Conference where they will lead worship and help with the children's ministry. As a team, the girls will work with Sylvia to minister to missionaries from around the world. They will bring pieces of home and familiarity to those who sacrifice their lives and culture to minister to others every day. The girls are excited to be able to connect with these missionaries and provide a time of refreshing and companionship as they devote their lives to share the gospel internationally.

This will be Rachael's fourth missions trip and third time to Africa. She spent a month in

Ghana providing care packages and ministering to families. She spent a month in Zambia where she helped build an orphanage. She also ministered to people and helped rebuild a church in Mexico. Rachael is excited to go to Uganda and Kenya and, based on her previous trips, knows that her life will have an impact on others even as their lives have an impact on hers.

Julia has been on one missions trip to Haiti where she spent two weeks working to clear debris after the earthquake in 2010. She also ministered to children through song and storytelling. Julia has been leading worship at Lighthouse Christian Fellowship for nearly four years and is excited about leading a worship team of missionary musicians at the Annual Missions Conference.

Sylvia Evans met the girls at Lighthouse Christian Fellowship's annual Prophetic Presbytery Conference in April where Julia was leading worship. At the conference, Sylvia made a personal connection with Julia and Rachael. Sylvia had been praying for a special worship leader to accompany her team in Africa and believed that Julia was the answer to her prayers. Soon after Julia was invited, her sister Rachael was recruited to accompany her.

Sylvia Evans' ministry, Creative Word Ministries, allows Sylvia to go to the world in the name of Jesus and minister to people of all nations. This summer she will spend seven weeks in Africa "to be available to the

missionaries and the African leaders, to encourage and serve them" and to minister at their request. For more information on her ministry, one can visit: <http://www.creativeword.us/> Rachael and Julia will join Sylvia for her last two weeks in Africa and will travel home with her on July 25.

Lighthouse Christian Fellowship will support them through several events including a church yard sale and a beef on week dinner with a silent baked good auction.

Pastor Roger Gardner, the girls' father and Pastor of Lighthouse Christian Fellowship, noted that there has been a shift in what missionaries' support is all about—from only sending funds to also sending people.

After raising funds to go on a missions trip of his own, Pastor Gardner learned how much it means to our international brothers and sisters that we also come in person to work alongside them in ministry. Lighthouse Christian Fellowship is happy to have the opportunity to support and send Rachael and Julia on this mission.

Rachael and Julia are working to raise about \$3,000 each to pay for their flights, living arrangements, food, transportation and basic needs. They appreciate the financial and prayer support of the community.

Dates of the LCF beef on week dinner, bake sale silent auction and a yard sale to support the girls will be announced in the *Alfred Sun*.

Rachael and Julia are also accepting gifts of support to help for their trip. Support checks may be sent to Lighthouse Christian Fellowship, P.O. Box 1246, Alfred, New York 14802.

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ALFRED-ALMOND AREA

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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

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HILLEL AT ALFRED—Friday night services 6:30 pm at Melvin Bernstein Hillel House, 18 S. Main St., when AU is in session. Ad'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.

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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.

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The Practice of Zen Meditation

By BEN HOWARD



AWFUL BUT CHEERFUL

There may be no such thing as a free lunch, but one morning not long ago I called my wife to offer that very thing. I could pick her up at her office at noon, I proposed, and we could go to the Jet for a bite to eat. After checking her schedule, Robin readily agreed.

As it happened, however, Robin was called out of her office at 11:45. Not wanting to leave her husband in limbo, she asked Kevin, her work-study student, to inform me that she would be back shortly.

"What does he look like?" Kevin asked.

"He's gray and slightly built."

An hour later, over my Chicken Caesar Wrap, I noted that there were other adjectives Robin might have chosen. "In aspect marvelous, in form divine" came to mind, but it lacked specificity. Perhaps "lean of limb and stern in mien"? Or, in the interests of concision, "compact and professorial"?

"But you are gray and slightly built," Robin insisted. At which point I rested my case.

In truth, however, almost any description would have fallen short, not because its object begged description but because description is at best a limited tool. And from the vantage point of Zen teachings, it is often at cross-purposes with one of the central aims of Zen practice, namely to see things as they are. Only by doing so, Zen teachings advise, can we live harmoniously with ourselves, our environment, and other people. And more often than not, description impedes or subverts our capacity for clear seeing.

"Don't say 'it is beautiful,'" wrote the poet E. L. Mayo, my first mentor in the art. Like the Zen teachers with whom I would later study, Ed Mayo understood that when we call an object beautiful, we drop that object into a conceptual bin. Whether the object be a painting or a geode, a BMW or a sparkling new stove, the general modifier "beautiful" classifies it as a Beautiful Thing, denying its one-of-a-kind uniqueness. In Zen teachings that quality is known as "suchness." And to awaken to suchness is both an objective and a fruit of the practice.

Beyond the classifying aspect of description, however, there is also its selective nature. As Zen master Thich Nhat Hanh puts it, description slashes undifferentiated reality into bits and pieces, presenting a part or two for the whole. For evidence we need only consult the obituaries, where the late Herman is described as a hard-working businessman and the departed Henrietta as a loving mother. Or we can turn to the Personals, where Seth and Jennifer are described in telegraphic phrases: "Athletic, handsome, young at heart"; "Fun-loving, smart, attractive."

Only a very trusting reader would take such descriptions at face value or mistake them for the whole truth. More convincing are those oxymoronic pairings that evoke the complexity of actual experience. "Awful but cheerful," wrote the poet Elizabeth Bishop, a poet known for her precise description. In this instance Bishop was describing noisy, disorderly excavations at Garrison Bight in Key West, Florida. But she later asked that the phrase be inscribed on her tombstone, as if it embodied her view of life.

As descriptions go, Bishop's is one of the more memorable. But as Buddhist teachings often remind us, all descriptions are as "fingers pointing toward the moon," because the reality they purport to capture is ultimately indescribable. "Fundamentally," declares an early Zen poem, "there is not a single thing." And from the standpoint of Zen teachings, what we ordinarily call a "thing," implying a static and separate entity, is in reality impermanent and without a separate self. The tree we call an ash is actually a dynamic aggregate of "non-ash" elements, including light, water, carbon dioxide, and, these days, the ash borer. To describe that reality as if it were a solid object is to falsify its true nature.

What, then, is one to do? One obvious solution is to say nothing—or as little as possible. But a happier remedy may be found in the art of poetry, which often employs non-descriptive language to conjure a complex reality. In his essay "On Metaphor," the poet Howard Nemerov recalls Roger Tory Peterson's non-literal description of a purple finch as a "sparrow dipped in raspberry juice," a metaphor that allowed Nemerov to "know" the bird in a way that descriptive modifiers could not. "If you really want to see something," Nemerov suggests, "look at something else. . . . If you want to know what East really is, look North."

Not everyone can see in that way, nor is it always necessary to do so. Literal description has its place. But description also has its limitations, and to describe the world as best one can, while remaining mindful of realities beyond description, is a lifelong challenge, whether the phenomenon in question be an anticipated spouse or an unidentified bird.

Ben Howard leads the Falling Leaf Sangha (www.fallingleafsangha.blogspot.com), a Zen practice group in Alfred.

AU to host annual 5K Walk and Run

ALFRED—Alfred University's annual Alfred Community 5K Walk and Run will take place this year on Saturday, June 8, during Reunion Weekend 2013, beginning at 9 a.m. at the bandstand on Main Street. All are welcome to participate.

Registration fee is \$10 per person if paid before Saturday, June 1. Registration after that date is \$15, including on race day when registration will begin at 8:15 a.m. T-shirts are guaranteed for the first 50 registrants and are available on a first-come, first-served basis after that.

The run/walk will be broken up into age groups of 14 and

under; 15-19; 20-29; 30-39; 40-49; 50-59; 60-69; and 70 and up. Ribbons will be awarded to all finishers, and medals will be given to first, second, and third overall finishers in each group as well as to male and female age-group winners. There will also be door prizes.

The course will pass through the Alfred University campus as well as surrounding neighborhoods. A water station will be located halfway through the course. Registrants are encouraged to bring their own water in the event of hot weather.

The registration form is online at: http://www.alfred.edu/alfred_today/docs/5k_2013_flyer.

Please mail registration forms to: Alfred University, Gary Horowitz Service Learning, Career Development Center, One Saxon Drive, Alfred, NY 14802.

All proceeds from this event benefit the Gary Horowitz Service Learning Program at Alfred University. For more information, please call 607.871.2162 or email Jessica Jennings at servicelearning@alfred.edu.

Motivational workshop set at AU

ALFRED—Alfred University will host a motivational workshop led by Rhonda Morton titled "Transform Your Life in Two Hours" on Tuesday, June 11 from 5:30 -7:30 p.m. at the Judson Leadership Center on campus. This interactive workshop, open to the public, will introduce concepts to overcome barriers to success and help participants discover new ways of thinking in professional settings.

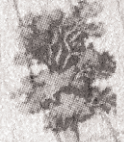
Seating is limited. Pre-registered tickets are \$10; tickets will be \$15 at the door, if available. Please call 607-871-2971 or email leadership@alfred.edu to reserve your space.

In this workshop, Morton will literally move participants through improvisational, experiential exercises and introduce brain-body behavior linkages that make approaching change easy and engaging. Her guidance will help participants discover their individual strengths,

expand their thoughts to new possibilities, and inspire them to transform and open their minds to new ideas.

A transformation strategist with the Corning-based Savannah Consulting, Morton weaves her skills of improvisational performance to open up possibilities to the people, groups, and organizations she serves. She knows how to put ideas into action, how to get things done, and what gets in the way of accomplishing goals.

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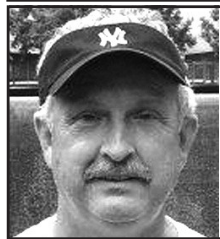
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The Dugout

By DOUG LOROW

Alfred Sun Sports Columnist

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HITS AND MISSES:

The Alfred-Almond girls softball team reached the Class D1 semi-finals as they took on #1-seeded Romulus this past Tuesday afternoon in Brockport. The Eagles (9-7) were seeded #5 and after knocking off Elba in the quarter-finals, a collision with the Romulus (17-4) program was next. #2 Arkport took on Lyndonville in the other semi-final game, also at Brockport, with the winners meeting Saturday for the sectional championship. Pretty sure that game will be at Brockport as well.

In D2 sectional softball action the Andover Panthers (12-4) were also in the semi-finals on Tuesday past as they took on Belfast. #1-seeded Webster Christian played Bradford on the other side of the bracket with the winners meeting for the title. In C3 action it was Keshequa (19-0) going after a crown behind "All-Everything" star hurler, Alex Flint. Flint had a 16-0 mark in the circle with a nifty 0.36 ERA for Keshequa and she is coming off back-to-back MVP awards in the sectionals. Yikes! Flint is off to SUNY Cortland in the fall to play soccer and softball. In C1 action it was Gananda (18-1) going after another title as well as they have dominated in softball of late.

In DD sectional baseball semi-finals it'll be Batavia Notre Dame and Lyndonville matched up plus Arkport and Fillmore. Batavia ND beat Alfred-Almond in the quarter-finals to advance. In B play the Wellsville Lions play Dansville and Way-Co tangles with Bath in their semi-final outings.

The RIT Tigers fell just short in their bid for an NCAA Division III lacrosse championship as they fell to Stevenson, 16-14 on Sunday in Philly. After topping undefeated and #1 seeded Cortland in the semi-finals, RIT couldn't quite pull it off in their first lax title game. Le Moyne nipped Mercyhurst in the D2 lax championship, 11-10 and the North Carolina women eased by Maryland, 13-12 in 3 OT's to grab the D1 lacrosse title. Duke and Syracuse squared off on Monday afternoon in the men's lax championship contest.

Stephen Baker (UPenn) is playing soccer this summer for Reading United AC and the team is (perhaps) one win away from tangling with the Rochester Rhinos in the U.S. Open Cup tourney. Baker, the AGR Player of the Year his senior season of high school at McQuaid, is one of the younger players on the squad. Reading United was in New York for two games this week as 3L was hoping to get out for one of the games. Baker will be a senior at UPenn in the fall.

It'll be quite the summer for golf fans in New York State as three events on the three main tours, LPGA-PGA-Champions, will be in WNY and the Southern Tier. The LPGA Championship will be at Locust Hill CC in Rochester, June 6-9. The PGA Championship will be at Oak Hill in Rochester, August 8-11. First time ever that the two PGA Championships will be held in the same city, the same year! Oak Hill also hosted the Senior PGA Championship 2-3 years ago. And, on the Champions Tour, it'll be the Dick's Open in Endicott the weekend of August 16-18. Headed to the PGA with Jake Taft on the Saturday of play, sandwiched in between two golf outings, Hickory Ridge and Stafford CC. Hoping to see Fred Couples in Endicott as Leo Nealon and I head there again this summer.

Watched part of the Senior PGA Championship on Sunday as Jay Haas and Kenny Perry were looking to grab the trophy in Missouri. Then someone named Kohki Idoki stepped in and hauled away the championship. Perry faded and tied Haas at T2. Wonder why Couples not at event?

A major blow to the Notre Dame football program as starting QB, Everett Golson has been declared academically ineligible for the upcoming season. Ouch. Efforts to reach Stu and Obie (out golfing) were futile. With QB's coming and going in that program, the Irish could be looking at a 7-5, 8-4 campaign, after going 12-0 in regular season action last year.

Spotted a few NYS vanity plates here and there: MRS HOF ... Alto's wife?, EEMADEIT ... former Friendship Little League star, E ... now in Florida, GTX 7777 ... big Mickey Mantle fan, HALF CUP ... better not go there, 02BONMV and with (NC) plates ... SPI-DER2K ... Tom Spiak!

The Chicago Bears are (finally) going to retire Mike Ditka's #89 uniform during a Cowboys-Bears game in December. What took so long? Ditka was coach of the famous '85 Bears squad after a stellar playing career with Chicago and with the Cowboys late in his NFL career. About time!

The Medved Lilac 10K was indeed held a week ago Sunday in Rochester as the Lilac Festival came to a close. Checked out the results to see if Mark Andrews (ex-Canisteo) or Jim Bathgate (ASC

During Homecoming festivities Saturday, Oct. 5

AU to induct five in sports hall

ALFRED--Alfred University will induct five former student-athletes into its Athletics Hall of Fame during an on-campus banquet Saturday, Oct. 5, during the University's annual Homecoming celebration.

Members of the Hall of Fame Class of 2013 are: former track star Wes Carr '82; football standout Joe Haven '91; Alpine skier Conor Walsh '02; women's lacrosse and tennis all-star Lindsay deCispkes '02; and swimming All-American Pat Kerwin '03.

Wes Carr was a member of the AU indoor and outdoor track and field teams from 1978-82. He holds AU outdoor track and field records in the 100-meter dash (10.70 seconds) and 200-meter dash (21.50 seconds), both set when he won titles in those events at the Independent College Athletic Conference (ICAC) championships in 1980. Carr was a two-time NCAA qualifier, competing in the 200-meter dash at the 1980 outdoor championships and as part of the 4X100-meter relay at the 1981 outdoor championships. Carr helped lead the Saxons to back-to-back team titles at the 1980 and 1981 ICAC outdoor championships. He was part of teams that formerly held the school's 4X100-meter relay and 4X400-meter relay outdoor records and 4X200-meter relay and 4X400-meter relay indoor records. He is also the former school indoor record holder in the 55-meter dash and 60-meter dash.

Joe Haven played on the Saxon football team for four years (1986-89), starting as a receiver his final three seasons. He finished his career with 80 catches for 1,333 yards and 15 receiving touchdowns. He shared the record (since broken) for touchdown catches in a game (three, against Brockport, 1989). Haven's best season came his senior year, when he had 46 catches for 704 yards and eight TDs, helping lead AU to the ECAC North Bowl championship.

Conor Walsh was a four-year member of men's Alpine ski team (1999-2002), serving as a team captain his final three seasons. During his career, he skied on men's teams that went a combined 40-0 in Empire Conference regular season races and won four conference team titles. In his final three seasons, Walsh won the individual Empire Conference crown and led the Saxons to the United States

Collegiate Ski Association (USCSA) National Championships. Placed second in the combined individual standings at the 2002 United States Collegiate Ski Association (USCSA) Mid-Atlantic Regionals and was third in the individual combined standings at the 2001 regionals.

Lindsay deCispkes played four seasons on the women's lacrosse team (1999-2002) and women's tennis team (1998-2001). She was a star in lacrosse, starting at midfield all four years. As a junior in 2001, when she helped lead the Saxons to a berth in the New York State championship tournament, she was a First Team Empire 8 Conference all-star, Intercollegiate Women Lacrosse Coaches Association (IWLCA) Division III New York State Region Second Team all-star, and New York State Women's Collegiate Athletic Association Third Team all-star. The following year, she repeated as a First Team Empire 8 selection and was also named a Second Team ECAC Upstate all-star. She set school single-season and career records (since

broken) for assists. deCispkes also excelled on the tennis court, earning Second Team Empire 8 honors in 2001.

Pat Kerwin was a four-year member of men's swimming and diving team (1998-02). He earned All-American honors as a sophomore in 2000 and as a senior in 2002 and in his career earned five total All-American certifications: one individual and four relays. As a sophomore in 2000, he swam for an AU team that placed 15th at the NCAA Division III championships. Kerwin was the Upper New York State Collegiate Swimming Association champion in the 100 backstroke in 2002 and was part of the 200-yard freestyle relay team that in 2002 set an Empire 8 Conference record. The former AU record-holder in the 50-yard free, he was part of the 200 free relay team that still holds the AU school record, and swam on 200 medley and 400 free relays that formerly held school marks.

Anyone wishing to attend the Hall of Fame Banquet is asked to call the AU Athletic Department at 607-871-2193.

The Dugout continued...

alum) were there. Did not see either. Came across the name of Megan Gee ... Arkport/SJ Fisher soccer, Bethany Kwarta ... UVM/Geneseo soccer and off on "Bike Ride for Cancer" after graduation plus Bre Glynn ... Brockport High/Geneseo soccer. Glynn played her high school ball for Kristy Sherman. Sure other names in there I would recognize. Ken Lindahl of Webster? Mark Vogt of Penfield? Did not come across John Tuttle's name in my search and still have not heard from the A-A Hall of Famer!

Actually got in 9-holes of golf this Sunday past at the SJ Fisher course in Pittsford. Had never been there before. Great little course, huge trees, narrow fairways. Steve from Rubinos in Webster and I wandered over there early in the morning. Good time! Then in the afternoon ... Star Trek, Into Darkness ... yes! Not a bad (chilly) Sunday of Memorial Day weekend.

A-A grads Our Man Frank, Scummer and Jake Taft were indeed joined at the Yanks-Rays baseball game last Friday evening in St. Pete's, by ... Drip! The Yanks hammered the home squad, taking 2-of-3 from the Rays ... thanks to the "arrow shooter!" Taft, Stub, McDrip and Lisa reported in via text from Frenchy's Bar & Grille the next day. Not owned by Joe Q. French but place with some great(?) memories.

Off to Stafford CC this Saturday for the annual SUNY Geneseo athletic department golf tournament/fund raiser. Not sure why outing isn't at Livingston CC in Geneseo ... for a Geneseo event, but looking forward to playing Stafford. Efforts to recruit Jim Simboli (member) and/or "Chark" for our foursome fell thru. Third year I've had chance to play in this and with Coach Wiley of the soccer team. Should be good time as my game in "mid-season," erratic form!

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